





## **WHO ARE WE?**

Specialized in intellectual property, we offer comprehensive assistance in obtaining intellectual property rights and defining strategies. Our areas of expertise include trademarks, patents, designs, domain names, copyrights and digital creations.

We also offer our expertise in various other aspects of intellectual property law and related fields.

#### **PROXIMITY**

We are committed to being with you every step of the way, both in terms of geography and by attentively addressing your needs.

#### MULTICULTURALISM

Beyond people, we bring cultures together and build strong connections between our clients and their global challenges.

#### **EXPERTISE**

From patents to copyrights and trademarks, from chemistry to physics and software, and from contracts to litigation and mediation, we are passionate experts in intellectual property.



## KEY MILESTONES IN OUR HISTORY

2025

**Opening of our Luxembourg office** 

LLR sets up in the heart of multilingual Europe

2023

**Europe-China and China-Europe offers** 

We opened the first representative office of a foreign **IP firm in Beijing**, and signed a cooperation agreement with Chinese law firm Easytimes IP.

2022

**Creation of LLR Legal SPE** 

We partnered with Laurence Lebrun, a member of the Paris Bar, to set up a multiprofessional structure of lawyers and patent attorneys.

2020

**INNOVINCIA** joins LLR

The integration of this dynamic team based in Haute-Savoie has broadened our patent capabilities and strengthened our skills in the high-tech field.

2018

**Swiss office opened** 

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**Acquisition of Lyon-based** Jeannet & Associés

2016

Opening of Brussels, Lyon, Bordeaux, Rennes, and Montpellier offices

2015

Creation of the ChinePl.com blog

2008

Opening of our first Beijing office

2005

**Creation of CleverIP** 

As pioneers in digitalization, we were the first users of CleverIP, integrated software for managing intellectual property titles.

LLR founded in Paris

## **OUR OFFICES**

We are qualified to represent you before the French (INPI), European (EPO and EUIPO), Belgian (OPRI), Luxembourg (IPIL), Swiss (IPI) and Chinese (CNIPA) patent offices, as well as before the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and the Unified Patent Jurisdiction (JUB).



#### **EUROPE**

Bordeaux

Lyon

Paris

Montpellier

Rennes

Thonon-les-Bains

### **ASIA**

Hong Kong Beijing Shanghai



## **OUR SERVICES**

We support you in developing a strategy to grow your rights portfolio and maximize the value of your intangible assets. We ensure that the legal protection of your titles is consistent with their commercial exploitation, safeguarding their integrity and value.





#### **Patents**

- Patentability study
- Grant
- Validity study
- Freedom to operate
- Opposition / cancellation / reexamination



#### **Trademarks**

- Registration
- Prior rights search
- Validity study
- Monitoring
- Opposition / Cancellation / Lapse
- Domain names



## Designs / Copyright

- Creation analysis
- Registration
- Infringement action



#### Software

- Patentability study
- Constitution of evidence for copyright purposes



#### Counterfeiting

- Formal notice
- Litigation
- Investigation
- Evidence gathering
- Seizure
- Anti-counterfeiting



#### **IP strategy**

- Optimization
- Business intelligence
- Due diligence
- Audit
- Valuation
- Planning and budgeting
- Training



#### Contracts

- Strategy and drafting
- Negotiation
- Mediation and arbitration

## **PATENTS**

## **TRADEMARKS**

We identify your patentable inventions and establish a protection strategy in line with your company's strategy and budget.



Once you've made your decision:

- we draft the description of your invention and the claims defining the technical scope;
- we file your patent application with the French, Belgian, Swiss, European, Chinese or any other office;
- we follow the examination procedure for your application, prepare the necessary responses for the examiners, organize the issue and pay the annuities;
- we can request the unitary effect of your granted patent;
- we represent you in any opposition in which you are involved;
- we represent you or handle the technical side of your disputes.

We analyze your sign
(name, slogan, logo, numbers, etc.) to verify its
enforceability. If necessary, we study the existing

**trademark** portfolio to propose a protection strategy.

We carry out an identical or similarity search to detect any prior rights that could hinder the progress of your project.

We **file your trademark** with the French, European, Swiss, Chinese, International or foreign offices, **monitor the registration procedure** and prepare the necessary responses to the relevant offices.

In the event of legal action for infringement or opposition, we draw up both offensive and defensive strategies.

## INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ASSET VALUATION



Our firm has developed a particular expertise in the valuation of intellectual property (IP) assets, including **patents, trademarks, designs & models, software**, and more. We assess them using evaluation methods that allow us to accurately gauge the value of an IP portfolio.

For **patents**, we consider factors such as expenditures, the commercial value of the portfolio, the type of market, the scope of protection, the existence of associated know-how,

and technical-legal valuation elements.

For **trademarks**, we take into account the scope of protection, brand recognition, the significance of commercial use, any ongoing disputes, and the relevant market.

Our studies on the capital value of an IP portfolio can subsequently be used by a contribution auditor. With proven expertise and experience in this field, our IP Asset Valuation team is at your disposal to support you with these services.

## **OUR PRESENCE IN FRANCE**





**Maître Laurence LEBRUN**Présidente de LLR LegaL SPE
Avocate au Barreau de Paris

In addition to our firm of Intellectual Property Attorneys, our group also offers legal expertise through its law practice.

LLR benefits from a multidisciplinary structure via LLR Legal SPE, which strengthens our expertise in contractual matters and reflects our commitment to offering clients a broader range of services.

The firm is headed by Maître Laurence LEBRUN, a lawyer at the Paris Bar, who joined LLR in 2017 after working as an in-house counsel specialising in contracts and intellectual property within international groups in the telecoms, IT and industrial sectors.

LLR Legal SPE mainly provides advisory services in intellectual property, new technologies and business law, particularly in contract structuring and the negotiation and management of contracts, including:

- non-disclosure agreements,
- R&D contracts,
- technology transfers,
- co-ownership agreements for patents, licenses for trademarks or patents,
- development contracts,
- maintenance, IT services,
- SaaS and software licensing,
- etc.



## **OUR AREAS OF EXPERTISE**



## **OUR PRESENCE IN ASIA**

#### Our representative office in Beijing

After an initial set-up in 2008, we opened the **first representative office** of a foreign industrial property firm in Beijing in 2023, with **the aim of facilitating access for**Chinese companies to LLR's patent and

design services in Europe, offering consulting and advisory services, particularly on investment projects, and collaboration with Chinese firms for patent management.

#### **LLR China Trademark**

LLR China Trademark is a firm of trademark attorneys based in China since 2008, specializing in the management of trademark proceedings and litigation. Authorized to represent its clients before the Chinese trademark office, the firm offers **a full range of services**, from prior art searches to representation before trademark offices.

#### **Easytimes IP**



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In 2023, we signed a cooperation agreement with the Beijing-based **law firm Easytimes IP**, which **specializes in indus- trial property in China**. With over 20 years' experience in IP litigation, the firm has achieved **remarkable results** in litigation, particularly in the field of patents. Several of its cases were influential enough to be held up as typical cases by China's Supreme Court.

## **DISTINCTIONS**

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### What our customers say

C Professionalism and expertise in our fields of activity. Warm, human contact. Good adaptation of messages according to the interlocutors and their level of knowledge of IP.

Patent engineer in the food industry

All the LLR members we've had the opportunity to work with are great experts in their respective fields, and are responsive, available, and educational. What's more, they are friendly professionals who are easy and pleasant to work with.

Partner in a major law firm

Reactivity, regular and useful reminders, speed of execution, relevant advice, decision aids.

Trademark manager in the energy

## **Our ranking**

Décideurs magazine ranked us:

#### **«EXCELLENT»**

in the following areas:

- Patents (general)
- Patents for electronics, telecoms & new technologies
- Physical, mechanical, and construction patents
   Chemical, biotech & life science patents
- Trademarks, designs & models.

We are also listed for our expertise in the Financial Times ranking of European law firms and in the IP Stars ranking of the American website Managing IP.



## **AN ENGAGED GROUP**

#### ... to our customers



**Transparent** advice and billing



**Compliance with strict ethical rules** regulated by
the **CNCPI** Company





Quality approach through membership of the IP Excellence Charter



# ... with our teams

- Work-life balance for employees
- Organizing teleworking and team life
- A setting conducive to well-being
- Proactive listening and communication

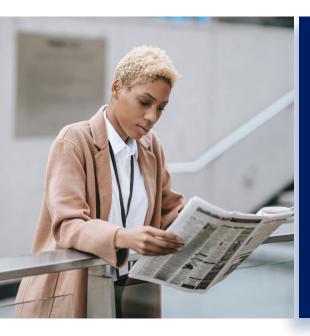
# ... for the environment and society

- In-depth monitoring and annual evaluations of our CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility) practices, recognized with an EcoVadis Bronze Medal in 2025.
- Since 2024, LLR has been a member of the United Nations Global Compact, committed to sustainability.





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