

# ANDREW T. BALL

ASSOCIATE

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## OVERVIEW

Andrew prepares and prosecutes U.S. patent applications and assists with the preparation and prosecution of international and foreign patent applications.

Andrew is an associate with experience in the mechanical and metallurgical sciences and has prepared strategies for patent prosecution, drafted office action responses, conducted patent searches and drafted and amended patent claims. He is experienced with laboratory methods and operational procedures.

Andrew joined Klarquist as an associate in 2020.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- ▶ Klarquist Sparkman LLC | Summer Associate, 2019 | Portland, OR
- ▶ Harness, Dickey & Pierce, PLC | Summer Associate, 2018 | St. Louis, MO  
Prepared strategies for patent prosecution, drafted office action responses, conducted patent searches, and drafted and amended patent claims.
- ▶ The NanoSteel Company | Senior Research Engineer, 2013-2017 |  
Research Engineer, 2010-2013 | Idaho Falls, ID  
Developed laboratory methods and operational procedure, trained new research staff on use and operation of laboratory equipment and procedure, and coordinated laboratory effects with patent filings.

## EDUCATION

J.D., *Hons* Washington  
University School of Law,  
2020

B.S., *Hons*, Materials  
Science and Engineering,  
Northwestern  
University, 2009

## ADMISSIONS

Oregon, 2020

U.S. Patent and  
Trademark Office, 2021  
(Reg. No. 80,356)

## PRACTICE AREAS

Patents

## TECHNOLOGY AREAS

Mechanical