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Crissa joined Hovey Williams in 2007 after serving the firm as a law clerk for two years during law school. Now an associate, her specialties include the preparation and prosecution of U.S. and foreign patent applications. Crissa primarily focuses her practice on serving clients in the fields of chemistry, biotechnology and life sciences, food sciences, and the mechanical arts. She also has experience counseling clients regarding patentability, invalidity, and infringement analyses.

Presentations and Publications

Speaker, *Patent Law*, The University of Kansas School of Law, April 19, 2010.

Speaker, *Patenting and Prototyping Workshop*, Metropolitan Community College School of Business and Technology, Fall 2009.

Panelist, "The Cutting Edge of Biotechnology Patent Law," Biolaw 3.0: Law at the Frontiers of Biology, The University of Kansas Annual Biolaw Symposium, November 6, 2009.

Speaker, *Intellectual Property*, The University of Kansas School of Law, September 8, 2009.

Constructive Criticism: Phillips v. AWH Corp. and the Continuing Ambiguity of Patent Claim Construction Principles, 55 U. Kan. L. Rev. 255 (2006).



Education

University of Kansas School of Law – Juris Doctor, 2007

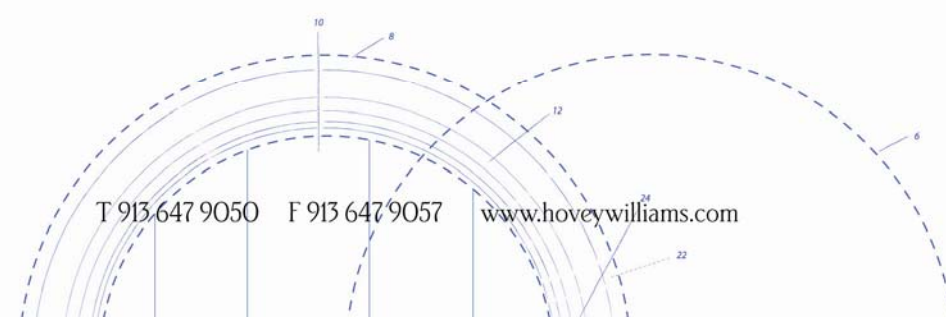
University of Kansas – Bachelor of Arts, Biology and French, with Highest Distinction, Honors, 2003

Memberships

Order of the Coif
Phi Beta Kappa
Judge Hugh Means American Inn of Court
Missouri Bar Association (MoBar)
Kansas Bar Association (KBA)
Johnson County Bar Association
Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association (KCMBBA)
Kansas Law Review
Kappa Kappa Gamma Alumni Association
Notre Dame de Sion Alumnae Association

Bar Admissions

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, 2009
Kansas, 2008
Missouri, 2007



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