

San Diego Intellectual Property Law Association

SDIPLA News

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January 23, 2003 Dinner Meeting

"Hackers, Crackers, and Thieves, Oh My!"™ Speaker: Matt Yarbrough, Principal, Fish & Richardson

ABOUT THE TOPIC:

Matt Yarbrough, a principal at the Dallas office of Fish & Richardson P.C., will be speaking on the importance of, and methods for, corporate and government strategy concerning the security, privacy, and confidentiality of business information, as well as on the need to raise awareness at the executive level for the design and implementation of security programs that go well beyond technology and into the equally important areas of business strategy, policies, regulatory compliance, and training.

ABOUT THE SPEAKER:

Practice Areas: Complex Litigation, Business Litigation

Technology Areas: Computer Hardware, Software, Internet

Education: Texas Christian University B.A. 1989;

Southern Methodist University J.D. 1993, Notes & Comments Editor, *SMU Law Review*

Professional experience: Principal of Fish & Richardson and head of Cyber Law Group in the Dallas office. Practice focuses on Internet regulation, cyber law consulting, government investigations, and technology related litigation. Assists clients who conduct business over computer networks by establishing policies and procedures designed to protect their intellectual property and secure commercial networks and e-business transactions from online vandalism, theft, and



Matthew E. Yarbrough
Principal
Fish & Richardson LLP

hacking. Works with clients in a wide range of industries, including wireless, Internet service providers (ASPs and web hosters), software, Internet security, hardware, healthcare, and financial.

Date/Time/Location:

JANUARY 23, 2003
6:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.

La Jolla Marriott
4240 La Jolla Village Drive
La Jolla, California
858-587-1414

Directions:

I-5 to La Jolla Village Drive;
.5 miles east, between Genessee
and Regents Road

I-805 to La Jolla Village Drive,
1 mile west

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About the Speaker: (cont.)

Previously Assistant United States Attorney in Dallas: served as the District's Computer and Telecommunications Coordinator (CTC) and the Leader of the CyberCrimes Task Force, prosecuting all cases concerning computer and telecommunications fraud and intellectual property crimes. Spearheaded U.S. Attorney's office efforts to build the North Texas Regional Computer Forensic Laboratory, the largest of its kind in the United States. Special Internet Counsel with the Internet/e-commerce Practice Group of Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. (2000-2001).

Litigation examples: Prosecuted the largest theft of corporate trade secrets under the Economic Espionage Act in *U.S. v. Shearer*, also known as the *Tejas* case. Successfully prosecuted cases involving victim companies AT&T, GTE, SWB, Microsoft, Adobe, Apple, Sprint, Caterpillar, EDS, Dell, and Intel. He also prosecuted the high-profile

network intrusion, denial of services, and web site destruction cases of PhoneMasters and globalHell, profiled nationally in the Wall Street Journal, ABC's 20/20, USA Today, The New York Times, U.S. News & World Report, A&E's Investigative Reports with Bill Curtis, and CNN.

Other: Internationally recognized expert in the area of e-commerce law and security; has appeared on such programs as Nightline with Ted Koppel. Has spoken extensively to corporate America from Fortune 500s to dot.coms regarding Internet, general e-business, privacy and corporate security issues. Recognized by The Texas Lawyer as an attorney that "cutting-edge technology companies turn to." Voted as one of "The Best Lawyers Under 40

in Dallas" in the May 2002 issue of D Magazine. Named to The National Law Journal's "40 Under 40" list.

Previously served as Advisor to Texas Attorney General John Cornyn on Internet Matters overseeing the creation of Texas' Internet Bureau which will handle issues concerning e-commerce, privacy, and cybercrimes. Former Adjunct Professor of Trial Advocacy, SMU Law School, 1999, taught course on Computer Crimes and Litigation.

Selected publications:

- "Hacking", *DFW TechBiz*, December 3, 2001
- "HIPAA", *DFW TechBiz*, December 17, 2001
- "Privacy battles have only begun, policies due closer scrutiny", *DFW TechBiz*, February 4, 2002

Articles of Interest

The Editorial Committee is looking for articles of interest to the SDIPLA Membership for inclusion in the newsletter. Please submit articles or request information from Mark Wieczorek at markw@innercool.com.

Applicants for SDIPLA Membership

The following individuals have applied for SDIPLA membership. Active Members may oppose membership status to these individuals by lodging a formal notice of opposition. The opposition must include relevant grounds for disqualification and should be submitted to the Secretary on or before February 28, 2003.



James W. Collett, Ph.D.

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Dinner Reservation Form

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THURSDAY

JANUARY 23, 2003

San Diego Marriott La Jolla
 Mixer 6:00 p.m. (No Host Bar)
 Dinner 6:30 p.m.
 Presentation 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

The Menu

Tomato Bisque and Caesar Salad

With one of the following entrees:

Chicken Madagascar

(with Creamy Peppercorn Demi Glaze and
 Garlic Mashed Potatoes)

** OR **

Grilled Mediterranean Salmon

(with Tomatoes, Olives, Capers and Oregano
 served over Spinach Fettuccini)

** OR **

Vegetarian Lasagna

With

Chef's Selection of Accompaniments
 and

California Fruit Tart with Creamy Vanilla
 Sauce

Due to the large number of attendees expected at this event, the SDIPLA is again requesting **Pre-Registration and Pre-Payment**.

To reserve your place, please fill out the below registration, indicate your meal choice, and send it **WITH YOUR CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO 'SDIPLA'** to:

Vicki G. Norton
 SDIPLA Secretary
 c/o Brobeck, Phleger & Harrison
 12390 El Camino Real
 San Diego, CA 92130
 Fax: (858) 720-2555
 vnorton@brobeck.com

REMINDERS

- Please mail, fax, or e-mail your reservation to Vicki Norton at the address, fax, or e-mail address indicated for receipt **no later than Tuesday, January 21, 2002**.
- The reservation deadline is dictated by the hotel and not by the SDIPLA.
- This program has been approved for MCLE credit by the State Bar of California in the amount of one (1.0) unit.

NOTE INCREASE IN MEAL PRICES

\$40.00 SDIPLA Member

\$45.00 Non-Member

Registration Deadline: Tuesday, 1/21/03

Please fill out a separate form for each attendee.

Name: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Firm/Employer: _____

Dinner Choice:

Telephone Number: _____

Chicken Madagascar

Grilled Salmon

Member of SDIPLA? (circle one) YES NO

Vegetarian Lasagna

Situations Wanted/Offered

THE SCRIPPS RESEARCH INSTITUTE SEEKS ASSOCIATE PATENT COUNSEL

Depending on expertise, prepare and prosecute leading edge biotechnology or pharmaceutical patent applications, including collecting disclosures by inventor interviews and prior art searching, provide prosecution support to other TSRI staff attorneys, and assist co-counsel in interference and litigation proceedings. Requires a Ph.D. in Organic Chemistry, Molecular Biology, or a related discipline, J.D. and U.S. Patent Office registration, with 1-10 years experience preferred. Prefer CA Bar member or willingness to become admitted in CA.

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Alternatively, mail or email resume to: TSRI, 10550 N. Torrey Pines Rd., TPC11, La Jolla, CA 92037-1000, email: resumes@scripps.edu Ref SDIPLA on cover letter.

EOE M/F/V/D, Principals Only

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IT professional with over 15 years in industry changing careers and seeking opportunity and challenge; graduate of UCSD ABA approved Paralegal program; full LEXIS capability; knowledgeable and capable in all aspects of paralegal functions as well as the setup, configuration, and problem resolution for computer hardware and software.

Please see <http://members.cox.net/ubetchaiam> for resume and work experience.

Email: ubetchaiam@cox.net

Phone = 619-255-1956

PATENT AGENT SITUATION WANTED

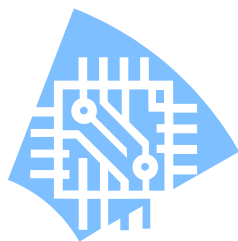
Patent Agent, B.A. University of San Diego, seeks law firm or corporate patent work. Over 20 years experience in electro-mechanical design and telecommunications, including wireless phones. Experienced as a company liaison to outside patent counsel.

Please contact:

Richard A. Jarrett
Telephone: (760) 788-6785
E-mail: getpatented@yahoo.com

Announcements Page

This Announcements page is designed to better serve the needs of the membership. This page may be used to advertise for positions offered or desired, as well as to provide a forum for announcements of interest to the San Diego IP community. Please contact Vicki Norton if you would like to place an ad or announcement.



UCSD Extension Announces A New Professional Certificate in Intellectual Property

As defined by the World Intellectual Property Organization: "Intellectual property refers to creations of the mind: inventions, literary and artistic works, and symbols, names, images, and designs used in commerce." The Professional Certificate in Intellectual Property is designed to serve the diverse needs of the community by providing a foundation in securing and maintaining patents, copyrights and trademarks.

Mirroring the local economy, the Certificate offers a rich diversity of classes in the disciplines of biosciences, software development, medical devices and the arts. Students are carefully prepared to comprehend the unique complexities of their specific industry in advanced subject specific courses.

This Certificate is designed for the professional who wishes to change emphases or earn continuing education credit; for the novice, wishing to begin a career in intellectual property; and those simply wishing to gain advice, perspective, develop basic skills, and/or network for personal gain.

With the help of a highly-qualified and prestigious advisory board, UCSD has developed a comprehensive program that focuses on essential intellectual property concepts and procedures, while allowing the student to customize their program by choosing an emphasis through electives. The Certificate will focus on a variety of topics, from core subjects: patents, trademarks and copyrights. Electives that include current topics in Biosciences, Pharmaceutical, Telecommunications, Software Development, Literature and Art.

Winter 2003 Course Offerings

Computer and Software Law

Time/Date: Tu, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., 2/18/2003 - 3/4/2003
Fee: \$ 225

Intellectual Property Law

Time/Date: Tu, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., 1/7/2003 - 2/11/2003
Fee: \$285

Patent Prosecution

Time/Date: Th, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., 1/9/2003 - 3/13/2003
Fee: \$345

Principles of Patents

Time/Date: M 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., 1/6/2003 - 3/24/2003 (no mtg., Jan. 20 ,
Feb. 17)
Fee: \$345

Principles of Trademarks

Time/Date: W 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., 1/8/2003 - 3/12/2003
Fee: \$345

Enrollment is Easy! On-line at www.extension.ucsd.edu/registration, or call 858/534-3400. For questions regarding the Professional Certificate in Intellectual Property, contact Lyn Hall-Fore at lhallfore@ucsd.edu or call 858/882-8008.



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Upcoming SDIPLA Events

Date	Event	Topic
February 27, 2003	Dinner Meeting, Marriott La Jolla Speaker: Kay Chandler, Cooley Godward, LLP	TBA
March 7, 8, and 9, 2003	OCPLA/SDIPLA Joint Meeting Hilton La Jolla Torrey Pines, La Jolla, CA	TBA
April 24, 2003	Dinner Meeting Speaker: Cecelia Gonzalez, Howrey Simon Arnold & White, LLP	TBA
May 10, 2003	Charity Golf Tournament Carlton Oaks Golf Club, Santee, CA	
May 15, 2003	Dinner Meeting Speaker: Frank Grassler, GlaxoSmithKline	TBA