



An experienced problem-solver and strategist, financial restructuring and commercial law adviser Ali Mojdehi represents stakeholders nationwide. Ali is committed to achieving client objectives efficiently, maximizing recovery, and conserving time and resources, while staying one step ahead of the opposition.

Ali represents a wide range of stakeholders across the capital structure, including debtors-in-possession, trustees, creditors, statutory creditor and equity holder committees, bondholders, financial institutions, and third-party purchasers of distressed assets. He advises on Chapter 11 restructurings on a nationwide scale, as well as providing counsel to boards of directors on insolvency-related issues. Ali also represents acquirers of distressed assets and/or debt both in and out of court. In addition, he navigates clients through cross-border insolvencies.

Valued by clients and colleagues alike for his tenacity and forward-thinking approach to resolving difficult problems and highly charged disputes, Ali seeks to analyze his clients' position from all angles, identifying the risks and opportunities they face, and devising a path to reconciliation that is grounded in the law and actionable in execution.

Ali has worked with clients on insolvency events in the manufacturing, real estate, construction, hospitality, energy – including oil and gas – telecommunications, retail, transportation, financial services, technology industries and mass torts.

Personally dedicated to delivering pragmatic legal counsel and high-quality work product, Ali's team-oriented focus is to help clients reach their objectives, all while emphasizing responsiveness to client needs. Ali strives to continuously deliver a mix of insolvency and litigation abilities and practical business know-how cultivated over more than three decades of practice.

Professional and Community Involvement

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EDUCATION

University of Tulsa College of Law,
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College of William and Mary, (B.A.),
1978

BAR ADMISSIONS

California

COURT ADMISSIONS

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth
Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth
Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third
Circuit

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

U.S. District Court for the District of
Arizona

U.S. District Court for the District of
Connecticut

U.S. District Court for the District of
Nevada

U.S. District Court for the Eastern
District of Oklahoma

U.S. District Court for the Eastern
District of Tennessee

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

Member, American Bar Association Subcommittee on Chapter 11

Member, American Bankruptcy Institute

Former board member, California Bankruptcy Forum

Former member, Southern District of California Bankruptcy Rule and Practice Committee

Former member, District of Delaware Bankruptcy Rule and Practice Committee

Member, San Diego County Bar Association

Member, San Diego Bankruptcy Forum

Member, Turnaround Management Association

Member, Iranian American Bar Association

Pro bono counsel, including the representation of a federal immigration judge in a lawsuit against the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), alleging that the DOJ's recusal order, grounded in her national origin, violated her constitutional rights and Title VII. The litigation, which raised important policy issues concerning judicial independence, resulted in a transformational settlement, under which the DOJ's recusal order was rescinded, the DOJ was required to conduct an internal review of its recusal policies, and the payment of settlement consideration by the DOJ.

Honors

The Best Lawyers in America, 2022-2024

Ellis Island Medal of Honor, 2014

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

U.S. Supreme Court

LANGUAGES

English

PRACTICES

Bankruptcy

Corporate

Creditors' Committees

Creditors' Rights, Restructuring and Bankruptcy

Distressed M&A and Special Situations

Finance, Insolvency and Restructuring Litigation

Japanese Services