# ROBERT F. SCOTTI

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## OVERVIEW

Robert's practice includes all facets of intellectual property law including patents, opinions, clearance, and litigation. His practice emphasizes electrical and computer-related fields. He has worked in both the U.S. and Europe on patent drafting, patent litigation, and trademark prosecution. His extensive international experience gives him a unique perspective on the protection of intellectual property in various jurisdictions. Robert has lectured in both the U.S. and Europe on drafting patent applications for global protection, and has assisted in European litigations with issues that span U.S. and European law.

Robert joined Klarquist in 1994 and became partner in 2001. After leaving the firm to work in Europe, he returned to the partnership in 2009.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Studio Torta | IP Attorney, 2004 – 2007 | Turin, Italy

While working in Europe, Robert prepared and prosecuted European patent applications related to software and electronics. He also worked extensively on community trademark oppositions and filing. He attended European Patent classes at the University of Strasbourg, France, prior to passing the European Qualifying Examination.

- Klarquist Sparkman | IP Attorney, 1994 – 2003 | Portland, OR

Associate from 1994 – 2001 and Partner from 2001 – 2003 before transitioning to Europe. His practice focused primarily on US patent prosecution and patent litigation. Additionally, he assisted on a large due diligence review.

- Formation Inc. | Member Technical Staff, 1988 – 1991 | Moorestown, NJ

Designed digital hardware and software, including microprocessor-based systems. Programming languages included C, C++ and assembly language.

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Member, American Intellectual Property Law Association
- Member, Oregon Patent Law Association

## HONORS & AWARDS

- *IAM Patent 1000: The World's Leading Patent Professionals* | 2021 – 2026
- *Best Lawyers in America*, Portland, OR | 2027

**EDUCATION**

M.I.T. Artificial Intelligence Course, 2023

J.D., *cum laude* (Top 5%), Seton Hall Law School, 1994

B.S. with High Honors (Top 5%) in Electrical Engineering, Rutgers University, 1988

**ADMISSIONS**

Oregon, 1994

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, 1996 (Reg. No. 39,830)

European Patent Attorney (inactive)

**PRACTICE AREAS**

Patents

Intellectual Property Counseling

**TECHNOLOGY AREAS**

AI & Machine Learning

Electrical & Semiconductors

Mobile Devices & Applications

Software & Internet Technology

**LANGUAGES**

Italian

Klarquist