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**“PATENT LITIGATION IN US AND GERMANY”
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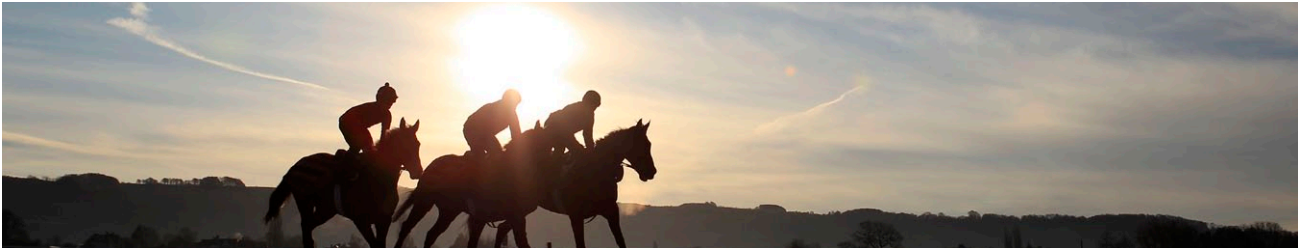
There are still significant differences within the three major business centers of China, USA and Europe on patent infringement proceedings. In international competition it is of crucial importance to recognize and make use of the special features of these patent systems and avoid the pitfalls. The aim of this seminar is to provide participants with the basic principles of patent infringement proceedings in the USA and Germany (the most important European patent system). This will be done by studying a detailed analysis of the most important legal provisions, the current case law and case studies. In particular, the seminar will cover the most important differences in this respect between patent infringement proceedings in China on the one hand and in Germany and the USA on the other hand.

Presentations will be delivered in English.

This seminar is complimentary and by invitation only.



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INVITATION

Date

August 29, 2011 (Monday) 13:30-16:30

Venue

6F, JC Mandarin Hotel

Address

No.1225, Nanjing West Road, Jingan District, Shanghai

Topic

Patent Litigation in US and Germany

Speakers

Mr. Jan Dombrowski, Lawyer, Stuttgart Office of CMS Hasche Sigle

Ms. Xiaoyan Zhang, Lawyer, Hogan Lovells US LLP

Panel Discussion Speakers

Mr. Colin Liu, Partner, CMS, China. Head of Technology, Media and Telecommunications Sector Group in CMS, China

Henry Wheare, Partner, Hogan Lovells International LLP. Head of Intellectual Property, Asia

Alex Xia, Lawyer, Hogan Lovells International LLP, Shanghai

Agenda

13:30-13:45 Registration

13:50-13:55 Welcome Speech by Thomson Reuters, Legal Representative

13:55-14:00 Welcome Speech by Speakers

14:00-14:45 Patent Litigation in Germany Mr. Jan Dombrowski

14:45-15:15 Coffee Break

15:15-16:00 Patent Litigation in US Ms. Xiaoyan Zhang

16:00-16:30 Panel Discussion: Differences between Patent Litigation in China and Patent Litigation in the US and Germany

Mr. Jan Dombrowski, Ms. Xiaoyan Zhang, Mr. Colin Liu, Mr. Henry Wheare, Mr. Alex Xia

16:30 Adjourn

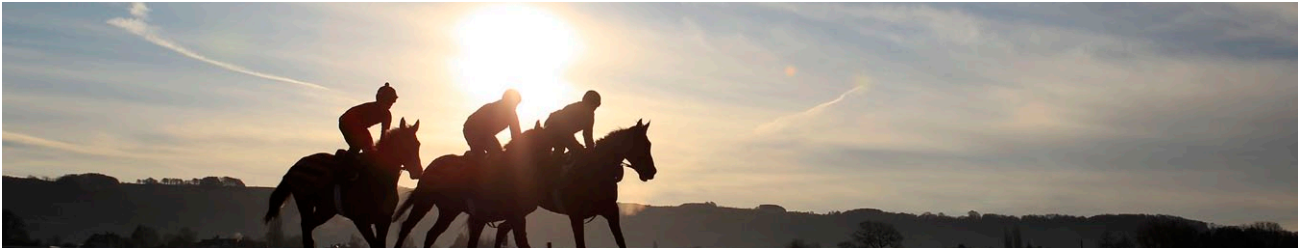
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Speakers

Mr. Jan Dombrowski



Jan Dombrowski is a lawyer with the Stuttgart Office of CMS Hasche Sigle. He advises on national and cross-border patent infringement proceedings such as compensation proceedings and opposition and nullity proceedings. He also provides legal advice on matters concerning employee inventions, licensing agreements and technical property rights. His litigation practice spans a range of technologies and industries, including pharmaceuticals, medical devices, telecommunication, engineering and semi-conductors. Jan is a delegate of the German Group of the International Association for Protection of Intellectual Property Law (AIPPI) and lecturer at the Duale Hochschule Baden-Württemberg in Stuttgart/Germany. Jan Dombrowski studied law at the Johann-Wolfgang-Goethe University in Frankfurt am Main and was awarded a doctorate in 2004. In 2009 and 2010 he also worked in Shanghai Office of CMS Hasche Sigle.

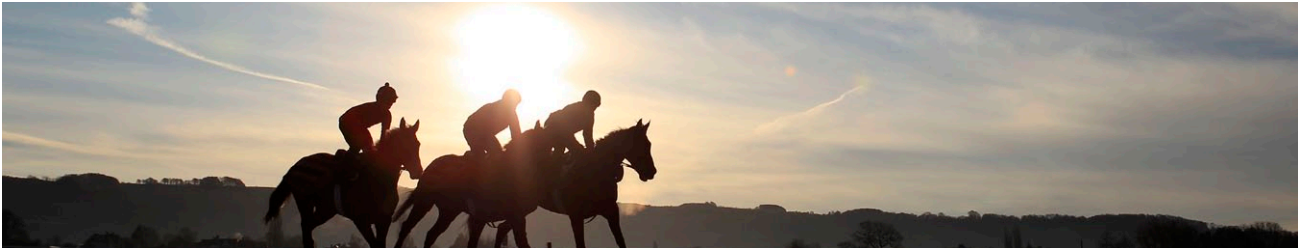
Ms. Xiaoyan Zhang



Ms. Xiaoyan Zhang focuses on cross-border patent and trademark litigation and arbitration in U.S. courts and tribunals involving electronics, pharmaceuticals, and medical devices at the New York office of Hogan Lovells US LLP. She also provides pre-litigation counseling, as well as advising international clients in connection with their overall IP protection and brand-building strategies. She has represented Airbus, Boston Scientific Corporation, GlaxoSmithKline and Victoria's Secret in intellectual property disputes, and provided IP counseling to Baidu.com. She is registered to practice before the United States Patent and Trademark Office. She is also the co-founder and director of a global non-profit organization called Chinese Business Lawyers Association. Prior to attending law school, Ms. Zhang was a computer engineer and chemical engineer in several businesses, including Hong Kong Shanghai Banking Corporation, the New York Stock Exchange, CA Technologies, and Shanghai HeZhong Carrier Air Conditioning Equipment Corporation.

She obtained her J.D. cum laude from Georgetown University Law Center, her M.S. in Computer Science and Environmental Engineering from the University of Tennessee, and her B.E. from East China University of Science and Technology. She is a native Chinese.





Speakers

Mr. Colin Liu

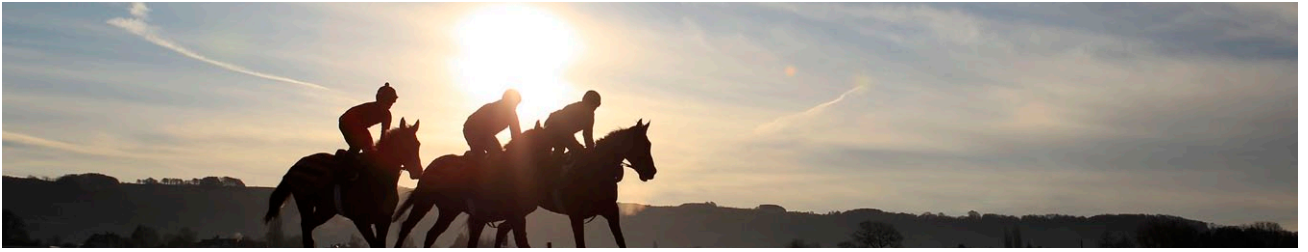


Mr. Colin Liu is a partner at CMS, China, and head of Technology, Media and Telecommunications Sector Group in China. Colin has more than 10 years experience in advising technology and manufacturing clients in patent protection, actions against counterfeited products as well as in commercial intellectual property issues. Colin regularly advises a large number of companies on questions relating to patents, and licensing issues.

He is the author of several articles on IP rights in China, including “The Effort Pays off -How to Protect and Enforce Intellectual Property Rights in China” , Business Forum China 6/2004, “E-Commerce Rules” , Fujian People's Publishing House 2001 (Co-author) and “New Comments on Science and Technology Laws” , Shanghai Jiao Tong University Publishing House 2001 (Co-author). In 2007 Colin was seconded 6 months to work in the CMS Stuttgart Office and, thus, has gained valuable insight in cross-border issues relating to IP.

Colin studied law at Shanghai Jiao Tong University, and acquired an LL.M. from East China University of Politics and Law, Shanghai, People's Republic of China. Further Colin passed the Chinese Bar Exam.





Speakers

Mr. Henry Wheare



Mr. Henry Wheare heads the Asia Intellectual Property practice of Hogan Lovells. His practice covers all areas of intellectual property, including contentious and non-contentious matters relating to trade marks, copyright, patents and designs, confidential information and technology transfer. He also advises on competition law, intellectual property rights management, entertainment and licensing.

He is Past President, Council Member, Treasurer and Hon Secretary of the Hong Kong Group of the Asian Patent Attorneys Association; Council Member of the Hong Kong Institute of Patent Practitioners, Member of the Hong Kong Law Society's committees on intellectual property and competition law and numerous other professional associations such as AIPPI, INTA, Licensing Executive Society International, UK Institute of Trade Mark Attorneys, HK Institute of Trade Mark Practitioners, UK Anti-Counterfeiting Group, Inter-Pacific Bar Association, Pharmaceutical Trade Marks Group and Asian Competition Forum.

Described as "a highly respectable, committed and long-time player" in China by Chambers Asia, Henry is widely recognized as an outstanding practitioner and is named as a leading lawyer in intellectual property in numerous legal directories, including Chambers Asia, Chambers Global, Asia Pacific Legal 500, PLC Which Lawyer?, Asia Law & Practice and International Who's Who of Business Lawyers (Patents and Trademarks).

Mr. Alex Xia



Alex is a U.S. trained intellectual property attorney based in Hogan Lovells' Shanghai office. Prior to joining Hogan Lovells, he was with a major U.S. law firm in Washington, D.C., where he participated in high-profile patent litigations in both U.S. district courts and in the International Trade Commission. His practice also included patent prosecution, freedom-to-operate analysis, opinions, intellectual property transactions and counseling. He represented clients in various industries including the computer hardware and software, electronics, mechanical, medical devices, battery, semi-conductor, and telecommunications industries.

Alex has a M.S. in Computer Science from Stanford University and worked as a software engineer for 5 years, including more than 3 years developing embedded system software for telecommunication equipments. He is admitted as an attorney in the State of Maryland and District of Columbia. He has passed the United States patent bar examination. Alex is fluent in English and Mandarin.

