

Tao Leung

Counsel

Los Angeles

Biography

Recognizing an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure for employers, Tao Leung adopts a practical, proactive approach in advising clients how to prevent, address, and resolve workplace-related challenges.

Tao heads the Labor and Employment practice in our California offices and handles all aspects of California and federal employment law. Whether it's counseling clients regarding constantly changing employment laws, conducting internal investigations and training, or advising on M&A transactions, Tao helps employers of all sizes navigate California's particularly rigid employment laws. Tao has also successfully represented employers in labor and employment litigation, including wage and hour class actions, discrimination, wrongful termination, retaliation, harassment, misappropriation of trade secrets, and breach of contract matters.

Prior to joining the firm, Tao was a labor and employment associate at another international law firm. He also has experience working as an in-house trial counsel at a Fortune 500 company.

Awards and rankings

- Top Labor & Employment Lawyer in California, *Daily Journal*, 2019



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Languages

English

Practices

Employment

Litigation Services

Trade Secrets and Confidential
Know-how

Areas of focus

Class Actions and Group Litigation

Latest thinking and events

- Hogan Lovells Publications
 - Workers' compensation now presumptively applies to employee COVID-19 claims in California
- Press Releases
 - Hogan Lovells represents Intel in its US\$900M acquisition of Moovit
- Hogan Lovells Publications
 - Los Angeles adopts ordinances giving certain laid off workers "Right to Recall" and right to be retained during a change of control
- Hogan Lovells Publications
 - California grants additional paid sick leave rights to food sector workers
- Hogan Lovells Publications
 - U.S. | COVID-19 Considerations: Vacation and PTO
- Hogan Lovells Publications
 - The Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act: Significant Provisions for Employers
Employment

Education and admissions

Education

J.D., University of California, Hastings College of the Law, 2007

B.A., University of California, San Diego, 2004

Bar admissions and qualifications

California
