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In an increasingly fast-paced and ever-changing technological world, licenses represent an important method for protecting intellectual property rights and guarding against possible infringement claims. Although the transfer of technology presents an abundance of opportunities, it also creates the potential for possible legal problems such as infringement. Whether the matter at hand involves copying software or the use of a patented invention, our attorneys possess the knowledge, skill, and experience necessary to ensure that our clients' rights are protected in the best possible fashion.

With extensive licensing experience in both the U.S. and international markets, our firm is well positioned to guide clients in maximizing the value of their intellectual property. From protecting current licensing rights to engaging in the establishment of cross-licensing programs, our attorneys work hard to preserve and promote the intellectual property rights of our clients.

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Chambers USA Ranks Panitch Schwarze Among Top IP Attorneys for 2017 // May 26, 2017

Philadelphia and Wilmington IP lawyers ranked among top intellectual property practitioners in U.S. [Read more](#)

John D. Simmons to Lead Philadelphia IP Law Association // May 18, 2017

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel is proud to announce that partner John D. Simmons has been elected to serve as president of the Philadelphia Intellectual Property Law Association (PIPLA). [Read more](#)

Panitch Schwarze Attorneys Recognized as 'Leaders in their Field' in Chambers USA 2015 // June 16, 2015

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP is pleased to announce that Ronald L. Panitch, William W. Schwarze, Martin G. Belisario, Alan S. Nadel, and Clark A. Jablon have been ranked as "Leaders in their Field" in the 2015 Chambers & Partners USA Directory in the field of Intellectual Property law. [Read more](#)

9 Panitch Schwarze Attorneys Named Pennsylvania 'Super Lawyers' and 'Rising Stars' for 2015 // May 15, 2015

Panitch Schwarze Belisario and Nadel LLP is pleased to announce that Ronald L. Panitch, William W. Schwarze, Martin G. Belisario, and Alan S. Nadel have been named to the Pennsylvania Super Lawyers list as five of the top attorneys in Pennsylvania for 2015. [Read more](#)

31st Annual Joint Patent Practice Seminar // May 12, 2015

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP Partner, Clark A. Jablon, will be speaking at the 31st Annual Joint Patent Practice Seminar in New York City. [Read more](#)

Panitch Schwarze Named a Top IP Law Firm by Forbes // May 4, 2015

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP, an intellectual property law firm, is pleased and honored to announce that Forbes magazine has recognized it as a top IP law firm in the Forbes Legal Black Book created by Forbes Business Division. [Read more](#)

Panitch Schwarze Attorneys Named 2015 'IP Stars' // April 15, 2015

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP, an intellectual property law firm, is pleased to announce that attorneys Ronald L. Panitch, William W. Schwarze, and Alan S. Nadel have been named 2015 IP Stars by Managing Intellectual Property, a leading source of news and analysis on intellectual property issues worldwide. [Read more](#)

PTAB Rules in favor of BBitV against Hawaiian Telcom // April 1, 2015

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP is pleased to announce that today the United States Patent and Trademark Office's Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB) ruled in favor of its client Broadband iTV, Inc. ("BBitV"). [Read more](#)

Panitch Schwarze Welcomes New IP Associate Bridget Labutta // February 20, 2015

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP is pleased to announce the arrival of the firm's newest associate attorney, Bridget H. Labutta. [Read more](#)

Subject Matter Conflicts in IP // October 2, 2014

John Steele, Esq., will give a presentation on Subject Matter Conflicts in IP. CLE will be applied for but is not guaranteed [Read more](#)

Panitch Schwarze Opens New Location in Delaware // September 10, 2014

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP is pleased to announce its expansion of its Intellectual Property practice with the opening of a new Wilmington, Delaware office. [Read more](#)

Panitch Schwarze Announces New Location in Delaware // August 25, 2014

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP is pleased to announce its expansion of its Intellectual Property practice with the opening of a new Wilmington office at the Wells Fargo Tower, 2200 Concord Pike, Suite 201, Wilmington, DE 19803. [Read more](#)

5 Panitch Schwarze Intellectual Property Attorneys Named in 'Best Lawyers in America' 2015 // August 19, 2014

Intellectual Property attorneys from Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP were included in the oldest and most respected peer-review publication in the legal profession. Best Lawyers recognized each of these attorneys for their Intellectual Property practice. [Read more](#)

Panitch Schwarze Welcomes New IP Partner Jeffrey Gluck // July 10, 2014

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP is pleased to announce the arrival of the firm's newest Partner, Dr. Jeffrey W. Gluck. [Read more](#)

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Inequitable Conduct: A Recap of Therasense and Subsequent CAFC Decisions // June 26, 2014

Summer Associate William Kaufmann will give a presentation on Inequitable Conduct. Lunch will be provided. CLE is being applied for but is not guaranteed. [Read more](#)

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Australian and New Zealand Patent Law // May 14, 2014

Matt Adams, Partner with AJ Park in New Zealand, will hold a presentation on various updates in New Zealand and Australian patent law. Lunch will be served. CLE will be applied for but is not guaranteed [Read more](#)

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June 7, 2017

UPC Update: Surprise UK Elections Likely to Delay Start of Unitary Patent System

As we have discussed previously, European Union member countries are completing the final steps to implement an intergovernmental system that will streamline the process for securing and enforcing patent rights across Europe. Having a simpler, centralized system in place will open up a new patent portfolio management strategy for small and medium-sized IP-driven companies. [Read more](#)

July 7, 2016

What Does the Brexit Vote Mean for IP Protection?

By Martin G. Belisario and Bridget H. Labutta As is well known by now, the citizens of Great Britain have chosen to leave the European Union (EU), a move popularly dubbed the “Brexit.” Despite the economic upheaval and media firestorm surrounding the vote, the realm of intellectual property law is unlikely to see any immediate... [Read more](#)

April 26, 2016

Honoring Great American Inventor Lonnie G. Johnson

By Ronald L. Panitch, Esq. From the trademark protecting “Star Wars” merchandise to the patent protecting the repositionable adhesive on the Post-It® note, the legal protection of intellectual property drives innovation and fuels our economy. Today, as we pause to mark World Intellectual Property Day, one man stands as a living example of the creativity... [Read more](#)

January 7, 2016

3 Top IP Moments of 2015

It's that time of year when seemingly every blog and online publication posts year-end “listicles,” and, for better or worse, we are no exception. It's more difficult for us, though, because as engineers and intellectual property attorneys, we prefer objective analysis. “Biggest,” “best,” and other superlatives are invariably laden with subjective judgment. In a year... [Read more](#)

October 22, 2015

When Others Can Use Your Copyrighted Material For Free: Understanding ‘Fair Use’

By Bridget H. Labutta, Esq. Most artists, including photographers, writers, musicians, and more, make a living by selling the artistic works they create. Copyright protection gives these artists the exclusive, legally enforceable right to the use of that material. That control, however, is not absolute, and we receive many questions from artists who are concerned... [Read more](#)