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Experience

Timothy Sinnott is a partner with Bereskin & Parr LLP, and Head of the Waterloo Region office.

Tim provides strategic intellectual property advice to a wide variety of clients. His practice focuses on preparing and prosecuting patent, trademark, copyright and industrial design applications, and litigating and licensing intellectual property rights. He has a special focus on securing patent protection for mechanical and software inventions, and conducting patent validity and infringement studies.

Tim also has expertise in providing trademark registrability and infringement opinions, representing parties in trademark opposition and summary expungement proceedings, and protecting and enforcing official marks for public authorities.

Tim is a certified specialist in intellectual property law (in all three categories of patents, trademarks and copyright) with the Law Society of Ontario (LSO).

Accolades

- 23 Bereskin & Parr Professionals Listed in 2020 Best Lawyers in Canada
- 22 Bereskin & Parr Professionals Listed in the Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory 2019
- 18 Bereskin & Parr Professionals Listed in 2019 Best Lawyers in Canada
- Bereskin & Parr professionals achieve outstanding ranking results in the 2018 Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory
- Best Lawyers in Canada 2018

Practice Groups

Automotive
Copyright & Digital Media
Electrical & Computer Technology
Industrial Designs
Licensing & Transactions
Mechanical & Industrial Processes
Patents
Trademarks

Education

LL.B., University of British Columbia, 1980
M.Sc. (Physics), University of British Columbia, 1977

B.S. (Physics), University of Texas, 1975

Qualifications

Registered United States Patent Agent, 1983
Registered Canadian Trademark Agent, 1982
Admitted to the Ontario Bar, 1982
Registered Canadian Patent Agent, 1982

Professional Memberships

American Intellectual Property Law Association (AIPLA)
Canadian Bar Association (CBA)
Canadian IT Law Association (IT.CAN)
Christian Legal Fellowship (CLF)
Intellectual Property Institute of Canada (IPIC), Fellow
International Trademark Association (INTA)
Kitchener Waterloo Chamber of Commerce
Law Society of Ontario (LSO)
Waterloo Law Association