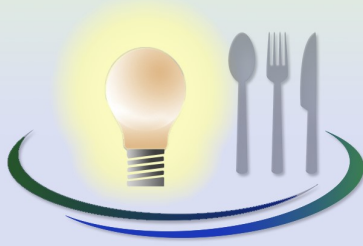


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Topic— *The Illinois Gender Violence Act*

Biography

Max P. Barack is a plaintiff-side civil rights employment lawyer and the Garfinkel Group, LLC's head of employment litigation. Max has spent the majority of his career since 2013 representing workers in employment matters, including pursuing wage and hour violations, as well as in cases of gender violence, harassment, and discrimination, and in biometric privacy class actions. He has extensive litigation experience, with a focus on electronic discovery. He is the new president-elect of NELA-Illinois and co-chair of its Legislative and Communications Committees. Max is the co-host of NELA-Illinois' "Employee to Lawyer" podcast, and is fluent in Spanish. Max has been named to Super Lawyers' "Rising Stars" list in 2020, 2021, 2022, and 2023, for employment & labor and employment litigation, and Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch 2021-2022 and 2022-2023. He earned his J.D. from Chicago-Kent College of Law and his B.A. from the University of Michigan.