



Amster Rothstein & Ebenstein Announces 2021 Lawyer Promotions

Amster Rothstein & Ebenstein, a full-service intellectual property law firm, is pleased to announce the promotion of [Brian Amos, Ph.D.](#) to partner and [Keith Barkaus](#) to senior counsel effective on April 1, 2021.

- Brian Amos is a former research neuroscientist who represents universities, research institutions and corporations in the preparation and prosecution of patent applications worldwide, predominantly in the fields of biotechnology, medical therapeutics and pharmaceuticals. He works closely with scientists, in-house counsel and Technology Transfer Offices to identify and inventory new patentable technologies; protect discoveries through patents; and commercialize intellectual property through licensing and development arrangements with other business entities. [Learn more about Brian's practice.](#)
- Keith focuses his practice on client counseling and the preparation and prosecution of U.S. and foreign patent applications in technology innovations, including electrical devices, mechanical devices, computer hardware and computer software. Keith has prepared patentability, validity, right to use and infringement opinions and also conducted due diligence investigations. In addition, Keith also has significant litigation experience and Keith has worked on more than a dozen Inter Partes Review proceedings before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board in which he has represented both patent owners and requesters. [Learn more about Keith's practice.](#)

“During their time at the firm, Brian and Keith have each made valuable contributions to our clients, their colleagues and the firm, and we look forward to their continued success,” said Managing Partner [Anthony Lo Cicero](#).