

## **TRACEY L. HARRACH**

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Tracey Harrach, an associate with TraskBritt, is a graduate of the S.J. Quinney College of Law at the University of Utah. She is a Registered Patent Attorney and holds a B.S. in Biology and a Minor in Chemistry.

Ms. Harrach worked for Myriad Genetics intellectual property department conducting patentability, patent validity and infringement analysis. Prior to her legal career, Ms. Harrach gained experience in genetics and molecular biology through the study of synaptic transmission defects in *C. elegans*. Ms. Harrach also worked as a Research Technologist developing new methods of RNA extraction useful in determining viral load in HIV and hepatitis patients.

### **Technology Areas**

Chemical & Chemical Process  
Life Sciences  
Medical Devices

### **Areas of Practice**

Patent Prosecution  
Transactional & Licensing  
Trademark

### **Areas of Special Expertise**

Biotechnology

### **Prior Professional Experience**

Law Clerk, Myriad Genetics  
Law Clerk, Thorpe North & Western  
Research Technologist, ARUP, Molecular Hepatitis and Retrovirus Lab  
Research Assistant, University of Utah, Jorgensen Lab  
Teaching Assistant, University of Utah, Genetics and Cell Biology

### **Education**

University of Utah, B.S in Biology, Minor in Chemistry  
Undergraduate Research Symposium Award  
Honors Program and Member, Phi Kappa Phi

University of Utah, Juris Doctor

### **Bar Admissions**

U.S. Patent & Trademark Office  
Utah Bar

### **Court Admissions**

Utah Supreme Court  
U.S. District Court, District of Utah

### **Publications**

Davis, Hammarlund, Harrach. "Rapid Single Nucleotide Polymorphism Mapping in *C. elegans*," *BMC Genomics*, 6:118 (2005).