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Marin maintains a general commercial litigation practice with a focus on construction litigation and arbitration. He acts on behalf of owners, contractors and subcontractors in construction and engineering disputes.

Marin also specializes in advising national and international military, cybersecurity, and technology contractors navigating Canada's naval and aviation procurement and defence landscapes.

He acts as counsel to international aerospace and naval corporations seeking to enter Canadian aerospace and defence sectors. He has experience with civil aviation regulations, government relations, and trade and export control issues.

Marin has appeared before all levels of court in Alberta, including the Federal Court of Canada, the Tax Court of Canada and various arbitral and administrative tribunals.

Prior to law school, Marin was a member of the Canadian Armed Forces.

## Insights & Events

- Author, "Time waits for no one: Procurement complaints before the CITT", BLG Article, September 2024
- Author, "Closing Ledore on non-compliance with the PPCLA", BLG Article, May 2024
- Driving into the future: U.K. announces regulatory scheme for the use of automated vehicles, BLG Perspective, December 2023

- Co-Author, "[Emojis, text messages and construction contracts.](#)" On-Site Magazine, November 2023.
- Author, "PPCLA transition periods: What this means for the construction industry", BLG Article, May 2023
- Author, "Why purchase orders alone are not enough: Keep consistent or lose the benefit of the arbitration clause", BLG Article, May 2023
- Co-author, "[Understanding and Competing in Canada's Defense Sector.](#)" For The Defense, May, 2023
- Autonomous vehicle laws in Canada: Provincial & territorial regulatory review, BLG Perspective, January 2023
- Autonomous vehicles: cross jurisdictional regulatory perspectives update, BLG Perspective, October 2022
- Author, "Defence infrastructure projects in Canada: considerations for contractors and subcontractors", BLG Article, September 2022
- Author, "Metaverse real estate: Legal considerations in Canada", BLG Article, August 2022
- Co-Author, "[Prompt payment: The state of play across Canada](#)", On-Site Magazine, July 2022
- Autonomous vehicle laws in the States: Congress offers hope for national regulatory framework, BLG Perspective, June 2022
- Author, "Key legal issues in the metaverse: A primer for Canadian businesses", BLG Article, June 2022
- Autonomous vehicles: Key 2022 industry hotspots, BLG Perspective, April 2022
- Author, "Transitioning from Alberta's Builders' Lien Act to the PPCLA", BLG Article, March 2022
- Author, "Top 10 commercial decisions of 2021", BLG Article, February 2022
- Author, "IOT in construction: How the digital transformation will reshape the industry", BLG Article, February 2022
- Author, "Alberta Builders' Lien Act update: It's time to get your house in order", BLG Article, February 2022
- Autonomous vehicle laws in Canada: Provincial & territorial regulatory landscape, BLG Perspective, December 2021
- Autonomous vehicles: Canada's readiness for the future, BLG Perspective, December 2021
- Speaker, "Construction Law Roundtable", BLG, December 2021
- Author, "Agriculture 4.0: Preparing for the future of Agribusiness", BLG Article, November 2021
- Transport Canada: 2021 Guidelines for Testing Automated Driving Systems in Canada, BLG Perspective, November 2021
- Autonomous vehicles: Cross jurisdictional regulatory perspectives, BLG Perspective, October 2021

## Beyond Our Walls

### Professional Involvement

- Member, DRI
- Law Society of Alberta
- Calgary Bar Association
- Canadian Bar Association
- American Bar Association

### Community Involvement

- Coach and Moot Judge, University of Calgary, Faculty of Law (2018-2020)
- Faculty Member, Legal Education Society of Alberta, CPLED (2015-2019)
- Past-Chair, Canadian Bar Association, National Military Law Section (2018-2019)
- NATO Association of Canada

## Awards & Recognitions

- Recognized in the 2025 (and since 2022) edition of *The Best Lawyers in Canada*® as “Ones to Watch” (Corporate and Commercial Litigation)
- Recognized as one of The Peak's 2022 Emerging Leaders

## Bar Admission & Education

- Alberta, 2015
- JD, University of Toronto, 2014
- BA, University of Western Ontario, 2009

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