

Overview

When your business is powered by invention, putting your ideas into action is paramount. Equally important is safeguarding those ideas. That's where we come in. Align technological innovation with legal and economic stability by partnering with Dentons.

Equipped with multiple degrees in areas such as computer sciences, telecommunications, biological and life sciences, engineering and chemistry, our global lawyers and scientific advisors speak your language. Trust your complete range of intellectual property to a partner who offers not only a robust track record of defending patents and litigating disputes, but also an unparalleled breadth of technical knowledge.

Mount vigorous defenses against patent infringement. Ward off competitors from using your intellectual property. Obtain protection for your innovations around the world. Smoothly negotiate manufacturing and distribution agreements, acquisitions, transfers and licenses.

Our team, like yours, is dedicated to applying ingenious solutions to real-world problems. Let us confidently handle intellectual property considerations, including:

- Patent preparation and prosecution
- Patent audits
- Patent mapping
- Patent opinions and reviews
- Patent litigation
- Mediation and dispute resolution
- Technology licensing
- Intellectual property transactions and technology transfer
- Corporate due diligence
- Tax

Representative Experience

- **Cascade Medical Enterprises:** Representing the developer of platelet rich plasma, in a complex patent licensing transaction with the Muscularskeletal Transplant Foundation. We worked with the company on issues relating to domestic and foreign patents covering injectable platelet rich plasma for various medical injuries and conditions.
- **Columbia University:** Advising on numerous patent matters related to biotech, robotics, diagnostics, and virus protection software, as well as open source issues.
- **iHigh.com, Inc.:** Representing US-based provider of high schools with free web tools and video streaming that connect sports and activities to a national high school Internet network, on all aspects of intellectual property

counseling, contract drafting and negotiation and patent portfolio development.

- **Monsanto Company:** Serving as outside patent counsel to the global agricultural biotechnology company, processing a substantial portion of their patents and managing patent portfolios worldwide.
- **Proterro, Inc.:** Representing the only company that makes sugar instead of extracting it from crops, in all aspects of its intellectual property protection and patent portfolio development. Proterro has genetically engineered unique, highly productive sucrose-producing microorganisms and a photobioreactor system that can deliver low-cost sugar feedstock for biofuels and biobased chemicals.
- **Texas A&M University:** Representing in patent opinions, counseling, licensing and prosecution concerning biotechnology, animal health, biofuel, and plant science technologies.