

# 2018 momentum Year in Review

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To our clients and friends,

As we say here at O'Melveny, it's not only what you do, but how you do it. Each year we aim to not only provide premier lawyering, but also exceptional client service and 2018 was no exception. We are happy to share the group's 2018 accomplishments and thought leadership.

To even greater success in 2019.

The Momentum Team

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## 2018 Achievements and Accolades



### ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Closed ~200 venture capital financings, raising more than US\$5.2 billion for start-ups and later-stage growth companies

Advised on the sales of nearly 40 venture-backed companies, generating more than US\$5.7 billion in proceeds

Launched our Automated and Connected Vehicles Legal and Regulatory Roadmap



### WORK HIGHLIGHTS

Advised Microsemi in its **US\$10.3 billion** acquisition by Microchip Technology

Advised Finisar in its **US\$3.2 billion** acquisition by II-VI

Advised Lucid Motors in its **US\$1 billion** funding by the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

Advised eHi Car Service in its **US\$940 million** management-led buyout

Secured an important win before the Federal Circuit in a patent infringement case for Niantic

Brought several years of litigation to a close through the dismissal of a shareholder derivative lawsuit for a leading consumer electronics company



### ACCOLADES

*National Law Journal* named **Eric Sibbitt** a 2018 Cryptocurrency, Blockchain and Fintech Trailblazer

*The Recorder* named **Heather Meeker** to its list of Women Leaders in Tech Law 2018

"Many blue-chip technology companies have tied their flag to the mast of O'Melveny"  
—*IAM Patent 1000*



### SELECT CLIENT ALERTS

[CFIUS Update: Interim Regulations, FIRRMA Pilot Program, and Proposed Rulemaking on Emerging Technologies](#)

[Venture-Backed M&A: Hot Topics and Recent Developments in 2018](#)

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