

Jay Saltzman, President, Baselogic, Inc.



Education

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN LAW SCHOOL, J.D., May 1993

Writing & Advocacy Merit Award; Intellectual Property Students Association

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, B.S. Mathematics, magna cum laude, May 1990

Core Curriculum on Probability and Statistics; Phi Beta Kappa

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, B.S. General Engineering, with honors, May 1990

Tau Beta Pi; Gamma Epsilon; Engineer of the Year Nominee 1987

Professional Experience

BASELOGIC, INC. (Chicago, IL), President, January 2004 - present

I brought together the principals for Baselogic and have conceived many of the products and models offered by the corporation, whose purpose is to furnish consulting and related products and services to Major League Baseball teams. I supervise all operations for Baselogic.

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS (Glenview, IL), Group Technology Counsel, January 2005 - present

I have primary responsibility for all patent, trade secret, and technology-related intellectual property (IP) matters for over 30% of ITW's 800+ business units, including about \$5.5 billion in annual sales, particularly in the areas of polymers and fluids for the automotive, construction, industrial, and consumer markets, strapping equipment, industrial and consumer packaging, printing, coding and decorating technologies, decorative surfaces and laminates, and software. I perform and oversee patent searches and opinions, and strategize about filing, prosecuting, maintaining, licensing, and litigating patent cases around the world. I negotiate, draft, and review technology-related agreements, and I perform and supervise IP due diligence for approximately 10-20 acquisitions per year. For several years I also managed all trademark, copyright, domain name, and related IP issues for my assigned business units, including a global trademark portfolio of approximately 5000 registrations.

PANDUIT CORPORATION (Tinley Park, IL), Patent Attorney, June 2000 - March 2004

I handled patent applications, office actions, appeals, prior art and novelty searching, clearance opinions, design-around, and litigation management for cases involving electro-mechanical technologies, such as electrical and fiber optic connectors, network racks and accessories, patch panels, network reconfiguration systems, cable routing raceway, junction boxes, cable ties and application tools, labeling and printers.

FITCH, EVEN, TABIN & FLANNERY (Chicago, IL), Clerk, Associate and Partner, May 1992 - March 2000

I handled patent and trademark applications, office actions, infringement, patentability, and clearance opinions, licensing, searching and various litigations and other adversarial proceedings for a variety of clients, involving electrical connectors and terminals, food packaging, electronic games, automotive and refrigeration systems, medical and scientific equipment, cellular phones, railroad cars, etc.

AMERICAN UMPIRES CORP. (Des Plaines, IL), Umpire, May 1989 - August 1991

I umpired for baseball leagues of varying levels, including Little League, high school leagues, and American Legion.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, DEPT. OF GEN. ENGINEERING (Urbana, IL), Research Assistant, Summer 1990

I created algorithms to optimize various design parameters of performance systems given utility-based equations for modeling related parameters and/or subsystems. Automobile bumpers and sailboat masts were primary among the systems considered.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, DEPT. OF MATH (Urbana, IL), Grader, August 1988 - May 1989

I graded tests and homework assignments for students in several calculus classes.

NORTHBROOK YMCA (Northbrook, IL), Baseball Instructor and Camp Counselor, Summer 1988

I served as a sports camp counselor for 3rd grade boys and a baseball instructor for the entire camp.

Professional Registrations and Associations

- Registered Official (Umpire) for Baseball, Illinois High School Association (IHSA) 1989-2002
- Admitted to Illinois State Bar in 1993; registered as Patent Attorney with U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in 1994
- Co-Chair of Intellectual Property Committee of Young Lawyers' Section of Chicago Bar Association from 1997-1999
- Member of Chicago Bar Association, Intellectual Property Law Association of Chicago, and American Intellectual Property Law Association

Personal Interests

- Interested and active in baseball modeling and statistics since 1976
- Creator and Commissioner for over 50 non-standard fantasy sports leagues, games, and contests, for MLB, NFL, NBA, and NCAA Basketball
- Season ticket holder for MLB team for last 17 seasons, with approximately 800 MLB games personally attended
- Played organized baseball through high school

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