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Areas of Focus

- Corporate

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Daniel advises emerging companies, agricultural businesses, and established enterprises on corporate transactions, business formation and governance, mergers and acquisitions, and real estate matters. His transactional real estate practice centers on agricultural land acquisitions, leasing, and operational structuring for business enterprises, and he guides clients through due diligence on complex land transactions, including title, water rights, and regulatory compliance. Entity formation and restructuring for multigenerational landowners and vertically integrated food and agricultural businesses is a regular part of that work. His working knowledge of agriculture and business operations informs how he counsels clients across the food and agriculture sectors.

He also represents startup and growth-stage companies in venture capital financings, including seed and series rounds, and advises them on corporate governance and mergers and acquisitions.

Honors & Awards

Leadership Council on Legal Diversity Scholar (2020)

Blue Diamond Leadership Program (2020)

Almond Leadership Program (2026)

Super Lawyers: Rising Stars (2026)

Professional Affiliations

Board of Directors, Sequoia Riverlands Trust

Outreach & Fundraising Committee, Kings River Land Trust

Recruitment Liaison, Fresno-Madera Young Farmers and Ranchers

Young Cooperative Member, Dairy Farmers of America

Alumni Member, Alpha Gamma Rho

Academic Distinctions

Moot Court Honors Board
Journal of International Law & Policy, Research Editor
Business Law Journal, Research Editor
Business Law Certificate

Education

J.D., University of California, Davis School of Law (2022)

B.S., Cornell University (2018)

Admissions and Courts

California