

# Fisher Broyles

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**Practice Areas:** Intellectual Property; Patent Prosecution; Patent Trial & Appeal Board; Technology

**Bar Admissions:** Utah; U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

**Education:** Brigham Young University, J. Reuben Clark School of Law, J.D., 2002; Brigham Young University, B.S. Chemical Engineering, 1999

**Experience:** Foley & Lardner; Holland & Hart

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Scott has over 20 years of experience developing and executing global patent protection strategies as well as identifying and overcoming patent infringement risks. He has extensive experience prosecuting U.S. and foreign patent applications to create business value for clients.

One area of focus in Scott's practice is analyzing and providing patent opinions such as product clearance opinions, non-infringement/invalidity opinions, litigation pre-filing assessments, patent related merger and acquisition due diligence, and patentability opinions.

Another area of focus is handling appeals to the Patent Trial and Appeal Board. Scott aggressively appeals baseless rejections to speed prosecution and avoid filing multiple requests for continued examination, which often incentivize the examiner to prolong the prosecution process.

Scott's background in chemical engineering, experience with a variety of technologies, and wide-ranging personal interests, give him a depth of understanding in many technical subjects. He has experience in the following areas:

- Nuclear waste processing
  - Oil, gas, and mining including hydraulic fracturing tools and methods
  - Coatings for corrosion protection and wear and abrasion resistance
  - Metallurgy and engineered materials
  - Aerospace, autonomous vehicles, missile defense, exoatmospheric kill vehicles, satellites, launch vehicles, and space habitats
  - Heat engines and internal combustion engines
  - Life sciences
  - Diagnostic assays and analytics
  - Prosthetic and orthotic devices
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- Glass manufacturing and processing
- Optics
- Water and sewage treatment
- Food, agriculture, growing mediums
- Outdoors and firearms
- Transportation technologies
- Recreational vehicle components
- Consumer products
- HVAC systems
- Medical devices including vascular closure systems, stents, and pacemakers
- Software
- Wager gaming processes and devices
- Financial products and systems
- Computer networking equipment

Scott was also a judicial intern for the Hon. Judge Randall R. Rader, Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

Scott enjoys doing home improvement projects, running, and all things related to home networking