



ADAM ALLGOOD

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Mr. Allgood is Of Counsel in our Washington, D.C. office. He is an experienced trial lawyer with almost two decades of experience in a variety of forums. He has tried patent cases to verdict, cross-examined technical expert witnesses, argued numerous Markman hearings, drafted appellate briefs, and deposed and defended witnesses and experts in Section 337 investigations before the ITC. He has drafted inter partes review petitions and argued final hearings before the Patent Trial and Appeals Board. Mr. Allgood also has significant experience in IP portfolio management, counseling, and licensing.

After law school, Mr. Allgood first served as Assistant Attorney General for the State of Texas. There, he tried numerous Federal Court civil trials to jury verdicts—many as first chair trial counsel—drafted Fifth Circuit and Supreme Court briefs, and argued before the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals.

As a former software engineer, Mr. Allgood is a prolific writer on technical matters and the law. He has published numerous articles, been cited by publications such as Law.com, and is a frequent speaker at conferences regarding such issues as legal ethics, technology use, and international litigation strategies.

PRACTICES:

IP Litigation, Patent Litigation, Copyright Litigation, Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB) Proceedings, Complex Commercial Litigation, Federal Circuit & Other IP Appeals, IP/IT Transactions & Licensing, Intellectual Property, International Trade Commission (ITC) Section 337 Litigation, Class Action Litigation, Trials and Appeals

STATE BAR ADMISSIONS:

Texas
California
District of Columbia
Colorado

COURT ADMISSIONS:

Federal Appellate Courts
Federal Circuit
Fifth Circuit
Federal District Courts
Eastern District of Texas
Western District of Texas
Southern District of Texas
Northern District of Texas
Northern District of California
Central District of California
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Reg. No. 67,306

EDUCATION:

University of Oklahoma Law, J.D.
University of Oklahoma, B.B.A. in M.I.S
Harvard Law School Executive Education,
Certified in Mediating Disputes

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION:

Super Lawyers – Rising Stars 2016, 2017

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

Eastern District of Texas Bar Association
EDTX Bench Bar Planning Committee
EDTX Conference Section Chair (2017, 2018, 2019)
ITC Trial Lawyers Association
D.C. Bar Association
Scriblerus Society, Past President

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS, LECTURES AND WRITINGS



Trial counsel for the plaintiff, a video processing and editing software company, in an international trade secret and copyright case against the world's leading short-form video and social media app in the Western District of Texas and the Northern District of California. After making a claim for more than \$800 million in damages, obtaining partial summary judgment in the client's favor, and defeating defense challenges to the experts, the case settled positively shortly before trial.

Trial counsel for the defendant, a major supplier of network devices, in patent litigations in Texas and California. Successfully argued at multiple final hearings before the PTAB resulting in invalidity of asserted claims. Mandamus petition granted from the Federal Circuit. And successfully had an expert struck from participating in proceedings in both district court and before the PTAB.

Trial counsel for the defendant, one of the world's largest technology companies, in numerous litigations in Texas. Successful results include a complete "take nothing" walkaway from patent plaintiff.

Trial counsel for the plaintiff, one of the world's largest lens manufacturers, in patent litigation with competitor. Achieved a favorable settlement, including a public apology from the Chairman of the competing company.

Trial counsel for the defendant, a large consumer electronics company, in patent litigation jury trial in Texas. Cross-examined technical expert, managed corporate representative, coordinated jury selection and exhibits in case involving operating system security on cell phones.

Trial counsel for the defendant, a leading supplier of personal computing devices, to favorable results in multiple Section 337 investigations before the International Trade Commission. Deposed and defended witnesses and experts. Successfully managed numerous related litigations in district court.

Trial counsel for the plaintiff, a major oil company, in multiple litigations in Texas. Recovered losses for in plaintiff's action from mooring failures of offshore drilling rigs during Hurricane Ike. Additional successful force majeure litigation in plaintiff's actions under the federal drilling moratorium.

Guest Lecturer, *Patent Valuation and Litigation Primer* – Law and Economics, University of Missouri.

Presenter, *Litigation Litigo: Securing a Plaintiff's Saddle to EDTX* – 2022 Eastern District of Texas Bench Bar Conference.

Presenter, *International Issues: Out-Bound Focus. What Should U.S. Parties Expect When Effectuating Service, Obtaining Discovery and Collecting Judgments Off Shore?* – 2019 Eastern District of Texas Bench Bar Conference.

Presenter, *Social Media Mining: Prospecting for Golden Nuggets* – 2015 Eastern District of Texas Bench Bar Conference.

Presenter, *Role of Lawyer as Officer of the Court and Related Ethical Duties Not to Lead Judges Astray, Not to Unduly Delay, Candor and Fair Play* – Presenter, 2014 Eastern District of Texas Bench Bar Conference.

Author, *It's "Statutory Authority," Not "Jurisdiction": Commission Realigns Its Terminology with Section 227 While Confirming Its Investigative and Remedial Authority*, The 337 Reporter; The ITC Trial Lawyers Association; August, 2024.

Author, *Chief ALJ Bullock Excludes Third-Party Licensee Testimony on Domestic Industry for Failure to Comply with Ground Rules*, The 337 Reporter; The ITC Trial Lawyers Association; October, 2021.

Author, *Commission Determines that Infringement Findings on Non-Respondents' Products Only Relevant to "Pattern of Violation" Remedy Analysis*, The 337 Reporter; The ITC Trial Lawyers Association; November, 2020.

Author, *ALJ Cheney Finds LILLEbaby's Patent Unenforceable Due to Inequitable Conduct*, The 337 Reporter; The ITC Trial Lawyers Association; April, 2020.

Quoted, "Going to School on Litigation Funding," Law.com (Aug. 2, 2019)

Author, *Digital Data Wars: ClearCorrect, the Supreme Court, and the Future of the ITC's Jurisdiction Over Electronic Importation*, The 337 Reporter; The ITC Trial Lawyers Association; June 2016.