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Mike is an Attorney at Quinn IP Law, where he combines his significant patent litigation, prosecution, patent licensing and patent portfolio management experience to help clients succeed in today's evolving patent landscape. Mike has a degree in Electrical Engineering with Honors and work experience at Western Digital, where he performed integrated circuit design. Mike also worked at Cincinnati Milacron Electronic Systems Division as a summer Intern.

After graduating four out of 217 students in law school, Mike took the bar exam in California and New York, where he is currently licensed to practice in both states. Mike is also a registered patent attorney (Reg. No. 41, 228). Mike has since accumulated over two decades of experience in different facets of Intellectual Property Law. Examples include patent prosecution, extensive patent litigation, evaluating cease and desist letters; prelitigation counseling regarding prospective litigation strategy, evaluating settlement negotiations, patent licensing. The latter category includes negotiating and (where appropriate) drafting numerous IP license agreements, including on behalf of HP, LSI Logic, Motorola, Qualcomm, LG, Kia, Divergent3d, nVidia and Nissan, to name a few. To this end, Mike also has experience in drafting various commercial agreements, NDA agreements, and employment agreements.

Throughout his career, Mike has been involved in litigating high stakes patent, trademark, copyright, and trade secret cases. This includes acting as lead counsel in numerous cases. In that vein, I oversaw communications with the client, managed day-to-day operations, took and defending a total exceeding 200 fact and expert depositions, drafting claim construction and summary judgment briefs and arguing the ensuing motions in court. Mike has worked hand-in-hand in federal court with clients like LG, Toyota, Kingston Technologies, Ademco, Actel, Roland DG, nCUBE, and Mentor Graphics, among others, to successfully enforce or defend their respective patent portfolios and related claims, achieve complete capitulation from the adversary or a favorable settlement, and, where necessary, taking the case through trial.

As registered patent attorney, Mike's practice also focuses on the preparation and prosecution of domestic, international, and foreign patent applications, portfolio counseling and management, product clearance and freedom to operate opinions. Mike's experience extends to drafting legal opinions, IP due diligence, and corporate IP & asset transfers. Mike served as



lead counsel against Samsung in an interference proceeding before the USPTO (now coined a “derivation proceeding”) as well as multiple patent reexaminations.

Prior to joining Quinn IP Law, Mike served at various firms where he gained invaluable experience. Mike was a former partner at McDermott, Will & Emery (six years); a partner at Lee, Hong, Degerman, Kang & Waimey (five years); and an associate at Latham & Watkins (five years). Most recently, Mike worked eight years as senior counsel at Arent, Fox Schiff.

Practice Areas

- Patent Litigation
- Patent Enforcement and Defense
- Patent Prosecution
- Patent Licensing
- Patent Portfolio Management
- IP Due Diligence

Technical Areas

- Semiconductors and Electronic Circuits
- Processor Architecture
- Mechanical Devices (vehicles, aircraft, machines, 3-D printers, etc.)
- Telecommunications (including 5G) and mobile handset/base station technology
- Materials Science (using dissimilar materials in different structures, for example)
- Flat Panel displays
- Cryptography
- Operating systems
- Quantum particle, Optical Antennas

Education

- J.D., Pepperdine University School of Law
- B.S., University of Florida, Electrical Engineering

Admission & Memberships

- U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
- State Bars of California and New York