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Howard & Howard Bolsters Las Vegas Office With IP Litigator

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Law360, New York (September 11, 2017, 4:37 PM EDT) -- [Howard & Howard Attorneys PLLC](#) has bolstered its Las Vegas office with the addition of a former [Lewis Roca Rothgerber Christie LLP](#) attorney who specializes in intellectual property litigation, entertainment law and commercial litigation.

Jonathan W. Fountain joined the firm as a senior attorney on Aug. 15, he told Law360 in an emailed statement on Monday. The firm announced his arrival on Aug. 22.

Fountain said he was attracted to the firm by several things.

“First, the firm is very entrepreneurial and lawyers actively collaborate to win business and share work and client matters freely,” he said. “Second, the lawyers are very friendly and genuine. Mark Davis, the CEO, and Art Rogers, the head of our Nevada office, really made me feel welcome and valued. Third, the firm's finances are transparent.”



Jonathan W. Fountain

Fountain has litigated hundreds of IP cases in Nevada federal court, and has dedicated much of his practice to obtaining orders for the seizure of counterfeit goods that are displayed at various trade shows in Las Vegas, according to the firm.

Fountain focuses his practice on trademark-, copyright-, patent-, trade secret- and entertainment-related litigation, mostly in the federal courts, he told Law360, adding that most of his clients come from the gaming, hospitality and entertainment industries.

Fountain has extensive experience securing and executing orders to seize counterfeit goods at Las Vegas trade shows. He has obtained seizures of [Nike](#) brand shoes from a counterfeiter at the 2017 World Shoe Association, counterfeit Krill oil products at the 2016 SupplySide West trade show and counterfeit TOYO brand tires at the 2014 SEMA trade show, among others.

In addition, he has significant experience in patent, trademark, copyright, trade secret and internet and domain name — also known as cybersquatting — litigation, as well as litigation involving commercial, employment and antitrust matters.

Fountain earned his law degree from the University of Michigan Law School and his undergraduate degree from the University of Nevada, according to the firm. He is admitted to practice law in Michigan and Nevada.

In addition to its Las Vegas location, the firm also has offices in Ann Arbor and Royal Oak, Michigan; Chicago and Peoria, Illinois; and Los Angeles.

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