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Jakob B. Halpern is an accomplished litigator with extensive experience representing clients in a wide array of complex commercial and multi-party disputes. He practices in the Firm's intellectual property, business litigation, and employment law practice groups, and leads the Firm's trademark counseling practice group.

With a focus on intellectual property disputes, employment law, competition law, and professional malpractice matters, Jake has built a reputation for his advocacy in federal courts, particularly in the District of New Jersey. His practice spans a range of diverse industries, and he brings significant experience to matters involving patent infringement, Hatch-Waxman ANDA litigation, and multi-jurisdictional intellectual property issues. Jake frequently serves as local counsel to out-of-state law firms and their clients, offering unique insight into navigating New Jersey's local court procedures.

In addition to his litigation experience, Jake guides his clients through the maze of intellectual property rights issues. His strategic advice extends to trademark portfolio management, where he has successfully advised some of the world's leading global brands. From the clearance and registration of trademarks to enforcing rights through infringement actions, Jake ensures that his clients' intellectual property assets are protected and optimized.

Jakes is a respected thought leader in the intellectual property community. He is a Master of the John C. Lifland Federal Practice/Intellectual Property American Inn of Court, a Trustee and 2-time Co-Chair of the Judicial Conference for the Association of the Federal Bar of New Jersey, and an active member of the International Trademark Association, currently serving on the Geographical Indications Committee.

Jake's clients range from well-known consumer brands and pharmaceutical companies to local businesses and individuals, and he has represented and counseled clients in diversified industries including pharmaceutical and healthcare, gaming, insurance and reinsurance, medical and chemical products, communications, distributorships, supermarkets and retailers, consumer electronic products, clothing and footwear, automotive, real estate, and other service and product industries.

Prior to joining Saiber, Jake clerked for the Hon. William Matthew Byrne, Jr., on the United States District Court for the Central District of California, following a year as a litigation



associate at a prominent D.C. law firm. He serves as the General Counsel of the Temple B'nai Abraham in Livingston, NJ and is the President of the Millburn Soccer Club.

## EDUCATION

Georgetown University Law Center, J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2004, Editor, *The Tax Lawyer* Dean's List Order of the Coif

Dartmouth College, A.B., 1999

## HONORS & AWARDS

Listed in:

- Best Lawyers® Copyright Law 2021, 2024-2025
- New Jersey *Super Lawyers*® 2017-2025
- New Jersey *Super Lawyers*® Rising Stars 2009-2013
- *Morris/Essex Health & Life* magazine as a "Top Lawyer" Intellectual Property Rights 2024