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Christine focuses her practice on intellectual property transactional matters and has a strong background in technology, including a technical degree in Chemistry and vast experience advising clients in the computer and software industries.

Christine is an associate in the firm's Los Angeles office. She focuses her practice in computer technology, life sciences technology and intellectual property transactions, including intellectual property licensing, technology development and transfers of ownership, and commercialization of content. Additionally, Christine has experience counseling clients in industrial fields comprising of autonomous vehicles, natural language processing, machine learning, e-commerce, telecommunications, mechanical devices, computer software, and battery management.

Key Matters

Some of the experience represented below may have been handled at a previous firm.

Christine has experience providing strategic advice to clients in technology transactions and intellectual property matters spanning a wide variety of industries, with a particular focus on computer and life science technology. Such

experiences include litigation strategy, commercial agreements, complex licensing, strategic collaboration arrangements, and various intellectual property issues in acquisitions and transactions.

Prior to joining the firm, Christine garnered extensive experience in drafting patents for a wide array of clients as well as litigating patents both before the PTAB and Federal District Courts with respect to early dispute resolutions and all aspects of litigation, including summary judgement, trial, and appeal. Christine has defended clients in jurisdictions throughout the country, including the Northern District of California, Eastern and Western Districts of Texas, District of Delaware and Federal Circuit Courts of Appeals.

Recent Experience

Acquisition of Glendale Senior Dining, Inc.

Cuadrilla Capital Acquires Gluware, Inc.

Winston Represented Revelstoke Capital Partners in Acquisition of NKMD MGMT, LLC

Court Square Capital Partners in its Definitive Agreement to Sell Advanced Diabetes Supply Group for US\$1.1B

Cohn & Gregory Supply Sale to Venturi Supply

GenNx360 Capital Partners in the Sale of Miller Environmental Group

The Vistria Group's Strategic Investment in Soliant Health

Representing Chuy's Holdings in its US\$605M Sale to Darden Restaurants

Winston Represented Charles Thayne Capital in its Acquisition of Bluescape

Represented Stout Risius Ross in the Acquisition of HealthCare Appraisers

Recognitions

- *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America*, recognized for Litigation - Patent, 2025
 - SDVLP 2017 & 2018 Pro Bono Award Recipient
 - USD National Mock Trial Team – First Place Finalist, AAJ Competition
 - Editor, *San Diego Journal of Climate and Energy Law*
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Credentials

EDUCATION

Christine received her J.D. from the University of San Diego School of Law, where she was a Secretary Board Member of the Intellectual Property Law Association and editor of the *San Diego Journal of Climate and Energy Law*. She received her B.S. from the University of California, San Diego, where she won the Chancellor's Academic Scholarship from 2007 – 2011.

ADMISSIONS

- California

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RECOGNITIONS

Winston Attorneys Recognized in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America 2025*

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