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2015 Alumni CLE Conference & Reunion Gala

New York, NY
Thursday, June 4, 2015

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Welcome Back!

We lead busy lives in which it becomes increasingly difficult to balance our professional and personal commitments. We use technology to organize and automate our most mundane yet necessary tasks, but know that a text or tweet will never replace quality time. Finding the time to reconnect with old friends, to celebrate milestones and accomplishments, to learn something new, or to say “Thank you” to a mentor might seem like a chore, but reunions remind us to seize these opportunities, because in the frenetic pace of our lives, we only get to do so *once in a Weil*.

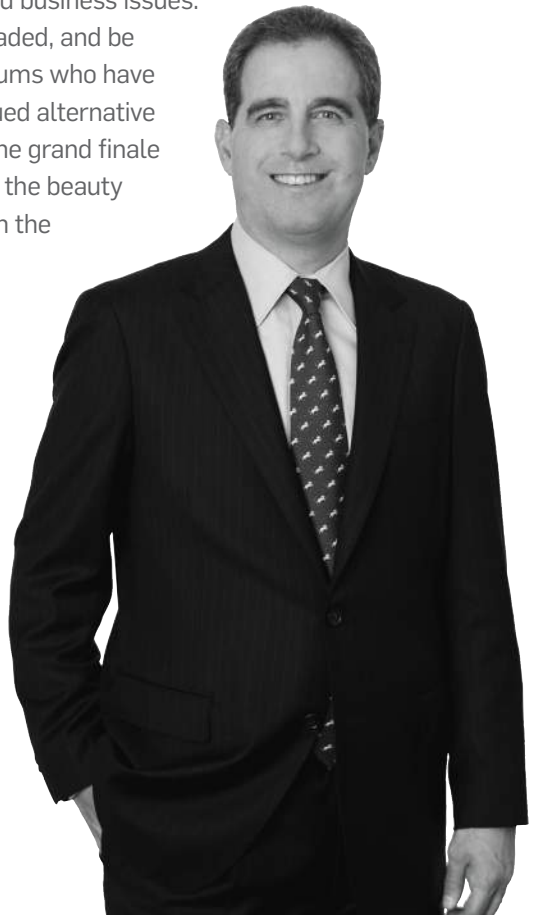
I extend a hearty welcome to those who have traveled from far and near to attend our 2015 Alumni Reunion. We have planned a full afternoon and evening of events that we hope you will find memorable and fulfilling. Hear from industry experts – many of whom are partners and alumni – on today’s most pressing legal and business issues. Consider where your career is headed, and be inspired by other distinguished alums who have followed their passions and pursued alternative paths to achieve success. Then, the grand finale of the reunion takes place amidst the beauty of the most admired public park in the world, where we celebrate our accomplishments and what connects us as members of the Weil family.

We are thrilled you could be here and look forward to sharing more fond memories together.

Cheers!

Barry M Wolf

Barry M. Wolf
Executive Partner



Overview

CLE Conference Weil Conference Center

3:30 – 5:00 pm

- U.S.-European Bankruptcy 3Q/4Q 2015 Forecast
- New Threats in Cybersecurity and Data Privacy
- Hot Topics in Music Copyrights and Licensing
- Recent Trends in Global Tech M&A Transactions

“Cool Jobs” Career Panel Weil Dining Room

5:00 – 6:00 pm

Garden Party Gala Central Park Zoo

6:30 – 9:00 pm

Once in a Weil...



...you should learn something new
from **thought leaders**

CLE Conference

3:30 – 5:00 pm

Hear from industry experts – Weil partners and alumni – on the most pressing legal issues affecting financial institutions, multinational corporations, and private equity firms.

U.S.-European Bankruptcy 3Q/4Q 2015 Forecast

Business Finance & Restructuring partners Ray Schrock and Mark Lawford and alumni will participate in a panel discussion, moderated by partner Ronit Berkovich, on the current developments and market trends that are impacting the restructuring industry in the United States and Europe. The discussion will highlight the key legal considerations in cross-border restructurings, the current climate of distressed mergers and acquisitions, and investment activity, and the select industries driving distressed opportunities.

Panelists

Ronit J. Berkovich (Moderator)

Partner – Business Finance & Restructuring, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Mark Lawford

Partner – Business Finance & Restructuring, London
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Evan S. Lederman (Alumnus)

Deputy General Counsel – Investment Team/Distressed Investments
Fir Tree Partners

Marc D. Puntus (Alumnus)

Partner
Centerview Partners

Ray Schrock

Partner – Business Finance & Restructuring, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

New Threats in Cybersecurity and Data Privacy

Every week seems to bring an announcement about a major cybersecurity incident or a privacy issue. Threats can come from anywhere — foreign nations, criminals, or your own marketing department. In the moment it takes for a high-level IT personnel to succumb to a spear phishing attack, the privacy rights of approximately 80 million patients may be compromised.

Since there is clearly no cure-all, this panel of experts will instead give practical advice on how to improve your company's cybersecurity posture. Topics we will cover include:

- Good cybersecurity corporate governance and disclosure-related issues for public companies
- Saving a Company from Itself: Role of the Chief Privacy Officer
- Legislative efforts to improve information sharing between the government and U.S. companies
- Privilege issues in data breach investigations (ethics credit pending)

Panelists

Paul Ferrillo

Counsel – Litigation, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Lyuba Goltser (Moderator)

Partner – Public Company Advisory Group, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Susan Lyon-Hintze (Alumna)

Speaker, Author, and Counsel in Privacy and Data Security Law

Randi Singer

Partner – Complex Commercial Litigation, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Jack Yang (Alumnus)

Associate General Counsel, Global Privacy Office
Visa Inc.

Hot Topics in Music Copyrights and Licensing

Intellectual Property/Media Litigation partners Todd Larson and Benjamin Marks, and Jackson Wagener (alumnus) provide an overview of the current music marketplace as well as recent proposals for legislative and regulatory reform. The panel discussion will offer insights into the roughly 200-page report on the music industry released by the U.S. Copyright Office in February, along with the U.S. Department of Justice's review of the ASCAP and BMI consent decrees. The panelists will examine litigation over asserted state law protection for pre-1972 sound recordings left unprotected by federal law. In addition, the discussion will provide key updates on recent rate-setting trials and appeals.

Panelists

Todd Larson

Partner – Intellectual Property/Media Litigation, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Benjamin Marks

Partner – Intellectual Property/Media Litigation, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Jackson Wagener (Alumnus)

Vice President, Business and Legal Affairs
ASCAP

Recent Trends in Global Tech M&A Transactions

A cross-disciplinary panel of Weil partners and Nancy Raber (alumna) will discuss how globalization, a greater focus on mobile technology, and the rise of disruptive technologies and business models are changing the face of technology M&A. The panel discussion will examine the globalization of antitrust regulation, trends in privacy and data protection on a global basis as well as the impact of patent litigation on deal terms. The panel will also take a look at the retention of key employees, in particular, those who are multiple time zones away from company headquarters.

Panelists

Steven Bernstein

Partner – Antitrust, Washington, DC
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Anne M. Cappella

Partner – Patent Litigation, Silicon Valley
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Barry Fishley

Partner – Technology & IP Transactions, London
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Keith Flaum

Partner – Mergers & Acquisitions, Silicon Valley
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Nancy Raber (Alumna)

Vice President and Associate General Counsel
Yahoo!

Charan J. Sandhu (Moderator)

Partner – Technology & IP Transactions, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Once in a Weil...



...you should **reflect** on where
your **career** is headed

“Cool Jobs” Career Panel

5:00 – 6:00 pm

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Director, Global Diversity & Inclusion
Praxair, Inc.

Andrea Berner

General Counsel & Vice President of Business Affairs
The Miss Universe Organization

Richard J. Davis (Moderator)

Retired Partner and Weil's Former General Counsel

Mark J. Fiore

Associate General Counsel, Intellectual Property
Facebook, Inc.

Nina Moaddel

Art Advisor and Curator

Randy Newsom

VP of Business Development – Baseball Operations
Fantex, Inc.

Sherri L. Toub

Bankruptcy Columnist
Bloomberg News



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...you should attend a **party**
in the **garden**

Garden Party Gala

6:30 – 9:00 pm

Weil brings the splendor of a Hamptons garden party to midtown Manhattan. Visit the Tropic Zone, and the Penguins & Sea Birds exhibit at the Central Park Zoo, record your testimonials and favorite Firm memories in the “Once in a Weil” video booth, and enjoy specially prepared delights from Creative Edge Catering, as you network with Weil attorneys — past and present.

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Biographies



Vanessa Abrahams-John

Director, Global Diversity & Inclusion
Praxair, Inc.

As Director of Global Diversity & Inclusion for industrial gases company Praxair, Inc., Vanessa Abrahams-John is responsible for leading the development and execution of strategies to promote diversity and foster an inclusive culture that drives innovation and business success.

Since taking on the role in 2012, Ms. Abrahams-John has established diversity councils in four of Praxair's global regions; created a mentoring program for diverse high-potential leadership candidates; institutionalized global days of recognition for women and diversity; championed employee resource groups; enhanced diversity and inclusion training for middle managers and communications for all employees; engaged senior leaders in driving the diversity and inclusion agenda; and forged relationships with key educational institutions and diversity-based organizations to build a potential pipeline of diverse talent. Ms. Abrahams-John's role has expanded to include responsibility for Global Talent Acquisition to promote best-in-class diversity and inclusion practices throughout global recruitment and hiring processes.

Ms. Abrahams-John, a native of Jamaica, earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Western Ontario, and a law degree from Howard University School of Law. She practiced corporate law in New York City and Delaware, and served as an adjunct professor at Pace University before joining Praxair in 2007 as Senior Legal Counsel of the Law Department.

Ms. Abrahams-John practices law in the state of New York. She is a director on the board of the Bronx Bethany Community Corporation and the board of AMBYESE.

In 2014, Ms. Abrahams-John was recognized as "Diversity & Inclusion Leader of the Year" by Southern CT chapter of the Society of Human Resources Management (SHRM). Recently, she received a Women of Power Award from the National Urban League of Southern CT.



Ronit J. Berkovich

Partner – Business Finance & Restructuring,
New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Ronit J. Berkovich is a partner in the Business Finance & Restructuring Department of Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP. Ms. Berkovich represents debtors, creditors, lenders, investors, and acquirers of assets in all aspects of distressed situations. She has served as debtors' counsel in several of the largest and most significant chapter 11 cases in history.

Ms. Berkovich actively lectures on various topics relating to restructuring (including for organizations such as the American Bankruptcy Institute, Bloomberg Law, the Practising Law Institute, the Turnaround Management Association, the Loan Syndications and Trading Association, the New York City Bar Association, Harvard Law School, and Columbia Law School). She taught legal research and writing at Harvard Law School for two years and taught a seminar in economics at Harvard College. She has also written extensively, including articles published in *The Banking Law Journal*, the *American University Law Review*, *Real Estate Finance*, and the *Bankruptcy Bulletin*.

Ms. Berkovich was recently named a 2015 Bankruptcy “Rising Star” by *Law360*. She has also been named a Restructuring and Insolvency “Rising Star” by *IFLR1000* and was recognized by *Turnaround and Workouts* magazine as one of its “Outstanding Young Restructuring Lawyers” for both 2012 and 2010.



Andrea Berner

General Counsel & Vice President of
Business Affairs
The Miss Universe Organization

Andrea Berner is the General Counsel and Vice President of Business Affairs for The Miss Universe Organization. The Miss Universe Organization is a Donald J. Trump and NBCUniversal joint venture that produces the Miss Universe, Miss USA and Miss Teen USA pageants and broadcasts them live around the world each year.

Before joining the Miss Universe Organization, Ms. Berner was the Deputy General Counsel and Director of Corporate Privacy at Penton Media, Inc. Prior to that, Ms. Berner was an associate at Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP focusing on IP law, antitrust, and litigation matters.

Ms. Berner received her undergraduate degree from Columbia University and graduated *cum laude* from Cardozo School of Law where she was the Supervising Editor of the Cardozo Law Review. Ms. Berner currently lives in Glen Ridge, NJ with her husband, two children, and new puppy (named Monkey)!



Steven Bernstein

Partner – Antitrust, Washington, DC
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Steven Bernstein is a partner in the Washington DC office whose practice focuses on antitrust counseling and litigation, with an emphasis on mergers and acquisitions. He joined the Firm in 2004 after serving for more than 12 years at the Federal Trade Commission, most recently as Assistant Director of the FTC's Bureau of Competition, where he oversaw the Bureau's Mergers I Division. Since joining Weil, Mr. Bernstein has represented numerous clients before the FTC and the Department of Justice and has successfully obtained antitrust clearance for major transactions in a variety of industries including the technology space. Mr. Bernstein has also represented clients in non-merger matters before the antitrust enforcement agencies and in private litigation.

While at the FTC, Mr. Bernstein was involved in supervising the FTC's merger enforcement program and played a significant role in a number of important antitrust enforcement actions, including the successfully litigated challenge of Alliant Techsystems' proposed acquisition of Olin's Ordnance Division. He was also responsible for negotiating numerous consent agreements, including settlements in Lockheed Martin/Loral, Astra/Zeneca, Boeing/Rockwell Aerospace and Defense, ABB/Elsag Bailey, Illinois Tool Works/Hobart Brothers, and S.C. Johnson/DowBrands.

Mr. Bernstein is consistently recognized by *Chambers USA*, *Legal 500 USA*, and *Best Lawyers in America* as a leading lawyer.



Anne M. Cappella

Partner – Patent Litigation, Silicon Valley
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Anne M. Cappella is a partner in Weil's Silicon Valley office, where she focuses on patent counseling and litigation involving complex technologies. Ms. Cappella has a uniquely diverse intellectual property counseling practice at the intersection of technology and the law, which includes advising clients on pre-litigation patent strategies, post-grant patent office proceedings, patent acquisitions, and intellectual property due diligence in the context of M&A transactions.

Ms. Cappella also has extensive experience representing clients in complex multi-patent and multi-district litigations as well as trade secret actions. She advises on matters in federal courts and arbitration proceedings, and has particularly deep experience with matters before the U.S. International Trade Commission. Ms. Cappella's strong technical background allows her to advise on a diverse range of technology sectors.

In 2014, Ms. Cappella was named to the *Daily Journal's* list of the Top Women Lawyers in California. The publication, which recognizes the 100 most accomplished women lawyers in the state, noted that "Cappella uses her background as an electrical engineer and a love for complicated technology to help her clients fend off patent infringement claims."



Richard J. Davis

Retired Partner and Weil's Former
General Counsel

Richard J. Davis was a partner at Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP from April 1, 1981 to December 31, 2011. On leaving Weil, he formed his own law firm. Since doing so, he has served as a mediator and arbitrator, counsel to various boards, trustee in bankruptcy of a small hedge fund, Fletcher International Ltd., examiner in the Caesars Entertainment Operating Company bankruptcy case, and as special counsel in a variety of circumstances.

He has previously served as an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Enforcement and Operations (1977–1981), and prior to that served as an Assistant Watergate Special Prosecutor and an Assistant United States Attorney in the Southern District of New York. Among other activities while in private practice, he has served as Chair of the Board of Citizens Union (2004–2008), Chair and Chair Emeritus of the Board of the Randall's Island Park Alliance (1995–present), Chair of the Mayor's Commission to Combat Police Corruption (1996–2002), a member of the Task Force on Police-Community Relations (1997–1998), an advisor to the Departments of Justice and Treasury on dealing with barricade/hostage and similar situations and has served on the Board of the New York City Legal Aid Society since 2000, where he is currently Chair. He also is a member of the New York City Campaign Finance Board (2009 to date).

He also testified on behalf of President Clinton in the House Impeachment proceedings as an expert on prosecution. He graduated from the University of Rochester and the Columbia University School of Law.



Paul Ferrillo

Counsel – Litigation, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Paul Ferrillo is counsel in Weil's Litigation Department, where he focuses on complex securities and business litigation, and internal investigations. He also is part of Weil's Cybersecurity, Data Privacy & Information Management practice, where he focuses primarily on cybersecurity corporate governance issues, and assists clients with governance, disclosure, and regulatory matters relating to their cybersecurity postures and the regulatory requirements which govern them.

Mr. Ferrillo regularly counsels clients in the growing field of cybersecurity corporate governance, which is an increasingly important part of a board's enterprise risk management function. He advises with respect to cyber governance best practices, third-party vendor due diligence issues, cybersecurity regulatory compliance issues for private equity, hedge funds, and financial institutions that have been promulgated by the SEC, FINRA, the FTC, and the FDIC/OCC, the preparation and practicing of cybersecurity incident response plans, as well as evaluating and procuring cyber liability insurance.



Mark J. Fiore

Associate General Counsel,
Intellectual Property
Facebook, Inc.

Mark J. Fiore is Associate General Counsel, Intellectual Property, for Facebook, Inc. Based in the company's Silicon Valley headquarters, Mr. Fiore manages the global IP notice-and-takedown program for Facebook and its related services, including Instagram.

Mr. Fiore oversees the team responsible for handling reports submitted under the Digital Millennium Copyright Act, the E-Commerce Directive, and related laws worldwide covering copyright, trademark, defamation, rights of publicity, and so on. Mr. Fiore also handles litigation and legislative matters regarding IP safe harbors and secondary liability matters throughout the United States, Europe, and elsewhere.

Prior to joining Facebook, Mr. Fiore was counsel in the IP/Media practice at Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP in New York, where he practiced for eleven years and where his clients included Facebook and numerous other online service providers.



Barry Fishley

Partner – Technology & IP Transactions,
London

Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Barry Fishley is a partner in and head of the Technology & IP Transactions practice in London. He has wide-ranging experience in all types of technology, IP, e-commerce, data privacy, and general commercial matters. Mr. Fishley advises major international companies, private equity funds, and financial institutions on a range of transactions and issues, including the technology, IP, and data privacy aspects of global M&A and banking transactions, outsourcing, complex international licensing arrangements, joint venture arrangements, strategic alliances, and general commercial matters such as manufacturing, agency and distribution arrangements. He also advises on data protection and privacy matters, and brand protection and strategy issues.

Mr. Fishley is a regular speaker at conferences globally and frequently publishes articles and client alerts on various topics, most recently on cybersecurity. He is recommended in the Technology, Media and Telecoms category in *Legal 500 UK*.



Keith Flaum

Partner – Mergers & Acquisitions,
Silicon Valley
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Keith Flaum is a partner in the Mergers & Acquisitions practice group in Weil's Silicon Valley office. He represents both public and private companies in a wide range of industries, including the information technology and life sciences sectors. He has particular expertise in handling acquisitions of publicly traded companies and in cross-border acquisition transactions, as well as highly complex cross-border joint venture transactions. He also advises boards and special committees on fiduciary duties in the M&A context.

A few of Mr. Flaum's recent representations include:

- Facebook in its acquisition of Whatsapp for more than \$16 billion
- Applied Materials in its \$29 billion merger with Tokyo Electron
- Oracle in its acquisition of MICROS Systems for approximately \$5.3 billion
- Lenovo in its acquisition of Motorola Mobility from Google for approximately \$3 billion

Mr. Flaum has been actively involved for more than 15 years in the Mergers and Acquisitions Committee of the American Bar Association's Section of Business Law, which is composed of more than 4,000 M&A specialists from across the United States, Canada, and more than 20 other countries. He is currently the Co-Chair of the International M&A Subcommittee and a member of the Subcommittee on Acquisitions of Public Companies. He was formerly the Vice Chair of the Committee and the Chair of the Committee's M&A Market Trends Subcommittee, which tracks trends in public company and private company M&A transactions.

Mr. Flaum regularly presents and lectures on M&A-related topics.



Lyuba Goltser

Partner – Public Company Advisory Group,
New York

Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Lyuba Goltser is a partner in Weil's Public Company Advisory Group. Ms. Goltser counsels public and private companies, foreign private issuers, boards of directors, audit committees, special committees, executives, and private equity sponsors on a full range of corporate governance and compliance issues, including in M&A and capital markets transactions. She advises public companies on matters relating to restatements and internal control issues and Sarbanes-Oxley implementation. She also regularly advises on SEC regulations and compliance issues faced by newly-listed public companies and companies preparing to go public. Ms. Goltser also counsels clients on disclosure issues surrounding cybersecurity and board oversight.



Todd Larson

Partner – Intellectual Property/
Media Litigation, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Todd Larson, a partner in Weil's Intellectual Property/Media Litigation practice, represents a wide array of traditional media and new media clients in copyright infringement litigation, rate-setting litigation before the ASCAP and BMI rate courts, and the Copyright Royalty Board, and negotiation of music publishing and sound recording performance licenses. Among other notable representations, he was a member of the trial team that helped background music service DMX secure the first ever "adjustable fee blanket license" from both ASCAP and BMI. In addition to his role in such trailblazing litigation, Mr. Larson also regularly counsels clients – including digital music services, broadcast and cable television networks, background music services, and satellite and broadcast radio companies, among others – in a variety of intellectual property matters, including the interplay between new product design, legal liability, and music licensing requirements.

In 2014, Mr. Larson was recognized as a "Rising Star" by *New York Super Lawyers*.



Mark Lawford

Partner – Business Finance & Restructuring,
London

Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Mark Lawford is a Restructuring partner in London. He is experienced in advising insolvency practitioners, U.S. and European investment banks, U.K. clearing banks, hedge funds, and private equity house across the full range of international and domestic restructuring and insolvency matters. Mr. Lawford's principal areas of expertise include debtor representations, insolvency/bankruptcy litigation, cross-border insolvency and restructurings, creditor representations, and out-of-court restructurings.

Mr. Lawford is featured in the 2015 edition of the prestigious *Financial News* "40 under 40 Rising Stars of the Financial Legal Profession" and is on the 2014 *London Super Lawyers* list for his insolvency and bankruptcy expertise. Mr. Lawford is also consistently ranked for restructuring across prominent legal directories, including *Chambers UK* and *Legal 500 UK*.



Evan S. Lederman

Deputy General Counsel –
Investment Team/Distressed Investments
Fir Tree Partners

Evan S. Lederman joined Fir Tree in 2011 and is the Deputy General Counsel and member of the investment team. Mr. Lederman works with the investment team on legal, event driven, and special situations investments. Prior to joining Fir Tree, Mr. Lederman worked in the Business Finance & Restructuring Department of Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP. At Weil, Mr. Lederman represented clients in bankruptcy and restructuring related matters. Before joining Weil, Mr. Lederman worked at Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP, where he focused on corporate restructurings and commercial litigation.

Mr. Lederman received a J.D. degree with honors from New York University School of Law and a B.A. in Political Science and History, *magna cum laude*, from New York University, where he was inducted into Phi Beta Kappa and was the all university student commencement speaker.



Susan Lyon-Hintze

Speaker, Author, and Counsel in Privacy and Data Security Law

Susan Lyon-Hintze is owner and founder of Hintze Law, a boutique focusing on privacy and security law matters. Ms. Hintze-Lyon counsels clients from startups to large tech and e-commerce companies exclusively on U.S. and international data protection issues. Her data security work includes defending companies on data security matters before the FTC and other regulators and helping clients respond to data breaches. Her clients have included Microsoft, Google, Facebook, Snapchat, Whatsapp, AdMob, Netflix, Sprint, T-Mobile, HTC, and Dell.

Ms. Lyon-Hintze started her law career as an IP and tech lawyer at Weil, Gotshal & Manges. She also formerly served as an in-house privacy counsel with Microsoft Corp. Prior to Microsoft, she was lead privacy counsel at Dell, Inc. Her last big law job was co-chair of Cooley's privacy and security group.

Ms. Lyon-Hintze is a long-time member of the International Association of Privacy Professionals, an active Advisory Board Member to the American Law Institute's Restatement Third on Information Privacy Principles, and current Privacy Advisory Board member for the City of Seattle.



Benjamin Marks

Partner – Intellectual Property/
Media Litigation, New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Benjamin E. Marks is a partner in Weil's Intellectual Property/Media practice. His areas of concentration include copyright, trademark, misappropriation, music licensing, unfair competition, and First Amendment issues. Mr. Marks frequently represents music users such as television stations, television networks, and web site operators, including Pandora, Bertelsmann, and DMX in connection with the acquisition of, and litigation over, rights to publicly perform musical compositions.

Mr. Marks has been recognized for his work as an Intellectual Property lawyer by *Chambers USA* since 2012, and also has been recognized as a recommended lawyer for IP – Trademark Litigation and IP – Copyright by *Legal 500 US*.



Nina Moaddel

Art Advisor and Curator

Nina Moaddel is a London-based art curator and advisor who specializes in contemporary art. Ms. Moaddel curates exhibitions internationally, advises private clients on their collections, and collaborates with a number of museums and foundations.

Ms. Moaddel spearheaded the exhibition, "The Other Half of Iran: Art by Iranian Women," which featured the works of eight women artists living and working in Iran, and published a corresponding art catalogue. She also curated the Tehran Pavilion, which displayed works by calligraphy artists based in Iran's capital, at the Shanghai Biennale.

During her tenure at Weil, Ms. Moaddel worked on the securitization team in the Firm's London office. She studied law and economics at the University of London and received her law degree from BPP Law School.



Randy Newsom

VP of Business Development –
Baseball Operations
Fantex, Inc.

A former Minor League pitcher and Major League lawyer, Randy Newsom is currently the Vice President of Business Development for Baseball Operations at Fantex, Inc. Fantex is known for creating the world's first trading platform where participants can trade shares in stocks linked to the value of athlete's brands. Created in 2012 and recently featured in *The New York Times*, *The Economist*, and *The Wall Street Journal*, Fantex has already announced deals with seven different professional athletes, four of whom are already trading on its SEC-regulated exchange.

A graduate of Tufts University and Boston College Law School, Mr. Newsom is responsible for recruiting Fantex's baseball athlete brands, working with players and their advisory teams, and ensuring the athlete's continued brand development on the Fantex platform. Drawing on his previous experience in baseball, Mr. Newsom has built a comprehensive network throughout the industry and has positioned Fantex as future "game-changer" for Major League players.

During his playing career, Mr. Newsom was a member of the Boston Red Sox, Cleveland Indians, and Pittsburgh Pirates baseball organizations. A two-time minor league All-Star, Mr. Newsom's professional playing career lasted six years and allowed him to play throughout the United States, Mexico, and Venezuela. Following his retirement from baseball, and prior to joining Fantex, Mr. Newsom was an associate at Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP in the Securities Litigation department.

Mr. Newsom and his wife, Laura, an attorney at King & Spalding in New York, currently live in Brooklyn and are open to any and all great restaurant recommendations.



Marc D. Puntus

Partner
Centerview Partners

Marc Puntus joined Centerview Partners in 2011 to establish and co-head the restructuring and debt advisory practice. During his over 20-year career, Mr. Puntus has led restructuring, financing, debt advisory and M&A assignments for companies, creditors, acquirers, shareholders and other stakeholders across a wide array of industries.

Mr. Puntus's company-side experience includes representing Residential Capital, JCPenney, Caesars Entertainment Corporation, CTI Foods, PHH Corporation, Clearwire, Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Nation/Foxwoods, CNL Hotels & Resorts, OSI Restaurants Partners, BroderBros., Keystone Automotive, PlayPower, Magna Entertainment Corp., Isola Group, Greatwide Logistics Services, Inc., Vonage, EaglePicher, Anchor Danly, Progressive Moulded Products, Dura Automotive, Autocam, Pegasus Satellite Communications, Pegasus Broadcast, Gate Gourmet, Reichhold, Independence Air, Conversent Corporation, Acterna Corporation, Itronix Corporation, CTC Communications, Micro Warehouse, Women First HealthCare, PSINet Inc., SI Corporation, Sunbeam, Bruno's, Edison Brothers, Crystal Brands and Best Products. He also has represented acquirors, secured lenders and committees in transactions involving Dendreon, Culligan, DS Waters, Station Casinos, Fairpoint Communications, Lehman Brothers, Shared Technologies, Ion Media Networks, EaglePicher, XO Communications, AT&T Latin America, SLI Inc., Grove Crane, Mariner Post-Acute Network, Heilig-Meyers, Ionica, First Wave Marine, The Pittsburgh Penguins, RDM Sports Group, Safety Components, The Wiz and Global Broadcasting.

Prior to joining the firm, Mr. Puntus was a Managing Director and founder of Miller Buckfire & Co. Prior to that, he was a Partner in the BFR department of Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP. Mr. Puntus received a J.D. (*cum laude*) from Boston University School of Law and a B.S.B.A./Finance (*magna cum laude*) from Georgetown University.



Nancy Raber

Vice President and Associate General Counsel
Yahoo!

Nancy Raber is the head of IP Transactions at Yahoo!, Inc., where she and her team manage all IP-related aspects (including privacy, contracts, and integration) of mergers, acquisitions, acqui-hires, and divestitures. She is also a member of the IP monetization group that conducts patent sales, and technology and patent licensing. Her team is responsible for supporting Yahoo Research's university initiatives and providing advice on company-wide open source licensing policies and standards group participation.

Prior to joining Yahoo, Ms. Raber was an associate in the Technology & IP Transactions group at Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP in Silicon Valley.

Ms. Raber received a J.D. from The George Washington School of Law and a master's degree in chemistry from the University of South Florida. She was admitted to the U.S. patent bar in 2000 and has a CIPP/US certification from the International Association of Privacy Professionals.



Charan J. Sandhu

Partner – Technology & IP Transactions,
New York
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Charan J. Sandhu is a partner in the Firm's Technology & Intellectual Property Transactions practice and concentrates in the areas of complex technology transactions and intellectual property.

She represents clients in matters relating to technology transfer, and the development, acquisition, use, and commercial exploitation of technology and intellectual property. She has extensive experience in a wide variety of complex technology transactions, including technology development and licensing agreements, joint ventures, strategic alliances, professional services agreements, outsourcing arrangements, distribution agreements, and settlements of IP litigation.



Ray Schrock

Partner – Business Finance & Restructuring,
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