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Ms. Hakimi is the founder of Hakimi Law, PC a boutique business and intellectual property law firm in San Francisco focused on protecting the creative talent and business interest of artists and entrepreneurs alike. While Ms. Hakimi has been committed to serving the interest of artists and innovative entrepreneurs since the opening of her Firm in 2002, she also served as the Senior In-House Counsel for the Amidi Group of companies, an international conglomerate consisting of several domestic and international subsidiaries with operations in over a dozen countries from 2003 until 2010. As part of the senior management team she was in charge of all legal aspects of business, corporate, employment and general operation of all entities

From 2003 to 2014 she also served as the General Counsel for Amidzad/Plug & Play Tech Center, a leading Silicon Valley startup technology incubator and an early-stage investment firm. As the lead attorney, she was responsible for structuring, leading, overseeing and advising the partners on the Firm's investments in 500+ portfolio companies which included Dropbox, Zoosk, Lending Club, Webs, Vivu, Bix and Danger.

In addition to her practice, Ms. Hakimi also served as an adjunct professor at Golden Gate University School of Law between 2002 to 2013 teaching various intellectual property courses including Trademark Moot Court Competition and Art & the Law. She also presents workshops and lectures on copyrights, trademarks and licensing for various art and non-profit organizations.

Ms. Hakimi currently serves on the Advisory Board of Castro LGBTQ Cultural District and is a member of the San Francisco Community Equity Advisory Council.