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Mark Stallion Contributes to "Developing a Patent Strategy"

Husch Blackwell Sanders Partner Mark E. Stallion authored a chapter in the 2010 edition of *Inside the Minds' "Developing a Patent Strategy,"* published by Aspatore Books. Stallion's chapter, "A Practical Overview of U.S. Patent Law Challenges and Strategy," is an overview of recent changes in patent law and trends in patent law practice. Stallion briefly discusses recent court decisions that are having an impact on this area of law including the *Bilski* and *KSR* decisions. The chapter also discusses international patent law changes and trends that are having an impact on U.S. practice and protection strategies in general, and covers suggested patent protection strategies and how these strategies relate to other intellectual property strategies.

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A registered patent attorney, Stallion has successfully performed domestic and foreign patent and trademark preparation/prosecution and has rendered patent infringement, validity, state-of-the-art and freedom-to-operate opinions for clients in various areas of art, including electronics, software, automated food processing, electronic manufacturing and design, signal processing, robotics, telecommunications, mechanical, medical devices and petroleum exploration/production. He actively advises clients on their intellectual property transactional matters, including mergers and acquisitions, technology licenses, portfolio management and establishing trade secret programs. Stallion was also listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* in the area of Intellectual Property Law in 2010 and is a frequent speaker on intellectual property law issues.