

Jarrod J. Malone

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Jarrod focuses his litigation practice on representing financial and investment advisors transitioning from firm to firm and has advised on some of the largest transitions in the country. He has significant litigation experience in State and Federal Court, FINRA arbitrations and has been class counsel in numerous class actions. Jarrod is one of the few lawyers in the United States who have successfully brought Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations claims in federal court and has handled dozens of TRO cases both prosecuting and defending throughout the country. He has substantial knowledge in electronic discovery and has assisted numerous corporations in data breach incidents.

With extensive experience in the securities industry, Jarrod has been regularly consulted regarding employment and recruitment issues and has been called upon to restructure a number of firms' employment contracts, restrictive covenants, and promissory notes to reflect industry best practices. Jarrod regularly represents individuals and broker dealers in cases involving restrictive covenants, raiding, and the Protocol for Broker Recruiting. He has represented thousands of national and international financial and investment advisors across the nation in matters such as:

- Firm to Firm Transitions
- TRO Prosecution and Defense

SERVICE LINE

Data Breach Response Team
Litigation & Disputes

INDUSTRY SECTOR

Financial Services
Health Care
Manufacturing
Registered Investment
Advisory (RIA)

- Claims for wrongful termination
- Deferred compensation claims
- Promissory note disputes
- U-5 defamation
- Defense of garden leave (notice) provisions in employment agreements

In addition to his busy practice, Jarrod is devoted to his wife and four children.

BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

Florida, 2005

United States District Court, Southern District of Florida, 2009

United States District Court, Middle District of Florida, 2009

United States Court of Appeals, Eleventh Circuit, 2012

PRIMARY LOCATION

Sarasota, FL

EDUCATION

J.D., City University of New York School of Law, 2004

B.A., University of South Florida, 2000