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Capitol covers lifetime of your Idea and Invention.

Based on over combined 100 years In-house and law Firm experience, Capitol provides all round intellectual property legal services and businesswise monetization through licensing and litigations.

Primary Attorneys in Departments



Eric. Y. Yoon Managing Director

Mr. Yoon has over 25 years' experience in intellectual property matters. He founded Capitol IP Law Group for delivering clients all round intellectual property legal services based on his in-house and law firm career.

He used to work in IP Department in large Korea companies such as Samsung Electronics, Seoul Semiconductor and Naver.com as a key member or head of IP Group before he started his law firm career in a US Patent Law Firm. During the journey of intellectual property legal world, he actively involved in various landmark patent matters such as litigations against Nichia, licensing discussion with Hitachi, Yahoo and monetization with the portfolio of IoT, Telecommunication.

Mr. Yoon got B.S in Physics, M.S in Intellectual Property. He also received LLM at George Washington University.

Steve B. Kelber Senior Counsel in Litigation Dept

Mr.Kelber has over 40 years' experience in patent matters, including patent prosecution, patent litigation and inter partes proceedings before the USPTO Board (BPAI and PTAB, including protests, interferences, IPX, IPR and PGRs).

He has been first chair patent litigation counsel for both plaintiffs and defendants. He has also appeared as counsel for both Complainants and Respondents in different ITC proceedings – including one where a novel Petition took six months of argument before it was converted into a Complaint.

Mr.Kelber got his J.D in George Washington University.



Gregory Gonsalves Senior Counsel in IPR Dept

Dr. Gonsalves has over 23 years of experience in Intellectual Property Law in addition to 14 years of experience as an engineer at IBM.

Dr. Gonsalves has extensive experience with post grant proceedings (IPRs, CBMs, PGRs) at the Patent Trial and Appeal Board ("PTAB") and with the appeals of those proceedings at the Court of Appeals of the Federal Circuit. He served as a PTAB Judge for 3 years, served as lead counsel in over 225 PTAB proceedings, and served as lead counsel in more than a dozen appeals to the Federal Circuit. Dr. Gonsalves also has substantial patent litigation experience at federal district courts.

Dr.Gonsalves achieved a JD with honors from Georgetown University. He also has a PhD in Computer Engineering, as well as a MS and BS in Electrical Engineering.

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Benjamin C. Rothermel Senior Counsel in Patent Prosecution Dept

Mr. Rothermel has over 10 years of experience in the Intellectual Property law field, in particular in patent prosecution.

His background includes managing a substantial portfolio of patents and applications for a Korea-based semiconductor manufacturer. He has prosecuted a full docket of patent applications in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office relating to technologies including chemistry, materials science, electrical engineering, consumer electronics, physics, and mechanical engineering.

Mr. Rothermel has a B.S. in Chemistry from the College of William and Mary, and J.D. from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law.

Thomas Ryou Senior Counsel in Trademark and Corporate Dept

Mr.Ryou has been practicing corporate and intellectual property law for over 20 years.

He worked with administrative agencies, conglomerates, and economic development entities. He assisted clients with multi-million dollar government contracts, mergers and acquisitions, trade policy projects, software licensing, trademark registration, domain name disputes, and privacy law issues.

He has also experience assisting Korean clients with substantive and procedural aspects of litigation matters such as document production, deposition preparation. Mr.Ryou got his B.S degree in Biology and J.D in Villanova University School of Law.



Jun H.Bang Senior Counsel in Licensing Dept

Mr. Bang's practice encompasses patent litigation, patent prosecution, and counseling on intellectual property matters such as patent acquisition and licensing. Over the course of more than 15 years of practicing law at patent law firms and as in-house/General counsel, Mr. Bang has experience handling high technology patent litigation as well as complex patent licensing and acquisition matters in a wide array of technologies, including telecommunication, semiconductors, LEDs, IoT, mobile phones, appliances, displays, and smart phone apps.

Further, Mr. Bang has experience handling matters in U.S., Germany, U.K., China, Japan, and Korea. In addition to his J.D., Mr. Bang has a B.S. in industrial engineering, M.S. in electrical engineering, and a M.B.A. degrees.



Ms. Park has been involved in IP field for the last 3 years after her B.S. and Masters degree in Electrical and Computer Engineering of Cornell University.

Before she joined a US law firm as a patent agent and paralegal, she participated in various engineering research projects on real-time video streaming in wireless networks. Her expertise include Java, MATLAB, C, and Python.



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