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Overview

Christopher "Chris" Head advises clients on a broad range of intellectual property matters, with a focus on patent prosecution and counseling in the biotechnology, pharmaceutical, medical device, alternative fuel, mechanical, electrical, automotive, and chemical sectors. His practice includes preparing and prosecuting U.S. and international patent applications, conducting freedom-to-operate and patentability analyses, and supporting clients in strategic IP planning and portfolio management. Chris works with a diverse client base, including corporations, academic institutions, and research organizations, to help protect and advance innovation.

Before joining Day Pitney, Chris was an associate at an Am Law 200 law firm, where he counseled clients in the life sciences and chemical industries on IP matters. He also gained experience at an Am Law 100 firm as a law clerk in the patent prosecution group, supporting sophisticated patent strategies for cutting-edge technologies.

Chris is currently a candidate for a Master of Science in Biotechnology with a concentration in Molecular Targets and Drug Discovery at The Johns Hopkins University, which he is expected to complete in May 2027.

Practices & Industries

Intellectual Property & Technology

Intellectual Property Litigation

Patent Litigation

Patent Prosecution & Counseling

Education and Credentials

Education

The University of New Hampshire Franklin Pierce School of Law, J.D., LL.M. in Intellectual Property, 2022

Baldwin Wallace University, B.S., 2019, Biology and Chemistry

Admissions

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

Recognition and Community

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Recognitions

Selected to *The Best Lawyers in America* list of Ones to Watch (Woodward/White, Inc.) for Intellectual Property Law, 2026-2027

Community Involvement

Youth through High School Wrestling, Volunteer Coach, 2009 – Present

Insights

Patently Enabled September 2025 – Avoiding Disclosure Pitfalls of Provisional Applications
Day Pitney Patently Enabled Newsletter, September 5, 2025

In The Media

Outsourcing Strategies for Maximizing Drug Exclusivity
Outsourced Pharma, December 19, 2022