



Jonathan Berschadsky

Partner

Merchant & Gould

Jonathan Berschadsky is a Partner at Merchant & Gould's New York Office who focuses his intellectual property practice on complex matters. His 20+ years of experience, mixed with a passion for technology and a flair for complex problem-solving, enable him to deliver effective technology and IP agreements, due diligence analysis, opinions of counsel, strategic patent prosecution, IP litigation and so much more.

Jonathan focuses on being an invaluable asset to your team, managing everything involved with your patent. He understands that true patent law requires a dedicated team for the best results. If you need trademark work, he has someone to do it. If you need a design patent, he has industrial and mechanical engineers/lawyers and skilled draftspersons ready to handle it.



Chris Davis
Chief IP Counsel
U.S. Bank

Chris is Chief IP Counsel for U.S. Bank, where he leads the IP legal practice - focused on protecting the bank's ever-growing IP portfolio. Named on the 2021 Law.com shortlist for Innovator of the Year, Chris works closely with inventors and innovators across the enterprise. Prior to joining the bank Chris spent over 11 years practicing in a law firm environment. His full spectrum experience includes litigating patents, writing patents, as well as representing plaintiffs and defendants in trade secret cases. Outside of his core practice, Chris has been recognized as a 2017 Lawyer of the Year by

Minnesota Lawyer magazine for his pro bono efforts in obtaining asylum in the United States for a refugee family. Before going to law school, Chris was a software engineer for seven years, programming database and video game systems for several major developers.



Eric Greenwald
Associate
Wolf Greenfield & Sacks

Eric Greenwald focuses his practice on US and foreign patent portfolio management and strategic legal counseling for clients in the biotechnology industry. His counseling experience includes patentability and freedom to operate assessments, due diligence analyses, and review of IP provisions in support of filings before the SEC. Eric also handles review and revision of licensing agreements.

Eric counsels research and academic institutions, startup companies, and mid-sized biotech companies. He has a deep background in gene therapy, genome editing, adoptive immunotherapy, engineered cell therapies, therapeutic antibodies, and DNA and peptide sequencing applications.



Parker Tresemer
Head of Legal and Corporate Secretary
Affini-T Therapeutics

Parker Tresemer is the Head of Legal and Corporate Secretary at Affini-T Therapeutics. Parker is an accomplished legal executive and business partner with experience guiding startup, mid-stage, and late-stage biotech and pharma companies, with a particular focus in cell therapy, through complex competitive, legal, and regulatory landscapes. Parker has a track record of building trusted relationships with executive management, Boards of Directors, customers and vendors, and other key stakeholders based on his deep IP, licensing, and M&A experience.



Vinay Thakur
Senior Intellectual Property Manager
University of Connecticut

Vinay Thakur is an Intellectual Property (IP) attorney with a doctorate in synthetic organic chemistry and JD (Honors) with certificates in Intellectual Property, and Corporate and Regulatory Compliance. Vinay received his B.Sc., M.Sc. and Ph.D. in Chemistry from the University of Pune and his J.D. from the University of Connecticut School of Law. He

specializes in preparing and prosecuting patent applications both in the U.S. and abroad, conducting patent searches, conducting competitor-based searches, strategic portfolio management, and general patent counseling, primarily in the chemical and life science area with a particular emphasis on the pharmaceuticals and pharmaceutical formulations, organometallics, and polymers. At UConn, Vinay works closely with the licensing and business development team in assessing life science-related invention disclosures for patentability and other IP-related aspects. He supports UConn inventors through the management of intellectual property, managing invention disclosures, and by preparing and filing patent applications. He coordinates UConn's patent prosecution with faculty and external law firms. He also supports licensing activities by managing invention disclosures and patenting processes.



Gonzalo Merino, Ph.D., J.D.
Senior Vice President
Chief Intellectual Property Counsel
Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Gonzalo is Senior Vice President and Chief Intellectual Property Counsel at Regeneron. He is responsible for all aspects of protecting Regeneron's Intellectual Property (IP), including developing and implementing a comprehensive global IP strategy. Gonzalo manages a group of over 40 IP professionals dedicated to furthering Regeneron's mission to use the power of science to invent, develop, and commercialize life-

transforming medicines for people with serious diseases.

Prior to joining Regeneron, Gonzalo was Associate General Counsel at Columbia University where he oversaw Columbia's biotech IP portfolio. Prior to Columbia, he was a patent attorney at Bryan Cave LLP in New York City.

Gonzalo obtained his J.D. from Columbia University Law School and his Ph.D. from the Integrated Program in Cellular, Molecular and Biophysical Sciences from Columbia University Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.



Joy Goudie

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Joy Goudie is currently an independent board member at Daxor Corporation, following twelve-years as Senior Patent Counsel for Revlon leading cross-functional teams in the US and Spain. In addition, she served as Vice President managing Revlon's global R&D portfolio and driving new technologies.

Joy Goudie is currently seeking an additional corporate board position while continuing in her current role. Her contribution will draw on her skills in business development through defensive IP and transactional negotiations as well as experience in bringing to market new technologies in the pharmaceutical, medical device, consumer products, beauty/cosmetic and healthcare industries.

Leading with her combination of technical expertise and business acumen Joy has provided valuation of intellectual property portfolios for M&A and joint ventures at Revlon. Her business experience focused on developing strategies using IP to drive business growth consistent with company culture at both Revlon and Wyeth Pharmaceuticals. Key focus included leadership roles within industry leadership groups, R&D, manufacturing groups, process-formulation and marketing teams with regard to intellectual property law, licensing, social media, and other transactional matters.

Corporate responsibilities required regular travel to Spain to work with direct reports, R&D, and marketing groups. Management of a pharmaceutical patent portfolio required travel to Dubai and Egypt to meet with the minister of health and outside local counsel. International patent portfolio management required appearance in courts in The Hague.

A published scientist, Joy has worked with patients and R&D teams in the development of new antibiotics and small molecules for treatment of solid tumor cancers. Her research also included work in the areas of stroke and Parkinson's disease. Research data analysis included collecting and analyzing big data using automated intelligence (AI) and computer programming.

Currently residing in the tri-state area of New York City, Joy is married to a British citizen and has lived with her family in London while studying EU and English law. She spends time in the UK with family and friends on a regular basis.

BOARD SERVICE

Daxor Corporation (DAX) (July 2020 – present) – HealthCare/Life Sciences

American Friends of the Georgian Group (2016 – present) – architecture/preservation

CAREER CHRONOLOGY

Wissing Miller, LLP (2019-2020) Partner, Intellectual Property

Revlon (2007 – 2019) Vice President, Senior Patent Counsel, Assistant Secretary

Wyeth (2002 – 2007) Patent Counsel

Bryan Cave (2000 – 2002) Associate, Intellectual Property

Cooper & Dunham (1998 – 2000) Associate, Intellectual Property

Chambers of Christopher Malcolm at Gray's Inn London (1997-1998) Intern, Intellectual Property

RESEARCH POSITIONS (1980 – 1997)

Research Scientist, Bayer Corporation: Reagent Development for Medical Instrumentation

Research Chemist, American Cyanamid: Infectious & Solid Tumor Cancer Research Scientist

Research Scientist, Burke Rehabilitation Center: Parkinson's Disease & Stroke

State University New York at Buffalo: Basement membrane damage in kidneys

Medical Technologist: Buffalo General Hospital, Saint Joseph's Hospital and Peekskill Hospital

Industry Experience

Beauty and Cosmetics

Consumer Products

Pharmaceuticals

Medical Device

Healthcare

Research & Development

Expertise

Intellectual Property Law

Transactional Negotiations

Regulation

Compliance

Social Media

Technology

Automated Intelligence (AI)

International Experience

Domiciled in UK and US

Work in Barcelona, The Hague,

Dubai, Egypt

Education

Pace University (JD) 1998

Long Island University (MS,
Chemistry) 1995

Mercy College (BS, Medical

Technology, Behavioral Science,
Health Service Management) 1990

Professional Affiliation

Private Directors Association

National Assoc of Corporate
Directors (NACD)

New York Intellectual Property
Association – Co-chair Patent
Practice Group

(As of Sept. 2020)

Lynn Russo
Associate
Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP



Lynn Russo is an associate in Hughes Hubbard & Reed's Intellectual Property practice. She has extensive experience in preparation and prosecution of patent applications, as well as in litigation and arbitration.

Lynn also has experience in invalidity and non-infringement opinions, due diligence, portfolio management and client counseling in areas including:

- Antibodies/proteins
- Medical devices
- Next-generation sequencing technologies
- Cancer biology/immunology/vaccine/stem cell research
- Microbiology/biofuel production
- Industrial processes and plants/foods and food supplements
- Pharmaceuticals/small molecules
- Biologically implantable microchip devices
- Diagnostics/microarray technologies/biological assay multiwell cartridges

Prior to joining Hughes Hubbard, Lynn worked at both large general practice and intellectual property boutique law firms. During Lynn's graduate studies, she identified and characterized novel genes involved in nervous system development and neurodegeneration.