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Ms. Vasquez focuses her practice on employment litigation in state and federal court, defending wrongful termination, discrimination, harassment, retaliation, wage and hour, breach of contract and other employment claims. In addition, she advises clients on a wide range of employment issues including family and medical leave, discrimination, harassment, whistleblower issues and wage and hour matters. Ms. Vasquez also has experience in intellectual property disputes, patent actions, securities actions and internal investigations, and complex commercial litigation, including disputes involving foreign parties.

Education

J.D., cum laude, 2000 - Harvard Law School; Cambridge, MA

B.A., summa cum laude, 1997 - University of Oregon; Eugene, OR

Prior Law Firm Affiliations

Littler Mendelson P.C.

Kauff McClain & McGuire LLP

Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Heller Ehrman LLP

Professional Recognition

Named a "Rising Star" by Super Lawyers – Northern California magazine in 2010

Bar Admissions

California

Affiliations and Activities:

San Francisco Bar Association

American Bar Association

Speaking Engagements

January 2011, Association of Legal Administrators, Silicon Valley Chapter (ALA-SVC): "2011 Labor Law Update"

February 2010, Association of Legal Administrators, Silicon Valley Chapter (ALA-SVC): "2010 Labor Law Update"

December 2009, Northern California Human Resources Association (NCHRA) Presentation: "Disability Bias Law: The New ADAAA and Issues for Employers"