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Before joining the George Washington University Law School for the first time in 1999, Professor Kovacic was the George Mason University Foundation Professor at the George Mason University School of Law. He was the Federal Trade Commission's General Counsel from June 2001 to December 2004 and was a member of the Commission from January 2006 to October 2011. From March 2008 to March 2009, Professor Kovacic was the Chairman of the FTC. In 2011 he received the FTC's Miles W. Kirkpatrick Award for Lifetime Achievement. Professor Kovacic returned to GW in 2011.

Outside of DC, Professor Kovacic has served as a Non Executive Director with the United Kingdom's Competition and Markets Authority, since August 2013. From January 2009 to September 2011, he was Vice Chair for Outreach for the International Competition Network. He has advised many countries and international organizations on antitrust, consumer protection, government contracts, and the design of regulatory institutions.

At GW, Professor Kovacic has taught antitrust, contracts, and government contracts. He is coeditor (with Ariel Ezrachi) of the *Journal of Antitrust Enforcement*. His publications since include "Antitrust in High Tech Industries: Improving the Federal Antitrust Joint Venture" in *George Mason Law Review* (2012); "Ensuring Integrity and Competition and Public Procurement Markets: A Dual Challenge for Good Governance" in *The WTO Regime on Government Procurement: Challenge and Reform* (Sue Arrowsmith & Robert Anderson, eds. 2011) (with Robert Anderson & Anna Caroline Mueller); "The International Competition Network: Its Past, Current, and Future Role" in *Minnesota Journal of International Law* (2011) (with Hugh Hollman); "Review of *China's Anti-Monopoly Law – The First Five Years*" (Adrian Emch & David Stallibrass, eds. 2013). Professor Kovacic is also coauthor (with Andrew Gavil & Jonathan Baker) of *Antitrust Law in Perspective: Cases, Concepts and Problems in Competition Policy* (2d ed. 2008) and *Antitrust Law & Economics in a Nutshell* (5th ed. 2004) (with Ernest Gellhorn & Stephen Calkins).