

A merger of IP professionals

Clarivate Analytics, a global leader in providing trusted insights and analytics to accelerate the pace of innovation, has continued to strengthen its organisation with the acquisition of Darts-ip, a leading provider of case law data and analytics for intellectual property (IP) professionals. Recently awarded best legal tech company by Trends Legal Awards in Belgium, Darts-ip's case law data and supporting analytics solutions will be offered alongside Clarivate's trusted patent, trademark and domain data and solutions, across Derwent™, CompuMark™ and MarkMonitor™, to help companies make smarter, faster decisions, as Jeff Roy, President of the Intellectual Property Group at Clarivate Analytics, explains.

Clarivate Analytics was formed when the IP & Science business of Thomson Reuters was acquired by two private equity groups in 2016. "Since then, we have evolved in truly significant ways—first by investing in cutting-edge technology, such as image recognition, and building out our unique content sets," says Mr. Roy. "Within our IP Group, we're helping customers monetise their investments in innovation and simultaneously mitigate the business risks associated with the resulting intellectual property that is created from those investments."

Clarivate today is a publicly-traded company with more than 4,300

colleagues in over 40 countries worldwide. "And we're just getting started," Mr. Roy emphasises. "We're gearing up to make more significant investments to better support our customers, with our most recent acquisition of Darts-ip serving as a great example."

Mr. Roy is President of the IP Group at Clarivate Analytics, which combines market-leading product and technology, unique data sets and excellent service to ensure customers are in the best position to mitigate risk and confidently monetize their IP assets. The business has grown both organically and through

acquisitions over the years. "We are currently investing in innovative technology such as artificial intelligence, image recognition and workflow solutions to boost our market-leading products and unique data sets," Mr. Roy explains. "Meanwhile, our unique data sets remain fundamental to delivering upon our promises to our clients. We have a wealth of experts dedicated to data acquisition, cleansing and content curation across patents, trademarks and domains to support faster, more informed decision-making."

The acquisition of Darts-ip global case law data enhances their core offerings and enables them to deliver an entirely new content set to Clarivate's existing CompuMark, Derwent and MarkMonitor customers. "This provides additional context and insight into IP assets through the lens of case law data," Mr. Roy explains. "Looking ahead, there's great potential here for deeper analytics and insights into trends across industries, geographies and more."

Mr. Roy believes that whether within Clarivate Analytics' or Darts-ip's products and services, the unique combination of Darts-ip global case law data and Clarivate's market-leading trademark, patent and domain solutions will provide IP professionals with the most comprehensive view into intellectual property matters available globally.



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