



# Andrea Maddox

ASSOCIATE

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#### AREAS OF FOCUS

**Class Action Defense** 

Complex Commercial Litigation and Arbitration

Governmental and Internal Investigations

White Collar Criminal Defense



Andi Maddox is an experienced litigator with a diverse practice, spanning complex commercial cases as well as white collar defense and investigations.

Her admission in New York and California and experience in both state and federal courts make her well-equipped to advise and advocate on a wide variety of disputes and charges across the country.

Whether it's a small company or individual facing legal charges for the first time, or a large company well-seasoned in facing litigation, clients appreciate her thoughtful approach to litigation.

She has successfully resolved cases at the pleading stage, reached favorable settlements, managed complex discovery, and navigated the more difficult phases of litigation such as summary judgment, class certification, and trial.

Andi is based out of DTO's Silicon Valley office. In her free time, you'll likely find her outside, enjoying all the Bay Area has to offer.

# Experience

• Representing Defendant, a hair care company, in a putative nationwide class action in which Plaintiffs argue Defendant has falsely advertised its entire product line. Specifically, Plaintiffs allege Defendant's decades-long advertisement that its products are "not tested on animals" is untrue because Defendant sold products in China during a time period when China required



animal testing of certain cosmetic products.

- Successful dismissal at the pleading stage for a popular dietary supplement company accused of making false representations.
- Represented multiple companies facing lawsuits alleging their use of online customer chat technology constitutes a privacy violation, including winning several motions to dismiss.
- Defended a start-up tech company in an SEC enforcement action involving allegations of fraud around an initial coin offering (ICO).

# Credentials

### Education

- University of California, Berkeley, J.D.
- University of Virginia, M.P.H.
- University of Virginia, B.A.

### **Prior Affiliations**

• Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP

### Admissions

Admitted in California and New York

### **Federal Courts**

- U.S. District Court for the Northern, Eastern, and Central Districts of California
- U.S. District Court for the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York

## **Civic Involvement**

· Leadership Council on Legal Diversity, Mentor