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Employment:

University of Maine School of Law, Portland and Orono, Maine, July 1, 2005 – Present

Senior Patent Counsel, Maine Patent Program;
October 2001 – June 30, 2005, Director of the Maine Patent Program

Cooley Godward, LLP, Palo Alto, California, February 1993 – February 2001

Partner from February 1993 – March 2000 practicing electronics and software patent prosecution, intellectual property counseling, audits and due diligence, technology litigation support and technology licensing. Head of electronics and software patent group.
Of Counsel from March 2000 – February 2001.

Flehr, Hohbach, Test, Albritton & Herbert, Palo Alto, California, September 1986 – February 1993

Partner practicing intellectual property law and litigation, including patent, trademark, copyright and trade secret law from January 1988 – February 1993
Associate attorney practicing intellectual property law and litigation from September 1986 – December 1987.

Gregg, Caplan & Higgins, Menlo Park, California, October 1978 – September 1986.

Partner practicing intellectual property law and litigation.

Gregg, Hendricson, Caplan & Rosso, San Francisco, California, February 1978 – October 1978

Associate practicing intellectual property law and litigation.

National Semiconductor Corporation, Santa Clara, California, September 1976 – January 1978.

Director of Patents and Trademarks from April 1977 – January 1978. Responsible for all intellectual property matters for corporation. Made strategic and tactical decisions and recommendations to senior management in patent, trademark, copyright and trade secret areas. Negotiated with other corporations in intellectual property matters.
Patent Counsel from September 1976 – April 1977.

Motorola Patent Department, Phoenix, Arizona, April 1975 – August 1976.

Senior patent attorney and patent attorney preparing and prosecuting patent applications on MOS integrated circuits, semiconductor devices and processes, solar energy devices and processes.
Other Duties: negotiations, contract drafting, infringement and validity studies, trademarks.

Sole Practitioner, Bristol, Vermont, June 1973 – April 1974.

Principal areas of practice: Patent, Trademark & Copyright Law, Real Estate Law, General Practice.

International Business Machines Corporation, Essex Junction, Vermont, June 1967 – June 1973

Patent attorney preparing and prosecuting patent applications on MOS integrated circuits, semiconductor processes, memory devices, circuits and systems, mechanical. Other duties: infringement and validity studies.

Dow Chemical Company, Midland, Michigan, June 1965 – June 1967.

Patent attorney preparing and prosecuting patent applications on organic chemicals, functional polymers. Other duties: some licensing.

Education:

University of Chicago Law School, J.D. 1965

University of Pittsburgh, B.S. Chemical Engineering 1962.

Publications:

"The Case for Software Patent Protection," 14 **Hastings Comm/Ent L.J.** 315 (1992).

"Lotus v. Paperback Software: Copyright Protection for User Interface Sequence, Structure and Organization," 15 **New Matter** No. 3, 3 (1990).

"The Federal Circuit and Obviousness," 14 **New Matter** No. 2, 3 (1989).

"Technological Poetry: The Interface Between Copyrights and Patents for Software," 12 **Hastings Comm/Ent L.J.** 67 (1989).

"The Significance of Preambles in Chemical Composition Claims," 49 **Journal of the Patent Office Society** 337 (1967).

Other Achievements:

Speaker on "A Defense of Software Patents," Hastings Communications and Entertainment Law Journal, Fourth Annual Computer Law Symposium, University of California, Hastings College of the Law, February 29, 1992.

Principal Organizer of Conference on "Intellectual Property Tactics and Strategies for Software," presented by Intellectual Property Section, State Bar of California, May 18, 1990.

Member of: American (Chairman, Patent Protection Subcommittee, Software Committee, ABA Patent, Trademark and Copyright Section, 1985-86), Vermont, California (Executive Committee, Intellectual Property Section, 1988-1991), Maine and Michigan Bar Associations; American Intellectual Property Law Association; Peninsula Patent Law Association (President, 1984-85).

Bar Memberships:

States: Michigan (1966), Vermont (1968), California (1978), Maine (2002)

Other: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (1966).