

Thinh Nguyen

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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Fellow, University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law, Tucson, AZ, 2023-present.

- Developed a privacy law framework for efficient opt-in and opt-out procedures
- Provided substantive comments on the frameworks of other fellows

Guest lecturer, University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law, Tucson, AZ.

- Patent Law

Guest lecturer, Brooklyn Law School, Brooklyn, NY.

- Internet Law

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School, J.D., *cum laude*, 1999.

- Harvard Journal of Law & Technology, *Notes Editor*

Harvard University, B.S. in Chemistry, *summa cum laude*, 1996.

- Phi Beta Kappa
- Ledecky Fellow, (writer of *The Undergraduate* column for Harvard Magazine)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Thinh Nguyen, Esq., San Ramon, CA.

Attorney, 2021-present

Counsel clients on cybersecurity, intellectual property, and IoT matters.

General Electric, San Ramon, CA.

Executive General Counsel of GE Digital, 2015-2021

Managed a team of transactional attorneys, supporting sales of software and cloud services and managing compliance, intellectual property, and corporate governance for a global software business focused on industrial Internet of Things (IoT), data science, machine learning, and digital transformation. Supported M&A, litigation, labor and employment, and global corporate governance for the GE Digital division.

Nuance Communications, Sunnyvale, CA.

Legal Director, 2014-2015

Managed and supervised commercial attorneys supporting sales and licensing for a company providing speech recognition, imaging, and AI-assisted medical transcription solutions. Supported M&A transactions and maintained compliance programs under HIPAA.

Decision Resources, Inc., Burlington, MA.

Deputy General Counsel, 2010-2014

Provided full operational legal coverage for a privately held market research firm in the pharmaceutical industry, including litigation, corporate governance, marketing, intellectual property, trademarks, labor & employment, and compliance.

Creative Commons, Cambridge, MA.

Counsel for Science Commons, 2006-2010

Designed and advocated for open source and open access policies relating to scholarly publishing, public/private partnerships, university technology transfer programs, government labs, philanthropic grant organizations, and global research NGOs. Creative Commons is a leading provider of open access legal tools used widely on the Internet including for most content on Wikipedia.

Business Objects, Inc., San Jose, CA.

Corporate Counsel, CA. 2002-2006

Managed intellectual property and compliance programs and provided legal oversight for software licensing, professional services, reseller / channel, and sourcing agreements for a business intelligence software company.

Wilson, Sonsini, Goodrich & Rosati, Palo Alto, CA.

Associate, Technology Transactions Group, 1999-2002

Represented clients in the life sciences, software, and communications industries in technology licensing agreements, M&A transactions, and corporate financing transactions, with a focus on early stage biotech companies spun out from Stanford.

PUBLISHED WORKS

Cryptography, Export Controls, and the First Amendment in Bernstein vs. U.S. Dept of State, Harvard Journal of Law & Technology , Vol. 10, Issue 3 (Summer 1997), pp. 667-682.

Open Doors And Open Minds: What Faculty Authors Can Do To Ensure Open Access To Their Work Through Their Institution, 2008 (available at https://sparcopen.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/01/opendoors_v1_0.pdf).

BAR ADMISSIONS

State Bar of California #203695

USPTO Patent Bar #72,205

Technical Skills

Languages: C++, LISP, Javascript, Python

Machine Learning APIs: Keras, Tensorflow, scikit learn