

Biography



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CHRISTOPHER CARROLL is an intellectual property partner at Burns & Levinson, based in the firm's Boston and London offices. He has practiced extensively before both the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) and European Patent Office (EPO). He concentrates his practice on developing strategies for clients related to patents, trademarks and copyrights in the United States, Europe and internationally. Christopher's engineering background allows him to focus on mechanical, electrical, software, communications and marine technologies.

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