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PTAB Bar Association Thought Leadership Summit 2023



Perkins Coie sponsored this year's [PTAB Bar Association Thought Leadership Summit](#) held at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) in Alexandria, Virginia. The summit included panel discussions and roundtable opportunities, along with conversations surrounding post-grant and litigation coordination strategies and pitfalls, motions to amend, ways to handle applicant-admitted prior art, methods surrounding sur-replies and new exhibits, and other timely topics.

Maria Stubbings moderated an interactive table discussion with PTAB judges on topics including Prior Art Stipulations Submitted in Support of IPR/PGR Petitions; Restrictions on Serial/Multiple Petitions; Real Parties-in-Interest, Privity, and Substantial Relationship; Joinder and Its Relationship to Parallel Proceedings and Estoppel; Impact of *Amgen v. Sanofi* on Disclosure and Enablement Determinations; Obviousness and Design Patents; and Section 101 and *Alice* Step 2 analysis.

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