



Nadia C. Arid

Associate

narid@fbm.com

San Francisco: 415.954.4431

Nadia Arid assists companies and individuals in resolving disputes related to intellectual property and business litigation matters. As an IP litigator, Nadia has represented clients in federal district courts across the nation on cases involving patent infringement, antitrust, trade secret, and unfair competition claims. She has been active at all phases of litigation including at trial and at the appellate level. Nadia also represents clients on general business litigation matters, where she has worked closely with clients to resolve partnership disputes, has advocated on behalf of clients at mediations, and has represented clients in state and federal litigation involving contract and tort issues.

In 2018, Nadia was a member of a successful trial team at Farella that secured a multimillion dollar verdict for its client following a five-week jury trial in the Northern District of California.

In addition to her client-facing work, Nadia has spoken on CLE panels and has published various IP-related articles on topics ranging from developments in trade secret law to changes in venue guidelines for patent cases.

Nadia also maintains an active pro bono practice representing clients seeking immigration relief in the United States and has worked with organizations such as Centro Legal de La Raza and Kids in Need of Defense to provide immigration screenings and prepare U-Visa applications for individuals who have been the victims of violent crimes in the U.S.

During law school, Nadia served as the president of La Alianza, Harvard's Latino law student association, and was awarded the 2016 Dean's Award for Community Leadership. She also externed for the National Immigration Law Center, the Florida Justice Institute, and the Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights and Economic Justice.

Memberships and Affiliations

- Board of Directors, San Francisco La Raza Lawyers Association
- Board of Directors, Silicon Valley Urban Debate League

Experience

Multi-jurisdictional Coverage Litigation Over Legal Malpractice Insurance Tower

We pursued claims against a national law firm's professional liability insurance tower in litigation venued in California, Washington D.C. and London, and successfully resolved the claims through mediation.

Wells Fargo Bank

Serve as counsel for eighteen Wells Fargo current and former employees ranging from senior executives to a member of the Wells Fargo litigation department to private financial advisers in internal (Audit Committee) and multiple federal government (DOJ, SEC, OCC, and state attorneys general) investigations and civil suits

Services

- Business Litigation
- Intellectual Property Litigation
- Patent Office Litigation

Education

- Harvard Law School (J.D., 2016)
 - . managing editor of the Harvard Latino Law Review, editor of the Harvard Civil Rights-Civil Liberties Law Journal
- Stanford University (B.A., 2012)
 - . Phi Beta Kappa

Bar Admissions

- California

regarding allegations of improper retail and wealth management sales practices and improper consumer lending practices.

Publications

August 19, 2020

Three Steps Licensees Can Take to Protect Their IP Rights in Bankruptcy

IP Watchdog

April 30, 2020

Tips for Efficiently Managing New Trade Secret Risks Created by Shelter-In-Place Restrictions and Remote Working

12/18/2017

Federal Circuit Tightens Patent Venue Rules

5/23/2017

Supreme Court's Decision in TC Heartland Narrows Patent Venue Selection

Outside the Office

In her free time, Nadia enjoys exploring San Francisco, exercising, reading and spending time with friends and family.