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EXPERIENCE

George Washington University Law School, Washington, DC 2008-Present
• Associate Dean for Intellectual Property Law Studies
Oversee and coordinate all aspects of law school's IP program.

U.S. Senate, Washington, DC 2007-2008
• Counsel, Senate Judiciary Committee
Advised Committee on all IP matters, including the Patent Reform Bill.

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Arlington, VA 1996-2008
• Deputy General Counsel for Intellectual Property Law and Solicitor 2001-2008
Responsible for all IP litigation involving the agency. Argued over 30 cases before the Federal Circuit and was responsible for briefing over 300 cases. Advised the Solicitor General on all IP related matters before the Supreme Court since 2000, which resulted in over 20 briefs filed before the Court. Advised the Director and other senior management on all IP policy matters. Previously held positions of Acting Deputy Solicitor and Associate Solicitor.

Franklin Pierce Law Center, Concord, NH 1999-2008
George Mason University School of Law, Arlington, VA 2001
Chicago Kent College of Law, Chicago, IL 1998-2000
• Adjunct Professor

U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC 1993-1996
• OUII Staff Attorney
Agency lead attorney on several Section 337 investigations.

Honorable Randall R. Rader, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit 1992-93
Honorable James T. Turner, U.S. Court of Federal Claims 1991-92
• Judicial Law Clerk

Fish & Neave, New York, NY 1990-91
• Associate Attorney

General Electric Co., Philadelphia, PA 1985-87
• Design/Systems Engineer

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA

1990

- Juris Doctorate
Harvard Journal of Law and Technology

Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA

1987

- Master of Science in Electrical Engineering

Villanova University, Villanova, PA

1985

- Bachelors of Electrical Engineering; Minor in Mathematics
Summa cum laude; Graduated 1st in Engineering class; Phi Kappa Phi, Tau Beta Pi, and Eta Kappa Nu honor societies.