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“My approach to client service is built on clear communication, reliability, and a problem-solving mindset. I prioritize understanding each client’s unique needs, providing thorough and timely support, and fostering a collaborative partnership. Clients appreciate my attention to detail, responsiveness, and commitment to delivering solutions that drive success.”

Andrew Liese is a business attorney with experience advising clients on complex commercial transactions across a wide range of industries, including technology, financial services, and sports and entertainment. Drawing on his background as in-house counsel at some of the world’s largest technology companies, Andy provides strategic legal guidance on matters unique to the tech sector, including privacy and data security, intellectual property licensing, and product development counseling. He also regularly advises clients on international trade compliance issues, including dual-use export controls, the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR), economic sanctions, and compliance programs.

Andy advises companies operating at the intersection of technology and sports, where innovation is transforming how fans engage, athletes train, and organizations operate. Andy brings a deep understanding of the legal and commercial issues facing both professional and collegiate sports organizations. He counsels clients on a wide range of matters, including marketing and sponsorship agreements, protection and commercialization of intellectual property, and compliance with the rapidly evolving landscape of name, image, and likeness (NIL) rights. Andy also has particular experience negotiating endorsement and sponsorship deals involving social media influencers, helping clients navigate the complex interplay between brand promotion, digital platforms, and regulatory considerations.

Andy’s legal background also includes significant experience in bankruptcy and creditors’ rights. He supports Miller Nash’s Financial Services team by representing banks and other lenders in workout situations and advising creditors and stakeholders in insolvency matters, including Chapter 11 bankruptcies and receiverships.

Education

J.D., Vanderbilt University
Law School

- Managing Editor,
*Vanderbilt Law
Review*

B.A., University of
Washington, political
science

Bar Admissions

Washington, 2006
Oregon, 2024

Court Admissions

U.S. Bankruptcy Court,
Western District of
Washington

U.S. Bankruptcy Court,
Eastern District of
Washington

U.S. Bankruptcy Court,
District of Oregon

U.S. District Court,
Western District of
Washington

U.S. District Court, Eastern
District of Washington

U.S. District Court, District
of Oregon

Professional Activities

- King County Bar Association, Member
- Deschutes County Bar Association, Member
- Washington State Bar Association, Member
- Oregon State Bar Association, Member
- International Association of Privacy Professionals, Member
- Turnaround Management Association, Member

Civic Activities

- Bend Chamber of Commerce, Member
- Vanderbilt University Alumni Association, Member

Outside of the Office

Outside of the office, Andrew is an avid golfer, an aspiring fly fisherman, and a proud supporter of Whitworth University football along with Ballard and Sumner High School athletics.