



A Rapid Technical Expert Search with Multi-Million-Dollar Results

Experienced litigators who handle high-stakes intellectual property disputes know that the difference between a strong argument and a winning case often comes down to expert testimony, but quickly finding the perfect expert witness can often be a challenge. This fast-moving matter centered on highly technical systems, and early expert engagement proved critical.

The Case Challenge

Counsel approached IMS Legal Strategies with an urgent technical expert search request to support a dispute involving alleged patent infringement and trade secret misappropriation related to specialized industrial natural gas processing technology. They required an expert with deep engineering knowledge, familiarity with complex system design, and the ability to evaluate and clearly explain patent claims.

In addition to specific technical qualifications, the expert requirements included strong litigation experience, both deposition and trial testimony, and communication skills necessary to translate complex concepts to a jury. Timing was also a critical factor; counsel needed viable expert candidates within days, not weeks.

The Expert Solution

Within one day of the initial consultation, our technology expert witness search team presented the first highly qualified candidate, possessing a PhD in chemical engineering and industry experience in the design and operation of petrochemical distillation columns, including those that remove light gases. His significant litigation experience, sound communication skills, and technical background closely aligned with the case requirements.

Following a successful initial interview, the client team noted the expert's ability to clearly articulate dense topics and connect with a legal audience. While IMS also presented an additional candidate with an even closer technical match, counsel ultimately determined that the first expert's combination of courtroom presence and practical expertise made him the stronger choice.

After a second interview with the full litigation team, they decided to move forward the same day. The expert was formally retained shortly thereafter, two weeks from the original request.

The Outcome

Nearly two years later, the case culminated in a decisive jury verdict in favor of the client, resulting in a multi-million-dollar award. Despite the opposing side presenting internal witnesses and a damages expert witness, they did not offer an independent technical expert, placing even greater emphasis on the quality of the expert we helped the client secure.

Post-trial feedback reinforced the impact of that decision. Counsel reported that the expert's testimony was instrumental in shaping the jury's understanding of the technical issues and was widely viewed as a key factor in securing the favorable outcome.

Experienced Engineering Expert Witnesses for IP Litigation

In patent and trade secret disputes, technical accuracy alone is not enough. Your expert must also be credible and courtroom-ready. IMS combines decades of expert recruiting experience with proprietary AI-assisted search methodologies to identify experts who meet both the scientific and strategic demands of your case.

Our technology expert witness services team promptly delivers candidates with the precise technical background, industry experience, and testimony skills needed to clarify arguments from early case development through trial. When your matter involves proprietary technology and complex patent claims, contact us to secure proven expertise that drives results.

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