

LCLD Fellows Program Leadership Lunch: *Boston Scientific Corporation and Fish & Richardson P.C.*

Thursday, December 17, 2015
11:30 am EST
Hosted at Fish & Richardson P.C.
Boston, Massachusetts

Speakers:

Peter Devlin, President and Chief Executive Officer, Fish & Richardson P.C.
Timothy A. Pratt, Executive Vice President, Chief Administrative Officer, General Counsel, and Secretary,
Boston Scientific Corporation

Agenda:

11:30 am - 12:00 pm	Fellows Networking
12:00 - 12:15 pm	Introductions
12:15 - 2:00 pm	Discussion and Q&A



PETER DEVLIN, President and Chief Executive Officer of Fish & Richardson P.C., is responsible for the strategic direction of the firm globally. He assumed the firm’s top management position in 2000, and under his leadership Fish has solidified its position as the premier global intellectual property firm. The firm has 12 centrally managed and fully integrated offices across the U.S. and Europe, with over 400 attorneys and technology specialists.

Fish has been named the #1 Patent Litigation Firm for 12 consecutive years by *Corporate Counsel* magazine, and is frequently called an “IP Litigation Powerhouse.” Also, Mr. Devlin has been listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* from 2013-2015. Fish’s patent practice is also an industry leader, with “Band 1” rankings in the U.S. from *Chambers Global 2015*. The firm has quickly dominated the new AIA patent office proceedings at the Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB), and was named the #1 most active law firm at the PTAB in 2014 by *Managing Intellectual Property*. Under Mr. Devlin’s leadership, Fish has used its market-leading experience in IP to expand into commercial litigation, establishing itself as the firm to trust with important business objectives.

Mr. Devlin has broadened the firm’s pro bono program and expanded its commitment to diversity. *The American Lawyer* recognized Fish as a “Top Law Firm for Diversity” in its 2014 Diversity Scorecard. In 2014, Fish was designated as a “Best Place to Work” and received the highest possible rating from Human Rights Campaign.

Prior to becoming the firm's President, Mr. Devlin provided patent, IP licensing, and due diligence services to clients in the electrical and computer technology, medical device, and software industries. He is admitted to the bar in Massachusetts and registered to practice before the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Mr. Devlin is a contributing author of *Inside the Minds: The Innovative Lawyer* (Aspatore Books 2003). He has also been listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* from 2013-2015 for Patent Law and recognized as a 2013 Top Rated – AV® Preeminent™ Lawyer in Intellectual Property Law. Mr. Devlin has also been selected by *Super Lawyers* Massachusetts for Intellectual Property in 2004-2005, 2007, and 2010-2013. The *IAM Patent Litigation 250* named him as one of “The World’s Leading Patent Litigators” in 2011.

Mr. Devlin earned his J.D., *magna cum laude*, from Suffolk University Law School in 1985 and a B.S. in electrical and computer engineering from Clarkson College in 1980.



TIM PRATT is Executive Vice President, Chief Administrative Officer, General Counsel, and Secretary for Boston Scientific and a member of its Executive Committee. In this role, he is responsible for worldwide management of the company’s Legal functions, Global Compliance, Government Affairs, Aviation, and Global Security.

Mr. Pratt is active in the Federation of Defense & Corporate Counsel (FDCC). He is the former FDCC Chairman and has served on their Board of Directors and Executive Committee. He also serves as a Director on the boards of Lawyers for Civil Justice (“LCJ”), DRI, and the New England Legal Foundation (NELF).

Mr. Pratt earned his Bachelor of Arts degree at Tarkio College and graduated Order of the Coif from Drake University Law School, where he served as editor-in-chief of the *Drake Law Review*. Prior to joining Boston Scientific in 2008, Mr. Pratt was a partner and trial attorney with the law firm of Shook, Hardy & Bacon. While there, he was named a Leading National Products Liability Lawyer by *Chambers USA*, one of the Top 500 Litigators in America by *Lawdragon*, and one of the *Best Lawyers in America*. In October of 2013, he was recognized by *The Legal 500* and named to the “Corporate Counsel 100” list, which identifies the top most powerful corporate legal advisers in the United States.



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