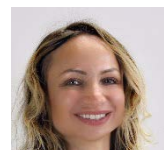


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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

Petra PECAR
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Nationality: Slovenian

EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Law (Slovenia);
Italian Trademark Attorney;
Registered before Slovenian Intellectual Property Office;
Professional examination on general administrative procedure;
Slovenian qualified lawyer.

LANGUAGES

Slovenian, English, Italian, Croatian, Bosnian, Serbian

PRESENT POSITION

Owner of MSA IP d.o.o., (Slovenia);
Owner of MSA IP LAW d.o.o., (Slovenia).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION

Trademark Attorney, Individual entrepreneur, Slovenia;
Higher Court in Koper, Slovenia.

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AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Intellectual Property:

conducting availability searches and advising on trademark, patent, design registration;
filing trademark applications with the SIPO, WIPO, EUIPO and national IP offices;
filing responses to provisional refusals and oppositions, cancellation requests, and invalidity requests;
counseling on the scope of protection;
representing clients before the courts, administrative bodies, and in alternative dispute resolution proceedings concerning all IP matters;
trademark, patent, and design infringement and invalidation actions;
copyright infringement actions;
trademark non-use cancellation actions;
actions for restitution of damages;
requests for interim measures;
unfair competition actions;
administrative disputes;
enforcement proceedings;
advising on litigation strategies;
filing criminal complaints in cases involving the criminal offence of unauthorized use of a patent, design, trademark, or company name;
filing customs applications;
drafting and filing criminal complaints;
representing clients in court proceedings;
drafting and filing expert reports, affidavits, and written witness statements;
drafting and sending cease and desist letters;
obtaining reimbursement of storage and destruction costs;
organizing transportation, storage, destruction, and recycling of counterfeit products;
domain name disputes.

Administrative Law: Intellectual Property generally, customs proceedings, proceedings before Slovenian Intellectual Property Office, EUIPO, and WIPO.

Civil Law: Property Law, contracts.

Corporate Law: Enforcement Law, realization of decisions in cases where the debtor does not fulfill its obligations.

Criminal Law: Penal responsibility in the medical sector.

EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Experience in Intellectual Property as trademark attorney and corporate counsel in Intellectual Property generally and including customs proceedings, litigation, domain disputes, opinions based on trademark search in national, EUIPO, and WIPO databases, drafting trademark and design applications, negotiating and drafting trademarks and designs, oppositions against registrations, copyright and trademark licensing contracts, copyright infringement in the area of computer programs, customs seizures of the counterfeited goods and related administrative and court proceedings.

Registered trademark and design agent before National Intellectual Property Offices.

EXPERIENCE WITH RESPECT TO DOMAIN NAMES

Specialized in Domain Name issues and protection of Intellectual Property on the Internet; negotiated and dealt with cases of domain name acquisitions and assisted clients in litigation and arbitration in Slovenia and in other jurisdictions for Internet related matters. Drafted complaints according to the Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy and other arbitration procedures.

EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION

Acted as counsel for a party in numerous court cases involving intellectual property rights in Slovenia and other jurisdictions.

EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION

“Advanced WIPO Workshop for Mediators in Intellectual Property Disputes”, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva, 2017, 2018 and 2019;

Used acquired mediation skills and techniques on numerous instances during settlement negotiations of domain names, trademarks and other Internet-related matters.
