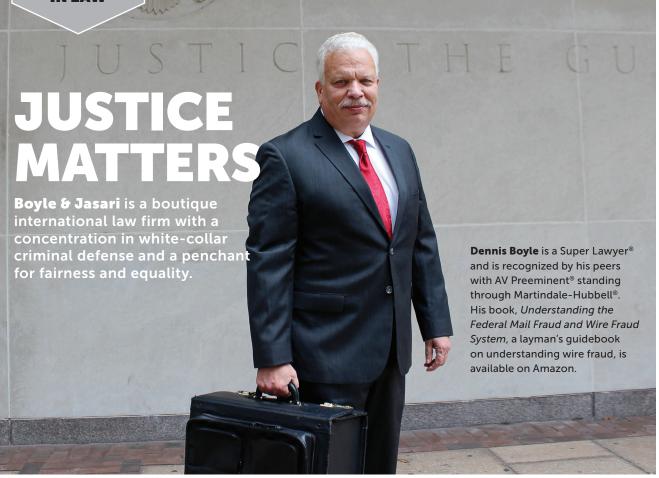
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he defense attorneys of Boyle & Jasari have handled some of the most high-stakes, high-profile cases you've never heard of—which is exactly how their clients prefer it. "We help resolve cases quickly and quietly, which clients very much appreciate," says cofounder Dennis Boyle, whose firm is renowned for white-collar criminal justice, particularly in international affairs.

Boyle and cofounder Blerina Jasari maintain an intimate client base, taking only those cases for which they feel their expertise is the best match and ensuring each client receives devoted attention. The duo collaborates on most projects, bringing nuanced backgrounds that complement one another.

As a former member of the U.S. Navy Judge Advocate General's Corps, Boyle clocked many years overseas negotiating with foreign governments and honing his diplomacy skills on behalf of American sailors. With over 200 jury trials under his belt, "There's very little I haven't seen before," he says.

Jasari, a German native of Albanian descent, speaks four languages and brings

a deep passion for transnational and international criminal law cases. Prior to joining Boyle in practice, she served in the prosecutor's office at the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia, worked for an Am Law 100 firm in Manhattan, and clerked for a judge in the Court of Common Pleas in Philadelphia.

Together, Boyle and Jasari are a seasoned tour de force who place quality, caring representation above volume and turnover.

## **Justice for All**

The concepts of justice and fairness—even for clients who have acted outside the boundaries of the law—come second nature to Boyle and Jasari. "Innocent people need to be protected, and even guilty people still deserve the right to be heard. Everybody has a story. A client's sentence needs to consider everything about that client, as well as the law, to ensure their sentence is just," Boyle says.

While the firm accepts cases of all white-collar varieties, they have a sweet spot for entrepreneurs—those who have "made their own way in the world and

whose business helps build the economy," Boyle says.

Every case begins with listening to clients without judgement and asking probing questions to grasp the holistic nature of their circumstances. As the process proceeds, the team delivers direct, honest communication to help clients understand the reality of their legal situation. A successful verdict might mean an acquittal, a dropped charge, or sometimes a strategic guilty plea that results in a reduced sentence.

"The whole legal process is fascinating to me," Boyle concludes. "Other attorneys will often ask when I'm going to retire, and to be honest, I haven't really thought about it. I'll only retire when I stop enjoying what I'm doing."

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