

Intellectual Property

Protecting the World's Leading Technology and Brands

King & Spalding's Intellectual Property Practice is nationally recognized for its work with cutting-edge technologies. With a full-service IP practice of over 60 professionals across ten offices, our team builds portfolio protection through the prosecution practice, enforces IP rights through the litigation practice and counsels business transactions through the diligence and transactional practice. Approximately 70% of our team has technical degrees and experience in a range of technologies, including electrical engineering, mechanical engineering, computer science, aerospace engineering, chemical engineering, molecular biology, biochemistry, biology, chemistry, physics, and biomedical engineering.

Our attorneys regularly appear before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office both in *ex parte* appeals and contested proceedings, including *inter partes* reviews. We also can draw on our substantial experience with reissue and reexamination practice to provide sophisticated guidance to our clients.

We provide our clients with services across the spectrum of IP work, including:

- Patent litigation before the district courts across the country, appellate courts, and ITC
- *Inter partes* review and post-grant review proceedings before the PTAB
- Trademark and false advertising litigation
- Copyright, trade secret, non-compete, and domain name disputes
- Media and entertainment law, including both traditional and new media space
- Patent prosecution and strategic counseling in a wide range of technologies and subject matter
- Trademark prosecution and strategic counseling worldwide

RECOGNITIONS

- Ranked by *Chambers USA* among the top firms for intellectual property, patent, trademark, copyright, and media and entertainment law.
- Ranked by *Legal 500* nationwide for copyright law and trade secrets (litigation and non-contentious matters).
- Ranked Tier 1 by *U.S. News & World Report* for IP litigation, patent litigation, patent law, trademark law, and copyright law.
- IP lawyers recognized as *NLJ* IP trailblazers, *IAM* Patent 1000 and IP Strategists, *Best Lawyers in America*, *Law360* Rising Stars, *Benchmark Litigation* Hot List, and as leading lawyers by *Chambers* and *Legal 500*.

Ranked for Intellectual Property in 2018

CHAMBERS USA

Recognized as one of the top patent litigation firms in the country.

IP LAW & BUSINESS

Recognized as one of the best IP practices in the U.S. in "2019 Managing IP Handbook."

MANAGING INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Recipient of Women in Law Awards "Most Innovative Networking Group."

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PATENT LITIGATION

King & Spalding's patent litigators have actively been engaged in patent infringement litigation and trials for more than 25 years. Our group has represented, and continues to represent, some of the largest companies in the world in district courts across the country, including key patent jurisdictions such as the District of Delaware, the Eastern District of Texas, and the Central and Northern Districts of California, as well as the International Trade Commission, and the Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Our patent lawyers also have extensive experience representing clients in interparty disputes in the U.S. and foreign patent offices, including an industry-leading practice litigating *inter partes* review (IPR) and post-grant review (PGR) proceedings before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB).

PATENT PROSECUTION AND STRATEGIC COUNSELING

King & Spalding's patent prosecutors have worked with clients to build patent portfolios in virtually all technical disciplines. We have particular experience in the management of complex patent portfolios and in developing strategies to avoid or challenge third party blocking patents covering our clients' technology. Our attorneys also have extensive experience in rendering opinions on patent infringement and validity.

The team's professionals have significant experience in managing complex international patent portfolios and collaborating with foreign associates throughout the world to protect and enforce international patent rights. Our professionals also develop strategies to avoid or challenge patents posing a threat to the commercialization of our clients' technology; and we frequently negotiate, draft and conduct due diligence in connection with licensing and collaboration agreements.

TRADEMARKS, COPYRIGHTS, AND TRADE SECRETS

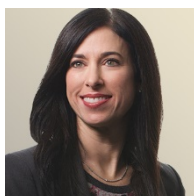
From counseling to litigation, King & Spalding's attorneys have experience in all aspects of trademark, copyright and trade secret law. Our team has managed numerous trials and preliminary injunction hearings in the federal courts, the USPTO, the Copyright Royalty Board, the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board and the International Trade Commission, as well as in ICANN domain name arbitrations.

The firm also has extensive experience in trademark searching and clearance, and in the active and strategic management of the overall portfolios of clients large and small. This includes developing licensing and global strategies for registration and enforcement of our clients' trademark rights throughout the world.

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The Home Depot
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Landis + Gyr
The Madison Square Garden Company
Nokia
Pandora Media Inc.
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