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OF COUNSEL

BACKGROUND

Jessica is an experienced IP attorney with a broad technical background in both the physical and life sciences. She is experienced in all phases of patent portfolio management with particular expertise in the assessment of patent portfolio strengths and weaknesses, technology transactions, and patent disputes within the pharmaceutical industry. Jessica received an M.S. in Biology from Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 2006, and a B.S. in Physics from University of Utah in 2002. She received her J.D. from Harvard Law School in 2010.

EXPERIENCE

Prior to joining Seed IP, Jessica served as an attorney at two large law firms in Texas, where she assisted on IP matters with a special focus on life sciences and the pharmaceutical industry. She has significant experience with intellectual property due diligence and technology transactions. Jessica is experienced in all areas of patent litigation, in particular Hatch-Waxman litigation. Her experience ranges from discovery through claim construction and trial in district courts, as well as in proceedings before the ITC, the Federal Circuit, and the Patent Trial and Appeal Board.

AFFILIATIONS

Jessica is admitted to the Texas State Bar, and is registered to practice before the United States Patent and Trademark Office. She is a member of the Washington State Patent Law Association (WSPLA) and Life Science Washington.

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School
J.D. 2010

Massachusetts Institute of
Technology
Biology
M.S. 2006

University of Utah
Physics
B.S. 2002

INDUSTRY GROUPS

Alternative Energy
Biotechnology
Chemistry
Medical Devices
Pharmaceuticals

SERVICES

IP Agreements & Licensing
IP Litigation & Enforcement
Patent
Strategic Counseling

BAR ADMISSIONS

Texas
United States Patent
and Trademark Office

PUBLICATIONS

"Postmarketing Regulatory Requirements and Life Cycle Management," Ch 12 in Pre-ANDA Litigation 2d Ed., American Bar Association (2018)

"The Difficulty of Recovering Patent Damages to A Subsidiary," Law360.com (2014)

"Licensee Estoppel: Practical Considerations," Law360.com (2014)