

## Jad Mills

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## FOCUS AREAS

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Intellectual Property  
Life Sciences  
Litigation  
Patent Litigation  
Post-Grant Review  
Supreme Court and  
Appellate

## EXPERIENCE

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Jad A. Mills is a partner in the Seattle office of Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati, where his practice focuses on proceedings before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office under the America Invents Act and related federal court proceedings.

Jad has experience in matters before various federal district courts, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board, the International Trade Commission, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, California Superior Courts, and the California Court of Appeals. He has experience in a wide variety of technology areas, including life sciences, pharmaceuticals, peptide chemistry, gene sequencing, diagnostics, medical devices, and electronic systems.

Jad has provided pro bono legal assistance throughout his career, including successfully representing multiple clients before the Court of Appeals for Veteran's Claims.

## CREDENTIALS

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### Education

- J.D., Harvard Law School  
*Cum Laude*
- B.S., Biochemistry, Brigham Young University  
*University Honors*

### Associations and Memberships

- PTAB Bar Association
  - Board of Directors, 2026-present
  - Vice Chair, Conference Committee, 2024-2026

### Admissions

- State Bar of California
- State Bar of Washington
- U.S. District Court for the Central District of California
- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit
- U.S. Supreme Court
- U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

## MATTERS

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### Select Matters

- *Forte Biosciences Inc.\* v. Univ. of Massachusetts* (AIA Review)
- *Mylan\* v. Bausch Health* (AIA Reviews, CAFC Appeal)
- *Univ. of Washington v. Guardant Health\** (AIA Reviews)
- *Route 92 Medical v. Q'Apel Medical\** (D. Del.)
- *Gene Co.\* v. Trustees of Columbia University* (AIA Reviews)
- *Eyenovia, Inc. v. Sydnexis, Inc.\** (AIA Reviews)
- *Empower Clinic Services L.L.C.\* v. Eli Lilly & Co.* (AIA Review)
- *Azurity Pharmaceuticals, Inc.\* v. Helsinn Healthcare S.A.* (AIA Reviews)
- *Neurocrine Biosciences, Inc. v. Spruce Biosciences, Inc.\** (AIA Review)
- *ModernaTX, Inc. v. Arbutus Biopharma Corp.\** (CAFC Appeals)
- *Kiosoft Techs., LLC. v. PayRange Inc.\** (AIA Reviews)
- *Progenity, Inc.\* v. Natera Inc.* (AIA Reviews)
- *Alphatec Holdings, Inc. v. NuVasive, Inc.\** (AIA Reviews, CAFC Appeals)
- *Mylan\* v. St. Regis Mohawk Tribe* (AIA Reviews, CAFC Appeal)
- *Luitpold v. Apicore\** (AIA Review)
- *NanoCollect Biomedical, Inc.\* v. Cytonome/St, LLC* (AIA Reviews)
- *Mylan\* v. Icos* (AIA Review)
- *NuVasive, Inc.\* v. Acantha* (AIA Review)
- *Mylan\* v. Monosol* (AIA Review)
- *In re Matter of: Certain Footwear Products*, ITC No. 337-TA-936 (Skechers\*)
- *Mylan\* v. Sanofi-Aventis* (AIA Reviews, CAFC Appeals)
- *Apotex Inc\*. v. Novartis AG* (AIA Review)
- *Powertech Tech. Inc. v. Tessera, Inc.\** (N.D. Cal.)
- *Mylan\* v. Sanofi-Aventis* (AIA Reviews, CAFC Appeals)
- *Razer USA LLC\* v. Vizio, Inc.* (C.D. Cal.)

\*Party Represented

## INSIGHTS

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### Insights

- Moderator, "What Is the State of Section 112 Law and Where Is It Headed?" 2023 PTAB Bar Association Annual Conference, Washington, D.C., March 2023
- Co-author, "How 'Rocket Dockets' Are Affecting IPR Discretionary Denials," *Law360*, November 24, 2021
- *Patent Lab 601: PTAB Discretionary Denial*, May 2021 CLE Presentation, Seattle, WA
- *Spring 2020 USPTO Trials Update*, May 2020 CLE Presentation, Seattle, WA
- *Standing to Appeal from the PTAB*, May 2019 CLE Presentation, Seattle, WA
- *Notable Developments in Post-Grant Review*, 2018 CLE Presentation, Pittsburgh, PA
- *Patents, the PTAB, and Constitutional Law*, 2018 Berkeley-Stanford Advanced Patent Law Institute, Palo Alto, CA
- Editor and Contributor, *The PTAB Review*
  - April 2025
  - October 2024
  - August 2024
  - April 2024
  - September 2023
  - May 2023
  - October 2022
  - June 2022
  - March 2022
  - November 2021
  - July 2021
  - April 2021
  - October 2020
  - April 2020
  - October 2019
  - May 2019
  - April 2019
  - September 2018
  - June 2018
  - March 2018
- Editor and Contributor, *PTAB Year in Review*
  - 2024

- 2023
- 2022
- 2021
- 2020
- 2019