

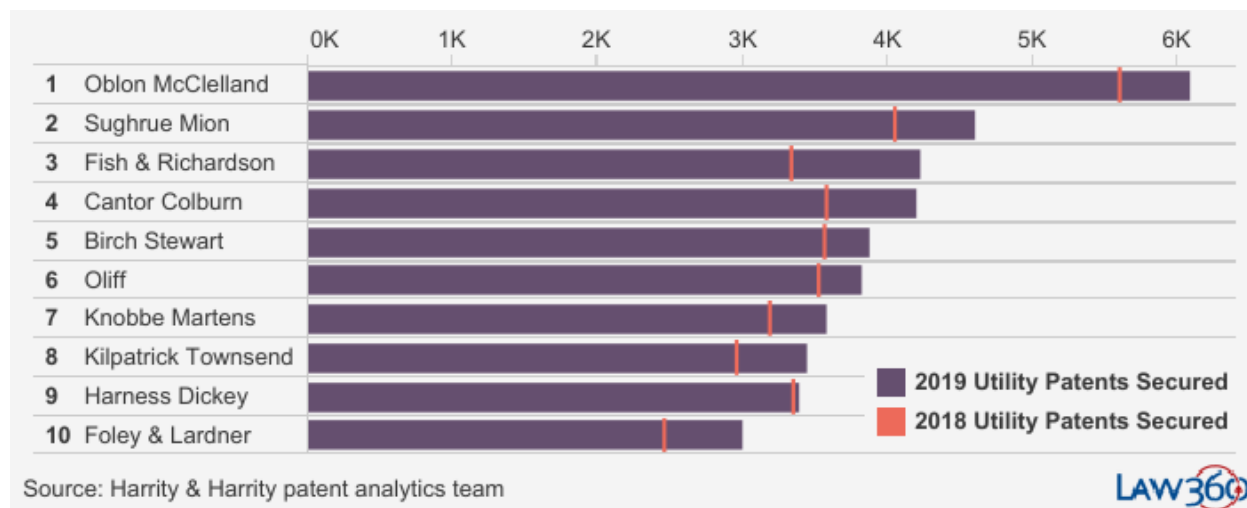
## This Firm Secured The Most Utility Patents In 2019

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*Law360 (January 14, 2020, 7:55 PM EST)* -- One law firm has scored nearly 1,500 more utility patents in 2019 than the next closest firm, marking the fifth consecutive year it has landed the No. 1 spot in the latest ranking of law firms.

For the fifth year running, Oblon McClelland Maier & Neustadt LLP held its top spot with 6,098 U.S. utility patents secured in 2019 — an increase from the 5,596 patents the firm secured in the previous year, according to the rankings published Tuesday by Harrity & Harrity LLP’s patent analytics team.

### Firms that Secured the Most Utility Patents in 2019



Following Oblon is Sughrue Mion PLLC, with 4,610 patents obtained over the past year. Fish & Richardson PC jumped four spots to take the bronze with 4,238 patents, and Cantor Colburn LLP came in fourth with 4,201 patents.

Notably, Fish & Richardson also saw the biggest spike in numbers compared to the previous year’s figures, securing 900-plus more patents in 2019.

The rankings, which have been published annually since 2016, include law firms that have obtained at least 50 U.S. utility patents where the firms are listed on the front of the patents, according to Harrity.

“We have collected and analyzed data on more than 300,000 patents obtained by over 3,000 different law firms,” Harrity’s head of patent analytics, Rocky Berndsen, said in a statement.

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