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This admittedly small firm was founded in 1994, with an office in Baltimore and an office in DC. The focus is on intellectual property, business law and litigation. Reader Michael Blum of MartinoBlum says that intimate subject knowledge is an important factor when selecting a firm; and since AGT states on their Web site "We stay on the sharp side of the cutting edge by emphasizing education – our attorneys write, teach and lecture nationally and locally," it's no surprise Blum selected AGT as one of the leading law firms. AGT lawyers lecture at University of Maryland School of Law and University of Baltimore Graduate School, and six of the seven attorneys at this firm are adjunct law professors.

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