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**AREAS OF FOCUS**

Chemical  
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Mr. Roedel engages in a wide ranging intellectual property practice, including litigation, chemical patent preparation and prosecution, and antitrust cases. He has developed substantial expertise in chemical and chemical engineering patent matters, both organic and inorganic. His prosecution, counseling and litigation practice has ranged over an exceptional wide range of chemical and chemical engineering subject matter including organic synthesis, catalysis, electrochemistry, polymers, protein chemistry, immunoassays, chromatography, sulfuric acid technology, chemical engineering separations and process design, process control, photochemistry and lithography.

Mr. Roedel is a member of the Missouri Bar Association, the American Bar Association, the Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis and the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

Mr. Roedel was selected for inclusion in the 2012 edition of *The Best Lawyers in America*® (Copyright 2011 by Woodward/White, Inc., of Aiken, S.C.) and had previously been selected in 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, and 2011.

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

In addition to his commitment to Senniger Powers, Mr. Roedel is an adjunct assistant professor of patent law at Saint Louis University. He is a member of the St. Louis Community College Building Corporation Board and is Past President of the St. Louis Community College Board of Trustees. He has also served on the St. Louis Community College Foundation Board. He is a member of Phi Alpha Delta, Alpha Sigma Nu and Tau Beta Pi.

Mr. Roedel was a participant in a Roundtable discussion of patent quality held in Los Angeles on Monday, May 10, under the sponsorship of the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO).

**EDUCATION**

University of Notre Dame (B.S., Chemical Engineering, 1959)  
Saint Louis University (J.D., 1969)

**BAR INFORMATION**

Missouri  
United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri  
United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri  
United States Courts of Appeal for the Federal, Seventh, Eighth, and Eleventh Circuits, United States Supreme Court  
United States Patent and Trademark Office

**PUBLISHED ARTICLES**

A Sow's Ear; Importance of Patent Quality After KSR, BNA's Patent, Trademark, & Copyright Journal, June 1, 2007  
Intellectual Property Due Diligence, Missouri Bar Journal, 1997