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## Aaron S. Oakley

Partner

Denver

### Biography

Aaron Oakley is a multileveled lawyer with excellent client services who sees intellectual property (IP) matters from technological, business, and legal points of view.

Aaron began his professional career as an electrical and computer engineer solving technical problems for companies in the medical, energy, and defense industries. Through his years designing software and embedded systems, Aaron perfected his attention-to-detail skills and the drive for the comprehensive understanding that he brings to his legal practice.

With his multidisciplinary mindset and focus, Aaron has deep experience in representing clients in disputes, counseling, transactions, and patent prosecution. He strives to achieve creative solutions with a persistent focus on thoroughness and efficiency. Aaron's technical knowledge allows him to address client concerns while engaging with subject matter experts.

Aaron represents clients before federal district courts, the U.S. International Trade Commission (USITC), and the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO). He has exceptional experience in patents, trademark trade-secret disputes, patent portfolio analyses in several technology spaces, Leahy-Smith America Invents Act (AIA) post-grant proceedings, performing due diligence



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### Practices

Intellectual Property

Patents

Designs

Trademarks and Brands

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### Areas of focus

IP Litigation, Arbitration, and  
Alternative Dispute Resolution

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### Education and admissions

### Education

and license review for technology transactions, providing general IP counseling, and patent prosecution for both hardware and software inventions. Aaron routinely drafts motions, expert reports, patent disclosures and pleadings, has deposed opposing technical witnesses, and argued a motion in federal court.

## Representative experience

Defended major firm client in a patent infringement suit in the Eastern District of Texas as part of an international and cross-firm effort.

Represented major client in two Section 337 ITC investigations involving active noise cancellation technology and a wireless technology standard.

Defended Taiwanese semiconductor design company in a patent infringement suit in the Northern District of California.

Defended health insurance company in a lawsuit by a software vendor alleging trade secret misappropriation and breach of contract.

Represented a Colorado manufacturer of noise cancelling headphones in connection with a technical and design dispute with a much larger competitor.

## Latest thinking and events

- News
  - Welcoming new IPMT partners and counsel in 2020
- Press Releases
  - Hogan Lovells Celebrates the New Year with 29 Promotions to Partner and 56 Promotions to Counsel
- Press Releases
  - Hogan Lovells rings in the New Year with 30 promotions to partner and 47 promotions to

J.D., Washington University in St. Louis School of Law, cum laude, 2010

B.S. Computer Science, Washington University in St. Louis, 2001

B.S. Electrical Engineering, Washington University in St. Louis, 2001

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## Memberships

Member, American Bar Association

Member, Colorado Bar Association

Member, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

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## Bar admissions and qualifications

Colorado

New York

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

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## Court admissions

U.S. District Court, District of Colorado

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Texas

U.S. District Court, Western District of Tennessee

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counsel

- Sponsorships and Speaking Engagements
  - Soft Targets - Cybersecurity Issues Facing Lawyers and Law Firms