

**PTAB BOARDSIDE CHAT: DISCOVERY IN AIA TRIALS
JULY 14, 2015**

SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

Judge Justin Arbes

Judge Arbes is a graduate of the University of Illinois College of Law, and holds a Bachelor of Science degree with high honors in Computer Science from Michigan State University. Judge Arbes began his career developing software applications for Lycos, Inc., the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and IC Tech, Inc. Following law school, he served as a judicial clerk for the Honorable Avern Cohn of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan. Judge Arbes subsequently practiced law as an Associate at Arnold & Porter LLP in the firm's litigation practice group before joining Hunton & Williams LLP in its intellectual property practice group.

Lead Judge Grace Obermann

Lead Administrative Patent Judge Grace Karaffa Obermann is a graduate, with honors, of the George Washington University School of Law, and holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Chemistry from Rutgers University. Judge Obermann began her career as a bench chemist for FMC Corporation, designing and executing the organic synthesis of insecticidal compounds. After law school, she practiced as an associate at the law firm of Fish & Neave. She subsequently served as a Judicial Law Clerk to the Honorable Raymond C. Clevenger, III, at the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Judge Obermann is a former Assistant Director of the United States Department of Justice, where she served as lead counsel for the United States in a diverse array of high-value IP infringement suits involving, for example, bombs, satellites, synthetic fuel, priority mail services, insurance products, and postage stamp art. Most recently, she was engaged in the private practice of law with the firm of Davidson, Berquist, Jackson & Gowdey, LLP.

Joshua Goldberg, Finnegan Henderson

Joshua Goldberg is an attorney at Finnegan Henderson, where he focuses on patent office proceedings, client counseling, and district court litigation. A coauthor of *The Practitioner's Guide to Trials Before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board*, American Bar Association, Section of Intellectual Property Law, 2014, Mr. Goldberg represents petitioners and patent owners in dozens of inter partes review (IPR) and covered business method (CBM) post-grant review (PGR) proceedings. While Mr. Goldberg devotes the majority of his time to arguing before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board, both orally and in writing, and taking and defending technical

expert depositions, he also develops and manages clients' global patent portfolios, and provides opinions on patent infringement, patent validity, and other intellectual property issues.

Mr. Goldberg concentrates his practices on mechanical and electrical technologies, particularly vehicular, industrial manufacturing, mining, computer, Internet, semiconductor, network security, network topology, communications, display, imaging, consumer electronics, and robotics technologies. He has written both application and operating system software, and is familiar with several programming languages, including C, C++, FORTRAN, Intel Assembly, Java, Perl, SQL, and VBA.

For more information about Mr. Goldberg, please visit:

<http://www.finnegan.com/joshuagoldberg/>.

Scott McKeown, Oblon

Scott A. McKeown is a partner at Oblon and a member of the firm's Management Committee. He co-chairs the Post-Grant Patent practice group focusing on post-grant counseling, litigation and related prosecution issues. He leads the Post-Grant Patent team responsible for electronics, wireless communications, software and computer-related inventions and business methods.

Mr. McKeown handles all aspects of post-issuance patent proceedings at the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO). He specializes in administrative trials before the Patent Trial & Appeal Board (PTAB) as well as appeals to the Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit (CAFC). Having successfully navigated USPTO post-grant patent proceedings in which more than half a billion dollars was at stake, he is lead post-grant counsel to some of the world's most well-known innovators. He provides his clients comprehensive post-grant patent counseling including advice on USPTO post-grant proceedings concurrent with complex International Trade Commission (ITC) and district court litigations.

The National Law Journal has identified Mr. McKeown as one of their 50 "Trailblazers & Pioneers" in the area of intellectual property law. *Intellectual Asset Management* has identified him as a "thought leader" and one of the world's leading patent practitioners for adversarial post-grant USPTO patent proceedings. *Managing Intellectual Property Magazine* has named Mr. McKeown their 2015 "PTAB Litigator of the Year." Mr. McKeown has been named one of the Best Lawyers in America, and the *Legal 500* has honored him as a recommended patent attorney.

Mr. McKeown is a Professorial Lecturer in Law at the George Washington University Law School. He also is the editor of the well-known legal blog PatentsPostGrant.com. He lectures and writes extensively on post-grant patent proceedings at the USPTO and is also a member of the teaching faculty of the Practising Law Institute (PLI). Mr. McKeown is the past Chair of the American Bar Association (ABA), Intellectual Property Law Section Committee 104 (Post Grant USPTO Proceedings).

A former electrical engineer, he has worked with a wide range of technologies, including computer software, wireless telecommunication protocols and network architectures, e-commerce applications, analog and digital signal processing, and consumer electronics. In the telecommunication arts, Mr. McKeown has worked extensively with IP routing and signaling protocols, ATM and wireless communication protocols. He also has a broad breadth of experience with OFDM systems, CDMA, TDMA, FSK, QAM and the 802.11 family of protocols.

In the consumer electronic arts, Mr. McKeown's practice has a strong focus in audio and video processing and display technologies, discs, signal compression and encoding schemes, recording medium formatting and construction, and many other related technologies.

For more information about Mr. McKeown, please visit:

<http://www.oblon.com/professional/scott-mckeown>