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David is a partner in the Intellectual Property and Litigation department of Allen & Overy Paris. David is an experienced patent litigator, whose practice concentrates primarily on complex and cross-border intellectual property disputes.

David's practice focuses primarily on patent cases, in which he also advises on validity and freedom to operate issues. David has notably represented leading actors in the patent wars of the telecommunications sector, as well as numerous pharmaceutical companies in proceedings against generics.

David has also become a specialist of the interplay between intellectual property and competition law, and is regularly invited to speak at industry conferences on this topic. As such, he recently drafted the French Chapter of The second edition of the Intellectual and Antitrust Review.

David publishes regularly in the field of patent law. He notably co-authored the training manual for future UPC judges.

David is the president of the Association des Praticiens Européens de Brevets (European Patent Practitioners' Association) and used to serve on the board Intellectual Property Lawyers Association.

"Leading Individual."
Legal 500 EMEA 2021 – France (INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY - PATENTS)

"First choice in France."
Juve – France, 2020

David Por is well reputed for his contentious IP practice, frequently acting for clients on both domestic and cross-border patent infringement proceedings. Sources are full of praise, with one remarking: "Everything is of the highest quality."
Chambers Global/Europe 2020 - France (Intellectual Property)
"David Por is the figurehead on the high-technology side, recently fighting the corners of Samsung Electronics France and Archos. He is an expert at the intersection of IP and competition law."
IAM Patent 1000 2020 - France

David Por - Ranked Gold in litigation
IAM Patent 1000 2020 - France