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Nationality: American

EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

B.S., University of Kansas;
Bachelor of Laws, University of Michigan;
Admitted to Bar:
States of New York and Michigan;
U.S. District Courts, U.S. Courts of Appeals, U.S. Supreme Court;
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

LANGUAGES

English.

PRESENT POSITION

Sole Practitioner, Office of Thomas L. Creel PC, since 2007.

June 23, 2010

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION

Partner and Chair of Intellectual Property Litigation Practice Area, Goodwin Procter LLP, New York, 2001-2007;
Partner and Co-Chair of the Patent Litigation Group, Kaye, Scholer, Fierman, Hays & Handler, LLP, New York, 1992-2001;
Partner, Kenyon & Kenyon, New York, 1974-92 and associate, 1966-1974;
Captain, U.S. Judge Advocate General's Corps, Patent Attorney, U.S. Army, 1963-66.
Lecturer in law, course in patents and trade secrets, Columbia University School of Law, 1983-2001.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

Past President, New York Intellectual Property Law Association Inc.;
American Bar Association (ABA);
American Intellectual Property Law Association (AIPLA);
United State Council for International Business.

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Intellectual property, including patents, trademarks, copyright, unfair competition and entertainment law.

EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Thirty years' experience in the field of intellectual property law;
Has been primarily an intellectual property litigator, ADR neutral, teacher and counselor, including drafting of patent, trademark and copyright licenses and advice on all aspects of intellectual property--the majority of cases involved patents, with a large minority in other aspects of intellectual property;
Represented clients ranging from large corporations to individuals, from computer companies to chemical/biochemical to movie companies.

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

Guide to Patent Arbitration (editor), Bureau of National Affairs, U.S.A.;
"The Revolution in Preliminary Injunctions Against Patent Infringement," *The John Marshall Law Review*, Vol. 24, 1, 1990;
"Patent Systems and Their Role in the Technological Advance of Developing Nations," *Rutgers Computer and Technology Law Journal*, Vol. 10, No. 2, 1985;

Numerous articles and speeches concerning patent litigation, licensing and alternative dispute resolution at various conferences. Has spoken at an average of three conferences per year in the past 20 years and chairs an annual conference involving intellectual property.

EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION

Over thirty years' experience as counsel in 40 to 50 cases, held in trial courts and tribunals in the U.S.A. and in Appellate Courts, the subject matter of which concerned:

- patent infringement, validity and enforceability;

- copyright infringement, including publishing and movies;
- trademarks and unfair competition;
- trade secrets;
- licensing disputes;

Represented clients located in Europe (including France, Germany, Italy, Sweden and Switzerland), Japan, the Peoples Republic of China, the Republic of Korea, Taiwan, the United Kingdom and the U.S.A. Played an advisory role in some cases involving parallel proceedings in countries other than the U.S.A.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING IN MEDIATION

Center for Public Resources (CPR).

EXPERIENCE IN MEDIATION

Mediations as a mediator include such controversies as a patent infringement litigation pending in a U.S. District Court between two non-U.S. parties, in which the mediation was successful and the case was settled out of court; legal malpractice in a patent context; and resolving a trade secret dispute; Represented clients in various mediations.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING IN ARBITRATION

American Arbitration Association (AAA) and National Patent Board.

EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION

On Accepted List of Arbitrators - WIPO, United States Council for International Business, American Arbitration Association and The Center for Public Resources and is a Certified Panelist, National Patent Board;

Involved as an arbitrator in numerous arbitrations, both for international and United States organizations. All of these arbitrations involved intellectual property disputes relating to patents and several involved non-U.S. parties;

Spoken frequently on alternative dispute resolution, including arbitration, at bar associations and seminars, both in and outside the U.S.A.;

Editor of the textbook *Guide to Patent Arbitration*.

Also appointed by judges as a Special Master in patent litigations to resolve discovery disputes, attorney-client privilege issues, Markman hearings and summary judgment motions.

ARBITRATION EXPERIENCE

SUMMARY TABLE

Type	Administering Institution		Role			
	Name	Number of Arbitrations	Presiding Arbitrator	Sole Arbitrator	Co-arbitrator	Counsel
International Arbitrations	AAA					
	ICC	4	1	1	2	
	LCIA					
	Ad Hoc					
	Others:	15		11	4	
Number of cases: sub-total		19	1	12	6	
Domestic Arbitrations	AAA	9		6	3	
	Ad Hoc	6		4	2	
Number of cases: sub-total		15		10	5	
TOTAL		34	1	22	11	

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

SUMMARY TABLE

Type	Administering Institution		Role	
	Name	Number of Mediations	Mediator	Counsel
International Mediations				
	Ad Hoc	2	2	
	Others:			
Number of cases: sub-total		2	2	
Domestic Mediations	Ad Hoc	2	2	6
Number of cases: sub-total				
TOTAL		4	4	6

and is a Certified Panelist, National Patent Board.