



COPYRIGHT CLAIMS BOARD

Law School Clinic Public Directory Information Form

The Copyright Claims Board (CCB) is an alternative forum to federal court in which parties voluntarily seek resolution of copyright disputes where damages are \$30,000 or less. To facilitate this low-cost alternative to federal litigation, the CCB will maintain a directory of law school clinics that provide legal representation before the CCB on a *pro bono* basis. This directory will be available on the CCB website as a resource for CCB participants.

NOTE: A law school clinic does not need to be listed in the directory to participate in proceedings before the CCB (37 CFR § 234.2(a)).

Clinics wishing to be listed in the CCB clinic directory should provide all of the requested information below. The CCB requires this information because we would like to provide CCB participants with the information they need to make an informed decision regarding whether to seek law school clinic assistance. In addition, the clinic will have a duty to maintain the currency of information in the directory.

The law school clinic director must send the completed form to asktheboard@ccb.gov. Please type your answers directly into the form. Do not hand write your answers. Thank you.

LAW SCHOOL NAME ▼

Case Western Reserve University School of Law

LAW SCHOOL CLINIC ADDRESS ▼

11075 East Boulevard
Cleveland, Ohio 44106

NAME OF CLINIC ▼

Kramer Law Clinic - Intellectual Property Venture Clinic

GENERAL CONTACT

Email Address ► lawclinic@case.edu

Phone Number ► 216-368-2766

NAME OF CLINIC DIRECTOR ▼

Laura McNally

SUPERVISING ATTORNEY(S) (whoever will be supervising the law students directly) ▼

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GEOGRAPHIC AREA FROM WHICH THE CLINIC MAY ACCEPT CLIENTS ▼

Northeast Ohio

WHAT SERVICES WILL YOUR CLINIC PROVIDE TO CLIENTS WITH COPYRIGHT CLAIMS BOARD MATTERS? (check all that apply)

☐ Referral Services

☒ Limited Scope Representation

☒ Consultations

☒ Full Scope Representation

HAS THE CLINIC HANDLED COPYRIGHT MATTERS IN THE PAST TWO YEARS? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please explain the nature of the copyright matters handled in the past two years (check all that apply).

☐ Infringement (representation or pre-litigation advice regarding alleged infringements)

☒ Copyright registration

☐ Licensing

☐ Policy analysis and advocacy

☒ Counseling (i.e., providing legal advice not connected to litigation, registration, etc.)

☒ Literary and dramatic works

☐ Pictorial, graphic and sculptural works, including photographs

☐ Pantomimes and choreographic works

☒ Musical works

☐ Sound recordings

☐ Motion pictures and other audiovisual works

☐ Computer programs

☐ Architectural works

☐ Other (please describe)

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DOES THE CLINIC HAVE EXPERIENCE HANDLING LITIGATION MATTERS? ☐ Yes ☒ No

IF NO, DOES THE CLINIC HAVE A PARTNERSHIP WITH A LITIGATION CLINIC? ☐ Yes ☒ No

IF THE CLINIC IS PARTNERED WITH A LITIGATION CLINIC, PLEASE PROVIDE THE NAME OF THAT CLINIC HERE.

IF NO, DOES THE CLINIC HAVE EXPERIENCE SUPERVISING LAW STUDENTS IN LITIGATION MATTERS? ☒ Yes ☐ No

PLEASE PROVIDE A BRIEF STATEMENT DESCRIBING THE CLINIC'S INTEREST IN HANDLING MATTERS BEFORE THE CCB. ▼

We are interested in handling matters before the CCB to broaden the practical experience in copyright law provided to our students while expanding support to creators and small businesses navigating the claims process in our region.

PLEASE PROVIDE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION HERE. ▼

☒ I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ALL STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES PARTICIPATING IN CLINIC MATTERS BEFORE THE CCB WILL MEET ALL REQUIREMENTS OF 37 CFR § 234.1(a).

Signature (X) ▼

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Clinic Director