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As a lawyer for the more than 30 years, Peter S. Vogel combines his technical and business background with his legal expertise to help companies with IT, Cyber intrusion, and Internet litigation, dispute resolution, and contract negotiation. Peter has been involved with the IT industry, Internet, and electronic data for his entire career. Prior to practicing law he worked as a mainframe programmer, systems analyst and management consultant for companies acquiring IT and related services, and received a *Masters in Computer Science*.

Peter's has clients in *healthcare, international manufacturing, state & local government, utilities, and eCommerce* who often seek his advice about practical business issues relating to IT and the Internet, which often include cyber intrusions, colocation sites, cloud solutions, ERP implementation projects, website business management, outsourcing, software patents, copyrights, and trade secret protection. Because he is a seasoned IT professional with an accounting and marketing background, Peter also often advises clients about financial and marketing issues regarding IT and the Internet. His experience as an Adjunct Professor in the Law of eCommerce keeps him current on the fast moving evolution of the cyber intrusions and the Internet. He writes a legal column for [www.eCommerceTimes.com](http://www.eCommerceTimes.com), and is often quoted in the media about Internet issues and crises. Peter's blog on the Internet, IT, and eDiscovery is widely recognized for timely topics and thought-provoking ideas: [www.vogelitlawblog.com](http://www.vogelitlawblog.com)

Peter chairs both the *Electronic Discovery Group* and the *Internet, eCommerce, & Technology Team* at GARDERE—where he guides clients through the legal, technology and business mazes of electronic evidence, cyber security & insurance, intellectual property, contracts, government regulation, and litigation. He assists many clients with ESI (Electronically Stored Information) issues and related creation, development and implementation of records retention policies.

Because of his unique background and expertise, Peter is often appointed as a Special Master to assist Courts throughout the US with eDiscovery & ESI, Internet, eCommerce, Intellectual Property, and IT matters. Peter is a Co-Founder of the *American College of e-Neutrals* and a Board Member and Fellow of the *Academy of Court Appointed Masters*. The Judges in the US District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania appointed Peter to the E-Discovery Special Master Panel. He also serves as a court ordered Mediator in eDiscovery & ESI, Internet, eCommerce, intellectual property, and computer technology litigation. For more than 30 years Peter has served as an Arbitrator for technology disputes.

Peter has also devoted a substantial amount of time and energy serving government agencies and non-profit organizations by addressing their computer, Social Media, and Internet issues. Peter served as Founding Chair for 12 years of the TEXAS SUPREME COURT *Judicial Committee on Information Technology* whose mission is to put Internet on the desktops of all 3,200 judges in Texas and implement state eFiling ([www.txcourts.gov/jcit.aspx](http://www.txcourts.gov/jcit.aspx)).

In 1994 Peter was President of the DALLAS BAR ASSOCIATION and also served on the *Board of Directors* of the STATE BAR OF TEXAS, where he served as Founding Chair of the Computer & Technology Section. Peter teaches courses on *eDiscovery* and the *Law of eCommerce* as an Adjunct Professor at the SMU DEDMAN LAW SCHOOL, and is on the founding Board of Advisors of the *SMU Computer Law Review and Technology Journal*.

The STATE BAR OF TEXAS gave Peter the Gene Cavin Award for Excellence in Continuing Legal Education in 2013, and a Lifetime Achievement Award for Promoting Technology in the Law in 2004. In addition, Peter is regularly recognized as one of America's Leading Business Lawyers in CHAMBERS, a Best Lawyer in America, a Top Lawyer in Dallas, and a Texas Super Lawyer.

## **Below is a listing of some recent presentations by Peter S. Vogel**

**Please send a request for materials from many of these programs.**

### **Internet, Information Technology, and eDiscovery Speeches, Webcasts, and Podcasts:**

"How Special Masters Can Help in Complex Cases- Particularly IT & eDiscovery Dispute," Dallas Area Paralegal Association, June 2016, Dallas.

PANEL: "Responding to Data Breaches to Minimize Impact," Legal Tech West, ALM, June 2016, San Francisco.

"Internet Privacy and Cybersecurity in 2016," Stonebriar Mens Breakfast Club, June 2016, Frisco.

"eDiscovery from 3rd Parties," 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Advanced Evidence & Discovery Course, State Bar of Texas, May 2016, San Antonio.

"Cyber Legal Risks are Everywhere!," Dex Media Lunch and Learn, May 2016, DFW Airport.

THOUGHT LEADER: Digital Transformation, Cloud Security Challenges in 2016, & Threats to Digital Assets, Private Sector CISO & CIO Assembly, The Millennium Alliance, May 2016, Dallas.

"Data Breach: Not if, but When," Gardere, April 2016, WEBCAST.

PANEL: "Cybersecurity for Hotels," Gardere, April 2016, WEBCAST.

"Ethical Issues for Lawyers using the Internet - Including Social Media and the Cloud," Dallas Association of Law Librarians, April 2016, Dallas.

"eDiscovery from 3rd Parties," 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Advanced Evidence & Discovery Course, State Bar of Texas, April 2016, Dallas.

PANEL: "2015 Rule Changes: Impact on e-Discovery (and e-Neutrals)," Annual Meeting, Academy of Court Appointed Masters, March 2016, Atlanta.

"Legal Issues facing the CIO in 2016 and Beyond," IT Leadership Business Technology Breakfast, March 2016, Dallas and Fort Worth.

PANEL: "The Challenge of Enterprise Security Today and Into the Future," CIO Executive Leadership Summit, HMG, March 2016, Houston.

PANEL: "eDiscovery: What Every Arbitrator Needs to Know," Panel Conference, American Arbitration Association, February 2016, New Orleans.

"2016 Update - Helping Clients Do Business on the Internet Ethically," Gardere, February 2016, Dallas & Houston.

PANEL: "Cybersecurity and Privacy Impacts to your Workforce - Risks to, and by, your Employees." Labor & Employment Law Section, Houston Bar Association, February 2016, Houston.

"2016 Update to Help Clients Do Business on the Internet," State Bar of Texas, January 2016, WEBCAST.

"Update on December 2015 Federal Rules Changes and e-Neutrals," State Bar of Texas, December 2015, WEBCAST.

"What Every Lawyer Needs to Know About Cybercrime," State Bar of Texas, November 2015, WEBCAST.

"Information Governance for General Counsel," bluesource, November 2015, Irving.

"Ethical Issues Regarding Cyber Security," Member Appreciation CPE Series, Dallas Chapter of the State Society of CPAs, October 2015, Dallas.

"Ethical Issues for Lawyers with Social Media and the Cloud," Computer Law Section, Dallas Bar Association, October 2015, Dallas.

"How Special Masters Can Help in Complex Cases, Particularly IT & eDiscovery Disputes," Business Litigation Section, Dallas Bar Association, October 2015, Dallas.

PANEL: "A Year of Increased Cyber Risks," Southern Law Network, 16th Annual General Counsel Conference, October 2015, Washington.

"Ethical Concerns for Paralegals When You and Your Company Find a Cyber Intrusion," Texas Advanced Paralegal Annual Seminar, State Bar of Texas, October 2015, Fort Worth.

PANEL: "Arbitrating in a Digital World - An eDiscovery Course for AAA Neutrals," AAA & American College of eNeutrals, September 2015, Washington.

PANEL: "Using Information Rights Management for Secure Collaboration in the Legal Industry," ALM \* Intralinks, August, Webcast.

"International Data Privacy," Intellectual Property Section, Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Texas, June 2015, San Antonio.

### **Workshops:**

"eCommerce Legal Issues and Web 2.0," American Petroleum Institute, General Committee on Information Management and Technology.

"eGovernment and the Future of Government Services," Arizona County Treasurers Association Conference.

### **Information Technology Videos on WatchIT.com:**

"Free Speech vs. Internet Privacy and the Right to Be Forgotten," "You're in Good Hands with Cyber Insurance," "Cyber Ethics: A Growing Business Challenge," "Perspectives on Net Neutrality," "Protecting Your Business: From Social Media to Cyber Threats," "BYOD: When You Are Left to Your Own Devices," "Privacy Policies: What You Don't Know Can Hurt You," "10 Commandments of IT Contracts," "Social Media 2011 Update," "5 Big Bang Theory of the Internet," "From ERP to Cloud Computing," "Legal Issues for Virtual Worlds," "Are You on the Software Police's Most Wanted List?" and "E-Discovery Investigations: What IT Professionals Need to Know!"