# USPTO Commissioner for Trademarks Mary Boney Denison joins IPLAC roundtable discussion in Chicago

Mary Boney Denison, the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office Commissioner for Trademarks, visited Chicago on June 1 to discuss current developments and topics in trademark law and policy, as well as recent USPTO initiatives. Banner & Witcoff shareholder Richard S. Stockton played a key role in organizing the event, hosted by the Intellectual Property Law Association of Chicago and held at the University Club in Chicago.

Denison was appointed in December 2014, and now oversees all aspects of the USPTO's trademarks organization, including policy, operations and budget related to trademark examination, registration and maintenance.



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