



Julia L. Mazur

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Julia Mazur focuses her litigation practice on various commercial forms of intellectual property and related commercial litigation. This includes trademarks, trade dress, trade secrets and more.

Protecting ideas and brands in many industries

Julia represents clients in a wide variety of industries, including food and beverage, technology, fashion, entertainment, and life sciences. She helps them through all phases of civil litigation, from pleadings and preliminary injunctions through mediation and trial in federal court or the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board. She also regularly assists clients through trademark clearance and prelitigation enforcement and defense efforts.

Julia has been mentioned in several articles in professional journals regarding cases in which she played an active role. She co-authors the trademark chapter in the treatise titled *Successful Partnering Between Inside and Outside Counsel* published by the Association of Corporate Counsel.

Julia maintains an active pro bono practice, too. She helped secure the release of a client who had been wrongfully imprisoned for over 24 years. She has also applied her understanding of trademark law to counsel pro bono clients through their rebranding efforts and the federal and state trademark registration processes.

While in law school, Julia completed an externship with the Honorable Samuel Der-Yeghiayan of the US District Court for the Northern District of Illinois and worked at the Exoneration Project.

Recognitions

Recognized or listed in the following:

- *Best Lawyers in America*
 - Ones to Watch
 - Litigation - Intellectual Property, 2023, 2025
- Katten Muchin Rosenman LLP Pro Bono Service Award

Practices

- Advertising, Marketing and Promotions
- Commercial Litigation
- Intellectual Property
- Intellectual Property Litigation
- Litigation
- Trademarks and Trademark Litigation

Industries

- Aviation
- Entertainment and Media
- Fashion
- Hospitality
- Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences
- Technology

Education

- JD, The University of Chicago Law School
- BA, University of Minnesota

Bar Admissions

- Illinois

Court Admissions

- US Court of Appeals, Seventh Circuit
- US District Court, Northern District of Illinois

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- 2020
- *Managing Intellectual Property*
 - Rising Stars, 2019-2023
- *Super Lawyers Rising Stars*
 - Illinois, 2019–2022

News

- Katten Attorneys Recognized as *Best Lawyers®* and *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch®* Award Recipients (August 15, 2024)
- Katten Helps to Defend Steve Madden Against Doc Martens Complaint in Trade Dress Lawsuit in Oregon Federal Court (November 10, 2023)
- Katten Named 2024 'Law Firm of the Year' for Trademark Law by Best Law Firms® (November 2, 2023)
- Katten Attorneys Recognized by *Best Lawyers®* (August 18, 2022)
- Katten Attorneys Named to 2022 Illinois Super Lawyers, Rising Stars Lists (January 28, 2022)
- Katten Attorneys Chosen for 2021 Illinois Super Lawyers, Rising Stars Lists (January 29, 2021)
- Katten Attorneys Honored for Their Sustained Commitment to Pro Bono Service Including COVID-Related Work (October 28, 2020)
- Katten Ranked Best in Intellectual Property by Managing IP Stars 2020 (May 1, 2020)
- Katten Attorneys Selected to 2020 Illinois Super Lawyers, Rising Stars Lists (January 29, 2020)
- Significant trademark win by Floyd Mandell and Julia Mazur ranked among Top 10 Trademark Rulings of 2019 (December 31, 2019)
- Seventh Circuit Affirms Trademark Win for Katten's Client Pepsi, Gatorade (September 13, 2019)
- Super Lawyers Lists Honor More Than 50 Katten Attorneys in Illinois (January 24, 2019)
- Katten Successfully Represents Pepsi, Gatorade in Trademark Row (June 14, 2018)
- Katten Represents InMarket Media in Successfully Blocking Injunction Bid (January 5, 2015)

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- Katten's Representation of Agave Loco Highlighted in Law360 Article (October 2, 2013)
- Katten's Representation of Bausch & Lomb in District Court Noted in Law360 (September 5, 2013)
- Katten Obtains Favorable Decision for Bausch & Lomb in Trademark Infringement Suit (July 29, 2013)
- Katten Representation of Bausch & Lomb in Trademark Infringement Suit Noted in Law360 (April 9, 2013)

Publications

- Stating the Obvious (Fall 2024)
- *The Katten Kattwalk* | Issue 28 (Fall 2024)
- Inside, Outside, USA: Key Developments on the Boundaries of Injunctive Relief in Trademark Disputes (Fall 2023)
- *The Katten Kattwalk* | Issue 26 (Fall 2023)
- Trademarks (Replacement Chapter) (April 2023)
- [Landmark Trade Secrets Law Creates New Federal Civil Cause of Action and Compliance Obligations for All Employers](#) (June 2, 2016)
- Landmark Trade Secrets Law Creates New Federal Civil Cause of Action and Compliance Obligations for All Employers (May 11, 2016)
- Apple-Samsung Trade Dress Case Demonstrates Potential Value of Design Patents (May 20, 2015)
- The Use of Early Mediation Strategies in Lanham Act Disputes (December 2013)