



Wei DENG Partner

Practice Areas: Intellectual Property,
Dispute Resolution

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Professional Experience

Aircraft Manufacturing Company	Engineer	3 Years
Patent Office	Examiner	4 Years
Patent Reexamination and Invalidation Department	Re-examiner	7 Years
Fangda Partners	Associate	5 Years
Merits & Tree Law Offices	Partner	6 Years

Benefitting from various experiences as an engineering technician, patent examiner, patent re-examiner, associate, and patent attorney, Mr. Deng could provide professional legal and consultancy services to clients from multiple perspectives. Mr. Deng has been deeply involved in the area of intellectual property for almost 20 years, especially in IP invalidation, IP infringement litigation, unfair competition litigation and enterprise IP construction.

In 2018, Mr. Deng joined Merits & Tree Law Offices as one of the founding partners of the IP Department.

Honor & Awards

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Education

M.Sc. in Electromechanical Engineering, North China Electric Power University

Qualifications

Admitted to practice in the PRC

Admitted to practice before the CNIPA

Working language

Chinese and English

Representative Cases

- Represented a world renowned mobile terminal company in numerous complex patent litigations relating to standard essential patent (SEP) and non-standard essential patent (non-SEP) issues.
- Represented a leading telecommunications standards-setting company in a number of patent invalidation proceedings before the Patent Reexamination Board, Beijing IP Court, Beijing High Court and the Supreme Court.
- Represented a world-leading chemical company against a large Chinese petrochemical company for trade secret misappropriation and patent ownership disputes.
- Represented another world-leading chemical company against a Chinese petrochemical company for a trade secret misappropriation dispute, and won the lawsuit.
- Represented a Chinese leading audio processing company in a number of complex patent disputes.
- Representing Cummins Inc., the world-leading engine company, in handling patent litigation, non-litigation and other intellectual property matters in China.
- Represented Autoliv, the world-leading automotive safety company, over a series of patent infringement cases and patent invalidation cases, and won all cases.
- Representing Fleetguard, a world-leading auto-parts company, over a series of patent infringement, patent invalidation cases, as well as trademark, unfair competition and other intellectual property cases.
- Represented Gree Inc. in patent infringement and invalidation cases against AUX, successfully changed the original judgment in the patent administrative case and obtained infringement compensation of more than RMB 8 million.
- Represented Chongqing Huapont Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. (重庆华邦制药有限公司) against AstraZeneca, a world-leading pharmaceutical company, in patent infringement and patent invalid cases, successfully invalidated AstraZeneca's patent, and AstraZeneca withdrew the infringement case.
- Represented Skyworth, a Chinese leading home appliance company, in handling standard essential patent (SEP) licensing matters.
- Represented a Chinese leading pharmaceutical company in filing a well-known trademark infringement and unfair competition lawsuit, and won the lawsuit in the first instance.