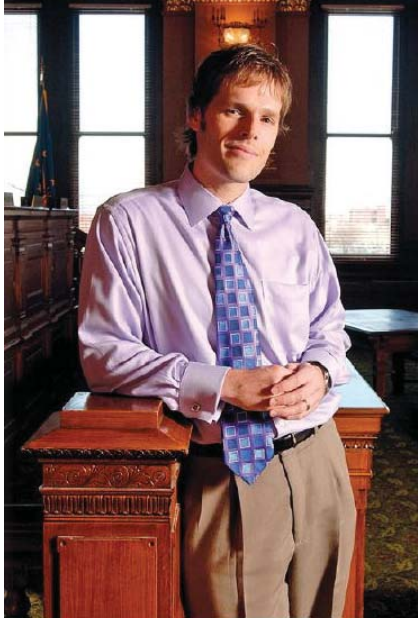




# INDIANA LAWYER

## Indiana Lawyer's Leadership in Law Award



### **Jonathan Faber**

President, CMG Worldwide

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Jonathan Faber works with celebrities every day. His company, CMG Worldwide, manages the intellectual property interests of famous brands, trademarks, and celebrities - including Marilyn Monroe, James Dean, and Sophia Loren. He joined the company in 1997 and became president in 2003.

He is an in-demand expert witness in cases involving famous musicians, actors, and brands. He testified at a jury trial in Los Angeles that was covered by Court TV in which the jury award was in line with Faber's valuation and testimony. Since 2004, he has been an adjunct professor of law at the Indiana University School of Law - Indianapolis, teaching a course he created entitled, "The Right of Publicity."

Faber has created or contributed to continuing legal education programs for the Indianapolis Bar Association and ICLEF, as well as written and contributed to articles to various national industry publications. He's often provided commentary to various media sources as legal spokesperson for CMG Worldwide and as a professor in a unique area of the law.

Faber feels strongly about mentoring and works with undergrad and graduate classes at Ball State University, Indiana University, IU Kelley School of Business and both IU law schools. As a musician, he has performed for children at schools, children's sessions at local bookstores, and contributed on a gratis basis a song he wrote and recorded for a local upstart publisher. He also provides pro bono work for low-income songwriters who need legal representation.

His role models include his mother for her work ethic, determination, and judiciousness, his father for his intellectual curiosity, diverse and superior skills in various disciplines, and commitment to doing things with precision; and Lee McNeely, of McNeely Stephenson Thopy & Harrold, for demonstrating not only what a lawyer can be but what a leader should be.