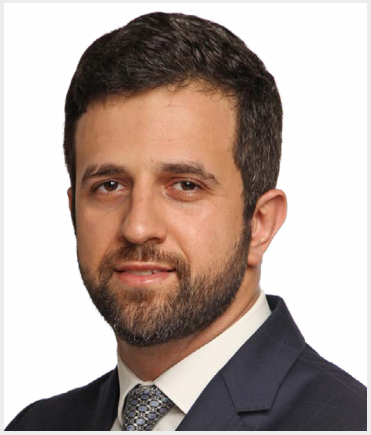

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PRACTICE AREAS

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- Energy
- Arbitration
- Complex litigation & ADR

LANGUAGES

- Portuguese
- English

BIOGRAPHY

Gabriel Mathias is a partner at Licks Attorneys' Rio de Janeiro office, where he has been a key member of the team since 2018. With a career spanning over a decade, Mr. Mathias began his professional journey in 2007 at a prestigious commercial litigation firm in Rio de Janeiro, later transitioning to another renowned litigation practice, where he honed his skills in high-stakes legal disputes before Brazil's highest courts.

Specializing in complex litigation, Mr. Mathias has a proven track record of leading cases across a wide range of areas, including commercial disputes, patent, trademark, and copyright matters, government contracts, and insolvency law.

Upon joining Licks Attorneys as coordinator of pharmaceutical patent disputes, Mr. Mathias has focused his expertise on complex litigation matters in the Information and Communication Technology (ICT) sector, playing a key role in recent disputes that resulted in global patent licensing agreements involving the biggest multinational companies in the area of audio and video coding, and has recently been promoted to become one of the partners of the ICT disputes team.

Known for his strategic approach and deep understanding of both judicial and administrative proceedings, Gabriel Mathias is a trusted advisor to clients navigating intricate legal challenges, delivering tailored solutions with precision and professionalism.

PROFESSIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Legal 500 Latin America – Intellectual Property (2027, 2026);
- IAM Strategy 300 (2026).

REPRESENTATIVE CASES

- Assisted an important European Bank for years, acting as counsel for the Brazilian Financial Director. In addition, served as representative of important Brazilian banks to recover credit in the face of meat processing companies in several judicial restructuring proceedings.

AFFILIATIONS

- Brazilian Bar Association – Rio de Janeiro (OAB/RJ).

EDUCATION

- Master of Laws (LL.M), Civil Procedure Law, Rio de Janeiro State University – UERJ (2014);
- Specialization, Civil Procedure Law, Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro – PUC-Rio (2010);
- Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.), Rio de Janeiro State University – UERJ (2007).

PUBLICATIONS

- SEPs and War in the Courts: How Anti-Suit Injunctions and Interim Licenses Influenced Global Litigation in 2025, IPWatchdog, 2025;
- É na recuperação judicial que resgataremos o futebol brasileiro?, Estadão,2021;
- Recuperação judicial para clubes de futebol, O GLOBO, 2020.