

# Patricia Galella

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Patricia focuses on **mergers and acquisitions** , **infrastructure projects** and **corporate commercial law.** She has led or participated in public-private infrastructure projects, as well as commercial transactions involving the sale or acquisition of businesses, corporate reorganizations and joint ventures.

Her clients include:

- hospitality management
- multi-residential properties
- telecommunications
- energy
- retail

Patricia is a member of the firm's Privacy and Data Protection Group and advises various clients to ensure their activities, practices, websites and commercial documents are compliant with current privacy laws.

## Experience

- **McKinsey & Company** as a shareholder in the US$230 million sale of Element AI Inc. to Silicon Valley software company ServiceNow Inc.
- **Bell Media** in its acquisition of Octane Racing Group , the exclusive promoter of the Formula 1 Canadian Grand Prix, the largest annual sports and tourism event in Canada.

- **NouvLR** in connection with the procurement and construction of Montreal's Light Rail Train Project (Réseau Express Métropolitain)
- **Signature on the Saint-Laurent** in connection with the Champlain Bridge Replacement Project
- **Société québécoise des infrastructures** in connection with the design, construction, financing and maintenance of the AMT Train Maintenance Centre Project
- A member of the successful bidding consortium of the Hydro-Québec Data Centre Project
- **Capstone Power Corp.** in connection with the design, construction, installation and commissioning of the 24MW Saint-Philémon Wind Farm Project
- **Eaton Vance Corp.** with the acquisition of an equity interest in **Hexavest Inc.**
- **Toys "R" Us Canada** in its negotiation of an outsourcing agreement with **SCI Logistics Inc**. in the creation of a distribution centre
- **RePower Systems** in connection with the design, construction and installation of the Rivière-au-Renard Wind Farm
- **Nokia Siemens Networks Canada Inc.** in the negotiation and implementation of a $250 million contract for the design, construction and provision of an advanced wireless network for Videotron Ltée
- The design-builder of the A-25 Highway, a $207 million P3 project
- **Chartwell Seniors Housing REIT** with the development, acquisition, financing and management of more than 20 seniors' housing residences
- The lead underwriter and the banking syndicate in connection with the $234 million IPO and private financing of **Innergex Power Income Fund**

## Presentations & Publications

- Autonomous Vehicles, BLG Perspective, January 2019

## Beyond Our Walls

### Professional Involvement

- Member, BLG's Pro Bono Committee
- Member, International Association of Privacy Professionals
- Former Member, Montreal's Monitoring and Admissions Committee (2006-2015)

### Community Involvement

- Director, MacKay Projects
- Former Member, Board of Governors, Marianopolis College (2014-2017)

## Awards & Recognition

- Recognized in the 2027 edition of *The Best Lawyers in Canada* (Construction Law), since 2025 (Mergers & Acquisitions) and 2019-2023 (Privacy and Data Security Law).

## Bar Admission & Education

- Québec, 1995

- LLL/LLB, University of Ottawa, 1993
- CSC, Canadian Securities Institute, 1993

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