

Media and Entertainment Litigation

Practices and Industries

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A creative industry demands creative legal solutions. Your litigation issues are specific to media and entertainment, so you need litigators with deep experience in media law. With collective decades of experience, our team offers practical understanding and knowledge of the particular problems and issues you face.

Clients come to us for a full range of both counseling and litigation services in all aspects of media and First Amendment law, including:

- Pre-publication and pre-broadcast review and counseling
- Media access issues and litigation, including state public information acts and open meetings acts, the United States Freedom of Information Act, and the sealing of court records
- Trademark, service mark, and copyright fair use advice and infringement litigation
- Journalists' privilege issues, including issues relating to protection of confidential sources and response to subpoenas
- Libel, invasion of privacy, defamation, and related business tort litigation
- Online publishing
- Freelance writer and photographer contracts
- Advertising issues
- Prior restraint and anti-SLAPP issues

We represent media clients, including print and online publishers and newspapers, broadcasters, and individual authors and journalists, as well as individuals and organizations outside the media business.

Clients appreciate our cutting-edge industry knowledge, earned through our involvement in numerous professional organizations related to our representation of clients in the media. We are active members of the Defense Counsel Section of the Media Law Resource Center, a national organization promoting the development of libel law favorable to the media. To stay abreast of

current developments, our Media and First Amendment lawyers attend or participate in conferences and seminars sponsored by or in conjunction with media industry organizations. If it's happening in your industry, we're on top of it.