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Agenda

- ▶ Quick Review of the Basics
 - ❖ What is an IPR?
 - ❖ How does the patent owner win?
- ▶ Preparing IPR Defenses From the Start
 - ❖ Invention Disclosure
 - ❖ Claim Drafting
 - ❖ Specification Drafting
 - ❖ Prosecution

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The Basics

- ▶ What is an IPR?
 - ❖ Patentability trial at the PTAB
 - ❖ Alternative forum to district court
 - ❖ Conducted primarily on paper
 - ❖ Typically 18-month timespan

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