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Overview

About Laura

Laura Whitworth is a patent litigation attorney in the Washington, D.C., office of Fish & Richardson P.C. Ms. Whitworth's practice focuses on all aspects of patent infringement matters in the U.S. district courts and before the ITC. Ms. Whitworth has represented clients in various stages of patent litigation, including the development of technical positions on infringement and invalidity, fact discovery, claim construction, expert reports, and drafting briefs. Ms. Whitworth is experienced working with clients on a wide range of technologies including digital signal processing for smartphones, image processing for smartphones, hybrid vehicle technology, and spinal implant technology.

Ms. Whitworth was previously a summer associate with the firm. During law school, Ms. Whitworth served as a judicial intern for the Honorable Judge Jimmie V. Reyna of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

Focus Areas

Services

- Litigation
- ITC Litigation

Industries

- Chemicals

Education

J.D. *cum laude*, American University Washington College of Law (2016) Senior Federal Circuit Editor, *American University Law Review*; Senior Patent Editor, *Intellectual Property Brief*

B.S., Chemistry, College of William & Mary (2013)

Insights

Publications

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