Alan Herda Shortlisted for LMG Life Sciences Americas Award

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Haynes Boone Partner Alan Herda, chair of the firm's IP Department, has been shortlisted for the annual LMG Life Sciences Awards Americas 2022 in the Patent Strategy Attorney of the Year - South category.

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Alan builds domestic and foreign patent portfolios for clients. He prepares and prosecutes U.S. and foreign utility patent applications covering a wide range of technologies. Alan conducts patentability, freedom-to-operate, validity, and infringement investigations, and prepares related opinion letters. He also supports IP litigation, including patent infringement and trade secret misappropriation cases, by conducting due diligence and infringement, validity, and claim construction analyses. Alan has successfully prosecuted patent reexaminations during concurrent patent infringement litigation.

In addition to utility patents, Alan's practice includes a focus on design law. He has obtained design patents and registrations worldwide covering a variety of consumer products, industrial components, and computer-implemented designs.

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