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Education

J.D., University of Pennsylvania Law School, 2019 (Symposium Editor, *University of Pennsylvania Law Review*)

B.A., New York University, 2016
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Bar Admissions

California

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Jaclyn Castelar has a diverse practice representing public and private clients in a variety of U.S. and international transactions, including acquisitions, dispositions, mergers, auctions, carve-outs, reorganizations, strategic investments, joint ventures and other corporate and commercial transactions. Ms. Castelar has advised clients in a wide range of industries, including:

- **Discover Financial Services** in the sale of Discover Bank's \$10 billion private student loan portfolio to affiliates of Carlyle and KKR
- **S&P Global** in its \$975 million sale of its Engineering Solutions business to funds managed by KKR
- **Scopely** in its \$4.9 billion acquisition by Savvy Gaming Group
- **Wells Fargo** in connection with its:
 - \$2 billion carve-out sale of certain assets of Wells Fargo Asset Management, related legal entities and its collective investment trust business to Allspring Global Investment, which was formed by GTCR and Reverence Capital Partners (recognized as Deal of the Year (Large) at the 2022 Americas M&A Atlas Awards)
 - sale of its \$10 billion private student loan portfolio to a group of investors
- **United Talent Agency** in connection with its acquisitions of:
 - baseball talent agency REP 1 Baseball
 - soccer talent agency Representatives of Outstanding Footballers
- **iCapital** in its acquisition of SIMON Markets
- **Zip Co Limited** in its acquisition of QuadPay and announced acquisition of Sezzle
- **Information Builders** in its acquisition by TIBCO
- **Dayco** in its sale to Hidden Harbor Capital Partners
- **RODE Microphones** in its acquisition of Mackie
- **Nasdaq** in its strategic investment in Level ATS and the subsequent merger of Level ATS and Luminex
- **BillerudKorsnäs** in its acquisition of Verso Corporation
- **Foot Locker** in its acquisition of Warehouse Shoe Sale
- **funds advised by Apax Partners** in connection with their acquisitions of:
 - EveryAction, Inc. from Insight Ventures
 - Social Solutions Group, Inc. from Vista Equity Partners
- **Global Indemnity** in connection with its internal business reorganization