



Technology Transactions and Strategic Sourcing

Our global technology transactions and strategic sourcing lawyers have the market knowledge, legal experience and global presence to provide you with the highest quality legal services throughout the world.

Recognized by the legal directories as one of the preeminent practices and with vast global reach, our technology transactions and strategic sourcing practice concentrates on complex transactions and multi-party, high-value project work which frequently spans multiple jurisdictions. We focus on the development, protection, exploitation and use of intellectual property and technology-related assets through the stages of a company's growth, as well as the sourcing of strategic assets and services for use in a company's operations.

Our team has deep industry experience in a variety of sectors, allowing us to provide practical advice and innovative solutions along with market leading technical know-how. Our clients range from emerging companies to large global corporations.

Core areas include:

- Cloud computing
- e-Commerce
- IP development
- Licensing
- Open source
- Outsourcing
- Procurement
- Strategic alliances and joint ventures
- Technology transactions
- Telecommunications

Our proprietary ASCENDANT methodology and its associated unique software tools continue to differentiate us in the market and allow us to deliver services cost efficiently to clients around the globe.

Our **Global Sourcing Portal** is an information gateway for both private and public companies that are involved with strategic sourcing initiatives including the outsourcing of key operations. Clients use the Global Sourcing Portal to access a range of proprietary tools that DLA Piper has developed while working on some of the world's largest, most complex

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sourcing projects. These tools include:

Sourcing Contract Dashboard - An interactive, web-based contract assessment and reporting tool that answers the question “how good is this outsourcing contract compared to the market?”

Requirements Builder - An interactive tool that streamlines the critical “requirements capture” process at the start of outsourcing projects.

EXPERIENCE

- Advising one of Ireland's "pillar banks", on its outsourcing of core IT infrastructure services (following a competitive procurement process involving Atos, HP, HCL Technologies and IBM). We advised the bank throughout the process to final contract award and have since advised the bank on a number of other major sourcing engagements.
- Advising the world's largest travel and tourism company on the outsourcing of its IT, networks and main frame services to Dell, Wipro, T-Systems and IBM.
- Representing one of the world's largest beverage companies in connection with the global outsourcing of the company's finance, accounting, human resources and related information technology processes and functions in a deal valued at US\$350 million. This US- based deal involved UK and some additional European companies.
- Handling the strategic sourcing of certain call-center functions along with a complex transformation-driven outsourcing of a US-based telecommunications client's global order management functions. The transaction value was more than US\$350 million.
- Advising an Australian Government Department in relation to the outsourcing of the management of the Australian Synchrotron to the Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation.
- Advising a leading Brazilian investment bank on their acquisition of the GlobeNet submarine cable network from Brazilian telecoms operator Oi in July 2013. At around US\$750 million this was one of the largest ever submarine cable acquisitions and our involvement focused on the critical capacity leaseback contract as well as on all the US regulatory elements.
- Advising a global Bank on the outsourcing of its worldwide payroll services, temp/permanent recruitment, and learning/training functions (combined value in excess of US\$1 billion).

NOVEDADES

Publicaciones

Commerce issues Temporary General License for Huawei

22 MAY 2019

The Temporary General License is a brief reprieve.

Navigating China: The digital journey

21 MAY 2019

China's cybersecurity regulators are now taking their first steps to verify organisations' (including foreign businesses') compliance with China's cybersecurity laws. As anticipated, the focus is on businesses that have an online presence in China.

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SECTORES RELACIONADOS

- Servicios bancarios y financieros
- Energía
- Hostelería y ocio
- Insurance

Law à la Mode: Beauty Trends: 5 Key Beauty M&A deals; Street art and fashion; Word from the industry's mouth; The rise in innovative retail services; and more

20 MAY 2019

LAW À LA MODE SERIES

The Moroccan editorial team is delighted to bring you the 28th edition of Law à la Mode, the quarterly legal magazine produced by DLA Piper's Consumer Goods & Retail Sector Group for clients and contacts of the firm worldwide.

Trump issues Executive Order on securing information and communications technology and services – key points

16 MAY 2019

The order is issued pursuant to the National Emergencies Act and the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, the latter creating potential civil and criminal liability for those violating EOs and regulations issued under its authority - liabilities that can expand to include those who facilitate a violation.

CCPA update: The California Assembly Privacy Committee begins smoothing some rough edges

26 APR 2019

The California Assembly Privacy and Consumer Protection Committee has begun the important work of clarifying significant ambiguities in the California Consumer Privacy Act.

Digital asset regulation: SEC suggests possible path from security to non-security

25 APR 2019

Examining the concept that digital assets can reach a tipping point – an “evolutionary moment” in their development – where they transform from a security to a non-security.

Blockchain and Digital Assets News and Trends

24 APR 2019

The inaugural issue looks at the SEC's Digital Guidance Framework and No Action Letter and covers the latest legal developments in blockchain technology, smart contracts and digital assets.

EU Policy & Regulatory Alert - EU Publishes Artificial Intelligence Ethics Guidelines

12 APR 2019

On 8 April 2019, the EU's High-Level Expert Group ("AI HLEG") on Artificial Intelligence ("AI") published the much-anticipated "Ethics Guidelines for Trustworthy AI", setting out a horizontal framework for the development and deployment of ethical and robust AI systems across the EU

So you want to go digital...

11 APR 2019

This article assists businesses in identifying the core issues that must be addressed to ensure the legal sufficiency of transactions conducted on eSignature platforms.

FDIC highlights common deficiencies in technology vendor contracts

5 APR 2019

An indicator that not only the FDIC but other regulators may focus more intently on ambiguity of roles and rights in bank contracts during future examinations.

The future of DOD contracting

1 APR 2019

A review of an array of factors, from commercial buying and cybersecurity to "Other Transaction" authority and the recently established Army Futures Command.

eSignature and ePayment News and Trends

30 APR 2019

[ESIGNATURE AND EPAYMENT NEWS AND TRENDS](#)

In this issue, Washington state moves closer to ESIGN, plus the latest developments from the legislatures, the regulators and the courts.

eSignature and ePayment News and Trends

29 MAR 2019

[ESIGNATURE AND EPAYMENT NEWS AND TRENDS](#)

In this issue, the new prepaid rule may affect virtual currency wallet providers, plus the latest developments from the legislatures, the regulators and the courts.

March 2019 - Key issues in brand cross-licensing in China

20 MAR 2019

In recent years, Chinese brands have been increasingly gaining global recognition, especially in the technology, ecommerce, and consumer goods sectors. In this context, an increased number of foreign businesses are considering branded partnerships with a Chinese counterparty as a way of operating in China (e.g., co-branded joint venture). In recent years, Chinese brands have been increasingly gaining global recognition, especially in the technology, ecommerce, and consumer goods sectors. In this context, an increased number of foreign businesses are considering branded partnerships with a Chinese counterparty as a way of operating in China (e.g., co-branded joint venture).

New Year, New Regulations: Cyberspace Administration of China launches new blockchain regulatory framework

4 MAR 2019

You may need to comply with new regulations if you use Blockchain technology to conduct your business in mainland China. The "Regulations for Managing Blockchain Information Service" take effect on 15 February 2019. The new regulations encourage Blockchain industry organisations to enhance self-discipline and establish sound industry standards.

eSignature and ePayment News and Trends

28 FEB 2019

ESIGNATURE AND EPAYMENT NEWS AND TRENDS

In this issue, digitally complying with data breach notification laws, plus the latest developments from the legislatures, the regulators and the courts.

Digitally complying with data breach notification laws: a little planning goes a long way

28 FEB 2019

Can you send an electronic data breach notice?

Data privacy law: the top global developments in 2018 and what 2019 may bring

25 FEB 2019

In 2018, the world saw numerous significant privacy law developments, a trend that is continuing in 2019.

Explainability: where AI and liability meet

25 FEB 2019

Makers and users of AI face a new and interesting problem: what is the acceptable tradeoff between explanation and accuracy?

Sharpen your pencils: California AG's Office announces start of its important CCPA pre-rulemaking and schedule for issuing its important CCPA rules

13 FEB 2019

Because the CCPA is littered with drafting errors and confusing definitions, this AG rulemaking is extremely important.

DLA Piper GDPR data breach survey: February 2019

6 FEB 2019

On 25 May 2018 new data breach notification laws came into force across Europe which fundamentally changed the risk profile for organizations suffering a personal data breach.

Under the EU General Data Protection Regulation - 'GDPR' - personal data breaches which are likely to result in a risk of harm to affected individuals must be notified to data regulators. Where the breach is likely to result in a high risk of harm, affected individuals must also be notified.

Contracting for Transformative Benefits

06 FEB 2019

Much of the talk in the sourcing market is - and has been over the past couple of years - about transformation, especially of the digital nature. For some, any initiative under the digital transformation banner is seen as the panacea to numerous business and operational challenges.

Fairness by Design

31 JAN 2019

The "net impression" created by the consumer's entire online interaction with a site will be reviewed by regulators and the courts when evaluating regulatory compliance.

US and Australian regulators enter into FinTech cooperation agreement

24 JAN 2019

At the heart of the agreement is a desire to enhance mutual understanding about FinTech regulatory issues, identify market developments, promote innovation and encourage use of technology in market oversight.

5 antitrust trends to watch in 2019

14 JAN 2019

2018 was a memorable year for antitrust law and all signs point to 2019 being equally memorable.

2018: the year in privacy

3 JAN 2019

A landmark year in state consumer privacy legislation.

CCPA: risk of class actions makes early preparation imperative

21 DEC 2018

Failure to address risk mitigation now could lead to significant liability if a company is breached following the CCPA's January 1, 2020 effective date.

12th Annual Women in IP Law Seminar on patents and big data

21 DEC 2018

DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology group hosted its twelfth annual Women in IP Law CLE Luncheon at the Four

Seasons Silicon Valley in November.

***Alice* in Wonderland: navigating the strange world of patenting AI**

21 DEC 2018

Like the bottle labeled DRINK ME, certain techniques can make the trip through the AI-patent rabbit hole more scalable.

The European Data Protection Board issues long-awaited guidelines on the territorial scope of the GDPR

30 NOV 2018

Among other provisions, the Guidelines concern GDPR's application to entities in the EU even when they process personal data of persons outside the EU.

Device manufacturers have a little over a year to prepare for the first state law regulating the security of Internet of Things devices

27 NOV 2018

California law will require manufacturers of most Internet of Things and Bluetooth connected devices to implement one or more "reasonable security features" by January 1, 2020.

BIS wants your help with emerging technology export controls

26 NOV 2018

The Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS) has issued an Advance Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (ANPRM) requesting public comment on identifying "emerging technology."

Law à la Mode: Word of the industry's mouth; Enforcement of IP rights through Ukrainian customs register; E-commerce in Poland; The development of artificial intelligence in the fashion industry; and more

26 NOV 2018

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The US editorial team is delighted to bring you the 27th edition of *Law à la Mode*, the quarterly legal magazine produced by DLA Piper's Retail Sector Group for clients and contacts of the firm worldwide.

Security breach notification and reporting requirements are now in force under Canada's *PIPEDA*

13 NOV 2018

PIPEDA's obligations are now in force, including detailed regulations relating to breach notification and reporting. *PIPEDA* may apply to US organizations when there is a "real and substantial connection" with Canada.

Spanish government to introduce new digital services tax

1 NOV 2018

The proposed DST will apply only when the user's digital devices are located in Spain.

How technical touchpoints can ensnare foreign cryptocurrency companies

29 OCT 2018

Useful guideposts for overseas companies assessing whether they are exposed to US securities laws.

Record-breaking \$16 million settlement for potential HIPAA violations

22 OCT 2018

The settlement should be viewed as a clear message that OCR will continue to enforce HIPAA vigorously in the Trump era.

Section 301 additional tariffs on imports of Chinese products: options for high tech and manufacturing companies

3 OCT 2018

Additional tariffs of 10 percent or 25 percent have been imposed on three different lists of thousands of imports from China. Companies can request exclusion from these tariffs.

California mandates female board directors for publicly held companies

1 OCT 2018

California becomes the first state in the US to mandate gender diversity in the corporate boardroom, but the law may face legal challenges.

Intellectual Property and Technology News (Asia Pacific) September 2018

27 SEP 2018

[INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND TECHNOLOGY NEWS SERIES](#)

Intellectual Property and Technology News (Asia Pacific) is our annual publication designed to report on worldwide developments in intellectual property and technology law, offering perspectives, analysis and visionary ideas.

How blockchain, Internet of Things and smart contracts improve the supply chain

27 SEP 2018

Incorporating three key technologies into the supply chain can significantly improve profitability while reducing risk.

Copyright in esports: a top-heavy power structure, but is it legally sound?

27 SEP 2018

Central to the esports industry are novel intellectual property issues arising from the structure of the esports ecosystem.

Embedding content: uncertainty about the Copyright Statute undermines digital media

27 SEP 2018

Companies creating digital content have to more carefully weigh the potential risks of embedding copyrighted content into their sites.

Argentina introduces VAT on digital services

24 SEP 2018

VAT is triggered by the "digital services" rendered by a non-resident to a resident individual or entity, when the effective use or exploitation of the service takes place inside Argentina.

Remote notarization: authentication requirements, by US state

14 SEP 2018

A high-level summary of remote notarization laws by US state.

California amends Consumer Privacy Act to clarify exemptions and fix some technical deficiencies, but significant work remains

10 SEP 2018

SB 1121 clarifies only a handful of the dozens of drafting ambiguities and drafting errors in the CCPA.

OCC supplements process for fintechs seeking to become Special Purpose National Banks: key takeaways

7 AUG 2018

An SPNB will be subject to the laws, rules, regulations and federal supervision that apply to all national banks as well as

additional requirements, meaning that becoming an SPNB is a very substantial undertaking.

Electronic Signatures: The element of intent in the digital environment

23 JUL 2018

Failure to establish intent means that while the person's actions may manifest assent to, or agreement with, a record, the record has not been signed.

New changes to California's Automatic Renewal Law

5 JUL 2018

The newly amended ARL puts into effect additional requirements to what is arguably the country's stiffest consumer-protection law focused on subscription-style plans.

Artificial Intelligence, Robotics and Automation Brochure

5 JUL 2018

An insight on the potential benefits and challenges of implementing AI, RPA and robotics within a business.

California privacy law poised to alter US privacy landscape

28 JUN 2018

A major development in privacy law.

Russia's new VAT rules on cross-border e-commerce services: key points for B2B service providers

14 JUN 2018

Russia has introduced new value-added tax (VAT) rules pertaining to certain cross-border e-commerce services.

The rise of the "Crypto Czar," the fall of a "blockchain evangelist," and other crypto developments

12 JUNE 2018

Three legal developments and their implications for the blockchain and cryptocurrency communities.

May a power of attorney be electronically executed?

24 MAY 2018

Exploring the relationship between a power of attorney and the state and federal laws governing the use of electronic records and

signatures.

eSignature and ePayment News and Trends

24 MAY 2018

[ESIGNATURE AND EPAYMENT NEWS AND TRENDS](#)

In this issue, can a power of attorney be electronically signed? Plus news on federal and state law, federal and state regulatory activities, fresh judicial precedent and more.

Law à la Mode: Social Media Influencers & Effective Disclosures, IP and E-Commerce: Your basic checklist, Longchamp's Handbag Copyright Saga, IP Protection of Fashion Shows in Italy and more

21 MAY 2018

[LAW À LA MODE SERIES](#)

The UK editorial team is delighted to bring you this special edition of Law à la Mode, produced by DLA Piper's Retail Sector group for distribution to clients and contacts of the firm worldwide and marking the 140th Annual Meeting of INTA in Seattle.

A short primer on applicable US eSignature laws

2 MAY 2018

Two bodies of law in the United States generally govern the legality of electronic signatures and electronic records: the Electronic Signature in Global and National Commerce Act (ESIGN) and state adoption of the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA). Here is a quick look at each of them, plus notes on other selected laws governing digital transactions.

A short primer on applicable US eSignature laws

2 MAY 2018

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In long-awaited TCPA case, DC appellate panel vacates material sections of FCC's 2015 TCPA order

2 MAY 2018

Because of the federal Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act (ESIGN) and equivalent state laws, companies are delivering important disclosures and other information that traditionally needed to be presented "in writing" electronically instead. In addition, the medium of choice for communicating with consumers electronically is rapidly migrating from email to text messaging. As a result, understanding the requirements of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act (TCPA) are a must. This edition's Insight looks at the most recent judicial examination of the FCC's interpretation of the TCPA.

ONC guide for accessing and using medical records breaks no new ground, instead doubles down on old processes

16 APR 2018

The ONC Guide to Getting and Using your Health Records educates patients on their rights of access and provides detailed instructions on how patients should request their records.

CLOUD Act bolsters US government powers to obtain data stored abroad

12 APR 2018

The CLOUD Act makes clear that government demands for information apply whether the data is stored in the US or abroad.

Section 301 trade action against Chinese products: time for quick action

4 APR 2018

Companies wishing to seek removal of a product from the final list have the opportunity to present their views, but less than two months remain before the window completely closes.

Ninth Circuit concludes threat of future harm is sufficient for Article III standing, joins Sixth, Seventh and DC Circuits

21 MAR 2018

However, all is not lost for companies facing class actions following a data breach.

Private LTE networks – a new user's guide

13 MAR 2018

Our handbook, *Private LTE Networks – A New User's Guide*, is designed to set out basic information that may help you decide whether a private LTE network is right for you.

Industry 4.0. The Fourth Industrial Revolution. The Industrial IoT. IIoT. What are they anyway?

13 MAR 2018

They are different names for what is essentially the same thing – the adoption of new advanced technology and systems by industrial and manufacturing businesses – with a particular emphasis on connectivity.

Hybrid token offerings: the rise of token offerings for venture backed-companies

27 FEB 2018

These hybrid token offerings raise numerous questions for traditional investors.

SEC advises companies to publicly disclose cybersecurity risks and prohibit insider trading around cybersecurity incidents: action steps for public companies

26 FEB 2018

The SEC is emphasizing the importance of "timely disclosures" and of measures to prevent insider trading based upon cyber-risks or incidents.

Top 5 Internet of Things predictions for 2018

7 FEB 2018

What will change in 2018? What should companies do to exploit it? What new legal issues will arise and how shall they be navigated? Below are the personal top 5 predictions on the legal issues that will affect the Internet of Things (IoT) in 2018.

FAA restricts drone operations near seven DOE facilities

20 DEC 2017

UAS operators who violate the restrictions, effective December 29, 2017, may be subject to enforcement action, such as civil penalties and criminal charges.

Law à la Mode: Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality; Insta-worthy or Insta-infringement; E-commerce in Poland; Harnessing hidden advertising; and more

20 DEC 2017

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FAA Aviation Rulemaking Committee: Final Report recommends standards for UAS remote ID and tracking

19 DEC 2017

A positive step that better frames the UAS remote ID and tracking debate.

FAA drone registration authority restored

12 DEC 2017

The FAA's explicit authority to require registration of civilian small unmanned aircrafts is being restored.

While you are celebrating: 4 simple holiday season cyber-readiness steps for Asian businesses

12 DEC 2017

Attacks are more likely to happen during the holiday seasons when a company's key decision makers are on leave and its resources are stretched.

Intellectual Property and Technology News (Asia Pacific) December 2017

7 DEC 2017

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND TECHNOLOGY NEWS SERIES

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China gets tough on commercial bribery, IP and commercial secrets infringements with significant fines under revised law: 5 key changes

16 NOV 2017

China's revised Anti-Unfair Competition Law expands the scope of commercial bribery offenses and introduces offenses for IP, bribery, commercial secrets and other market conduct-related violations.

DOT and FAA's Unmanned Aircraft System Pilot Integration Program: seeking applications from State, Local and Tribal Nation Communities

8 NOV 2017

DOT and FAA are looking for State, Local and Tribal Nation Communities to apply to become one of five selectees generating data and community feedback on UAS operations.

Reminder to service providers: re-register your DMCA agent designation by 12/31/17

26 OCT 2017

Those who fail to submit a new registration via the electronic system by the deadline risks ineligibility for the DMCA's notice and takedown safe harbor protections.

Are banks ready for the Internet of Things revolution?

16 OCT 2017

In the second of our two part series, DLA Piper's lawyers consider how the Internet of Things will lead to new legal issues.

Are banks ready for the Internet of Things revolution?

13 OCT 2017

In the first of a two part series, DLA Piper's lawyers consider whether banks are ready for the Internet of Things revolution and how related developments are set to alter business models in the financial services sector.

FAA restricts drone operations near ten US landmarks

4 OCT 2017

This is the first time FAA has used its authority to restrict UAS flights over Department of the Interior landmarks.

Trade secrets are more important, and trade secret litigation is more common

29 SEP 2017

What do you need to be considering to protect your company in this environment?

Big data may become big antitrust concern

19 SEP 2017

Considering the antitrust implications of the collection and use of big data.

***Robins v. Spokeo, Inc.*: Ninth Circuit rules that plaintiff has standing to pursue FCRA claims**

21 AUG 2017

In the latest development in this closely watched case, the Ninth Circuit finds the named plaintiff has standing to pursue claims in federal court for alleged FCRA violations.

Luxembourg announces new IP tax regime

10 AUG 2017

An interesting option for taxpayers looking to onshore their intangible property to address concerns arising from the BEPS guidelines.

GDPR-ready contract terms: access our standard templates

7 AUG 2017

Together with IRSG, we have created a standard set of template GDPR processor terms intended to meet the requirements of GDPR Article 28 and also build in controller-to-processor standard contractual clauses for restricted transfers.

US lawmakers introduce bill to address cybersecurity flaws in the Internet of Things

4 AUG 2017

The reach of the legislation would be quite broad notwithstanding its limitation to devices placed with government agencies.

IP litigation in Canada: 10 reasons to litigate north of the border

31 JUL 2017

Considering litigation in Canada as part of a global intellectual property strategy.

Intellectual Property and Technology News (North America), Issue 34, Q2 2017

31 JUL 2017

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND TECHNOLOGY NEWS SERIES

Our Intellectual Property and Technology News reports on worldwide developments in IP and technology law, offering perspectives, analysis and visionary ideas.

Colorado adopts new cybersecurity rules applicable to broker-dealers and investment advisors: key features

31 JUL 2017

There is ample flexibility under the rules allowing brokers-dealers and investment advisors to tailor their compliance based upon their business.

Women in IP Law: panel examines divided infringement, cyber-risk

20 DEC 2016

High points from a CLE panel discussion about cutting-edge issues in the IPT space.

Cybersecurity: past is prologue

29 MAR 2016

During 2016, we will likely see another increase in cyberattacks, and we will see cybersecurity being taken more seriously by its potential victims.

US companies: EU data regulation means new oversight

2 DEC 2015

Many US companies are about to experience new regulatory oversight.

DLA Piper's NYDFS Cybersecurity Risk Assessment Accelerator: helping you prepare

24 JUL 2017

The financial services and insurance sectors are facing the need to comply with the New York Department of Financial Services cybersecurity regulation, the most specific cybersecurity regulation in the country to apply to companies that are not critical infrastructure operators. The first deadline for carrying out the regulation's required "foundational risk assessment" is August 28, 2017.

Washington becomes the third state with a biometric privacy law: five key differences

21 JUN 2017

The new Washington law reflects a more nuanced view of biometric data and differs from the Illinois and Texas first-generation laws in five important ways.

Cybersecurity Executive Order escalates cybersecurity to greater priority – top points about critical infrastructure

12 JUN 2017

Strengthening efforts to support the cybersecurity risk management efforts of CI at greatest risk while setting forth an ambitious plan for updating and upgrading federal networks.

NYDFS announces final cybersecurity rules for financial services sector: key takeaways

22 FEB 2017

The Final Rule's reach is very broad and presents operational challenges. It may prompt other states to enact their own rules.

EU: new obligations for digital services providers and operators of essential services

28 JUN 2016

In line with the EU's broader Cyber Security Strategy, the NIS Directive is a significant step towards a more secure cross-border cyberspace with a high shared level of network and information system security.

The blockchain revolution, smart contracts and financial transactions

26 APR 2016

Blockchain-based smart contracts have enormous potential to streamline financial transactions and reduce counterparty risks.

Plan now to use off-band communications during an incident response: key points

27 OCT 2015

A robust IR plan should include communications techniques that operate outside regular company communication methods.

A new test for Mexico's structural changes: antitrust reform – key points in one chart

16 JUN 2014

This entirely new framework should be carefully analyzed by investors in structuring their Mexico-related M&A transactions and managing their existing operations

Eventos

Reciente

TechLaw Event - "M&A for the New Digital Economy"

7 MAR 2019
TechLaw Event Series
Amsterdam

TechLaw Event - Online platforms - beyond playing innocence?

17 JAN 2019
TechLaw Event Series
Amsterdam

TechLaw London 2018

5 DEC 2018
TechLaw Event Series
London

TechLaw Event - Virtual Competition

22 NOV 2018
TechLaw Event Series
Amsterdam

Digital contracting: litigation and enforcement trends

8 NOV 2018
Webinar

Middle East Tech Summit 2018: The Digital Imperative

5 NOV 2018
TechLaw Event Series
Dubai

TechLaw in Germany

14 JUN 2018

TechLaw Event Series
Munich

TechLaw Event - Blockchain

27 MAR 2018
TechLaw Event Series
Amsterdam

TechLaw London 2017

22 NOV 2017
TechLaw Event Series
London

TechLaw Australia 2017

14 NOV 2017
TechLaw Event Series
Sydney

TechLaw Australia 2017

22 JUN 2017
TechLaw Event Series
Melbourne

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DLA Piper announces launch of Artificial Intelligence practice

14 MAY 2019

DLA Piper announced today the launch of its Artificial Intelligence practice, which will focus on assisting companies as they navigate the legal landscape of emerging and disruptive technologies, while helping them understand the legal and compliance risks arising from the creation and deployment of AI systems.

Andrew Serwin joins DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology practice in San Diego

7 MAY 2019

DLA Piper announced today that Andrew Serwin has joined the Data Protection, Privacy and Security subgroup of the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner in San Diego.

DLA Piper lawyers and practices ranked in latest Chambers edition

30 APR 2019

DLA Piper today announced that 158 of the firm's lawyers and 64 of its practices were ranked in *Chambers USA's* 2019 guide.

Thomas Dombrowsky named to NTIA Commerce Spectrum Management Advisory Committee

26 APR 2019

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that Thomas Dombrowsky has been named to the Commerce Spectrum Management Advisory Committee (CSMAC) of the US Department of Commerce's National Telecommunications and Information Administration.

DLA Piper announces partnership promotions for 2019

1 APR 2019

DLA Piper is proud to announce that 77 lawyers have been promoted to its partnership. The promotions are effective as of April 1, 2019 in the United States and May 1, 2019 for EMEA and Asia Pacific. The promotions were made across many of the firm's practice areas in 43 different offices throughout 20 countries.

DLA Piper hosts leading business and diplomacy conference

14 MAR 2019

DLA Piper's London office has hosted the Annual Conference of the International Diplomatic and Business Exchange (IBDE).

Nancy Victory named to the *National Law Journal's* 2019 list of Intellectual Property Trailblazers

4 MAR 2019

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that Nancy Victory, co-chair of the firm's global Telecom practice, has been selected as a 2019 Intellectual Property Trailblazer by the *National Law Journal*.

DLA Piper announces launch of Blockchain and Digital Assets practice

26 FEB 2019

DLA Piper announced today the launch of its Blockchain and Digital Assets practice, which will offer strategic advice on a global basis to address the needs of companies implementing blockchain technology solutions and creating and deploying digital assets.

DLA Piper recognized for fourth consecutive year as a top outsourcing advisor

26 FEB 2019

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that the firm has been selected for the 2019 Best of the World's Best Outsourcing Advisors list by the International Association of Outsourcing Professionals (IAOP).

DLA Piper joins Governing Council for Hedera Hashgraph

20 FEB 2019

DLA Piper has joined the initial group of Governing Council members for Hedera Hashgraph, a next-generation public ledger designed to have highly diversified governance and the most distributed consensus at scale. The announcement was made at Hedera Hashgraph's first annual summit in Seoul, Korea.

As part of the council, DLA Piper will help oversee changes to the software run by millions of Hedera distributed nodes over time. The governing council has been established to ensure stability and guaranteed continued decentralization to the Hedera Hashgraph distributed public ledger.

Michael Furrow and Brian O'Reilly join DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology practice in New York

20 FEB 2019

DLA Piper announced today that Michael Enzo Furrow, Ph.D., and Brian David O'Reilly have joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as partners in New York.

Edward J. McAndrew joins DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology practice in Wilmington and Washington, DC

19 FEB 2019

DLA Piper announced today that Edward J. McAndrew has joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner based in Wilmington and Washington, DC.

DLA Piper bolsters Data Protection practice

4 FEB 2019

DLA Piper in Germany has hired Intellectual Property & Technology of counsel Prof Dr Jürgen Taeger, who joined the firm's Cologne office with effect from 1 February 2019.

Tracy Shapiro joins DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology practice in San Francisco

7 JAN 2019

DLA Piper announced today that Tracy Shapiro has joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner in Northern California.

Michael Jay joins DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology practice in Los Angeles

3 JAN 2019

DLA Piper announced today that Michael Jay has joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner in Los Angeles.

DLA Piper lawyers ranked in *Chambers FinTech*

14 DEC 2018

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that the firm was ranked in the USA Legal 2019 edition of *Chambers FinTech*.

Nancy Victory named a MVP by Law360

12 DEC 2018

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that co-Chair of the global Telecom practice, Nancy Victory, has been named a Law360 MVP.

Five DLA Piper partners recognized in *Variety's* 2018 Dealmakers Impact Report

5 DEC 2018

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that five of its partners have been selected for *Variety's* 2018 Dealmakers Impact Report. The list honors the year's most accomplished dealmakers across all sectors of the entertainment industry who "keep the wheels of Hollywood turning, the content flowing and the money coming in."

David Markman joins DLA Piper's Media, Sport and Entertainment sector in Los Angeles

14 NOV 2018

DLA Piper announced today that David Markman has joined the firm's Media, Sport and Entertainment sector and Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner in Los Angeles, and will also serve as co-chair of the firm's Entertainment Transactions practice.

DLA Piper achieves victory for group of home builders in patent infringement suit

9 NOV 2018

DLA Piper recently achieved a significant victory for Pulte Homes, Inc., Lennar Corporation (formerly The Ryland Group, Inc. and CalAtlantic Homes), Shea Homes, and Taylor Morrison, Inc., defendants in a decade-long patent infringement suit.

Seasoned entertainment and media attorneys Tom Ara and Robert Sherman join DLA Piper as co-chairs of Entertainment Finance practice, Ara to chair Entertainment Transactions practice

25 OCT 2018

DLA Piper announced today that accomplished attorneys Tom Ara and Robert Sherman have joined the firm to lead the Entertainment Finance and Transactions practices based out of the firm's Century City office in Los Angeles.

Larissa Bifano named to the *Massachusetts Lawyers Weekly's* 2018 Top Women in Law list

18 OCT 2018

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that Larissa Bifano, a partner in DLA Piper's Boston office and co-chair of the Patent Prosecution practice, was named to the *Massachusetts Lawyers Weekly's* 2018 Top Women in Law list.

Eric Grossman named to the *Washingtonian* magazine 2018 Tech Titans list

24 SEP 2018

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that Eric Grossman has been named a 2018 Tech Titan on the *Washingtonian* magazine's list of the "the most important and innovative people in Washington's digital economy."

DLA Piper adds Michael Dougherty and Tony Pezzano to Intellectual Property and Technology practice in New York

19 SEP 2018

DLA Piper announced today that Michael Dougherty and Tony Pezzano have joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as partners in New York.

DLA Piper advises Nemetschek on acquisition of MCS Solutions

31 AUG 2018

DLA Piper has advised the software supplier Nemetschek SE on the acquisition of the real estate and facilities technology firm MCS Solutions in Belgium, Sweden, India and the USA. The acquisition sees Nemetschek SE gain access to the rapidly growing market in building management.

Ferillia Roberson recognized on 2018 National Bar Association 40 Under 40 list

23 JUL 2018

Ferillia Roberson has been named to the National Bar Association's 2018 list of 40 Under 40 Nation's Best Advocates.

Eric Hagen joins DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology practice in Los Angeles

12 JUL 2018

DLA Piper announced today that Eric Hagen has joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner in Los Angeles.

DLA Piper recognized again as a Top Global Outsourcing Advisor

28 JUN 2018

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that the firm has been selected for the 2018 World's Best Outsourcing Advisors list by the International Association of Outsourcing Professionals (IAOP).

DLA Piper wins Legal Adviser of the Year and recognized as UK Top Performer 2018 by Global Sourcing Association

25 MAY 2018

DLA Piper's Global Co-Head of Technology Sector, Kit Burden, was last night named Legal Adviser of the Year at the Global Sourcing Association (GSA) UK Top Performers and Professional Awards, held at the Hilton Manchester Deansgate

DLA Piper announces new US and regional Intellectual Property and Technology practice and subgroup leaders

1 MAY 2018

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that Boston-based partner Larissa Park has been named co-head of the firm's Patent Prosecution practice, partners Matthew Satchwell and Keith Medansky have been named co-heads of the Chicago Intellectual Property and Technology practice and partner Nicholas Papastavros has been named head of IPT in Boston.

Mark Fowler named to the *Daily Journal's* Top Intellectual Property Lawyers list

18 APR 2018

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that Mark Fowler, global co-chair and US chair of DLA Piper's Patent Litigation practice, has been selected as a Top Intellectual Property Lawyer by the *Daily Journal*.

DLA Piper announces partnership promotions for 2018

3 APR 2018

DLA Piper is proud to announce that 62 lawyers have been promoted to its partnership. The promotions are effective as of 1 April 2018 in the United States and 1 May 2018 for EMEA and Asia Pacific. The promotions were made across many of the firm's practice areas in 42 different offices throughout 20 countries.

Tamany Bentz joins DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology practice in Los Angeles

19 MAR 2018

DLA Piper announced today that Tamany Bentz has joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner in Los Angeles.

DLA Piper wins significant victory for 7-Eleven

16 MAR 2018

DLA Piper won a significant victory for its client, 7-Eleven, in a putative class action that was filed against 7-Eleven in the United States District Court for the Central District of California.

Mark Fowler named a *National Law Journal* 2018 Intellectual Property Trailblazer

6 MAR 2018

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that Mark Fowler, global co-chair and US chair of DLA Piper's Patent Litigation practice, has been selected as a 2018 Intellectual Property Trailblazer by the *National Law Journal*.

DLA Piper names Thomas Zutic chair of Trademark, Copyright & Media practice in Washington, DC

06 MAR 2018

DLA Piper has announced that partner Thomas Zutic has been named chair of the firm's Trademark, Copyright & Media practice in Washington, DC.

DLA Piper adds Clayton Thompson and Jake Zolotorev to Intellectual Property and Technology practice in Silicon Valley

27 FEB 2018

DLA Piper announced today that Clayton Thompson and Yakov "Jake" Zolotorev have joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as partners in Northern California.

DLA Piper expands Media, Sport and Entertainment capabilities with addition of Ben Mulcahy and Gina Reif Ilardi

26 FEB 2018

DLA Piper announced today that Ben Mulcahy has joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner in Los Angeles and Gina Reif Ilardi has joined the IPT practice as a partner in New York.

DLA Piper advises Harrison Street on Crosslane joint venture

5 FEB 2018

Global law firm DLA Piper has advised leading real estate investment firm Harrison Real Estate Capital LLC, on its joint venture with Crosslane Property Group UK, a real estate company specialising in purpose built student accommodation (PBSA) across the UK and Continental Europe.

R. David Whitaker joins DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology practice in Chicago

5 FEB 2018

DLA Piper announced today that R. David Whitaker has joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner in the Chicago office. His arrival follows that of his colleague, Margo H.K. Tank, who recently joined the firm as a partner in the Washington, DC, office.

Businesses still not fully aware of Data Protection issues

31 JAN 2018

DLA Piper has released its second Data Privacy Snapshot report, finding that once again, company global privacy programs have gaps in meeting increasingly demanding global privacy principles. Significantly, it appears that many companies are falling short of data protection obligations under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), which will start to apply from 25 May 2018.

Margo Tank joins DLA Piper's Intellectual Property and Technology practice in Washington, DC

29 JAN 2018

DLA Piper announced today that Margo Tank has joined the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice as a partner in the Washington, DC, office.

John Beahn joins DLA Piper's rapidly growing Telecom practice in Washington, DC

17 JAN 2018

DLA Piper announced today that John Beahn has joined the firm's Telecom practice as a partner in the Washington, DC, office.

DLA Piper names new global and US co-chairs for Intellectual Property and Technology practice

8 JAN 2018

DLA Piper has named Frank Ryan co-chair of the firm's global Intellectual Property and Technology practice and Ann Ford co-chair of its US IPT practice, both effective January 1.

DLA Piper prepares report on the protection of IP rights in insolvency proceedings for INSOL International

20 NOV 2017

DLA Piper is pleased to announce the release of a special report titled "The Protection of Intellectual Property Rights in Insolvency Proceedings." The firm prepared the report on behalf of INSOL International, a global federation of national associations for accountants and lawyers who focus on turnaround and insolvency.

DLA Piper launches Global Contract Laws v2.0

7 Nov 2017

DLA Piper has launched a newly updated version of its *Global Contract Laws* online resource. *Global Contract Laws v2.0* covers laws from more than 50 countries, including the UK, the US, Australia, China, and Germany, as well as new countries in Asia and South America.

DLA Piper named one of the most innovative law firms in Europe by the Financial Times Innovative Lawyers Europe Report 2017

6 OCT 2017

DLA Piper is one of the top five most innovative law firms in Europe according to the Financial Times Innovative Lawyers Europe report 2017.

Now in its twelfth year, the FT Innovative Lawyers Report assesses lawyers on their innovation both for clients and in their own businesses. It is one of the top legal rankings in Europe and the accompanying awards are widely regarded as the best researched in the market.

DLA Piper adds leading entertainment and IP litigator Douglas Emhoff in Los Angeles, Washington, DC

25 SEP 2017

DLA Piper announced today the addition of Douglas Emhoff as a partner in the firm's Intellectual Property and Technology practice and its Media, Sport and Entertainment sector. Emhoff will be based in DLA Piper's Los Angeles and Washington, DC, offices.

Larissa Park of DLA Piper named top IP attorney by Patexia

21 SEP 2017

Larissa Park, a partner in DLA Piper's Boston office, was recently named the best-performing IP attorney by intellectual property company Patexia Inc.

DLA Piper launches new platform for *Guide to Going Global* series

20 SEP 2017

DLA Piper has launched a new platform featuring its *Guide to Going Global* series, an online resource designed to help companies operating and growing their international businesses.

Lisa Haile and Gina Durham named *Daily Journal* Top Intellectual Property Lawyers in California

16 AUG 2017

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that the *Daily Journal* has named Lisa Haile and Gina Durham to its 2017 list of Top Intellectual Property Lawyers in California. The award recognizes attorneys who successfully argued a novel theory of law, saved a client's business by winning a case or protected a client's portfolio.

Victoria Lee of DLA Piper named to the National Law Journal's 2017 IP Trailblazers list

3 JUL 2017

DLA Piper is pleased to announce that Victoria Lee, a partner based in the Silicon Valley office and the global co-chair of the firm's Technology sector, has been named to the *National Law Journal's* Intellectual Property Trailblazers list.

DLA Piper advises Beijing BDStar Navigation Co., Ltd on the purchase of an interest in the in-tech Group

19 Jun 2017

DLA Piper has advised BDStar as part of a bidding procedure on the acquisition of an interest in the company in-tech GmbH, a supplier for the digitization and the development in the area of automotive, machinery and transportation systems.

DLA Piper berät Beijing BDStar Navigation Co., Ltd beim Erwerb von Anteilen an der in-tech Gruppe

19 Jun 2017

DLA Piper hat die BDStar beim Erwerb einer Beteiligung an der in-tech GmbH, einem international agierenden Spezialisten für Digitalisierung und Entwicklung in den Branchen Automotive, Maschinenbau und Verkehrssysteme, beraten.

DLA Piper lawyers and practices ranked in latest Chambers edition

31 MAY 2017

DLA Piper today announced that 161 of the firm's lawyers and 62 of its practices were ranked in *Chambers USA's* 2017 guide.
