

BRUCE R. GENDERSON, PARTNER

Bruce Genderson has been a trial attorney at Williams & Connolly since 1978. During that time, he has litigated civil and criminal matters of all types, ranging from intellectual property disputes to complex corporate and commercial cases to defending against criminal charges as diverse as tax fraud and capital murder. Over the course of his career, Mr. Genderson has represented some of the world's largest corporations in the pharmaceutical, medical device, electronics, and computer industries, as well as a great number of emerging companies spanning a wide variety of industries. He has also represented numerous individuals in both complex civil and criminal litigation.

Mr. Genderson spearheads the firm's intellectual property litigation practice and is nationally-known for his work representing major corporations in patent disputes. Mr. Genderson has represented clients in patent infringement suits relating to, among other things, billion-dollar-a-year pharmaceutical products, complex biotechnology inventions, computers and electronics, and medical devices.

Outside of the intellectual property litigation arena, Mr. Genderson has extensive experience representing major corporations in complex corporate and commercial lawsuits and has defended major law firms in legal malpractice actions.

Mr. Genderson is listed in the 2010 Edition of *Washington DC's Best Lawyers* under the categories of Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation and Intellectual Property Law.

Mr. Genderson was a member of the firm's Executive Committee from 2002 to 2006. He was elected Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers in 2009.

GOVERNMENT SERVICE

- Law Clerk, Judge Irving L. Goldberg, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, 1977-1978

PUBLICATIONS

- *The Constitutionality of the New York Municipal Wage Freeze and Debt Moratorium: Resurrection of the Contract Clause*, 125 Penn. L. Rev. 167 (1976)



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PRACTICE AREAS

- Criminal Defense
- General Civil Litigation
- Intellectual Property
- Patent Litigation
- Professional Liability Defense

EDUCATION AND HONORS

- University of Pennsylvania Law School, J.D., *magna cum laude*, 1977
- Duke University, B.A., *summa cum laude*, 1974
- Fellow, American College of Trial Lawyers
- "AV-Rated" by *Martindale-Hubbell®*

BAR ADMISSIONS

- District of Columbia and Maryland
- United States Courts of Appeals for the District of Columbia, Fourth, Fifth, Eleventh, and Federal Circuits
- United States District Courts for the District of Columbia, District of Maryland, Southern District of Alabama, Western District of Texas, and Eastern District of Wisconsin