

Paul Brown

Partner

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Biography

Paul Brown's primary focus is on patents in the electronics and medical devices sector. His practice is multi-jurisdictional and predominantly litigious, although he also advises clients in relation to licensing and strategic planning. In the electronics sector, Paul advises a variety of clients on both assertion of patents and defence against infringement claims in disputes concerning essential and non-essential technologies, and is dubbed the 'mobile phones expert' by *Legal 500*, 2015.

In conjunction with the Hogan Lovells Competition Law practice, Paul also advises clients on the overlap between competition law and IP, including on issues such as the availability of injunctions on essential patents and other aspects of FRAND obligations. In the medical device sector, Paul has represented clients in cases relating to coronary stents and also septal defect occlusion devices.

Representative experience

Representing Garmin against TomTom in multi-patent litigation relating to user interfaces.

Representing Qualcomm against Nokia in multi-jurisdiction patent and licence dispute and co-ordinating across jurisdictions.



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Industries

Life Sciences and Health Care

Areas of focus

Electronics and Consumer
Appliances

Education and admissions

Representing Medinol against Abbott in English and Irish patent litigation proceedings relating to coronary stents.

Representing Merz Pharma against Synthron in an action about Supplementary Protection Certificates.

Providing an opinion on infringement, and non-infringement arguments, in relation to mechanical products for a major engine producer.

Awards and rankings

- IAM Patent 1000, Patent Practitioners, 2013
- Intellectual Property, *Legal 500*, 2011-2012

Latest thinking and events

- Insights
 - Standard Essential Patent Update – November 2019 (English, 日本語, 한국어)
- Insights
 - Hogan Lovells' Standard Essential Patent Update – August 2019 (English, 日本語, 한국어)
- Hogan Lovells Publications
 - Hogan Lovells standard essential patent update – August 2019 *LimeGreen IP News*
- ■ Sailing the international market and building an innovative ecosystem
- ■ Expanding your business outside of Asia – Get prepared for IP battles
- Insights
 - Hogan Lovells' Standard Essential Patent Update – May 2019

Education

LL.M., University College London, 2000

LL.B., University College London, 1999

Memberships

Member, Chartered Institute of Patent Attorneys

Member, AIPPI

Accolades

'Mobile phones expert'

Legal 500 UK, 2015

'The incredibly pragmatic Paul Brown wows clients by taking the time to understand the business and tailoring a litigation strategy accordingly', IAM Patent 1000
