### Maria Stracqualursi

### Counsel

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Maria counsels technology and life sciences companies from their formation through merger or acquisition.

She represents early-stage companies in venture capital and other financing transactions, and also assists them with a variety of corporate law matters, including employment, equity compensation, consulting, confidentiality, restructuring and corporate governance matters. Maria also has experience representing private companies in domestic and cross-border mergers and acquisitions.

#### **BAR ADMISSIONS**

New York Massachusetts

#### **EDUCATION**

Boston College Law School, J.D. Tufts University, B.A.

## Experience

# Corporate Associate Rich May, P.C.

- Advised clients in equity and debt finance transactions
- Counseled startups with respect to formation, stock incentive plans and corporate governance
- Represented companies in mergers and acquisitions

## Corporate Associate

Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe

 Represented technology companies in formation, financings, acquisitions, sales and other corporate transactions

### Client Work

- Preferred equity financing of PIC Therapeutics by Orbimed, Advent and others
- Preferred equity financing of Summation Bio by Droia, RA Capital and others
- Preferred equity financing of Vizgen by Arch Ventures, Northpond Ventures,
  Sofina Partners, Blue Water and others
- Preferred equity financing of Dianthus Therapeutics by 5AM Ventures, Fidelity Management & Research Company, Venrock Healthcare Capital Partners, Fairmount Funds, Avidity Partners, Wedbush Healthcare Partners, Tellus BioVentures and others
- Preferred equity financing of NextPoint Therapeutics, Inc. by Bayer, Sanofi,
  Catalio, MPM and others
- Palette Life Sciences acquisition by Teleflex Incorporated

## Community Involvement

Maria has assisted pro bono clients with name–change and asylum matters. She is proficient in Spanish.