



Matthew J. Pavlides Principal

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Practice Areas Civil Litigation, Construction Law

# Profile

A gifted civil litigator, Matt Pavlides is driven by a desire to help clients in an efficient, responsible fashion "so they can get back to doing what they want to do with their lives." Matt's approach to practicing law is defined by his commitment to analyzing the big picture in order to fully understand each component of a case. He strives to place his clients in the best possible position, and keep them fully informed at each step of the way. He prides himself on his accessibility to his clients.

With broad-based experience in business disputes, complex commercial and construction litigation, Matt has worked with clients on matters ranging from commercial matters to much smaller personal ones, working to settle disputes through mediation, arbitration and litigation. He represents contractors, subcontractors and business owners in a wide range of construction litigation.

Matt has broad experience in litigation and arbitration matters in Maryland, D.C., Virginia, South Carolina, Florida and other jurisdictions across the country. Most recently Matt was called upon to represent a global privately held company's chief executive officer in a shareholder litigation matter in the District of Columbia; a general contractor in defense of a multi-million dollar claim for construction deficiencies in Florida; and a local private company in a shareholder action and counterclaim in Montgomery County, Maryland.

Prior to joining Stein Sperling, Matt was Managing Partner of Miles and Stockbridge's Rockville office, and served as co-chair of the firm's 80 lawyer Commercial Litigation Group.

## Education

The College of William and Mary (B.A., 1986) University of Florida (J.D., 1989)

### More

During his spare time, Matthew enjoys spending time with his family, paddle boarding and hiking.

#### **Admissions & Certifications**

Maryland District of Columbia Florida South Carolina U.S. District Court, District of Maryland U.S. District Court, District of Columbia

#### Memberships & Activities

Bar Association of Montgomery County, Maryland Maryland State Bar Association District of Columbia Bar Association Florida State Bar Association South Carolina Bar Association American Bar Association

Commercial Litigation and Construction/Surety Division

International Concrete Repair Institute

#### Honors & Awards

*The Daily Record*, Leader in Law (2023) Best Lawyers (2018-2023) Maryland Super Lawyers (2012-2023)

Top 100 Attorneys in Maryland (2019-2023)

Washington, D.C. Super Lawyers (2012-2023)

• Top 100 Attorneys in Washington, D.C. (2019-2023)

Washington SmartCEO Magazine: "Smart Lawyer" (2008) Martindale-Hubbell Peer Review Rating: AV Preeminent® Rated