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PRACTICE AREAS

Antitrust and Trade Regulation

Appellate

Business and Commercial Litigation

Environmental Litigation and Regulation

Intellectual Property Litigation

Real Estate

EDUCATION

University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, IL J.D., 2007

Yale University, New Haven, CT M.A., 2004 East Asian Studies

Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA B.A, *with honors*, 2002 History with a minor in Biology

ADMISSIONS

California U.S. District Court, Eastern District of California

LEADERSHIP

Member, Board of Directors, California State Railroad Museum (2011-2017)

OVERVIEW

Peter Austin assists with general civil litigation matters, covering a broad range of substantive areas, including contract disputes, eminent domain actions, corporate derivative actions, zoning disputes, intellectual property matters, and other business-oriented disputes.

While attending the University of Chicago Law School, Peter drafted legal documents and researched legal issues at the Institute for Justice Clinic on Entrepreneurship and at the Illinois Attorney General's Office, Welfare Litigation Bureau.

Peter received his B.A. in History, *with honors*, and a minor in Biology from Swarthmore College. He earned his M.A. in East Asian Studies at Yale University and was awarded his J.D. from University of Chicago.



MEMBERSHIPS

Sacramento County Bar Association, Construction Law Section and Civil Litigation Law Section