

Materials Team



Ray Evans BSc(Hons) MSc

PARTNER

- Chemistry Team Leader
- 21 years experience in Intellectual Property
- Industrial experience as a Synthetic Chemist
- Broad range of expertise including drug delivery, polymeric composites, cementitious compositions, mining chemicals, ceramics, mineral processing and explosives

Michelle Hedges BSc(Hons)

PARTNER

- 16 years IP experience
- Over five years industrial experience in Materials Science and Geochemistry
- Expertise in a wide range of materials and mining-related areas including sustainable energy, lignite processing, conversion coatings, ceramics, composites, light metals, mineral processing, mining equipment, optical fibres and chemical engineering

Greg Bartlett BEng(Chem)(Hons)

PARTNER

- Heads our Adelaide office
- 20 years IP experience specialising in mineral processing (particularly of alumina, nickel and mineral sands), ophthalmics, chemical engineering and general mechanical areas
- Expertise in commercialisation of technology

David Taddgell BSc

PARTNER

- Partner Group Leader, Chemistry & Life Sciences
- 22 years experience in Intellectual Property
- Specialises in metallurgical processes (particularly nickel and cobalt recovery), polymer technology, pharmaceuticals & drug delivery

Robert Cross BSc BCom CPA

PARTNER

- Over 35 years IP experience
- British Patent Agent
- Extensive metallurgical expertise (including hydro and pyrometallurgical recovery processes), metal fabrication and processing (including rolled sheet production and alloy heat treatment), mining techniques and equipment

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Jim Onishi BSc(Hons) PhD
TECHNICAL ASSISTANT

- Industrial experience in biosensors, synthetic tissues for medical applications and printing materials
- Fluent in Japanese

Kathy Leviton BSc(Hons)
PATENT ATTORNEY

- 18 years IP experience
- Industrial experience in chemical area
- Chartered Chemist

Karen Mongey BSc(Hons) PhD
TECHNICAL ASSISTANT

- Accomplished European Research Scientist
- Research and industrial experience in sol-gel materials, oxygen sensors, photophysics, micro-electronic and opto-electronic materials, food safety, process control and environmental monitoring

Jeff Holman BSc(Hons) PhD
ASSOCIATE

- 7 years IP experience
- Specialises in Materials Chemistry with an emphasis on alloys, polymers, biosensors, surface chemistry, nanotechnology and ophthalmic lenses

Grace Chan BSc(Hons) PhD
TECHNICAL ASSISTANT

- Significant research and industrial experience in polymer materials and coatings
- Expertise in organic, inorganic and composite polymer systems, particularly in the development of biocompatible materials for the biomedical fields

Neil Ireland BSc(Hons) PhD GradDiplLaw
PARTNER

- 9 years IP experience
- Industrial experience as a Research Chemist
- Specialises in nanotechnology, catalysts and polymers