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## Cantor Colburn Announces New Partners and Counsel for 2018



*Eric Baron, Jenae Gureff, Duane Minley, Jason Radachy*

Hartford, Conn. — [Cantor Colburn LLP](#), one of the nation's leading intellectual property law firms, welcomes the new year with the elevation of two attorneys to its partnership, [Eric J. Baron](#) and [Jenae C. Gureff](#), and the promotion of two Associates to Counsel, [Duane P. Minley](#) and [Jason D. Radachy](#). Mr. Baron and Mr. Radachy are located in the firm's Hartford office, Ms. Gureff is in Washington, D.C., and Mr. Minley is in Atlanta.

"We are proud to announce the election of Eric and Jenae to the partnership and the promotion of Duane and Jason to Counsel," said [Philmore H. Colburn II](#), Co-Managing Partner of Cantor Colburn. "They have demonstrated their commitment to excellence in serving our clients and we are confident that they will make even greater contributions to the firm's success in their new rôles. As one of the largest and most productive full-service IP law firms in the country, we place great value on attracting and retaining top legal talent to serve our clients."

Eric Baron represents clients on all aspects of patent application preparation, prosecution, and patent portfolio development. Mr. Baron's patent practice focuses on electrical and mechanical arts, particularly computer hardware and software, semiconductors, telecommunications, Internet and e-commerce, business methods, electrical circuits, aerospace, industrial, and automotive technologies. Mr. Baron has several years of in-house experience overseeing domestic and foreign patent matters with outside counsel and internal invention disclosure processing in for a broad array of aerospace and industrial technologies. Prior to joining the firm, Mr. Baron was an engineer at Hamilton Sundstrand, a division of United Technologies Corporation, where he worked as a hardware systems engineer and a software engineer on engine controls, on-board diagnostics, flight controls, air management systems, and test systems for a variety of military and commercial aircraft. He has a B.S. in computer engineering from Kettering University, a master's of engineering in computer and systems engineering at Rensselaer Polytechnic University and a J.D. from the University of Connecticut School of Law, including a Certificate in Intellectual Property, with honors.

Jenae Gureff focuses her practice on the preparation and prosecution of patent applications related to medical devices and mechanical technologies, serving both foreign and domestic companies. Ms. Gureff has considerable experience in preparing and prosecuting utility and design patent applications



in the mechanical and biomedical arts, particularly medical devices and prosthetics, surgical methods and techniques, eyewear, robotic surgical systems, door technology systems, remote control devices, image detection units, aircraft systems, and agricultural delivery devices. Ms. Gureff also handles opinion work related to the foregoing technologies. Ms. Gureff is an active member of the American Intellectual Property Law Association, and is the current Chair of the Mentoring Committee, having recently served as Vice Chair. She has a B.S. in biomedical engineering from Tulane University and a master's in intellectual property and a J.D. from the University of New Hampshire School of Law, (formerly known as Franklin Pierce Law Center).

Duane Minley concentrates his practice on drafting and prosecuting patents for electrical and mechanical inventions. In particular, he has experience with issues related to wireless communications, semiconductor devices, telecommunications, the Internet, computer memory devices, quantum devices, quantum computing, and nanotechnology. He also has researched and prepared opinions. Mr. Minley's experience includes work on medical devices - DNA characterizing devices, bio-sensing devices, and the like. He also counsels start-up companies and universities. He graduated *summa cum laude* with a B.S. in Electrical Engineering from Tuskegee University and *cum laude* with a J.D. from the University of Georgia School of Law.

Jason Radachy handles patent drafting, prosecution, and opinion work for clients and law firms in the U.S., Taiwan, China, India, and particularly in Japan. He has experience with patents in electrical and mechanical engineering, including lighting, optics, semi-conductor fabrication and integration, circuits, power supply, networks for business devices, image forming and post processing apparatuses, mobile technology, medical imaging, and X-rays. During college, Mr. Radachy took a semester as a cooperative intern with Phillips Medical Systems for which he published two papers on SPECT imaging. Mr. Radachy graduated *cum laude* with a B.S. in physics from Case Western Reserve University and *summa cum laude* with a J.D. from Ave Maria School of Law.

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With highly specialized knowledge and in-depth understanding of clients' businesses, the firm supports the technological innovations that are driving the world economy. Exceptionally well versed in a wide range of cutting-edge technologies, the firm's clients are in a broad spectrum of industries, including chemical, pharmaceutical, medical devices, manufacturing, consumer products, energy, software, telecommunications, entertainment, and more. For more information, go to [www.cantorcolburn.com](http://www.cantorcolburn.com).