



Jonathan Musch

Partner

About

Jon is a litigator whose practice is directed to providing solutions for clients of all sizes, tailoring the approach to an understanding of the client's needs and business goals. Representing clients ranging in size from multi-billion-dollar corporations to individuals, Jon leverages his extensive litigation experience to counsel clients on litigation, dispute resolution, intellectual property, licensing and rights management issues. Jon represents clients from Hilgers' St. Louis Office in matters ranging from contract disputes to complex product liability matters. As an intellectual property litigator for most of his career, he has represented clients in high-risk court proceedings in advertising, patent, trademark, copyright, and trade secret disputes in courts across the country as well as in administrative proceedings, such as the Patent Trial and Appeals Board, the Trademark Trial and Appeals Board, and the International Trade Commission.

Jon graduated from Washington University in St. Louis School of Law, where he was on Washington University Law Review.

Practicing out of St. Louis, Jon lives in Illinois with his wife, Sara, and children (Jackson, Elena, and Charles).

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Education

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

Illinois Wesleyan University, B.A., Chemistry and History

Admissions

- Missouri
- Illinois
- Kansas
- USPTO
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri
- U.S. District Court for the Western District of Missouri
- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois
- U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Illinois
- United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit
- United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit
- United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit

Experience

- Thompson Coburn LLP

Awards

Rising Star, Intellectual Property Litigation by Super Lawyers (2010)

Rising Star, Intellectual Property Litigation by Super Lawyers (2013)

Rising Star, Intellectual Property Litigation by Super Lawyers (2014)

Rising Star, Intellectual Property Litigation by Super Lawyers (2015)

Rising Star, Intellectual Property Litigation by Super Lawyers (2016)

Rising Star, Intellectual Property Litigation by Super Lawyers (2017)

Rising Star, Intellectual Property Litigation by Super Lawyers (2018)

"The Best Lawyers in America" for Advertising, 2023 - 2026

"The Best Lawyers in America" for Intellectual Property Litigation, 2022 - 2026

"The Best Lawyers in America" for Patent Litigation, 2022 - 2026

"The Best Lawyers in America" for Patent, 2024 - 2026

"The Best Lawyers in America" for Trade Secret, 2025 - 2026

"The Best Lawyers in America" for Trademark, 2022 - 2026

Lawdragon IP (2025)

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Related Matters

- Played a key role in a trademark and breach of contract dispute between two competitors in the money-handling product space that resulted in a broad grant of summary judgment in favor of the client.
- Played a key role in patent litigation between consumer electronics competitors that resulted in summary judgment of non-infringement in favor of the client.
- Played a key role in a trademark matter between flooring retailers, including collaborating with experts to develop new product testing protocols, that resulted in a favorable resolution of the claims against the client.
- Developed and implemented a strategy in a trademark dispute between realtor groups to overcome an adverse Temporary Restraining Order and bring the case to a swift and favorable conclusion.