

## PROFESSIONAL RÉSUMÉ

**TIMOTHY YOO**, a partner of the firm, specializes in commercial litigation and bankruptcy. Known throughout the region as a bankruptcy attorney who resolves difficult issues with creativity and efficiency, he consistently earns the highest rating in peer surveys, including being repeatedly listed as a “Super Lawyer.”

Mr. Yoo received his undergraduate degree in business from University of Southern California with honors in 1987. He then obtained his law degree from Loyola Law School with full merit scholarship in 1991. Mr. Yoo completed a one-year clerkship with the Honorable Lisa Hill Fenning, United States Bankruptcy Judge for the Central District of California. In March, 1998, he was appointed to the Panel of Chapter 7 Bankruptcy Trustees for the Central District of California. Besides serving as a Chapter 7 Trustee, Mr. Yoo also serves in numerous cases as a Chapter 11 Trustee, Bankruptcy Ombudsman, Liquidating Trustee, and Chief Restructuring Officer.

Mr. Yoo’s wide range of experience includes Taeil Media (represented a multinational Korean corporation in one of the largest Orange County fraud cases); Destination Films (acted as Chapter 7 trustee to liquidate a large film library); Winston Tires (represented the Chapter 7 Trustee); Millennium-Pacific Icon Group (acted as Chapter 11 Trustee of one of the largest Korean American real estate developer); Daewoo Motors (defended creditors in preference actions); Bodies in Motion (acted as the first Consumer Privacy Ombudsman in the Central District of California to advise the court on a sale of a chain of fitness facilities); Small World Toys (represented the creditors’ committee); Chorus Line Corporation and California Fashions Industries (acted as a liquidating trustee for one of the largest apparel companies in the country); IT Wheels (successfully defended a Chapter 7 Trustee in a Chapter 15 proceeding); Aoki Pacific Corporation (as Chapter 7 Trustee, completed public works projects); Dick Cepek, Inc. (acted as Chapter 7 Trustee to liquidate a chain of off-road vehicle parts stores); and Phoenix MC, Inc. (acted as the Chief Restructuring Officer for a hybrid automobile manufacturer).

Mr. Yoo has lectured as a panelist in programs sponsored by Lorman Education Services, Office of the United Trustee and the National Asian Pacific American Bar Association. He also frequently writes for the *Korea Times* and California Continuing Education of the Bar.



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