

## John G. Sinodis

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### *Areas of Practice*

Banking, Finance and Leasing

Creditors' Rights

Business Law

Corporate Counseling

Litigation

Mediation & Arbitration



Mr. Sinodis is the Managing Partner, Chairman of the Executive Committee and Chair of the Financial Services Client Service Group at Jennings Haug Cunningham. His practice concentration includes commercial finance, asset based lending, equipment leasing and the Uniform Commercial Code. Mr. Sinodis represents a wide range of equipment lessors and asset based lenders in all aspects of business finance. He routinely advises clients in complex loan transactions and litigation matters. Mr. Sinodis has a successful track record representing lenders in loan enforcement actions, bankruptcy proceedings and out of court workouts. He is also a trained mediator having received his training from the Straus Institute for Dispute Resolution at Pepperdine University School of Law.

Prior to joining the firm, Mr. Sinodis served as the President of General Leasing Co. and is a current member of its Board of Directors. Mr. Sinodis also serves the Epilepsy Foundation of Arizona as its Vice-Chair and as a member of the Board of Directors.

Mr. Sinodis is a graduate of Arizona State University (B.S. 1982 and J.D. 1985), has earned an AV Rating with Martindale Hubbell® and has been named an Arizona Super Lawyer.

## *Bar Admissions*

Arizona California

U.S. District Court District of Arizona

U.S. District Court Central District of California

U.S. District Court Southern District of California

U.S. District Court Northern District of California

U.S. Court of Appeals 9th Circuit

## *Education*

Arizona State University, College of Law

J.D., 1985

Arizona State University, College of Business B.S.,

1982

## *Published Works*

*UCC Article 9 Changes: A Rose by Any Other Name Would Not Smell as Sweet*, **NEFA Newslines** page 17 (Jul/Aug. 2013)

Co-author with Chris Stovall, *Lessor More Protected: UCC Article 2A Analysis Strengthens Resistance to Common Lessee Collection Defenses*, **The Monitor** (Jan/Feb. 2012)

Co-author with Chris Stovall, *The UCC's Public Policy Favors the Lessor, Come Hell or High Water*, **Lease Enforcement Attorney Network** (Jan. 2012)

*Lending in Tribal Land - Understanding Important Issues*, co-author, **Monitor**, Vol.38, No.7, Conference Issue (2011)

Co-author, *What Questions should Human Resource Professionals be Asking?*, **NEFA Newsline** (Fall 2008)

*Community Property Laws can Affect your Lease Transaction*, **UAEL Newsline**, Vol.34, No.4 (Fall 2007)

*Lessor Liability for Environmental Clean-up: How Far Will It Extend?*, **UAEL Newsline**, Vol. 3, No. 1 (Mar-Apr. 1997)

*Small Business Regulation: Let Our People Go*, **SSBIA Conference** in Dallas, TX (1982)

## *Honors and Awards*

Selected to the **Southwest Super Lawyers** list – 2019

Named a **Southwest Super Lawyers**® lists for Business Litigation (2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018)

## *Professional Associations and Memberships*

State Bar of Arizona

State Bar of California

Maricopa County Bar Association

ABA - Section Membership: Law Practice Management

ABA - Section Membership: Business Law

Equipment Leasing and Finance Association. Member

LEAN: Lease Enforcement Attorney Network, Member

## *Classes/Seminars*

*The Bankruptcy Reform Act of 1994 (1995)*

*Sexual Discrimination in the Workplace: A Case Study (1990)*

*Litigation Support: A Sales Approach Toward Enhancing the Litigation Case (1989)*

*Effective Documentation of the Lease Transaction (1988)*

*Lender Liability; Emerging Theories (1987)*

*Lease v. Conditional Sale; Knowing and Understanding the Difference (1986)*

## *Community Activities*

Arizona Epilepsy Foundation, Board member, Vice-Chair





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