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Main Bio

Chuck Hauff's professional background includes intellectual property counseling, patent, trademark and copyright prosecution, related litigation and licensing. He has technical experience in, among other fields, the chemical, biotechnical, mechanical, electromechanical, computer software, medical products, acoustics and life sciences disciplines. Chuck has handled a variety of litigation matters for clients of varying sizes both in the United States and abroad. In addition, he has worked with a number of technology clients to develop creative strategies for protecting globally innovative technology from exercise and other mechanical devices to cutting-edge medical products and pharmaceuticals.

Education

- University of Akron School of Law (J.D., summa cum laude, 1989)
- Muskingum College (B.S., summa cum laude, 1986)

Professional Memberships & Activities

- Maricopa County Bar Association
- American Bar Association
- American Intellectual Property Law Association
- Federal Circuit Bar Association
- Licensing Executives Society
- American Chemical Society (National and Central Arizona Sections)
- The Economic Club of Phoenix (ASU College of Business)

Representative Presentations & Publications

- "[Ringing the changes: New patent legislation is about to come into force in Canada](#)," Co-Author, Intellectual Property Magazine (October 2019)
- "[Patent And Copyright Changes In The New NAFTA](#)," Co-Author, Law360 (November 8, 2018)

Professional Recognition & Awards

- Who's Who Legal: Patents (2018)
- AZ Business Leaders in Law, AZ Big Media (2016)

- IP Star, Managing Intellectual Property Magazine (2015-2018)
- The Best Lawyers in America®, Copyright Law, Patent Law (2012-2020); Intellectual Property Law (2008-2011)
 - Phoenix Lawyer of the Year, Patent Law (2019)
- The Best Lawyers in America®, Business Edition, Intellectual Property Law (2012)
- Southwest Super Lawyers®, Intellectual Property (2007-2019)
- Super Lawyers®, Intellectual Property - Business Edition (2011)
- Super Lawyers®, Intellectual Property - Corporate Counsel Edition (2008-2010)
- Ranking Arizona: The Best of Arizona Attorneys, Intellectual Property Law (2010-2011, 2013)
- Arizona's Top Lawyers, Intellectual Property, Arizona Business Magazine (2010, 2014)

Community Involvement

- Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Man of the Year (2014)

Other Professional Experience

- Streich Lang, Associate, Phoenix, Arizona
- Foley and Lardner, Associate, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
- Renner, Kenner, Greive, Bobak, Taylor and Weber, Patent Agent, Akron, Ohio

Bar Admissions

- Arizona
- Wisconsin
- United States Patent and Trademark Office

Court Admissions

- Supreme Court of Arizona
- United States District Court, District of Arizona
- United States Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit
- United States Court of Appeals, Seventh Circuit
- United States Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit