



Dr Eva Dörner

Partner

German Patent Attorney

European Patent Attorney

Chemist

Eva Dörner advises and represents clients in securing, maintaining, enforcing and challenging intellectual property rights in the fields of chemistry, pharmacy and plant protection. In the field of chemistry, she has particular expertise in organic chemistry and organic synthesis. Within the areas of pharmacy and plant protection, her work mainly centers on small molecules, combination preparations and formulations. During a secondment with an international chemical corporation, where her role was that of a patent professional with particular attention to plant protection, Eva became particularly skilled in developing filing strategies. She also spent a period of time with an American IP law firm where she acquired valuable insights into the rules and procedures of US patent law.

CAREER

Since 2017	Partner, shareholder and managing director at Maiwald
Since 2013	Patent attorney at Maiwald
2011-2013	Patent attorney trainee at Maiwald
2009-2011	Patent attorney trainee at two different IP law firms

EDUCATION

2016	Admitted to practice as European patent attorney
2013	Admitted to practice as German patent attorney
2010-2012	Studied law for patent attorneys at the University of Hagen
2006-2009	Doctoral degree in the field of organic chemistry from the University of Cologne
2001-2006	Studied chemistry at the University of Bonn

PRACTICE AREAS

- Pharma & Biotech

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

SERVICES

- Patent prosecution and portfolio management
- Filing strategies and drafting patent applications
- Freedom-to-operate and validity analysis
- Opposition and nullity proceedings
- Patent litigation

RECOGNITIONS

- Recommended in Handelsblatt | Best Lawyers "Germany's Best Lawyers" 2021
- Recommended in Legal 500 Deutschland 2020, 2021
- Recommended in Chambers Europe Guide 2019
- Scholarship of the "Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes"
- Kekulé Scholarship of the Chemical Industry Fund

PUBLICATIONS

- Patent(s) Security in Uncertain Times
- Auch "kleinere" Ideen sind schützenswert, Rechtsguide, 2020 (together with Alexander Ortlieb)

MEMBERSHIPS

- German Patent Attorney Association
- epi
- VPP
- women in ip

LANGUAGES

- German
- English