

# PATENTS AND THEIR ENFORCEMENT:

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### Description:

Dr. Molenda will provide an overview of the U.S. patent system, including what a patent is, how patents are procured, and how patents are enforced. With respect to enforcement in particular, he will discuss the fundamentals of U.S. patent litigation and how various strategic considerations may impact a patent litigation. While general in nature, the talk will employ a number of examples taken from the pharma/biotech field. Dr. Molenda's comments are for background purposes only and do not constitute investment or legal advice, and should not be interpreted as predictive of the outcome of any case.

### Biography:

John J. Molenda is Special Counsel in Jenner & Block's New York office and is a member of the Firm's Litigation Department. He is a member of the Firm's Intellectual Property, Appellate and Supreme Court, and Pharmaceutical, Biotech and Medical Devices Practices.

Dr. Molenda's practice concentrates in intellectual property litigation at both the district court and appellate levels. In view of his background in pharmaceutical and biotech research, Dr. Molenda has acquired extensive experience in litigating patent cases in both of those fields. With respect to pharmaceuticals, he has litigated numerous Hatch-Waxman and non-Hatch-Waxman cases on behalf of both brand and generic companies. With respect to biotechnology, he has represented clients litigating patents involving genetic engineering, molecular biology, and cell biology-related inventions. Representative companies include Merck (antibiotics), McNeil-PPC (famotidine/antacid formulation), Shire (ADHD formulations), Aventis (cell-based assays), AstraZeneca (cell-based assays), Dey (respiratory products), Alpharma (neuropathy compositions), Applera (PCR), and Dow (transgenic plants).

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