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Joseph B. Alonso, a member of Gregory Doyle’s Executive Committee and Head of the Restrictive Covenant Group, has a national practice litigating disputes over intellectual property, employee raiding, trade secrets and non-compete agreements in courts and arbitration.

Experienced in technology, he regularly handles cases involving computer forensics and electronic theft claims. He also routinely represents financial advisors and financial services firms.

NOTABLE CLIENT HIGHLIGHTS

Mr. Alonso has won multiple, multi-million dollar awards for clients. Some of Mr. Alonso’s recent notable arbitration awards include:

- Obtaining a favorable result for a client: *Stephen James Heil v. LPL Financial, et. al.*, FINRA Case No. 13-02673.
- Obtaining a favorable result for a client: *Timothy Bastian v. Manarin Securities Corporation*, AAA No. 01-14-0001-4647.
- Successfully obtaining a multi-million dollar award for client: *Lance R. Beck v. SunTrust Robinson Humphrey, LLC*, FINRA Case No. 08-02482.
- Obtaining a favorable result for a client: *RBC Dain Rauscher v. Stephens, Inc., et al.* FINRA Case No. 04-015322.
- Non-competes found unenforceable under Georgia law: *Citigroup Global Markets, Inc. v. David W. Mulford*, 2007 NASD Arb. LEXIS 1089, Case No. 06-03794.
- Successfully resolving a dispute in clients’ favor and obtaining a U-5 expungement: *Scott Macolino and Roger Shaffer v. Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc.*, 2005 NASD Arb. LEXIS 2661, Case No. 04-03671.
- Obtaining a defense verdict for client: *Marilyn Banks v. Morgan Stanley DW, Inc.*, 2005 NASD Arb. LEXIS 2270, Case No. 04-06440.

PRACTICE AREAS

Litigation
 Arbitration
 Intellectual Property
 Restrictive Covenant & Non-Compete
 Regulatory

INDUSTRIES SERVED

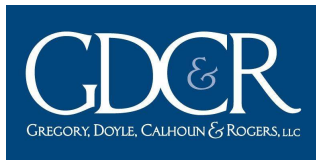
Architecture
 Accounting
 Closely-Held & Family Owned Businesses
 Entertainment
 Financial Services
 Technology

BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

Georgia
 U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Georgia
 Georgia Court of Appeals

EDUCATION

J.D., Tulane University Law School
 B.A., Emory University



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- Obtaining a defense verdict for client: *Thomas D. Johannson, Ann Tipton Johannson v. Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc.*, 2005 NASD Arb. LEXIS 1561, Case No. 03-03414.
- *Salomon Smith Barney, Inc. v. Gary B. Meyers*, 2004 NASD Arb. LEXIS 1701, Case No. 02-04113.
- *Claudia Sitar v. Morgan Stanley DW, Inc.*, 2004 NASD Arb. LEXIS 1041, Case No. 02-03438.
- Obtaining verdict for client: *Daniel J. Higgins v. Fabnestock & Co., f/k/a Josephthal & Co., Inc.*, 2003 NASD Arb. LEXIS 2158, Case No. 02-06856.
- Obtaining a favorable result for a client: *J.J.B. Hilliard, W.L. Lyons, LLC v. Morgan Stanley, et al.*, FINRA Case No. 11-03379.
- Obtained a favorable result for a client: *John Wassenaar v. CF Global Trading, LLC*, FINRA Case No. 11-03222.

PROFESSIONAL & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Member, Child Development Academy, Downhome Derby Fundraising Committee (2018)
- Member, Judicial Procedure and Administration Committee, State Bar of Georgia (2009-2010)
- Participant, Young Lawyers Division Leadership Academy, State Bar of Georgia (2008)
- Past president, North Fulton Bar Association (2008-2009)
- Member, Board of Directors, Child Development Association (2009-2010)