

David S. Safran
McLean, Virginia

PROFESSIONAL / LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Partner – Nixon Peabody LLP	1984-Present
Examiner – U.S. Patent and Trademark Office	1970-1976

Substantial professional experience in civil cases involving individuals, businesses, consumers, corporations, plaintiffs, and defendants with particular emphasis in areas such as: intellectual property law, including all phases of prosecution, licensing, litigation, and validity and infringement counseling for foreign and domestic clients

ARBITRATION / ADR EXPERIENCE

National Arbitration Forum Arbitrator
Certified Arbitrator – Tort Panel of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia
Member – American Intellectual Property Law Association’s Panel of Approved Arbitrators

EDUCATION / PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

University of Baltimore, Juris Doctor, *cum laude*, 1975
Northeastern University, Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering, 1970
Completed required or recommended continuing legal education courses

PROFESSIONAL ADMISSIONS / ASSOCIATIONS / ACHIEVEMENTS

Admitted to Practice in Virginia, 1975 and in District of Columbia, 1979
Admitted to Practice – U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit; U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit; U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Virginia Registered to Practice – U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Member – American Intellectual Property Law Association; International Association for the Protection of Industrial Property; International Trademark Law Association; Intellectual Property Owners Association
Author and co-author – Several articles relating to international aspects of patent and trademark practice
Frequent Speaker – Annual meetings of the Intellectual Property Section of the ABA, of the American Intellectual Property Law Association, Intellectual Property Owners Association and Center for International Studies AV rating from Martindale-Hubbell (highest attorney rating)