

## Perkins Coie Recognized as Leader in Patexia's IPR Litigation Intelligence Report

**SEATTLE (October 15, 2020)** - Perkins Coie is pleased to announce that the firm and six partners were recognized as leaders in USPTO *inter partes* review (IPR) proceedings in Patexia's *2020 IPR Intelligence Report*, an annual comprehensive report of IPR data and analysis over the last five years. Perkins Coie was the only firm ranked in the Top 10 in both the Best Performing Overall and Most Active Overall categories.

Perkins Coie was named the seventh best performing law firm overall for both patent owners and petitioners, with performance score of 94.9%. Six attorneys were also recognized for most active matters and best performance in the IPR space in the past year. The 2020 ranked partners include:

- Bing Ai (San Diego)
- Tyler Bowen (Phoenix)
- Joseph Hamilton (Los Angeles)
- Patrick McKeever (San Diego)
- Kevin Patariu (San Diego)
- Michael Wise (Los Angeles)

This is the fourth year Patexia has released the report, which is based on data compiled from public sources, including the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) and the Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB). The data includes over 7,700 IPR cases from July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2020.

Perkins Coie has one of the most active and successful PTAB practices in the country with a deep bench of tested, high-performing patent litigators and prosecutors who have appeared as counsel of record in more than 425 IPRs and other post-grant proceedings on behalf of petitioners and patent owners. We have represented clients since the earliest days of IPR proceedings, accumulating a winning track record. The group's forward-thinking advice stems from its experience, research from tracking decisions and other data, and in-depth training programs for our attorneys and clients. Our IP practice includes the former solicitor and deputy general counsel for intellectual property law at the USPTO, Partner Nate Kelley, who also served as acting chief administrative patent judge of the PTAB.

Perkins Coie is a leading international law firm that is known for providing high-value, strategic solutions and extraordinary client service on matters vital to our clients' success. With more than 1,200 lawyers in offices across the United States and Asia, we provide a full array of corporate, commercial litigation, intellectual property, and regulatory legal advice to a broad range of clients, including many of the world's most innovative companies and industry leaders as well as public and not-for-profit organizations.

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