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OVERVIEW

Maggie Cooney is a USPTO-registered patent lawyer who combines electrical engineering training with hands-on litigation experience to high-stakes patent and trade secret disputes involving complex technologies. Maggie supports clients across the full patent litigation lifecycle, from pre-suit investigations through discovery, claim construction, motion practice, pre-trial preparation, and trial.

Maggie has practiced in various US district courts and before the International Trade Commission. Her work also includes trademark litigation and trade secret remediation in bankruptcy-related asset sale proceedings. Her technical experience spans Wi-Fi and Bluetooth technology, telecommunications systems, circuit bus technology, clear aligner technology, artificial intelligence, and bulk acoustic wave filter design.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Maggie served as a summer associate prior to joining the firm as an associate.

Maggie gained experience as a student attorney at an entrepreneurship clinic. Her role involved filing several trademark applications and a statement of use for clients' trademarks, drafting corporate documents for intellectual property assignments, and advising clients on a variety of trademark and corporate legal issues. She also served as a legal intern at BitSight, where she analyzed international data protection laws.

EDUCATION

- J.D., Boston College Law School, 2024
- B.S., University of Michigan, 2021 *(Electrical Engineering, magna cum laude)*

ADMISSIONS

- Bar of Massachusetts
- United States Patent and Trademark Office

NEWS & EVENTS

- 25 June 2026, K&L Gates Recognized by ABI for Innovation and Technology Sale of the Year
- 22 May 2025, K&L Gates Advises Akoustis Technologies in its Sale of Assets to SpaceX

AREAS OF FOCUS

- IP Litigation
- Trade Secrets Litigation