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Jens C. Jenkins has significant experience and a deep understanding of patent drafting, patent prosecution and post-examination proceedings. Mr. Jenkins' practice is tailored to include in-person Examiner interviews at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. In-person Examiner interviews help to expedite the process for obtaining granted patents while also reducing overall prosecution costs. Having conducted over 1,000 Examiner interviews, Mr. Jenkins is one of the most experienced attorneys in the country with such a practice. This has helped Mr. Jenkins obtain patents for a variety of clients having a broad range of technologies, including computer software, computer hardware, business methods, games, complex mechanical systems, military products, survival products, and medical device technologies.

Mr. Jenkins also provides related services including client counseling, portfolio analysis, opinions, and licenses.

Education

J.D., George Washington University Law School, 2000

- Chair of Intellectual Property Law Moot Court Board
- 1998-1999 – District of Columbia Court of Appeals, assistant to Honorable Judge John W. Kern III

B.S., Manufacturing Engineering, Brigham Young University, 1997

Admissions

Utah State Bar, 2000-Present

Registered Patent Attorney, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, 2000

Memberships

American Intellectual Property Law Association (AIPLA)

Boy Scouts of America (BSA)

Languages

Spanish

Experience

- Patent and Trademark Prosecution, U.S. and international
- Copyright Registrations
- Appeals before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
- Licensing and Transactional Work
- Client Counseling
- Non-Disclosure Agreements
- Patentability Opinions
- Trademark Searches and Clearance Opinions
- Defensive Opinions of Non-infringement and Design Around Strategies
- Complex IP Litigations
- Inter Partes Conflicts
- Mediation and Arbitration

Community Involvement

- Utah Food Bank
- The Road House
- Young Entrepreneurs Academy (YEA)
- Mentor for New Lawyer Training Program (NLTP) Utah State Bar, 2016-Present
- Adjunct Professor, Advanced Patent Prosecution, J. Reuben Clark Law School (BYU), 2013-2015
- IP Moot Court Assistant Coach, S.J. Quinney College of Law (University of Utah), 2007-2008
- Boy Scouts of America (BSA), Assistant Scout Master 2010-2011, Scout Master 2011-2015, Troop Committee Member 2016-Present