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EDUCATION

**J.D., with distinction,
Concentration in Taxation, 2006**
University of the Pacific,
McGeorge School of Law
Member, Traynor Honor Society

B.A., summa cum laude, 2003
California State University, Stanislaus

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

2006 — Present
Associate, Trucker Huss
San Francisco, California

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND AFFILIATIONS

Member, Western Pension & Benefits Council
(Chair, San Francisco Chapter Membership
Committee)

Member, State Bar of California
Member, Bar Association of San Francisco
(Past Chair, Taxation Section; Past Member,
Board of Directors, Barristers Club)

Member, American Bar Association (Taxation
and Labor and Employment Law Section)

National Institute of Pension Administrators
(President, San Francisco Bay Area Chapter)

Mr. Gouaux concentrates his practice on the design and tax-qualification of retirement plans including pension, profit sharing, 401(k) and 403(b) plans, and employee benefits related tax matters.

He assists clients with plan compliance and administrative issues, plan amendments and summary plan descriptions, qualified domestic relations orders, service provider agreements such as investment manager agreements, and IRS determination letter applications and submissions under the IRS Employee Plans Compliance Resolution System (EPCRS) and the DOL Voluntary Fiduciary Correction (VFC) Programs.

Matt is a contributing author to the ABA Labor Section's Employee Benefits Law, published by BNA.

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