

### Odette Martins Associate

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## Overview

Odette Martins is a skilled trademark attorney dedicated to protecting and growing clients' brands. With a deep understanding of trademark law, she provides comprehensive legal guidance tailored to their specific needs. Her experience spans a wide range of industries, including pharmaceuticals, medical devices and biotechnology.

Odette assists clients with all aspects of trademark law from initial trademark strategy to ongoing enforcement of trademarks and brands. She guides businesses through every step of the trademark process, from conducting comprehensive clearance searches to ensuring their mark is protected, both domestically and internationally. She helps them navigate the application process, address any U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) office actions, and develop strategies to prevent infringement. When necessary, Odette also represent clients in Trademark Trial and Appeal Board (TTAB) proceedings and draft cease and desist letters or takedown notices.

Before joining private practice, Odette gained invaluable experience as a Trademark Examining Attorney at the USPTO. This firsthand knowledge of the USPTO's procedures and standards gives her a unique perspective in representing clients.

During law school, Odette first developed an interest in trademark law while participating in the Intellectual Property Clinic, where she partnered with a practicing attorney to file trademark applications and respond to USPTO office actions.

# **Education and Credentials**

#### Education

University of Connecticut School of Law, J.D., *Connecticut Public Interest Law Journal*, Note and Comment Editor

Boston University, B.A.

#### Admissions

Commonwealth of Massachusetts State of Connecticut

### Practices & Industries

Intellectual Property Litigation Trademark, Copyright & Advertising



#### Affiliations

Boston Bar Association, IP Year in Review, Steering Committee, 2020-2024 Massachusetts Black Lawyers Association, Gala Committee, 2023 International Trademark Association (INTA), Well Known Marks Committee, 2024 National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE), Boston Professionals Chapter, 2024

## **Recognition and Community**

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#### Recognitions

Selected to the list of Massachusetts Super Lawyers Rising Stars (Thomson Reuters), Intellectual Property, 2023-2024

#### **Community Involvement**

Veteran's Legal Services, Volunteer Attorney, 2023

## In The Media

Odette Martins to Moderate Trademark/Name, Image, and Likeness (NIL) Panel at Boston Bar Association's (BBA) Annual IP Year in Review

Boston Bar Association, March 19, 2025

Intellectual Property Basics for Business Leaders 2023

