

**Education****Boston University School of Law – Boston, MA**

Juris Doctor, May 2006 (concentration in intellectual property)

- Honors: Best Brief Runner-up, National First Amendment Moot Court Competition 2006; *Journal of Science & Technology Law* (Article Editor)
- Activities: Edward C. Stone Moot Court; IP Law Society (President 2004-2005); Public Interest Project; Law School Assembly; Negotiation and client counseling competitions

**Bucerius Law School – Hamburg, Germany**

International Program, Fall 2005 semester

- Vis (East) International Commercial Arbitration Moot Court team 2005-2006

**University of California at Berkeley – Berkeley, CA**

Bachelor of Arts, Mass Communications and Sociology (departmental honors), May 1996

- Honors thesis, *BERKELEY.EDU: Diffusion of the Internet Among University Undergraduates*

**Legal Experience****Vogele & Associates; Farella, Braun & Martel; Cooley Godward Kronish; Kecker & Van Nest (Contract Attorney) – San Francisco, CA – 1/08-6/08**

- Prepared discovery instruments in a trademark/unfair competition action. Researched current case law for Internet technology and other copyright matters. Reviewed documents for relevance, privilege and confidentiality in patent, trade secret and securities cases.

**Bay Capital Legal (Post-JD Law Clerk) – San Francisco, CA – 11/06-11/07**

- Drafted and edited complaints, briefs, and related materials. Produced and propounded discovery. Researched substantive and procedural law related to areas such as construction defect and intellectual property. Reviewed opposition's propounded discovery in litigation regarding a multi-million dollar construction project. Supported related trial, depositions, and separate arbitration.

**Electronic Frontier Foundation (Interim Intake Coordinator; Intern/Interim Webmaster) – San Francisco, CA – 1/07; 2/03-6/03**

- Routed inquiries for legal services to appropriate channels. Updated website on high-tech civil liberties issues including DMCA law and P2P rulings. Edited op-ed piece on *Betamax* decision.

**Bay Area Legal Aid (Law Clerk) – Oakland, CA – 5/05-8/05**

- Investigated availability of housing code enforcement by local governments throughout region. Created library of self-help housing law material for clientele with limited literacy. Researched attorney-client privilege issues implicated with extending intake process to the Internet.

**Consumer Project on Technology (Intern) – Washington, DC – 5/04-8/04**

- Synthesized international intellectual property treaties (*e.g.*, TRIPS, Berne, Rome, WCT, CAFTA) into layman-readable language and analyzed permissibility of compulsory licenses for developing countries under them. Researched WIPO disputes regarding copyright and neighboring rights.

**Technology & Management Experience****Silicon Valley WebGuild (President; Executive Board Member) – San Jose, CA – 10/99-6/03**

- Coordinated and motivated 15-20 volunteers to plan monthly presentations on Internet topics.

**Tacit Knowledge Systems (Web Manager) – Palo Alto, CA – 7/00-7/01**

- Managed websites for enterprise software company. Led complete redesign of public site.

**Initiative Internet (Responsable de Projets) – Paris La Défense, France – 10/98-5/99**

- Managed development of bilingual and French websites for corporate clients.

**NetIQ; Cisco Systems; Harding Marketing/HP; Taos Mountain, Inc.; Haas School of Business; Novadigm (Webmaster/Web Developer) – 1/97-9/02**

- Built and maintained internal and external websites for large and small organizations.

**Publications**

*CopySense and Sensibility – How the Wiretap Act Forbids Universities from Using P2P Monitoring Tools*, 12 Boston University Journal of Science & Technology Law 340, Summer 2006

**Skills & Interests**

**Languages** – French (conversational); German and Spanish (basic); Russian (beginning)

**Travel** – Europe (including Russia and Balkans), Cambodia, Japan, China, Israel, Australia

**Swim Instruction** – *Summers 1989-1998, 2000-2002, 2005-present*

**Legal Blogging** – Primarily at cathygellis.com (4/03-present); guest posts at blogdenovo.org (2005)