

KEVIN HARDY, PARTNER

Kevin Hardy handles a wide variety of litigation matters, with a particular emphasis on intellectual property, antitrust, and media-related litigation. In recent years, a substantial portion of Mr. Hardy's practice has involved representing both patentees and alleged infringers in the pharmaceutical, medical device, and computer industries in high stakes patent litigation. Mr. Hardy also has represented clients in a variety of civil and criminal antitrust matters, and has represented newspapers, magazines, and television networks in a wide range of media and First Amendment matters, ranging from libel cases to responding to subpoenas served on journalists.

Prior to joining Williams & Connolly LLP, Mr. Hardy served as a law clerk to the Honorable Walter K. Stapleton, United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit.

GOVERNMENT SERVICE

- Law Clerk, Judge Walter K. Stapleton, United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit, 1999-2000

PUBLICATIONS

- Co-author, District of Columbia libel law chapter, *MLRC 50-State Survey: Employment Libel and Privacy Law*, 2004 to present
- Co-author, *Invasion of the Privacy Act: How Recent Interpretations Threaten Confidential Sources* (MLRC New Developments Bulletin 2007:4)



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PRACTICE AREAS

- Antitrust
- First Amendment and Media
- Intellectual Property
- Patent Litigation

EDUCATION AND HONORS

- Columbia Law School, J.D., 1999; Special Issue Chair and Senior Editor, *Columbia Law Review*; Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar, 1996-99; James A. Elkins Prize
- Cornell University, B.A., with distinction in all subjects, 1996

BAR AND COURT**ADMISSIONS**

- District of Columbia and Maryland
- United States Courts of Appeals for the District of Columbia, Fourth, and Federal Circuits
- United States District Courts for the District of Columbia and District of Maryland