

## Jon M. Talotta

Partner

Northern Virginia

### Biography

Helping clients navigate the high-risk, high-value challenges involved in complex commercial disputes is what Jon Talotta does best.

Jon is Global Co-Group Leader for Corporate/Shareholder Litigation, as well as the Northern Virginia office Practice Manager for the firm's Litigation, Arbitration, and Employment group. He has significant background experience in corporate governance, securities, cybersecurity, consumer protection, technology, and other business issues. He has represented U.S. and multinational clients from a variety of industries in trial and appellate courts across the U.S.; in arbitrations and mediations; and in administrative proceedings and investigations before numerous federal and state agencies.

Jon also chairs the firm's Electronic Information Group, which focuses on U.S. and cross-border electronic discovery and information governance. He is also the partner in charge of the firm's litigation support infrastructure. He regularly counsels clients on information governance and risk issues. And he publishes and speaks on topics involving U.S. and international litigation, discovery, and information governance.

Jon is a member of The Sedona Conference (WG1,



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### Practices

Corporate Governance  
Corporate and Shareholder Litigation  
Domain Names  
Intellectual Property  
International Arbitration  
Litigation Services  
Privacy and Cybersecurity  
Technology Litigation  
Trade Secrets and Confidential Know-how  
Trademarks and Brands

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WG6, and WG11) and other associations, an advisory board member of two international consulting firms, and a former council member of the Virginia Bar Association's civil litigation section. After law school, he served as a law clerk for the Honorable James C. Cacheris (E.D.Va.). During law school, he served as a law clerk extern for the Honorable B. Waugh Crigler (W.D.Va.).

## Representative experience

Representation of public companies in shareholder lawsuits challenging mergers & acquisitions.

Successful representation of special litigation committees appointed to investigate claims against directors and officers.

Representation of a healthcare transcription company in a state court putative class action alleging claims from a patient health data breach.

Representation of a Fortune 50 company in a consumer data breach investigation and related state and federal lawsuits and regulatory investigations.

## Awards and rankings

- Litigation/E-Discovery, *Who's Who Legal*, 2015-2018
- Litigation: General Commercial (Virginia), Recognised Practitioner, *Chambers USA*, 2017-2019
- Legal Elite, Alternate Dispute Resolution, *Virginia Business magazine*, 2007-2012, 2014-2016
- Client Choice Winner, Virginia, Litigation, *International Law Office*, 2014
- Data Protection, *Chambers Global*, 2011

## Latest thinking and events

- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - Getting The Deal Through: M&A Litigation 2019 *Law Business Research*

## Industries

Aerospace, Defense, and Government Services

Consumer

Education

Financial Institutions

Real Estate

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## Areas of focus

Corporate and Shareholder Litigation in the U.S.

E-discovery and Information Management

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## Education and admissions

### Education

J.D., University of Virginia School of Law, 1999

M.A., University of Virginia, 1997

M.S., American University, 1992

B.A., The Pennsylvania State University, 1990

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## Memberships

American Bar Association

Council Member, Civil Litigation Section, Virginia Bar Association

Federal Bar Association

- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - Getting The Deal Through: M&A Litigation 2019 - United States *Law Business Research*
- Sponsorships and Speaking Engagements
  - Pulled from the headlines: An insider's view of ethical issues in high-profile investigations
- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - Getting The Deal Through M&A Litigation 2018 – United States *Law Business Research*
- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - Getting The Deal Through M&A Litigation 2018 *Law Business Research*
- Hogan Lovells Events
  - In-house counsel and outside help: Ethical issues in dealing with advisors, agents, affiliates, and associated third parties

The Sedona Conference (WG1, WG6 & WG11)

Virginia Bar Association

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## Bar admissions and qualifications

Virginia

District of Columbia

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## Court admissions

District of Columbia Court of Appeals

Supreme Court of Virginia

U.S. Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit

U.S. District Court, District of Columbia

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Virginia

U.S. District Court, Western District of Virginia

U.S. Supreme Court

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## Accolades

"Jon Talotta is a highly regarded e-discovery specialist who is well known for his insight into cybersecurity and consumer protection issues."

*Who's Who Legal, 2018*

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"Able to provide unique perspective and analysis."

