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## The Power Of Design Patents Kevin Prince

As an inventor, you should understand patents and what type of patent makes the most sense for your situation. Do you know the difference between utility patents and design patents? Design patents are an under-utilized type of patent that might help you protect your invention while saving you money on patent fees. Not only do they have a high 95% allowance rate but they are examined more quickly by the USPTO and cost thousands of dollars less than utility patents. However, they're not always the right choice, so it's important to understand when to use design patents, and when not to.

Accordingly, Kevin Prince, a USPTO Registered Patent Agent who can prosecute US patent applications to issuance the same as a patent attorney, will present a detailed explanation on the benefits of design patents over utility patents and the power they can provide. Meeting attendance will provide a good foundation on when it is best to use design patents to protect your invention.

Kevin Prince is an inventor having four US patents. Through his company Quick Patents in Las Vegas, NV, he has obtained over 2,700 patents for his clients since 2005. In 1990 in Orange County, California he co-founded Inventors Forum, a non-profit educational inventors group that is still going strong today. Contact Kevin at <a href="mailto:kevin@quickpatents.com">kevin@quickpatents.com</a> and visit his website at <a href="mailto:www.quickpatents.com">www.quickpatents.com</a>.

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