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Joseph Trujillo litigates complex, high-stakes competition disputes. Joey represents clients in actions brought under the Sherman and Clayton Acts, the Defend Trade Secrets Act, and California competition statutes—including the Unfair Practices Act, Unfair Competition Law, and Uniform Trade Secrets Acts. His practice has included specific industry experience involving technology, finance, insurance, manufacturing, and energy.

Joey is skilled in every phase of trial court litigation—from forum selection and early injunctive relief to dispositive motion practice and trial. Joey takes an aggressive, client-first approach with an eye toward efficiency and long-term advantage—whether prosecuting claims, defending them, or both.

Before joining Bona Law, Joey practiced at Dechert and Orrick and clerked for the Honorable Phyllis Hamilton of the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California. He draws on his clerkship experience to identify, articulate, and shape litigation strategy around arguments that will resonate with judges and drive results.

In 2024, Joey was appointed to serve as a member of the Northern District of California's Civil Local Rules Attorney Advisory Committee. Previously, Joey received a distinction from the San Francisco Bar Association's Justice and Diversity Center for his pro bono work on housing issues in San Francisco's Mission District.

Joey is a Californian and loves to explore his home state. During the weekends, you can find him hiking on a trail in a county or state park.



Education

J.D., Stanford Law School, 2015 ABA Legal Opportunity Scholar Kern County Bar Association Judge Arthur E. Wallace Scholar Co-President Youth and Education Advocates Member of Stanford Law Latino Students Association Volunteer Catholic Chaplaincy at Stanford Hospital

Clerkships

B.A., University of California, Santa Barbara, 2012

Double major in Economics and Political Science with a Writing minor in Professional Editing Outstanding Economics Scholar, 2012 (Top Three in major) Dean's Honors Scholar (2008-11)

Admissions

California

Northern District of California

Southern District of California

Central District of California

Eastern District of California

Middle District of Florida

Northern District of Illinois

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