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EXPERIENCE

SCOTT R MILLER PC, dba Scott Miller Mediation

Owner, January 2023 – Present

Mediator for disputes involving patents, trademarks, trade secrets, copyrights, false advertising, unfair competition, breach of contract and related state law claims.

SHEPPARD MULLIN RICHTER & HAMPTON LLP, Los Angeles, CA

Partner, 2012- January 2023

CONNOLLY BOVE LODGE & HUTZ LLP, Los Angeles, CA

Partner, 2006-2012

RIORDAN & MCKINZIE (merged to BINGHAM McCUTCHEN LLP), Los Angeles, CA.

Partner, 1990-2006

Associate, 1987-1990

LYON & LYON, Los Angeles, CA.

Associate, 1983-1987

Lead counsel in more than 100 litigations involving patent, trademark or copyright infringement, theft of trade secrets, trademark dilution, false advertising and/or business disputes. Served as trial counsel as well as lead counsel for pre-trial and post-trial motions and mediations. Successfully handled dozens of contested hearings for injunctive relief, and contested matters before administrative agencies including patent IPRs and claims before the NAD. Technical areas include telecommunications, digital signal processing, data storage technologies, medical devices, optical and display technologies, automotive technologies, nano-materials and defense industries. Extensive work with consumer product companies in conjunction with utility and design patents, trade secrets and well-known trademarks.

Lead IP counsel in hundreds of corporate merger and acquisition, initial public offering and debt financing transactions involving the evaluation, license, acquisition or disposition of intellectual property assets and portfolios. Negotiate licenses, joint venture and co-development agreements. Develop strategies for the protection trade secrets and the enforcement or avoidance of IP portfolios. Work with clients to implement strategies to develop and/or build brands, and recoup idle brands. Advertising and packaging review in various industries including Cannabis/CBD products. Patent and Trademark prosecution.

Various management positions at several firms including Executive Committee and Compensation Committee at Riordan & McKinzie and Connolly Bove.

BAR ADMISSIONS

California: December 12, 1983

United States Patent and Trademark Office: December, 1985

United States Supreme Court, Federal Circuit, Ninth and Tenth Circuits, Multiple District Courts and the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation.

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA LAW CENTER

Juris Doctor, 1983

Honors: Editor, Hale Moot Court Editorial Board
Quarterfinalist, Hale Moot Court Honors Competition
Co-Author, Note, "An Appraisal of the Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit"
57 So.Cal.L.Rev. 301 (1984)

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering (May, 1980)
Graduated with Distinction, GPA of 3.8/4.0

Honors: General Motors Scholar; Sigma Tau Honor Scholarship; Tau Beta Pi, Pi Tau Sigma, Dean's Honor List all eight semesters

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Member, ABA Litigation Section Intellectual Property Committee, 2018-present; ABA Patent Litigation Committee, 2022-present; ABA Trademark Litigation Committee, 2022-present.

Vice-Chair, Damages and Injunction Committee - Intellectual Property Owners Association (IPO), 2009-2018

Member, Non-traditional Trademarks Committee, INTA, 2012-2016

Member, Enforcement Committee-Provisional Remedies - INTA, 2006-2009

Various speaking engagements and articles, including:

["The U.S. Trademark Office Opens The Door to Registering Certain Cannabis Trademarks," June 3, 2019](#)

[Intellectual Property Owners Association \(IPO\) Annual Meeting](#)

[Intellectual Property Owner's Association \(IPO\) Patent Damages Summit](#)

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Martindale Hubbell AV[®] Preeminent[™] Peer Review Rated Attorney

Best Lawyers in America, Best Lawyers[®], 2012-2024 Patent Litigation

Best Lawyers[®], Lawyer of the Year, Los Angeles - Patent Litigation, 2020

So. California Super Lawyer, Intellectual Property Litigation, 2004, 2012- 2024

[Top Verdicts: Alfred E. Mann Foundation et al. v. Cochlear Corp. et al](#) Daily Journal, February 17, 2016

Religious Liberty Award, So. Cal. ACLU Foundation, 2004

INTERESTS AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Board President, Epilepsy Foundation of Greater Orange County

President, Board of Directors of We Care Family Support Center

Bicycling, wine, college football, golf, skiing, hiking