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### Practice Areas

Intellectual Property

Patents

Trade Secrets

### Education

Southwestern University School  
of Law, J.D., 1997

University of Maryland, B.S.  
Electrical Engineering, 1986

### Bar & Court Admissions

District of Columbia

California

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

U.S. District Court for the  
Northern District of California

Khaled is a partner in the Vorys Washington, D.C. office and a member of the intellectual property group. He has a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering and has worked as a patent examiner in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. He also spent more than 20 years in Silicon Valley counseling tech companies of all sizes and nationalities in building and monetizing their U.S. and international IP portfolios. From start-ups to large multinational concerns, Khaled has closely associated with inventors, engineers and in-house counsel to develop patent incentive programs, harvest inventions, and draft and prosecute patent applications, implementing effective strategies to build strong IP positions in the marketplace. He also successfully represented parties in post patent grant proceedings, and has counseled clients in patent infringement, validity, and freedom-to-operate matters.

Khaled's technical experience includes computer software and hardware, networking, cloud storage and computing, memory devices, EDA and circuit design, clean energy, battery technology, avionics and aeronautics, electro-optics, imaging, and medical devices.

Prior to joining Vorys, Khaled was the co-founder of the IP boutique law firm Shami Messinger PLLC and earlier in his career he served as a partner at other IP boutique and general practice law firms.

U.S. Court of Appeals for the  
Ninth Circuit

Supreme Court of the State of  
California

*Admitted to practice law only in  
the states listed above.*

**Industries**

Construction

Energy, Utilities, Oil and Gas

Esports and Video Gaming

Financial Institutions

Health Care

Manufacturing

Retail and Consumer Products

Transportation and Logistics