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## Overview

**Jonathan G. Sterrett assists technology-based companies with their patents and associated issues, helping to identify and secure intellectual property protection for their inventions.**

Jonathan spent 17 years as a patent examiner at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, examining over 1,000 business method and software patents, including inventions involving machine learning and AI. Prior to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Jonathan had extensive industry experience in electronic, chemical and aerospace industries.

## Education

- Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1992 (M.B.A.)
- Virginia Tech, 1987 (B.S.M.E.)

## Distinctions

- American Intellectual Property Law Association (AIPLA), Outstanding Examiner Award, 2015
- USPTO, Outstanding Performance Bronze and Silver Awards
- Six Sigma Blackbelt (Certified), 1995

## Presentations and Publications

- "Customer Requirements Definition," *Product Design and Development 1<sup>st</sup> Edition*, Karl Ulrich & Steven Eppinger, McGraw-Hill, 1995 (MIT Thesis)