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Dr. Wilhelm Eger

Counsel

German Patent Attorney

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Chemist

Wilhelm Eger specializes in the field of chemistry, especially organic, inorganic, organometallic chemistry and chemical engineering. He has particular expertise in the fields of polymer chemistry, metal alloys and reactor technology. He advises clients on matters of strategy in all of these areas.

Other key areas of his patent law practice include drafting patent applications, conducting opposition and appeal proceedings before the EPO and providing expert opinions in the areas of freedom-to-operate, validity, and infringement.

CAREER

since 2022	Patent attorney at Maiwald
2019 - 2022	Partner in an IP firm
2017 - 2018	Patent attorney in an IP firm
2013 - 2016	Patent attorney trainee in an IP firm

EDUCATION

2024	Admitted to practice before the UPC
2017	Admitted to practice as European Patent Attorney
2016	Admitted to practice as German Patent Attorney
2013 - 2015	„Law for patent attorneys“ studies at the FernUniversität Hagen
2010 - 2012	Postdoc at the Technical University of Munich
2009 - 2010	Postdoc at the University of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia
2004 - 2008	Doctorate in the field of organic-physical chemistry at the Friedrich-Schiller Universität Jena

1999 - 2004 Chemistry studies at the Friedrich-Schiller Universität Jena

PRACTICE AREAS

- Organic Chemistry & Polymers
- Inorganic & Construction Materials
- Food & Agriculture
- IP Consulting
- Patents & Utility Models

SERVICES

- Patent prosecution and portfolio management
- Filing strategies and drafting of applications
- Freedom-to-Operate- und Opinions on legal validity
- Opposition and nullity proceedings
- Patent litigation

MEMBERSHIPS

- German Chamber of Patent Attorneys
- epi

LANGUAGES

- German
- English