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Kyle McLorg is a member of the firm's complex Business Litigation Group and its White Collar Criminal Defense and Internal Corporate Investigations group, where he represents both private clients and businesses in the technology, consumer products, construction, and venture capital industries.

In Kyle's business litigation practice, he represents clients in federal and state court actions. His experience spans a wide spectrum of subject matters including complex contractual disputes, products liability, consumer class actions, and intellectual property litigation. Kyle has also represented clients in arbitrations, including as part of a trial team in a week long hearing that resulted in a \$29 million award on behalf of a director of a venture capital firm in claims against the firm regarding the value of his ownership stake, enforceability of non-compete agreements, and his right to vested carry.

Clients leverage his white collar practice in investigations and prosecutions brought by the Department of Justice and other federal agencies and in conducting internal and special litigation committee investigations in a variety of corporate contexts.

Kyle loves to learn new things, go deep on the facts and the law, and strategize to come up with creative solutions to complex problems. His experience includes drafting and arguing motions to dismiss and summary judgment motions, conducting discovery, interviewing witnesses, and taking and defending fact and expert depositions. Kyle has negotiated a number of pre-trial resolutions, including plea deals on the white collar side and settlement agreements informally and at mediations.

Kyle also maintains a robust pro bono practice, including asylum proceedings and other impact/human interest work. In 2025, Kyle filed an amicus brief in the *American Foreign Services Association v. Trump* litigation (District Court for the District of Columbia) on behalf of 22 former senior national security officials, including two former secretaries of Defense and a former CIA director. The brief argued that USAID is an essential piece of the United States government's national security efforts. And in 2020, he filed an amicus brief in the Ninth Circuit on behalf of nine civil society organizations in the *WhatsApp v. NSO Group* litigation. The brief told the stories of victims of NSO Group's spyware and succeeded in urging the court to deny the company foreign sovereign immunity.

Publications

November 2, 2023

Wire Fraud Victims Have New Reporting Factors After Ciminelli
Bloomberg Law

May 23, 2022

7 Tips to Help Financial Advisor Firms Protect Their Customer Lists
Wealth Management

Services

- Business Litigation
- Consumer Products + Manufacturing
- Private Client
- Private Equity and Venture Capital
- Technology
- White Collar Criminal Defense and Internal Corporate Investigations

Education

- University of California, Berkeley (J.D., 2019)
 - Member of the Intercollegiate Trial Team
- San Francisco State University (B.A., 2015)

Bar Admissions

- California

Outside the Office

Kyle was born and raised in Marin County, where he lives today with his wife, Shaina, and their two dogs, Hobbes (a golden retriever, named after the tiger, not the philosopher) and Lady (a Siberian husky, known for her cameos on zoom meetings). When Kyle is not in the office, he's outside: mountain biking, trail running with the dogs, body surfing at Stinson Beach (or Maui, if he's lucky), and snowboarding at Palisades. Kyle is an avid and long-suffering 49ers, Sharks, and Golden Bears fan, though that suffering is lessened by also being a Warriors and Giants fan. In his previous life, Kyle was a senior editor for *Bay Area Sports Guy*, where he spent years covering all of those Bay Area sports teams.

