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PARTNER

BACKGROUND

Chandra received her J.D. from the University of California, Berkeley in 2004 and earned B.A.s in Biology and Spanish from Indiana University, Bloomington in 1998. Before law school, Chandra was a research assistant with the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (Biology & Biotechnology Research Program) and a research and development assistant with a pharmaceutical company making recombinant protein therapeutics.

EXPERIENCE

Chandra counsels clients in all aspects of patent law. She has broad experience including domestic and international patent procurement, portfolio development and management, strategic business counseling, infringement and patentability opinion work, patent litigation, patent licensing, research and collaboration agreements, development agreements, and corporate IP due diligence.

Chandra works with clients across many technological areas, including the biotechnology, agricultural, chemical, medical-device, mechanical, and pharmaceutical industries.

AFFILIATIONS

Chandra is admitted to practice in the state of Washington. She is also registered to practice before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Chandra is a member of the Washington State Patent Law Association (WSPLA), Life Science Washington (formerly Washington Biotechnology & Biomedical Association), and the Licensing Executives Society (LES).

EDUCATION

University of California,
Berkeley
School of Law (Boalt Hall)
J.D. 2004

University of California,
Berkeley
Extension Studies Coursework
Economics & Statistics, 2000

Indiana University,
Bloomington
Biology, B.A. 1998
Spanish, B.A. 1998
(academic year La Universidad
de Madrid 1997-1998)

INDUSTRY GROUPS

Biotechnology
Chemistry
Consumer Products & Services
Industrial Design
Mechanical Engineering
Medical Devices
Nanotechnology
Pharmaceuticals

SERVICES

Patent
Strategic Counseling
IP Agreements & Licensing
IP Enforcement & Litigation

BAR ADMISSIONS

Washington
United States Patent
and Trademark Office

PUBLICATIONS

Oregon State Bar Professional Liability Fund's *In Brief* Newsletter – America Invents Act Changes the Face Of Patent Law (3/2012)

Published Willkie Client Memorandums – Drug Approval Pathway Established for Biosimilars (04/2010)

Federal Circuit Raises The Bar For Business Method Patents (11/2008)

Fehlner, P. and Garry, C., When Exemptions to Patent Law Infringement Can Advance Technology, *Financier Worldwide Special Report* (12/2005)

Garry, C., *Enzo Biochem, Inc. v. Gen-Probe, Inc.*, 18 Berkeley Tech. L.J. 195 (2003)

PRESENTATIONS

Miller Nash CLE Program Instructor – What you and your clients should know about design patents (01/2013)

Seattle University School of Law, CLE Program Instructor – A Primer: What Corporate Lawyers Should Know About the America Invents Act (4/27/2012)

ABA Roundtable Host – Strategic Implications of the America Invents Act (11/2011)

Willkie CLE Program Instructor – Biosimilar Drugs: Does it pay to be (slightly) different? (04/2010)

Willkie CLE Program Instructor – FDA Citizen Petitions (10/2009)