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Mr. McComas provides representation on commercial transactional matters to clients ranging from entrepreneurs to Fortune 500 companies and investors, inventors and venture capitalists across many different industries. He concentrates his practice on working with clients to grow and improve the core functions of their business through legal counsel. A seasoned corporate attorney, Mr. McComas counsels clients across the country on financing, mergers and acquisitions, sales of assets, venture capital investments, and other general corporate matters. He is well established for helping companies manage and develop commercial technology and strategies.

Mr. McComas also provides representation on complex business transactions such as joint venture, strategic alliances, research and development, electronic commerce, complex procurement, endorsement, outsourcing, and the general management and disposition of intellectual property.

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In 2012, the legal industry guide Best Lawyers in America named Mr. McComas the Baltimore “Lawyer of the Year” in the area of Information Technology Law. In 2008, he was the only attorney to receive a BaltimoreSmartCEO Magazine “Reader’s Choice Award,” a distinction bestowed on professionals recognized as outstanding by chief executive officers. He is a frequent business and technology law columnist for publications such as the Legal Times, National Law Journal, Baltimore Business Journal, The Daily Record, and the Washington Business Journal among others.

**Rankings and Awards**

- Best Lawyers
  - Lawyer of the Year for work in Information Technology Law in Baltimore, 2019.
- Super Lawyers
  - Named Lawyer of the Year for work in Information Technology Law in Baltimore, 2019
  - Selected to the Maryland Super Lawyers list, 2019
  - Selected to the Maryland Rising Stars Super Lawyers list, 2011-2013