



JAMES G. MARTIN

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EDUCATION

University of Michigan Law School
(J.D., *summa cum laude*, 1983)
Daniel H. Grady Award (Recipient)
Henry M. Bates Memorial Scholarship
Class of 1908 Memorial Scholarship
West Publishing Company Junior and Senior Awards

University of Notre Dame
(B.B.A., Finance, *with highest honors*, 1980)
Henry Crown Award (Recipient)

PRACTICE AREAS

Business Litigation
Criminal Defense and Compliance
Security Clearance Services
Facility Clearance Services

ADMITTED TO BAR

Missouri
Illinois

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

The Missouri Bar
Illinois State Bar Association
Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis
Missouri Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
National Association of Former United States Attorneys
Society of Corporate Compliance and Ethics

CIVIC & CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Eastern Missouri
St. Louis Variety Club
St. Louis Regional Crime Commission
(Co-Founder)

LAW PRACTICE

Mr. Martin is a member of the firm's Business Litigation practice group. He concentrates his practice in the areas of white-collar and criminal defense, corporate governance and compliance, and complex business litigation. Prior to joining the firm, he served as a federal prosecutor for 21 years, serving most recently as the United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Missouri. As a federal prosecutor, Mr. Martin was successful in the prosecution of white collar crime, public corruption and tax. In 2006, Mr. Martin served as Co-Counsel for the second largest Top Business Settlement in the state of Missouri. Among his recent successes, Mr. Martin obtained a dismissal of the indictment against his client in a high publicity stock option backdating case.

In 1999 and 2000, he spent a year and a half working with former Senator John Danforth in the Office of Special Counsel serving as Director of Investigative Operations where he supervised 12 attorneys and 38 federal agents investigating the allegations pertaining to the 1993 confrontation between law enforcement and the Branch Davidians in Waco, Texas.

SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The Best Lawyers in America for Corporate Governance and Compliance Law and Criminal Defense Law (2008-present)

Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business for Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Governmental Compliance (multiple years)

2008-2009 *Missouri/Kansas Super Lawyers*® for Criminal Defense: White Collar

Noted as the No. 1 Ranked Lawyer by *Missouri Lawyers Weekly* in its "Missouri's Best" Competition in the "Lawyer if the SEC Calls" Category (2007)

Obtained the second largest Business Settlement in the state of Missouri (2006)

AV® Peer Review Rated, *Martindale-Hubbell*

PRESENTATIONS & PUBLICATIONS

Co-presenter, "Empowering the FSO: Preempting Personnel Clearance Issues," NCMS Carolinas Chapter & Hampton Roads Chapter Brown Bag Training via WebEx (August 2010)

Presenter, "White Collar Risks for In-House Counsel in the Current Environment," American Bar Association CLE (2009)

Co-author, "When Employee Secrets Become an Employer's Problem," *Business Torts Journal* (Fall 2006)

Fostering a Culture of Trust: Implications of the Federal Sentencing Guidelines, Business Roundtable Institute for Corporate Ethics, Featuring a *Thought Leader Commentary*™ with James Martin

