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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

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EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

The George Washington University National Law Center, Washington, D.C.
LL.M., Patent and Intellectual Property Law, May 1992;
Recipient, Richard Paul Momsen Scholarship for Patent and Intellectual Property Law
Finalist, 1992 Finnegan Prize: "Have We Locked the Barn Door After the Horse Has Been Stolen?" (U.S. semiconductor chip protection);
Research assistant to Prof. James Chandler

The Federal University Of Rio De Janeiro National Law Center, Rio;
de Janeiro, Brazil - LL.B., August 1989;
- *Cum Laude, Honors*
- residency in family law, August 1987 to August 1989

LANGUAGES

Portuguese, English

PRESENT POSITION

Partner at Pinheiro Palmer Advogados (Intellectual Property Law boutique in Rio de Janeiro).

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION

Senior Associate, Malin, Haley & DiMaggio, P.A., Fort Lauderdale, Florida, USA, July 1995 to July 2000;

Researched and drafted briefs in patent cases in the Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit;
 Conducted oral hearings at the Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit;
 Second-chaired patent infringement jury trial in federal court;
 Accompanied and counseled clients in Mediations and Arbitrations;
 Researched and drafted motions and briefs in patent and trademark infringement cases, unfair competition cases (including false designation of origin and palming off) in Federal Court;
 Drafted complaints in trademark and patent infringement cases;
 Prepared discovery papers, including discovery motions, and conducted discovery in patent and trademark infringement cases;
 Prepared for and assisted senior partner in preparing for bench and jury trials of patent and trademark infringement cases;
 Drafted patent validity opinions;
 Drafted patent infringement opinions;
 Drafted trademark registrability opinions;
 Drafted trade dress infringement opinions;
 Negotiated and drafted trademark and patent settlement agreements;
 Prosecuted trademark applications before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office;
 Prosecuted patent applications for mechanical devices;
 Oversaw prosecution of trademark and patent applications abroad;
 Drafted and prosecuted copyright applications before the U.S. Copyright Office;
 Drafted copyright, trademark and patent assignments;
 -Supervise all pre-registration and post-registration trademark docket of Senior Partner.

Associate, Law Office of James C. Wray, McLean, Virginia, USA - Oct. 1992 to June 1995

Drafted Writ of Certiorari to the U.S. Supreme Court in trademark infringement case;
 Prosecuted trademark applications before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office;
 Researched and drafted appeal and reply briefs in *ex parte* proceedings before Trademark Trial and Appeal Board ;
 - Drafted Notices of Opposition, Answers to Oppositions, Motions, Notices of Reliance, Notices of Depositions, Interrogatories, Requests for Documents, final briefs and reply briefs in *inter parte* proceedings before the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board;
 Authored petitions to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks;
 Drafted patent applications for mechanical devices;
 Performed trademark registrability, patent validity, and patentability searches at the U.S. Patents and Trademarks Office.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

New York State Bar;
 Brazilian Bar (Rio de Janeiro Section);
 U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit;
 U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit;
 member, New York Bar Association;
 member, Brazilian Intellectual Property Association (ABPI);
 member, Brazilian Association for IP agents (ABAPI);
 member, International Trademark Association (INTA).

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Trademarks (all aspects);
Patent Litigation;
Unfair Competition (all aspects);
License Agreements.

EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

21 years of experience. See professional experience above.

EXPERIENCE WITH RESPECT TO DOMAIN NAMES

Registration, litigation, negotiations of settlement agreements.

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

The following published opinions:

Enzo Apa & Son, Inc. v. Geapag A.G., 134 F.3d 1090, 45 U.S.P.Q.2d 1368, 1370 (Fed. Cir. 1998);

Turner Greenburg Associates Inc. v. C&C Imports Inc., 71 U.S.P.Q.2d 1888 (S.D. Fla. 2004) ;

EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION

Extensive in Trademarks, Patent, Unfair Competition (from 1992 to the present – US and Brazil);
Only few cases involving domain names. (Brazil).

EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION

Experience in mediation in the US – accompanying and counseling clients (from 1995 to 2000).

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING IN MEDIATION

INPI-WIPO training course – Brazil – 2012.

EXPERIENCE IN MEDIATION

Experience in mediation in the US (from 1992 to 2000).

ARBITRATION EXPERIENCE
SUMMARY TABLE

Type	Administering Institution		Role			
	Name	Number of Arbitrations	Presiding Arbitrator	Sole Arbitrator	Co-Arbitrator	Counsel
International Arbitrations						
	Ad Hoc					
	Others					
Number of Cases :						
Sub-Total						
Domestic Arbitrations						
	Court Annexed	02 (Middle District of Florida)			X	
Number of Cases		02			X	
Sub-total						
TOTAL		02			X	

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE
SUMMARY TABLE

Type	Administering Institution		Role			
	Name	Number of Mediations	Mediator		Counsel	
International Mediations						
	Ad Hoc					
	Others					
Number of Cases : Sub-Total						
	Court Annexed	15 (approximately) Required mediation by the Southern, Middle and Northern District of Florida)			X	
	Ad Hoc					
Number of Cases Sub-total		15				
TOTAL		15				