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Practices

FOCUS: Intellectual Property
Intellectual Property Litigation
Patent Litigation and Patents
Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences Litigation

Industries

Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences

Education

JD, Northwestern University
BS, Michigan State University

Bar Admissions

Illinois
Kansas

Jillian Schurr concentrates her practice on patent issues within the pharmaceutical industry. She represents a range of pharmaceutical companies in both *inter partes* review and complex patent litigation under the Hatch-Waxman Act.

Well-rounded experience leads to a broad knowledge base

In addition, Jillian maintains an active and dedicated pro bono practice. She regularly counsels clients at the Katten De Diego Legal Clinic and has assisted on many pro bono matters including Asylum and Civil Rights. Jillian was also a Board Member and co-founder of The Endometriosis Coalition, Inc. (The Endo Co) and assisted the organization with obtaining its 501(c)(3) federal tax-exempt status.

Prior to joining Katten, Jillian worked as a disease intervention specialist at both the state and local levels where she controlled disease outbreaks through investigation and interviewing techniques. Additionally, she worked as a clinical research assistant recruiting human subjects for clinical trials. Jillian uses her experience and background in the health care industry to advise clients in the pharmaceutical industry.

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Recognitions

Recognized or listed in the following:

- *ANDA Litigation Intelligence Report*
 - Best Performing ANDA Attorneys Representing Defendants, 2021–2023
 - Top 100 Most Active ANDA Attorneys Overall (Representing Plaintiffs and Defendants), 2023
 - Top 100 Most Active ANDA Attorneys Representing Defendants, 2021–2023

News

- Another Precedent-Setting Remand from the Federal Circuit Garners Media Attention (April 2, 2024)
- Katten's IP Litigation Team Prevails at Trial, Securing Patent Win for Mylan Pharmaceuticals (March 15, 2024)
- Precedent-Setting Patent Win in Federal Circuit Creates Media Buzz From *Bloomberg Law*, *Reuters*, and More (November 7, 2023)
- Katten Ranked Top Three Firm in Hatch-Waxman Litigation (September 5, 2023)
- Katten Ranks Among Top Three Most Active Law Firms in ANDA Litigation (August 22, 2022)
- Report: The Best Hatch-Waxman Law Firms of 2021 | *IP Watchdog* (October 18, 2021)
- Katten Ranked in Top Five Most Active Law Firms for ANDA Litigation (August 23, 2021)

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- Katten Assists in Farasis Energy's Restructuring, Listing on SSE STAR Market and Its Strategic Cooperation With Daimler (July 20, 2020)

Publications

- *The Katten Kattwalk* (Triannual) | *Contributor*
- New York Passes Revised Automatic Renewal Law (December 4, 2020)
- Don't Fear IP-Antitrust 'Turducken' in Reverse-Payment Cases (November 24, 2020)
- The Balance Between Obviousness and Written Description — Lessons Learned from Recent Decisions (August 5, 2020)
- California Enacts "Reverse-Payment" Law Aimed at Patent Settlements — An Initial Look ... Assuming It Is Upheld (May 19, 2020)