



## Stephen Worthley

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## OVERVIEW

Stephen Worthley is a senior associate in the firm's Melbourne office. He has extensive experience in a wide range of technologies, including filing and prosecution of patent and trade mark applications in Australia and internationally, as well as contentious matters before IP Australia and in the Federal Court.

Stephen has worked across a number of technical industries including telecommunications, signal processing, mining and heavy machinery, e-commerce and business methods, building hardware, medical devices and bioinformatics.

## PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Prior to joining the firm, Stephen was an engineer before becoming a patent attorney and a lawyer, where he practiced at a number of leading Australian law firms. With over 15 years' experience in IP law as a lawyer and patent and trademarks attorney, Stephen's background allows him to assist clients in ICT, life sciences and mechanical fields.

## EDUCATION

- Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice, College of Law, 2013
- LL.B., University of Adelaide, 2008
- Masters of Industrial Property, University of Technology, Sydney, 2005
- B.Sc., University of Adelaide, 2000

## ADMISSIONS

- Registered Australian Patent Attorney
- Registered Australian Trade Marks Attorney
- Registered New Zealand Patent Attorney

## THOUGHT LEADERSHIP *POWERED BY HUB*

- 17 January 2024, PayPal Inc. [2023] APO 54: PayPal Machine Stalls in the Face of Intangible Resistance

## AREAS OF FOCUS

- IP Procurement and Portfolio Management