



Registered Patent Attorney Opportunity in Small Molecule Chemistry

[Raphael Bellum PLLC](#), a growing IP law firm with offices in Washington, D.C. and Falls Church, Virginia, seeks an experienced Registered Patent Attorney with a strong background in small molecule chemistry to join our dynamic Chemical/Life Sciences group.

About the Role

As a key member of our IP practice, you will have the opportunity to work on complex patent matters, collaborate with clients and colleagues, and contribute to the growth and success of our firm. Your responsibilities will include:

- Counseling clients and working with inventors to develop innovative patent strategies for small molecules, including solid state forms
- Evaluating inventions and drafting patent applications
- Managing large multinational dockets and coordinating with foreign counsel
- Analyzing patent materials and providing opinions on freedom-to-operate, invalidity, and non-infringement
- Participating in corporate transactions involving IP

Requirements

- Advanced degree (Ph.D. preferred), M.S., or B.S. in Chemistry or a related field
- Registration to practice before the USPTO
- Proven experience managing worldwide prosecution of small molecule drug patent families

What We Offer

- Competitive compensation and benefits, including comprehensive medical, dental, and vision plans with firm-paid options, 401K contribution, Flexible Spending Account (FSA), firm-paid life insurance, firm-paid short- and long-term disability insurance
- Opportunity to work predominantly remotely
- Manageable billable hour requirement
- Collaborative and dynamic work environment
- Professional development opportunities

Our Culture

At Raphael Bellum PLLC, we value innovation, teamwork, and excellence. We are committed to providing exceptional service to our clients and creating a positive and inclusive work environment.

How to Apply

If you are a motivated and experienced Registered Patent Attorney with a strong background in small molecule chemistry, please submit your application, including:

- Send cover letter & resume to Ngoc Fig at ngoc.fig@raphaelbellum.com. We look forward to hearing from you.