

Board of Directors Biography

Martin Kratz, Calgary

Martin Kratz is a leading technology and intellectual property lawyer and leads the privacy and ecommerce practice for Bennett Jones LLP.

Among numerous recognitions, Martin is identified as one of Canada's most creative lawyers by LEXPERT-Thomson in the US Guide to Canada's *100 Most Creative Lawyers*; as one of Canada's leading lawyers in *The LEXPERT/American Lawyer's Guide to the Leading 500 Lawyers in Canada*; and is ranked by *Chambers and Partners* for both information technology law and for intellectual property law.

Martin teaches intellectual property law courses at Osgoode Hall Law School and also teaches a cyber-security law course at Concordia University of Edmonton. Martin has extensive board experience having served as a chair, in a governance committee role and as a director on numerous boards. Martin has also served on numerous charitable boards including as national vice chair, regional chair and governance chair of the Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation, as chair and governance chair of TELUS Spark, the new science center, as chair of governance for the Alberta College of Art + Design, and as board member of the Calgary Chinook Scout Foundation.