



About Isabel Davies

Isabel Davies is a solicitor and highly regarded as one of the UK and Europe's foremost IP lawyers. For over 30 years her practice has focused on all aspects of intellectual property especially litigation, dispute resolution, mediation and counselling. She has engaged with politicians, governments, courts and other key decision makers not only in the UK but also internationally, representing both client and professional interests.

Isabel has litigated at the highest levels, including the Supreme Court, Privy Council, General Court, Court of Justice of the European Union (CJEU) and European Union Intellectual Property Office. She has also played a strategic co-ordinating role for multi-jurisdictional disputes which have required attendance at courts around the world.

Her past experience includes being on the board of Eversheds' London Office, being a board member of the International Trademark Association (INTA) and chairing The Law Society's Intellectual Property Law Committee. She is a WIPO Domain Name Panellist and Mediator.

Isabel speaks at many conferences around the world and taught on the Bristol University IP Diploma course for 10 years. She has contributed to numerous publications, such as editing the Sweet and Maxwell European Trade Mark Litigation Handbook. Her media appearances on the topic of recent IP developments include on BBC Radio 4. Other work includes involvement in the IP aspects of the EU PHARE programme, including writing and negotiating the copyright law of Lithuania.

Reputation

"A Legend in the IP Field" (Chambers Directory)

"A formidable litigator.....without doubt one of Europe's leading IP litigators" (Legal 500)

"'Incredibly experienced, dedicated and determined', she enjoys significant prestige on the market" (World Trademark Review 1000)

"At the top of everybody's list" and "fantastic for IP dispute resolution" (International Who's Who of Business Lawyers)

Career

1976 to 1978 **Alsop Stevens (now DLA Piper) (Associate Solicitor)**

1980 to 1985 **Wragge & Co (now Gowling WLG) (Partner)**

1985 to 1994 **Taylor Joynson Garrett (now Taylor Wessing)**

Equity Partner

Partner responsible for marketing and trainee recruitment

1994 to 2003 **Eversheds**

Equity Partner

International head of IP

Member of the London Board (1997 to 2003)

1999 to 2002 **International Trademark Association (INTA)**

Board Member

Executive Committee

Nominating Committee

2003 to 2006 **Howrey**

Equity Partner

Head of IP

Member of the London Management Team

2004 onwards **WIPO Domain Name Panellist**

2004 onwards **Mediator**

International Trademark Association (INTA)

World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO)

2006 to 2011 **CMS Cameron McKenna**

Senior Equity Partner, IP

Head of the Technology, Media and Telecoms Sector Group, taking this to an award winning practice in three years

Leader of the Eastern European IP practice

IP Marketing and Business Development Partner for CMS Europe

2006 to 2015 **Law Society of England and Wales**

Chair of the Intellectual Property Law Committee

Representative on the Intellectual Property Office Marks and Designs Forum

2011 to 2012 **Boyes Turner (Consultant)**

2012 onwards **Anderson Law (Consultant)**

2013 onwards **James Love Legal**

Consultant at specialist Intellectual Property Practice handling UK and International work for clients around the world