



## Morris, Manning & Martin, LLP Recognized as Top 100 Patent Prosecution Provider



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Morris, Manning & Martin's Intellectual Property Practice, which includes just over 20 professionals, ranked 63<sup>rd</sup> with 252 patents issued on behalf of a top 300 organization. Two other Atlanta-based full-service firms made the list: McKenna Long & Aldridge and Alston & Bird. McKenna, with a team of nearly 50, ranked 29<sup>th</sup> with 439 patents issued. Alston & Bird, with nearly 200 professionals, ranked 97<sup>th</sup> behind Morris Manning with 164 patents. No other Atlanta-based full-service firms were listed in the Top100.

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