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Mario J. Donato is a principal attorney in the firm's technology/intellectual property law group.

Mario has a broad range of legal experience in intellectual property law, including domestic and international intellectual property procurement and enforcement, portfolio management, patent infringement and litigation (enforcement and defense), licensing, opinions, mergers and acquisitions involving intellectual property, as well as counseling in patents, trademarks, copyrights and trade secrets.

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Mario has prepared and prosecuted patent applications in a wide variety of technologies, including memory devices and applications, computer architecture, semiconductors, software applications, control systems, and telecommunication systems and devices.

Prior to joining Munck Wilson Mandala, Mario was of counsel at an Austin-based IP boutique law firm. His background also includes service as director of Intellectual Property & Licensing, U.S. & Asia, for STMicroelectronics, Inc.; patent attorney for Motorola Inc.; and intellectual property attorney for Caterpillar Inc. Prior to his legal career, Mario worked for several years as an electrical engineer with Hughes Aircraft Company.

Focus Areas

Copyrights

Patents

IP Portfolio Management & Counseling

Semiconductors

Inter Partes Reviews (IPRs)

Internet

Trademark

IP Audits & Legal Opinions

Education

University of Toledo College of Law, JD, 1992

Stevens Institute of Technology, BE, 1984
Electrical Engineering

Associations & Memberships

- Florida State Bar
- Illinois State Bar
- District of Columbia Bar
- Registered U.S. Patent Attorney

Bar Admissions

Florida, 1993

District of Columbia, 1996

Illinois, 1997

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office