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Scott C. Lacunza is a principal in the Orange County, California, office of Jackson Lewis P.C. His practice focuses on defending employers in all aspects of state and federal employment law.

Scott's practice concentrates on California-based wage and hour class action litigation and PAGA representative enforcement actions, and he has defended over 80 such matters for employers of all sizes over the past 20 years. In addition, Scott has extensive experience litigating discrimination, wrongful termination, harassment, retaliation, and breach of contract lawsuits. Scott also advises clients regarding day-to-day workplace legal issues.

While attending law school, he was an associate executive editor of the *Hastings International and Comparative Law Review* and was a recipient of an American Jurisprudence Award for Legal Writing and Research. Scott was an extern with the Hon. Claudia Wilken of the U.S. District Court, Northern District of California in 1996.

Practices

- Real Estate
- California Class and PAGA Action
- Class Actions and Complex Litigation
- Employment Litigation
- Wage and Hour
- Hotels

Education

- University of California College of the Law, San Francisco, J.D. 1996
- University of California, San Diego, B.A. 1992

Admitted to Practice

- 9th Circuit Court of Appeals
- California - C.D. Cal.
- California - E.D. Cal.
- California 1996

Honors and Recognitions

- *Super Lawyers*®, "Rising Stars" (2009)