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Knut Sverre Skurdal Andresen

Partner

Knut Sverre is working with litigation in the ordinary courts and with dispute resolution in international and national arbitration. He specialises in IP dispute resolution, and works particularly with patent disputes concerning pharmaceutical, fishing, transportation and offshore technology, as well as trademark, copyright, unfair competition and marketing law disputes, and IT disputes. Knut Sverre also advises clients in cutting edge technology development projects and technology/IP M&A, and is considered a preferred strategic advisor in commercial IP and licensing matters. He has been involved in some of the most significant patent disputes before Norwegian courts in recent time. He also has broad experience from disputes concerning various commercial law matters.

Knut Sverre appears regularly as a seminar speaker and lecturer on various IP and civil procedural issues. He is author of The Legal 500 Intellectual Property Comparative Legal Guide Norway, Chambers Patent Litigation Practice for Norway and co-author of the online annotated Norwegian Civil Procedure Act.

Practice Areas

Life Sciences

Data Protection & Privacy

Digital Innovation & TMT

Dispute Resolution, Litigation & Arbitration

Intellectual Property

Media & Entertainment

Mining & Minerals

Oil & Gas

Trade & Industry

Transport

Rankings

2021

Next Generation Partners, Recommended and Other key lawyer - Legal 500

2020

Recommended - Legal 500: 'Knut Sverre Skurdal Andersen is analytical and provides well thought through advice. As a client, you can trust that he always has taken the full perspective and next step into account.'

2020

Knut Sverre Skurdal Andresen "thrives when untangling knotty disputes in the pharmaceutical sector", WTR 1000

2019

"Rising Star" - Managing Intellectual Property IP Stars

2018

"Rising Star" - Managing Intellectual Property IP Stars

Education

2008

Master of Law, University of Oslo

2001

Cambridge Syndicate Examination in Business Leadership, University of Cambridge

Publications

2020

Chambers Global Practice Guide: Patent Litigation Norway

2020

The Legal 500 Intellectual Property Comparative Legal Guide Norway

2019

Gyldendal Rettsdata, Commentary to the Norwegian Civil Procedure Act chapters 10, 20, 29, 30 and 31

2009

Obiter dicta as a source of law - a question of the role of the Courts of Justice. Changes in the Norwegian Supreme Court's argumentation in the time of internationalisation? Centre for European Law

2009

EuroRett nr. 1 2008 – nr. 1. 2009, Centre for European Law/Lovdata