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As the Director of Complex Software Litigation at Quandary Peak Research I lead teams of experts, advise clients, and provide testimony in a variety of software-related intellectual property, project failure, and contract disputes.

I have a strong track record of testifying as an expert in both deposition and trial settings, backed by extensive experience in reviewing and reverse engineering software source code, architecture, and designs. My expertise covers a wide range of programming languages and technologies, including mobile and IoT devices, industrial and automotive controls, consumer and medical devices, as well as e-commerce and enterprise systems and websites.

In addition to my role as a software litigation expert, I bring a unique combination of skills as an attorney and a registered patent agent. My professional background spans financial services and software development, providing me with a well-rounded perspective in navigating complex legal and technical challenges.

## Software Review Experience (Languages)

C/C++/C#, Obj-C (iOS), Swift, SQL, Java, Kotlin, VB.Net, COBOL, JS, TS, PHP, Python, GoLang, Ruby, CodeSys, MatLab, Fortran, VHDL, Assembly, TEAL

## Software Review Experience (Industries)

- Software project failure (Government software procurement, public benefits administration, Out of the Box (OOB), Commercial Off The Shelf (COTS), customizations, configurations, add-ons and extensions to ERP, SAP, and IBM products)
- E-commerce and enterprise systems and websites (e.g., SaaS, COTS, OOTB and custom applications, AWS, Azure, IBM, and SAP)
- Mobile devices (e.g., applications and operating systems for Android and iOS smartphones and tablets), Internet of Things (IoT) devices and sensor networks, and consumer electronics (e.g., set-top boxes and portable media players)
- Industrial and automotive controls and machine vision (e.g., robotics and factory automation technologies, automotive throttle, braking controls, communication systems, CAN bus communications protocols and designs, and functional safety technology), and on-Chip and on-board controllers including power management and memory access controllers
- FinTech (e.g., loan underwriting, insurance and benefits administration, consumer credit reporting, cryptographic protocols, cryptocurrencies, smart contracts and peer-to peer messaging systems)
- Medical and analytical devices and electronic medical record databases

## Software Related Testimony

- **Coinmint v. Katena** | 2022  
Jurisdiction: American Arbitration Association  
Case Number: 01-22-0001-7627 – 20427 (filed August 29, 2022)  
Counsel: Gordon Rees Scully Mansukhani, LLP  
Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract, Fraud  
Testimony: Deposition, opening and rebuttal reports
- **Enigmatus, s.r.o. v. Playtika Ltd. et al.** | 2022  
Jurisdiction: Federal Court of Ottawa  
Case Number: T-2085-16 (filed December 2, 2016)  
Counsel: Dipchand LLP  
Nature of Suit: Trademark  
Testimony: Deposition, expert report
- **Wipro Limited v. State of Nebraska** | 2021  
Jurisdiction: Lancaster Co. Dist. Ct.  
Case Number: D02CI190000676 (filed March 4, 2019)  
Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract  
Testimony: Deposition, opening and rebuttal expert reports
- **FinancialApps LLC v. Envestnet, Inc.** | 2020  
Jurisdiction: Dist. Del.  
Case Number: 19-1337-CFC-CJB (filed July 17, 2019)  
Nature of Suit: Trade Secret Misappropriation  
Testimony: Deposition, opening and rebuttal expert reports, affidavits relating to discovery and production disputes
- **Penrose Hill, Limited et al. v. Mabray** | 2020  
Jurisdiction: N.D. Calif.  
Case Number: 4:20-cv-01169 (filed February 14, 2020)  
Nature of Suit: Libel  
Testimony: Expert report, declaration relating to discovery and production disputes
- **VoterLabs, Inc. v. Ethos Group Consulting Services LLC** | 2020  
Jurisdiction: Dist. Del.  
Case Number: 1:19-cv-00524 (filed March 15, 2019)  
Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract  
Testimony: Declaration relating to discovery and production disputes
- **Morris Development, Inc. v. Extreme Impact, Inc.** | 2019  
Jurisdiction: CA  
Case Number: 16CV003781 (filed November 23, 2016)  
Nature of Suit: Copyright and Breach of Contract  
Testimony: Trial, deposition and expert report
- **Lisa M. Ostella v. Orly Taitz** | 2018  
Jurisdiction: C.D. Calif.  
Case Number: 8:11-cv-00485 (filed March 29, 2011)  
Nature of Suit: Libel  
Testimony: Expert declarations
- **Certain Road Milling Machines and Components Thereof** | 2018  
Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)  
Case Number: ITC 337-TA-1067 (filed July 10, 2017)  
Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement  
Testimony: Trial, deposition and expert report

- **Golden et al. v. Clear Advantage Marketing, et al.** | 2018  
Jurisdiction: S. D. Iowa  
Case Number: 4:2016-cv-00529 (filed September 30, 2016)  
Nature of Suit: Copyright, Trade Secret  
Testimony: Deposition and opening and rebuttal expert reports
- **Kemper Corporate Services Inc. v. Computer Sciences Corporation et al.** | 2016  
Jurisdiction: AAA Arbitration  
Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract  
Testimony: Expert affidavit
- **Robert Nekoroski et al. v. Shajy Mathai et al.** | 2014  
Jurisdiction: CA  
Case Number: 1184CV04315 (filed November 29, 2011)  
Nature of Suit: Trade Secret  
Testimony: Opening and rebuttal expert reports

## Litigation Consulting

- **iSpot.TV, Inc v. Nadya Teyfukova, and Entertainment Data Oracle, Inc** | Dec 2023–Present  
Jurisdiction: US District Court, Central California  
Case Number: 2:21-cv-06815  
Counsel: Holwell Shuster & Goldberg LLP  
Nature of Suit: Patent
- **MaddenCo, Inc v. HG AutoTech LLC** | Aug 2023–Present  
Jurisdiction: S.D. Indiana  
Case Number: 3:22-cv-00173-RLY-MPB (filed 10/31/22)  
Counsel: Delk McNally LLP | Breazeale, Sachse & Wilson, LLP  
Nature of Suit: Copyright; Third-party Neutral
- **Lexos Media IP, LLC v. Northern Tool & Equipment Company, Inc** | Aug 2023–Present  
Jurisdiction: US District Court for the Eastern District of Texas  
Case Number: 2:2022cv00355 (filed September 12, 2022)  
Counsel: Taft Stettinius & Hollister LLP  
Nature of Suit: Patent
- **WIPRO Limited v. First Data Government Solutions, LP** | July 2023–Present  
Jurisdiction: District Court, D. Nebraska  
Case Number: 4:22-cv-03116-JMG-MDN (filed July 1, 2022)  
Counsel: Cline Williams Wright Johnson & Oldfather  
Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract
- **Best Ring, LLC, et al. v. Ronin POS, LLC, et al.** | June 2023–Present  
Jurisdiction: USDC Western District of Texas Waco Division  
Case Number: 6:22-cv-00766-ADA (filed July 11, 2022)  
Counsel: Naman, Howell, Smith & Lee, PLLC  
Nature of Suit: Patent, Copyright, Trade Secret

- **K+S Potash Canada General Partnership v. Veolia Water Technologies Inc** | Mar 2023–Present

Jurisdiction: Court Of Queen's Bench For Saskatchewan

Case Number: QB No. 817 (filed 2018)

Counsel: Stikeman Elliott LLP

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Technology: Plant Design Management Systems (PDMS), Clash Detection, Database synchronization

Role: Served as Consulting Expert

- **Enigmatus, s.r.o. v. Playtika Ltd. et al.** | 2022

Jurisdiction: Federal Court of Ottawa

Case Number: T-2085-16 (filed December 2, 2016)

Counsel: Dipchand LLP

Nature of Suit: Trademark

Technology: Mobile application development, gaming, Web Application Protocol, geolocation

- **Content Engines, LLC v. Rumble USA, Inc., & Rumble Inc.** | 2022

Jurisdiction: Dist. Florida

Case Number: 8:22-cv-01949 (filed August 24, 2022)

Counsel: Burke, Williams & Sorensen, LLP.

Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement

Technology: Content Delivery Network (CDN), video streaming, RAID storage

- **Robotic Vision Technologies Inc. v. ABB Inc** | 2022

Jurisdiction: Delaware District Court

Case Number: 1:22-cv-01257 (filed September 9, 2022)

Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox PLLC

Nature of Suit: Patent, Trade Secret and Copyright Infringement

Technology: Robotic computer vision, gripper targeting, feature selection and identification

- **Espíritu Santo Holdings, LP & L1bre Holding, LLC v. United Mexican States** | Dec 2022–Present

Jurisdiction: ICSID

Case Number: ARB/20/13 - 20417 (filed September 17, 2021)

Counsel: Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP

Nature of Suit: Investor-State Arbitration

Technology: Mobile phone applications, ride hailing services

- **The Nielsen Company, LLC v. TVision Insights, Inc.** | 2022

Jurisdiction: ND Illinois

Case Number: 1:22-cv-00057 (filed January 14, 2022)

Counsel: Kelley, Drye & Warren LLP.

Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement

Technology: Multimedia fingerprinting, reverse engineering, decompilation

- **Svoboda v. Amazon, Inc.** | 2022

Jurisdiction: ND Illinois

Case Number: 1:21-cv-05336 (filed February 25, 2022)

Counsel: Keogh Law, LTD.

Nature of Suit: Illinois Biometric Privacy Act (BIPA)

Technology: Augmented Reality, Machine Vision, Face Tracking

- **Cryptocurrency Pre-Litigation Investigation** | 2022  
 Jurisdiction: Federal (DOJ)  
 Retained by: Defendant  
 Counsel: Todd & Weld LLP  
 Nature of Suit: Criminal fraud and theft  
 Technology: Blockchain, smart contracts (TEAL assembly)
- **Allscripts Healthcare, LLC v. Andor Health, LLC** | 2022  
 Jurisdiction: Dist. Del.  
 Case Number: 1:21-cv-00707-MAK (filed August 6, 2021)  
 Counsel: Locke Lord LLP  
 Nature of Suit: Trade Secret  
 Technology: EHR, Mobile Patient Experience (MPE) applications
- **Vound Colorado, LTD and Vound LLC v. E-Hounds, Inc** | 2022  
 Jurisdiction: Dist. Del.  
 Case Number: 1:21-cv-00849-UNA (filed June 14, 2021)  
 Counsel: Marshall Dennehey  
 Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract, Trademark  
 Technology: While-label software, HASP licensing
- **Blue Island Industrial, LLC v. Sigma DT, LLC** | 2022  
 Jurisdiction: Appellate Court of Illinois, First District, Fourth Division  
 Case Number: 1-22-1802  
 Counsel: The Cosentino Law Firm  
 Nature of Suit: Rent Abatement
- **Hlfip Holding, Inc. d/b/a Smart Communications IP Holdings v. York County, Pennsylvania** | 2022  
 Jurisdiction: MD Penn.  
 Case Number: 1:20-cv-001866-CCC (filed February 3, 2020)  
 Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox  
 Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement  
 Technology: Telecommunications, OCR scanning, document processing
- **Provisur Technologies, Inc. v. Weber, Inc.** | 2022  
 Jurisdiction: WD Mo.  
 Case Number: 5:19-cv-6021 (filed February 22, 2019)  
 Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox  
 Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement  
 Technology: PLC controller for robotic food packaging equipment (C++, CodeSys)
- **Certain Vehicle Controls Systems, Vehicles Containing the Same, and Components Thereof** | 2021  
 Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)  
 Case Number: 337-TA-1235 (filed November 19, 2020)  
 Retained by: Volkswagen America  
 Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox  
 Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement  
 Technology: CAN bus communication of terrain selection data to vehicle suspension, breaking and transmission control subsystems (C++)

- **Wipro Limited v. State of Nebraska** | 2021

Jurisdiction: Lancaster Co. Dist. Ct.

Case Number: D02CI190000676 (filed March 4, 2019)

Counsel: Cline Williams Wright Johnson & Oldfather, L.L.P.

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Technology: IBM Cúram Enterprise Modules and social program management platform (Java)

- **Jaguar Land Rover v. Volkswagen Group of America, Inc** | Dec 2020

Jurisdiction: United States International Trade Commission Washington, D.C

Case Number: 337-TA-1235

Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox

Nature of Suit: Patent infringement

- **FinancialApps LLC v. Envestnet, Inc.** | 2020

Jurisdiction: Dist. Del.

Case Number: 19-1337-CFC-CJB (filed July 17, 2019)

Counsel: Kasowitz Benson Torres LLP

Nature of Suit: Trade Secret Misappropriation

Technology: Consumer financial data processing and credit reporting (Golang, Ruby, JavaScript, Java, MongoDB)

- **Aetna Inc, et al v. Mednax Inc., et al, No. 2:18-cv-02217 (ED Penn.)** | 2020

Jurisdiction: ED Penn.

Case Number: 2:18-cv-02217 (filed May 25, 2018)

Counsel: Robbins, Russell, Englert, Orseck, Untereiner & Sauber LLP Technology: Billing support business logic

Nature of Suit: Medical Billing Fraud

- **Penrose Hill, Limited et al. v. Mabray** | 2020

Jurisdiction: N.D. Calif.

Case Number: 4:20-cv-01169 (filed February 14, 2020)

Counsel: Seyfarth Shaw LLP

Nature of Suit: Libel

Technology: Social media posting forensic acquisition

- **VoterLabs, Inc. v. Ethos Group Consulting Services LLC** | 2020

Jurisdiction: Dist. Del.

Case Number: 1:19-cv-00524 (filed March 15, 2019)

Counsel: Wick Phillips

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Technology: Customer profiling and product recommendation (Python, TypeScript, SQL, JavaScript)

- **Robillard v. Opal Labs, Inc.** | 2020

Jurisdiction: Dist. Oregon

Case Number: 3:16-cv-00780 (filed May 5, 2016)

Counsel: Buchanan Angeli Altschul & Sullivan LLP

Nature of Suit: Trade Secret Misappropriation

Technology: Investigation of the GitHub and Internet archives using ElasticSearch to search over 800 million records

- **Comcast Cable Communications LLC v. Veveo, Inc.** | 2020

Jurisdiction: United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) Patent Trial and Appeals Board (PTAB)

Case Number: IPR 2019-00237, filed November 12, 2018 and IPR 2019-00290 (filed November 12, 2018)

Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox

Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement

Technology: Cable set top box predictive text entry and product search (C++)

- **Sequoia Technology, LLC v. Dell Inc., et al** | 2019

Jurisdiction: Dist. Del.

Case Number: 1:18-cv-01127 (filed July 31, 2018)

Nature of Suit: Patent Misappropriation

Technology: RedHat Logical volume management (LVM), Windows Logical Disk Manager (LDM), Windows Storage Spaces, Oracle ZFS, MacOS Apple RAID

- **Alaimo v. Simpson** | 2019

Jurisdiction: AZ

Case Number: 2:00-cv-01251 (filed June 29, 2000)

Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement

Technology: Forensic acquisition of social media postings from Twitter, Facebook and Instagram

- **Arendi S.A.R.L. v. Motorola Mobility LLC, et. al. (W.D. Wash)** | 2019

Jurisdiction: Dist. Del.

Case Number: 1:12-cv-01601-LPS (filed March 10, 2013)

Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement

Technology: Mobile phone applications for Android (Java and Kotlin), iOS (Objective C and Swift) and Blackberry (C++); Subversion (SVN) source code version control system

- **In re Intuit Free File Litigation** | 2019

Jurisdiction: N.D. Calif.

Case Number: 3:19-cv-02546 (filed May 12, 2019)

Retained by: Plaintiff

Nature of Suit: Class Action

Technology: Multi-site web application (HTML and JavaScript) and robots.txt directives

- **Morris Development, Inc. v. Extreme Impact, Inc.** | 2019

Jurisdiction: CA

Case Number: 16CV003781 (filed November 23, 2016)

Nature of Suit: Copyright and Breach of Contract

Technology: Comparison of source code and architecture of Microsoft Visual Basic (VB) .Net applications

- **TRUSTID, Inc. v. Next Caller Inc.** | 2019

Jurisdiction: Dist. Del.

Case Number: 1:18-cv-00172 (filed January 30, 2018)

Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox

Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement

Technology: Call-number- spoofing and fraud detection using SIP data processing, call screening and applied machine learning (ML) (Python, VOIP, AWS)

- **AGIS Software Development LLC v. LG Electronics, Inc.** | 2018

Jurisdiction: E.D. Tex.

Case Number: 2:17-cv-00515 (filed June 21, 2017)

Counsel: Arnold & Porter

Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement

Technology: Peer to peer messaging mobile phone applications for Android (Java), iOS (Objective-C), and Windows Phone (C++) and backend server application (C++)

- **Lisa M. Ostella v. Orly Taitz** | 2018

Jurisdiction: C.D. Calif.

Case Number: 8:11-cv-00485 (filed March 29, 2011)

Nature of Suit: Libel

Technology: Forensic acquisition and analysis of blog and Twitter postings, internet archive records and robots.txt directives

- **Yardi Systems v. Property Solutions International, Inc.** | 2018

Jurisdiction: C.D. Calif.

Case Number: 2:13-cv-07764 (filed October 21, 2013)

Retained by: Entrata

Counsel: Morrison & Foerster, LLP

Nature of Suit: Trade Secret

Technology: Property, lease and tenant management systems

- **Certain Road Milling Machines and Components Thereof** | 2018

Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)

Case Number: ITC 337-TA-1067 (filed July 10, 2017)

Retained by: Wirtgen America

Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox

Nature of Suit: Patent Infringement

Technology: Sensor inputs and actuator controls over CAN bus and controller source code (CodeSys, MatLab, C)

- **Golden et al. v. Clear Advantage Marketing, et al.** | 2018

Jurisdiction: S. D. Iowa

Case Number: 4:2016-cv-00529 (filed September 30, 2016)

Retained by: G2 Database Marketing

Nature of Suit: Copyright, Trade Secret

Technology: Functional and presentation layer comparison of financial reporting applications and reporting products

- **"Sasco" Patent Portfolio Review** | 2017

Retained by: Confidential

Counsel: Perkins Coie

Nature of Suit: Pre-litigation assessment

Technology: CPU power management in Linux-based operating systems

- **Securus Technologies, Inc. v. Global Tel\*Link Corporation** | 2017

Jurisdiction: N.D. Tex.

Case Number: 3:16-cv-01338 (filed May 13, 2016)

Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox

Nature of Suit: Patent

Technology: VOIP call processing, monitoring, biometrics, billing (Java, C++)

- **Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry (DLI) v. IBM** | 2017

Jurisdiction: PA

Case Number: 2017-cv-1740 (filed March 9, 2017)

Counsel: Duane Morris, LLP

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Technology: IBM solution for Unemployment Compensation Modernization System ("UCMS") (OS/2, Db2, Java)

- **Pre-litigation Assessment** | 2017

Retained by: Confidential

Counsel: Perkins Coie

Nature of Suit: Copyright

Technology: ARM-based embedded controller and firmware, JTAG



- **Certain Computing or Graphics Systems, Components Thereof, and Vehicles Containing Same** | 2016

Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)

Case Number: ITC-337-TA-984 (filed December 20, 2015)

Retained by: Volkswagen America

Counsel: Sterne Kessler Goldstein & Fox

Nature of Suit: Patent

Technology: Northbridge controller, memory controller, DRAM access scheduling and prioritization functions (VHDL)

- **Kemper Corporate Services Inc. v. Computer Sciences Corporation et al.** | 2016

Jurisdiction: AAA Arbitration

Counsel: Sidely Austin

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Technology: COBOL to Java conversion

- **CAP CO, LTD v. McAfee, Inc** | 2016

Jurisdiction: N.D. Calif.

Case Number: 14-cv-05068-JD (filed June 26, 2015)

Counsel: Perkins Coie

Nature of Suit: Patent

Technology: Antivirus and firewall

- **Hoskin Hogan, et al., v. BP West Coast Products LLC, et al.** | 2016

Jurisdiction: CA

Case Number: BC460880 ((filed 2011))

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Technology: Point of Sale (POS)

- **Pre-litigation Assessment**

Retained by: Confidential

Counsel: Perkins Coie

Nature of Suit: Patent

Technology: CPU power management, on-chip controller source code for managing the operating frequency, voltage, memory bandwidth, and thermal control of a multithreaded processor and its associated memory

- **Michael Mohr v. Science and Engineering Services, LLC** | 2014

Jurisdiction: N.D. AI

Case Number: 5:14-cv-00045 (filed January 9, 2014)

Nature of Suit: Copyright

Technology: Source code comparaison, scènes à faire analysais

- **Metropolitan Regional Information Systems, Inc. v. American Home Realty Network, Inc.** | 2014

Jurisdiction: N.D. AI

Case Number: 5:14-cv-00045 (filed January 9, 2014)

Retained by: Science and Engineering Services, LLC

Counsel: Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner

Nature of Suit: Copyright

Technology: Database compilation and schema in copyright deposits

- **Maryland Health Benefits Exchange Implementation Failure Pre-Litigation Assessment |**

2014

Retained by: State of Maryland

Counsel: Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract, Fraud

Technology: IBM Cúram Enterprise Modules and social program management platform (Java, Db2, Oracle) and related SDLC artifacts (Jira, Rational Team Concert, SVN)

- **County of Orange v. Tata Consultancy Services LTD., et al. | 2015**

Jurisdiction: CA

Case Number: 8:13-cv-00683 (filed April 30, 2013)

Counsel: Theodora Oringer PC

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract, Fraud

Technology: Property tax management system (Visual Studio .Net, C++, SQL)

- **Robert Nekoroski et al. v. Shajy Mathai et al. | 2014**

Jurisdiction: CA

Case Number: 1184CV04315 (filed November 29, 2011)

Nature of Suit: Trade Secret

Technology: Insurance portfolio risk modeling and assessment

- **The Studer Group v. Cleveland Clinic Foundation | 2013**

Jurisdiction: N.D. Ohio

Case Number: 1:10-cv-01957 (filed September 2, 2010)

Nature of Suit: Trade Secret

Technology: Patient engagement, survey and services marketing

- **CGI v. eHealth Ontario | 2014**

Jurisdiction: Private Arbitration

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Technology: Diabetes Registry system implementation, HP Quality Center (HPQC)

- **SAP Business One Implementation Failure | 2014**

Jurisdiction: Private Arbitration

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Technology: SAP Business One (ERP Solution)

- **Sam's West, Inc. v. Aloni | 2013**

Jurisdiction: W.D. Ark

Case Number: 5:13-cv-05144 (filed July 15, 2013)

Nature of Suit: Media Licensing

Technology: Internet Archive, image and text scanning, micro-site and platform specific targeting

- **California State Comptroller's Office (SCO) v. SAP Public Services | 2013**

Jurisdiction: CA

Case Number: 34-2013-00154918 (filed November 21, 2013)

Counsel: Manatt, Phelps & Phillips, LLP

Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Technology: Payroll processing, SAP, HP Quality Center, JIRA

- **BioLumix, Incorporated v. Centrus International, Incorporated | 2013**

Jurisdiction: E.D. Mich.

Case Number: 2:08-cv-11418 (filed April 2, 2008)

Nature of Suit: Patent

Technology: Laboratory analytical device firmware

- **Westlake Services LLC d/b/a Westlake Financial Services v.**

- **Credit Acceptance Corporation** | 2013

- Jurisdiction: United States Patent and Trademark Office, Patent Trial and Appeals Board
    - Case Number: CBM2014-000008 (filed October 11, 2013)
    - Counsel: Fish & Tsang, LLP
    - Nature of Suit: Patent
    - Technology: Auto loan underwriting and processing (FoxPro)

- **Symantec Corporation v. Veeam Software Corporation** | 2013

- Jurisdiction: N.D. Calif.
  - Case Number: C 12-00700 SI (filed May. 31, 2012)
  - Nature of Suit: Patent
  - Technology: VMware ESX and Microsoft Hyper-V

- **Certain Electronic Devices Having A Retractable USB Connector** | 2012

- Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)
  - Case Number: ITC-337-TA-843 (filed May 24, 2012)
  - Retained by: OUII
  - Nature of Suit: Patent
  - Technology: Digital cameras and related devices with retractable USB connectors

- **Certain Electronic Devices with Communication Capabilities, Components Thereof, and Related Software** | 2012

- Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)
  - Case Number: ITC-337-TA-808 (filed September 30, 2011)
  - Retained by: OUII
  - Nature of Suit: Patent
  - Technology: Mobile phone touch screens

- **Certain Microprocessors, Components Thereof, and Products Containing the Same** | 2012

- Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)
  - Case Number: ITC-337-TA-781 (filed July 7, 2011)
  - Retained by: OUII
  - Nature of Suit: Patent
  - Technology: Microprocessor power conditioning hardware

- **Certain Electronic Devices, Including Wireless Communication Devices, Portable Music and Data Processing Devices, and Tablet Computers** | 2012

- Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)
  - Case Number: ITC-337-TA-794 (filed August 1, 2011)
  - Retained by: OUII
  - Nature of Suit: Patent
  - Technology: LTE stack

- **Certain Computer Forensic Devices and Products Containing the Same** | 2012

- Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)
  - Case Number: ITC-337-TA-799 (filed August 29, 2011)
  - Retained by: OUII
  - Nature of Suit: Patent
  - Technology: Hard drive recovery and forensics

- **Certain Toner Cartridges and Components Thereof** | 2012

Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)  
Case Number: ITC-337-TA-829 (filed February 27, 2012)  
Retained by: OUII  
Nature of Suit: Patent  
Technology: Inkjet printer cartridges

- **Honeywell Int'l, Inc. v. United States** | 2012

Jurisdiction: U.S. Ct. Fed. Claims  
Case Number: No. 02-1909 (filed December 5, 2012)  
Retained by: U.S. Ct. Fed. Claims  
Nature of Suit: Patent  
Technology: In-helmet cockpit display

- **John Mezzalingua Associates, Inc. v. PCT International, Inc.** | 2010

Jurisdiction: W.D. Texas  
Case Number: 5:09-cv-00410 (filed May 22, 2009)  
Nature of Suit: Patent  
Technology: RF (F-type) coaxial cable connectors

- **Coaxial Cable Connectors and Components Thereof and Products Containing Same** | 2009

Jurisdiction: International Trade Commission (ITC)  
Case Number: ITC-337-TA-650 (filed May 30, 2008)  
Retained by: John Mezzalingua Associates, Inc.  
Nature of Suit: Patent  
Technology: RF (F-type) coaxial cable connectors

## **Employment**

### **Software Expert Witness | Quandary Peak Research**

Chicago, IL | Sept 2018–Present

### **Software Expert Witness | DisputeSoft**

Potomac, MD | June 2013–Sept 2018

### **Legal Intern | White House OSTP**

Washington D.C. | Jan–Apr 2013

### **Legal Intern | U.S. D.O.J. Criminal Division, Fraud Section**

Washington D.C. | Sept–Dec 2012

### **Law Clerk | United States ITC, OUII**

Washington D.C. | June–Aug 2012

### **Judicial Intern to Honorable Susan G. Braden, U.S. Fed. Cl.**

Jan–May 2012

### **Judicial Intern to Honorable Judith N. Macaluso, D.C. Sup. Ct.**

Sept–Dec 2011

### **Legal Intern at the USPTO, OPLA**

June–Aug 2011

## **Summer Associate | Hiscock & Barclay, LLP**

June–Aug 2010

## **Patent Agent | Marjama, Muldoon, Blasiak & Sullivan, LLP**

June–Aug 2009

## **Admissions**

- **State Bar of Virginia** | 2018
- **State Bar of California** | 2013
- **United States Patent and Trademark Office, Registration Number 64493** | May 2009

## **Education**

### **Master of Law (LLM.) International Business and Economic Law**

Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, DC

### **J.D.**

Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, DC

### **M.S. in Computational Chemistry**

Stony Brook University, NY

### **B.S. in Biology and Chemistry**

Stony Brook University, NY

## **Patents**

- **Patent Application No. 15/424,102** (abandoned)

## **Publications**

- Pflaum, Isaac, and Emmeline Hateley | June 2014

***A bit of a problem: National and extraterritorial regulation of virtual currency in the age of financial disintermediation*** | Georgetown Journal of International Law, 45 Geo. J. Int'l L. 1169 (2013-2014)