

ALEX S. TREPP, Associate

Alex Trepp is an associate in the litigation department. He is a member of the Content, Media, and Entertainment practice group, as well as the Election Law and Redistricting, and Government Controversies and Public Policy Litigation practice groups.

Mr. Trepp has represented clients throughout all stages of complex civil litigation, including discovery, dispositive motion practice, and trial. In addition to taking depositions, managing electronic discovery, and briefing a variety of motions, Mr. Trepp has taken a lead role in managing cases and worked closely with fact and expert witnesses. He has twice served as a lead associate on trial teams, preparing witnesses for and conducting direct and cross-examinations, assisting with the preparation of closing argument, and drafting proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law.

Mr. Trepp maintains an active pro bono practice, focused largely on election law. He has represented clients on matters concerning redistricting and campaign finance regulations.

Mr. Trepp graduated with High Honors from Wesleyan University and then worked in the District Office of Congressman Steve Israel before pursuing a law degree. He received his J.D., *cum laude*, from Harvard Law School, where he served as an editor on the Civil Rights-Civil Liberties Law Review. During law school, Mr. Trepp worked as a law clerk at the Campaign Legal Center, a non-partisan and not-for-profit organization dedicated to election law. Before joining Jenner & Block, Mr. Trepp clerked for the Honorable John G. Koeltl on the Southern District of New York. Mr. Trepp is a member of the New York and Washington, D.C. bars.

- *In re Determination of Royalty Rates and Terms for Transmission of Sound Recordings by Satellite Radio and Preexisting Subscription Services (SDARS III)*: Mr. Trepp was a lead associate on a team that represented artists and copyrights owners in a Copyright Royalty Board proceeding to set the statutory rates applicable to satellite radio and certain other streaming services for the years 2018-2022. Following the submission of written testimony and several rounds of discovery, the matter culminated in a five-week trial before the Copyright Royalty Judges.
- *United States ex rel. Steve Karol v. L-3 Communications*: Mr. Trepp was a lead associate on a team that secured the dismissal of Relator's False Claims Act allegations after a five-day jury trial. Trial occurred in the Northern District of Texas. Relator had sought damages in the amount of \$480 million.
- *Getty Images v. Microsoft*: Mr. Trepp assisted in representing a leading digital images company in a litigation concerning the intersection of search engine technology and copyright protection. The case was resolved through a favorable settlement achieved after Jenner & Block submitted summary judgment briefing.



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PRACTICE GROUPS

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EDUCATION

Harvard Law School, J.D., 2013; *Cum Laude*;
Editor, *Civil Rights-Civil Liberties Law
Review*

Wesleyan University, B.A., 2008; High
Honors (College of Social Studies); Honors
(Government)

ADMISSIONS

District of Columbia, 2016

New York, 2014

JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP

Hon. John G. Koeltl, U.S. District Court,
Southern District of New York 2013 - 2014
(Clerkship)

- *Harris v. Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission*: Mr. Trepp was one of the primary drafters of a merits brief in this case concerning whether the Commission’s pursuit of neutral and traditional redistricting criteria justified minor population deviations in its state legislative map. In a unanimous decision, the Supreme Court upheld the Commission’s map and affirmed that the Commission’s attempt to draw districts that complied with Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act furthered a legitimate state interest because the districts were drawn before statutory provisions governing the application of Section 5 were held unconstitutional in *Shelby County v. Holder*.
- *Williams-Yulee v. The Florida Bar*: Mr. Trepp was the lead associate and a primary drafter of an amicus brief concerning the effects of judicial elections on judicial decision-making. Justice Ginsburg repeatedly cited and relied on the brief in her concurring opinion.