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Jason Cooper is co-chair of Alston & Bird's Intellectual Property Area, with emphasis in mechanical, manufacturing, and medical device technologies, and is also the past chair of the firm's Partners Committee. Jason manages patent portfolios of various domestic and international clients and helps monetize those portfolios. He counsels clients on avoiding the infringement of others' patents and opines on infringement and/or validity of individual patents or advises on strategy for avoiding others' patent portfolios.

Jason regularly prepares and prosecutes patent applications before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and is experienced in all aspects of ex parte and inter partes patent practice, including examiner interviews, third-party submissions, appeals, interferences, reexaminations and reissues, inter partes reviews (IPR), covered business method reviews (CBM), and instructing foreign patent attorneys in opposition proceedings before the European Patent Office. For four consecutive years, 2017–2020, Jason has been named one of the world's foremost IP strategists by *Intellectual Asset Management (IAM) Strategy 300 – The World's Leading IP Strategists*, which says that Jason "never produces anything less than top-quality work in prosecution, IP commercialisation and disputes."

Jason has completed the Harvard Law School Executive Education Program, Leadership in Law Firms, and serves on the advisory board of the Center for Intellectual Property Research at the Indiana University Maurer School of Law.

Representative Experience

- Extensive experience in appeal, reexamination, Inter Partes Review (IPR), and Covered Business Method (CBM) proceedings before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences (BPAI) and former Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB), including counsel of record in USPN 6,739,500; USPN 8,515,151; EXP 90/013,625; IPX 95/000,494; IPX 95/001,694; CBM2013-00017; CBM2013-00018; IPR2013-00554; IPR2013-00555; IPR2013-00556; IPR2013-00557; IPR2013-00558; IPR2014-00777; IPR2014-00955; IPR2015-00664; and IPR2015-00669.
- Patent counsel to a global household appliance manufacturer.
- Patent counsel to a leading global manufacturer of materials and systems for protective, presentation, and fresh food packaging, and performance solutions in the industrial, food, and consumer markets.
- Patent counsel to one of the world's fastest-growing toy and infant products companies.
- Patent counsel to an innovative manufacturer of carpets, rugs, and other flooring products.
- Patent counsel to a leading advanced composites company that develops, manufactures, and markets lightweight, high-performance composites, including carbon fibers, reinforcements, prepregs, honeycomb, matrix systems, adhesives, and composite structures for use in commercial aerospace, space and defense, wind energy, and industrial applications.

Publications & Presentations

Publications

- “Insight: Drug Delivery Devices in the FDA Orange Book After In re Lantus,” *Bloomberg Law*, October 17, 2018.
- “Stay Guidance Issued, Federal Circuit Opines on First Day Denial in View of an Instituted Covered Business Method Review,” *Intellectual Property and Technology Law Journal*, November 1, 2014.
- “Eight Strategies for Facing First-to-File,” *Managing Intellectual Property*, March 2013.
- “How the Proposed Patent Fee Schedule Diminishes the Benefits of the AIA, and a Possible Solution,” *The Federal Lawyer*, September 2012.

Presentations

- “Contemporary Themes on Industrial Designs: Protection of Dynamic Graphic Interfaces and the Partial Protection of Objects,” XXXIX International Congress on Intellectual Property, ABPI, Rio de Janeiro, August 25-27, 2019.

Professional & Community Engagement

- Formerly a Rapporteur of the Commission d'Étude et de Travail for IP litigation and enforcement of the Fédération Internationale des Conseils en Propriété Industrielle (FICPI) and member of the Council of the U.S. Section of FICPI.
- Named to several prominent professional recognition lists including *The Best Lawyers in America*[®], *The Legal 500 U.S.*, *IP Stars from Managing IP*, and *The World's Leading Patent Professionals* from *Intellectual Asset Management*.

Education

- Indiana University - Bloomington (J.D., 1992)
- Purdue University (B.S.M.E., 1988)

Admitted to Practice

- Georgia
- North Carolina
- U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

Related Services

Intellectual Property | Patent Prosecution, Counseling & Review | Mechanical Patents | Intellectual Property Litigation | Intellectual Property Licensing Transactions | Post Grant Proceedings | International | Inter Partes & Covered Business Method Review | Hospitality | Japan Business Team