

**2022 ACPC Summer Meeting
Whova Live Poll Results**

Tuesday, June 14

Outside Counsel Engagement and Fee Structures

8:15 AM

1. Do you use any alternative fee arrangements for outside patent prep/pros work?
51 answers

Yes	40
No	11

2. Do you use any alternative fee arrangements for outside patent litigation and/or IPR work? 44 answers

Yes	27
No	17

3. What types of AFAs do you use for USPTO patent matters? 48 answers

Fixed Fees	25
Capped Fees	15
Blended Rates	3
Volume Discounts	4
Blended Prosecution	1
Success Fees	0

4. For those that have used AFAs for IPR or patent litigation, have you used?
34 answers

Contingent or Success Fees	9
Flat or Fixed Fees	9
Capped or Collared Fees	10
Performance-based Holdbacks	6

5. Have you or your adversary used litigation funding for patent litigation?
44 answers

Yes	16
No	28