

Attorney Profile:

Devin S. Morgan



“Innovation and entrepreneurship are at the core of everything I do.”

Summary:

- Registered patent attorney with over 10 years experience in protecting and using intellectual property to serve client’s business interests
 - Drafted and negotiated hundreds of contracts, from simple non-disclosure agreements to complex technology licenses, development agreements, and other commercial transactions
 - Business advisor active in supporting startups and growth companies of all kinds: independent inventors, local small businesses, venture-funded technology companies, etc.
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Education and Professional Background

- Juris Doctor and Master of Intellectual Property, Franklin Pierce Law Center, 1999
 - Bachelor of Arts in Engineering Science and Asian Studies, Dartmouth College, 1996
 - Technical experience includes: computer hardware, software, electronics, telecommunications, Internet, digital media, mechanics, control systems
 - Lecturer on intellectual property, startup, and business law issues
 - In-House Counsel for Seagate Technology and Maxtor Corporation, 2005–2008
 - Started and operated Intellectual Property Consulting practice focused on IP analysis, management, and training, 2003–2005
 - Large Law Firm experience with Fenwick & West (Silicon Valley technology law firm) and Hunton & Williams (1000+ attorney international law firm) in Washington, DC, 1999–2003
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Personal

- Married, 3 year old son
- Moved to Cooperstown, NY from the Boston area in 2008
- Grew up in Livonia, NY on Cone-sus Lake, south of Rochester, NY
- Other interests: hiking, reading (business, literature, sci-fi/fantasy, thought), music (metal, alternative, folk, jazz, and more), movies, food & wine, and travel
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Example Client Engagements:

- **Develop patent portfolio** to protect products and support freedom-to-operate and licensing strategies, including patent search and analysis of competing technologies, patent drafting and prosecution before the U.S. patent office, management of patent-related information and costs
 - **Structure strategic relationship** to clarify responsibilities and protect business interests, including counseling on business objectives and key legal terms, drafting of Letter of Intent and initial Term Sheet, drafting and negotiation support for definitive Strategic Development and Supply Agreement
 - **Interim Corporate Counsel** to provide operational support on diverse legal issues during growth of business, including contract management, IP policies and process, corporate compliance, and litigation management
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