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## Theodore D. Chuang

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Theodore D. Chuang, formerly an Assistant US Attorney and a Trial Attorney at the US Department of Justice, has substantial experience litigating civil and criminal matters, including extensive jury trial and appellate experience.

### Practice Focus

[Litigation](#)

### Education

- J.D., *magna cum laude*,  
Harvard Law School,  
1994, Editor, *Harvard  
Law Review*  
- B.A., *summa cum  
laude*, Harvard  
University, 1991, Phi  
Beta Kappa

### Bar Admissions

District of Columbia  
Massachusetts

### Clerkships

- The Hon. Dorothy  
Nelson, US Court of  
Appeals for the Ninth  
Circuit, 1994 - 1995

### Practice

Prior to joining the firm, Mr. Chuang served as Assistant US Attorney in the Public Corruption and Special Prosecutions Unit of the US Attorney's Office in Boston, Massachusetts. From 1998 to 2003, he investigated and prosecuted a wide array of white collar and violent crimes, including government contracts fraud, bribery, bank fraud, money laundering, export control violations, insurance fraud, embezzlement, armed robbery and extortion. Over the course of numerous jury trials, he developed a reputation as a formidable trial attorney and oral advocate. As an Assistant US Attorney, Mr. Chuang also successfully briefed and argued numerous appeals before the US Court of Appeals for the First Circuit.

From 1995 to 1998, Mr. Chuang served as a Trial Attorney in the Housing and Civil Enforcement Section of the US Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, where he investigated and litigated civil actions on behalf of the US to enforce federal laws prohibiting discrimination in housing, mortgage lending, and public accommodations.

### Recent Highlights

Some of Mr. Chuang's notable trials and prosecutions include:

- *United States v. Sebaggala*, the conviction of the mayor of the capital city of Uganda on charges of defrauding an American bank in order to finance campaign activities
- *United States v. Cashman*, the conviction of the president of the Teamsters Union in Boston on health care fraud and extortion charges
- *United States v. Simons*, the conviction of the principals of a computer business on conspiracy and money laundering charges arising from the theft and resale of \$17 million of Microsoft software
- *United States v. Merlino*, the conviction of organized crime figures on charges of conspiring to use an arsenal of weapons to rob an armored car facility housing \$70 million in cash

### Professional Activities

Mr. Chuang has served as President-Elect of the Asian Pacific American Bar Association of the Greater Washington, DC Area and as President of the Asian American Lawyers Association of Massachusetts.