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## Overview

Peter R. Poulin, Ph.D., focuses his practice on patent prosecution in a variety of areas, including optics, lasers, electro-optical and thin-film devices and sensors, semiconductor fabrication and microlithography, and biological imaging and image analysis.

Peter's prosecution practice extends from the U.S. to most EU countries and major jurisdictions in Asia, and his clients include multinational corporations in the U.S. and Europe. He also has extensive experience in patent portfolio development and counseling for start-ups and medium-size companies, and in reexamination and interference proceedings before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Peter received his Ph.D. from Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 2005, where he studied high energy light-matter interactions in condensed phase media.

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## Recognitions & awards

Pro Bono Honor Roll

*Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court* 2021

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## Services

Patent  
Patent Prosecution  
Patent Portfolio Management

## Industries

Electrical & Computer Technology  
Software & Internet  
Semiconductors  
Optics  
Telecommunications  
Energy & Chemicals  
Cleantech  
Life Sciences

Medical Devices  
Academic Research & Medical Centers  
Manufacturing

## Admissions

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (2016)  
Massachusetts (2011)

## Education

J.D., Boston University School of Law (2011)  
Ph.D., Physical Chemistry, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (2005)  
M.S., Physical Chemistry, University of Toronto (1998)  
B.S. with honors, Chemistry, University of Western Ontario (1996)