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### Practice Areas

- IP Litigation
- Licensing
- Trade Secrets
- Agreements

### Technologies

- Medical Devices
- Chemistry
- Chemical Engineering
- Medical Imaging
- Biotechnology and Life Sciences
- Telecommunications
- Material Sciences
- Mechanical Engineering
- Optics

### Education

- Brown University, Sc.B. in Organic Chemistry, cum laude
- Yale University, M.S. in Physical Organic Chemistry
- New York University School of Law, J.D., magna cum laude, First in class

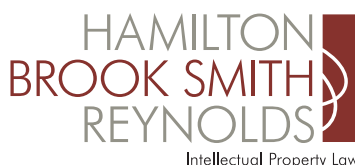
David's practice focuses on complex business disputes and IP litigation in trial and appellate courts across the country. In addition to patent infringement litigation, David's practice includes disputes involving trade secret misappropriation, nondisclosure agreements, invention assignment and license agreements, trademark infringement, and unfair competition and other intellectual property disputes. He also has extensive experience in licensing and other IP transfer transactions.

David works with clients ranging from large multi-national corporations and major academic institutions to start-ups and individuals. His clients have been in a wide range of industries, including medical technology, organic chemistry, oil refinery waste remediation, chemical engineering, CT imaging, acoustics, genetic diagnostic testing, telecommunications, plastic chambers for underground conduits, video signal processing, and medical apparatus.

David holds a chemistry degree from Brown University, a physical organic chemistry master's degree from Yale University and a law degree from New York University. For 12 years, he has been named to Super Lawyers, which is a rating of outstanding lawyers who have attained a high-degree of peer recognition and professional achievement.

David has been appointed by Brandeis University as a Visiting Research Scholar in the Schuster Institute of Investigative Journalism. He will be involved in identifying and supervising the investigation of cases of potential wrongful convictions.

Before joining Hamilton Brook Smith Reynolds, David was with Widett, Slater & Goldman, P.C. and Foley Hoag, both in Boston, and Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison in New York.



## Professional Associations

- American Bar Association, IP Litigation Section
- Boston Bar Association
- Boston Patent Law Association, Litigation Section
- Order of the Coif
- Honorary Society

## Admissions

- Massachusetts
- U.S. District Court for District of Massachusetts
- U.S. Court of Appeals for Federal Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals for First Circuit
- Various federal trial and appellate courts around the country

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### Articles

- What Did I Do Wrong To Harm the Value of My Patents: Consequences of Inattention in License Negotiations and in Corporate Acquisitions and Reorganizations, *Hamilton Brook Smith Reynolds*, June 2011
- “Employee Invention Assignment Agreements: Issues in Getting Them Right,” *Hamilton Brook Smith Reynolds*, June 2011
- “Employee Invention Assignment Agreements: Issues in Getting Them Right,” Association of Corporate Counsel Lexology, 2011
- “Who Really Owns Those Patents that I Thought I Own, or Why I Am Stuck With Just a Royalty on the Sales that My Infringing Competitor Stole from Me,” Boston Business Journal website, 2011
- “Employee invention assignments given an about face,” *New England In-house*, April 2008

### IP News Alerts

- Good Intentions are Not Enough to Avoid Sanctions for Inadequate Preservation of Electronic Files in Litigation, *Hamilton Brook Smith Reynolds Alert*, March 2010
- You May Have Won the Case, But Those Lost Profits May Not Be Your Own, *Hamilton Brook Smith Reynolds Alert*, November 2008
- E-Discovery: The Rules Catch Up to Reality, *Hamilton Brook Smith Reynolds Alert*, December 2006

### Speaking Engagements

- “Litigation Issues Under the America Invents Act (AIA),” Suffolk University Law School – Conference Panelist, Boston, MA, 2012
- “Employee Invention Assignment Agreements,” Suffolk University Law School Lecture, Boston, MA, 2012
- “Owning What You Think You Own: Avoiding Pitfalls in IP Rights and Assignments,” ALM Media CLE Seminar, Stamford, CT, 2011

