

Hon. Jerome B. Abrams

State District Court Judge, First Judicial District of Minnesota, Hastings, MN

Minnesota State District Court Judge Jerome (Jerry) Abrams came on to the Bench in 2008 after 27 years of a busy civil trial practice. As a lawyer, he tried numerous cases in a number of state and federal courts. Judge Abrams is a member of the American Board of Trial Advocates and a Director of the American College of Business Court Judges. Judge Abrams serves as a regular adjunct faculty at the University of Minnesota Law School where he teaches Complex Litigation. He has served on the Minnesota Civil Justice Reform Task Force and its predecessor group, which recommended major changes in the civil justice system, which were recently adopted. Judge Abrams is a frequent speaker at state and national continuing education programs on Complex Case Management, Civil Justice Reform and related topics. He is currently operating a pilot expedited-litigation program, which provides truncated discovery and fixed jury trial dates within 6 months of filing for designated types of civil cases. In the past, Judge Abrams has presided over several major state multidistrict litigations, including the statewide challenge to alcohol breath testing equipment which involved over 4,000 cases.

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Kelly, NightOwl Discovery's Director of Analytics and Review, is an experienced attorney licensed in the state of Minnesota. She brings with her prior experience in complex business litigation in state and federal courts. Kelly has substantial experience advising clients on and managing complex analytics, TAR, and document review projects, which have involved developing and implementing advanced workflows and trainings, streamlining areas for improvement in process and procedure, and managing quality and performance. She is CEDS certified and a Relativity Analytics Specialist, Relativity Assisted Review Specialist, and a Brainspace Analyst and Administrator. Kelly holds a B.A. with honors in Politics & Government from the University of Puget Sound and a J.D. from Willamette University College of Law, where she was the Editor-in-Chief of the *Willamette Journal of Internal Law and Dispute Resolution* and the Note and Comment Editor of the *Willamette Law Review*.

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Denise is a Shareholder and eDiscovery Counsel at Littler Mendelson, P.C. Her practice focuses on litigating the eDiscovery aspects of class and collective actions, as well as leveraging her significant international experience to help employers with cross-border discovery challenges. Denise advises on and conducts all phases of discovery, providing clients with cost-saving, leading-edge technology solutions in this rapidly developing area. She has engaged in eDiscovery motion practice in multiple jurisdictions and has worked on discovery responses to the EEOC, SEC, FINRA, DOJ, FTC, and state attorneys general. Denise serves on the Steering Committee of The Sedona Conference Working Group 6 on International Electronic Information Management, Discovery and Disclosure (WG6), and is a member of The Sedona Conference Working Group 1 on Electronic Document Retention and Production (WG1) and Working Group 11 on Data Security and Privacy Liability (WG11). She co-chaired the 2014 Annual Sedona Conference International Programme on

Cross-Border Discovery and Data Protection Laws in London, England, is an Editor-in-Chief of *The International Investigations Principles*, and contributed to the *Primer on Social Media* and *Commentary on Protection of Privileged ESI*. She is also a member of the International Association of Privacy Professionals and a Certified Information Privacy Professional/Europe (CIPP/E). She is a Founding Director of the Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law Data Law Initiative and lectures on International eDiscovery and Information Governance Law. Denise received her J.D. from Columbia University Law School, and a M.A. in late medieval history and a B.A. with first-class honors, both from the University of Melbourne, Australia.

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Kevin has extensive experience providing advice and counsel on electronic discovery, electronic information management, data privacy, and data security issues. Kevin regularly advises a wide variety of companies on records retention and information governance programs, compliance with eDiscovery demands, and the development and implementation of policies and procedures related to the deployment of technology solutions. In addition to serving as an expert witness and Special Discovery Master on issues related to electronic discovery, Kevin lectures and publishes extensively in the areas of eDiscovery, records management, data privacy, data security, attorney competence, and legal ethics. Kevin received a J.D. from Widener University School of Law (*magna cum laude*), an M.B.A. from Widener University, and a B.A. from the University of Delaware. Kevin serves as the Chair of the Steering Committee of The Sedona Conference Working Group 1 on Electronic Document Retention and Production (WG1). Kevin is also Co-Chair Emeritus of the Georgetown University Law Center's Advisory Board for the Advanced E-Discovery Institute and Co-Chair of the Delaware Supreme Court's Commission on Law and Technology. He also serves on the BNA Board of Advisors of Digital Discovery and Electronic Evidence, and is a member of the Seventh Circuit Council on eDiscovery and Digital Information. He is a founding member and Past President of the Richard K. Herrmann Technology Inn of Court in Wilmington, Delaware.

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Kevin is an attorney and provides technical and business management expertise for the litigation support team at Thompson & Knight, while delivering consultation on ediscovery, information privacy, and data security

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As Littler's first Chief Data Analytics Officer, Aaron brings an extensive background focused on the intersection of technology, business, and the law. Aaron manages the operations of Littler's data analytics practice and leads the development and implementation of technology-based solutions that provide value to the firm and its clients. He also uses data analytics tools to facilitate process improvements and efficiencies, and assist in protocols for the secure handling of data. Aaron also has extensive experience conducting pay equity audits for all types of employers, from start-ups to Fortune 50 companies, and helped develop the Littler Pay Equity Assessment™, including counseling employers on a broad range of state and federal issues related to pay equity, from compliance, to updating policies and job descriptions, to training managers and recruiters, and more. Aaron previously served as one of the firm's eDiscovery counsel. In that capacity, he also assisted with developing strategies for efficient and effective data harvesting, review and production, and implementing cost-shifting and cost reduction strategies.

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Nicolas is the chief executive of H5 and was a pioneer in advocating the application of scientific methods to electronic discovery. He chairs the Law Committees of the IEEE Global Initiative on Ethics of Autonomous and Intelligent Systems and of the Global Governance of AI Roundtable hosted in Dubai as part of the annual World Government Summit. He leads The Future Society's Law Initiative and is a member of the Council on Extended Intelligence (CXI), a joint initiative of the MIT Media Lab and IEEE-SA. He has spoken on issues pertaining to artificial intelligence and its governance at a wide variety of conferences and organizations, including the Spring Meetings of the International Monetary Fund (IMF), Harvard and Stanford Law Schools, Renmin University of China, and UNESCO, and appeared with U.S. Supreme Court Justice Stephen Breyer at a groundbreaking summit hosted by Georgetown University Law Center ("And Justice for All: How the Electronic Information Explosion is Transforming the American Legal System"). Trained in political science at the Graduate Institute of International Studies of the University of Geneva (Switzerland), he earned his M.B.A. from the Wharton School of Business and chose to forgo completion of his M.P.A at Harvard's Kennedy School in order to co-found H5.

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Audra is a Shareholder at Banner & Witcoff. She has litigated dozens of complex intellectual property proceedings across the country, including high-stakes utility patent, design patent, trademark, trade dress, and

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Tara advises organizations and law firms on information governance programs and e-Discovery. Her IG practice includes data management and compliance, privacy, policies, records management technology, and defensible deletion. In litigation, she is an expert on search methodologies, data preservation and collection approaches, discovery protocols, and strategies for resolving discovery issues with litigation adversaries, government regulators, and the courts. Above all, Tara seeks to solve her clients' unique data problems in ways that reflect a best fit for each client and matter. Tara is a lawyer, certified Project Management Professional, experienced participant in e-Discovery advisory groups, and a frequent speaker at law firms, corporate legal departments, and eDiscovery and information governance conferences.

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Alison is an eDiscovery advocate and litigation partner at Troutman Sanders LLP where she founded and leads eMerge – a wholly owned subsidiary providing clients with end-to-end, integrated discovery services. eMerge's lawyers and technologists combine legal strategy, advanced technology, and project management to manage data in legal matters. Alison is also an adjunct professor of eDiscovery and Legal Technology at Emory University School of Law, is frequent speaker and author on eDiscovery issues, and leads Troutman's firm-wide Innovation Initiative. In 2015, Alison was the inaugural recipient of the Monica Bay STEM Leadership Award. She was recognized as ILTA's Technology Advocacy Professional of the Year in 2012, and

has been selected as a Georgia Super Lawyer for eDiscovery (2015 – 2018). Alison is an active member of The Sedona Working Group 1 on Electronic Document Retention and Production (WG1) where she assisted with the drafting of the Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 34(b)(2) Primer and serves as a mentor to law students through the Leadership Counsel on Legal Diversity.

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Ted, now Senior Counsel at Redgrave, has for over thirty years represented clients in the defense of multi-case product liability actions, other complex litigation, and investigations. His practice has focused on managing discovery, including privilege and work product matters; and, for over twenty-five years, Ted has managed and advised clients on electronic discovery and information governance matters. He was a founding member of The Sedona Conference Working Group on Electronic Document Retention and Production (WG1), for which he has served on multiple drafting teams. Ted has also served on the drafting teams for all three editions of *The Sedona Principles: Best Practice Recommendations & Principles for Addressing Electronic Document Production*, including as Senior Editor of the 2007 Second Edition and as part of the Editorial Style Committee for the 2018 Third Edition.

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Taylor is the global head of eDiscovery at Swiss Re, a leading wholesale provider of reinsurance, insurance, and other insurance-based forms of risk transfer. In this role, he oversees all aspects of eDiscovery and related cross-border data transfers, including developing policies and procedures, and managing case work. Prior positions include Corporate Counsel (Litigation and eDiscovery) at DISH Network, where he implemented an overhaul of DISH's eDiscovery Process, and as a Litigation Associate at Covington & Burling LLP. Taylor clerked for the Honorable Emilio M. Garza of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, and received his JD from the University of Chicago. Taylor currently serves as Chair of the Steering Committee of The Sedona Conference Working Group 6 on International Electronic Information Management, Discovery and Disclosure (WG6).

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Dawson is presently Vice President, Associate General Counsel, to the Litigation Department at AIG where he is responsible for specified corporate litigation cases, a range of eDiscovery matters, and antitrust compliance. Before assuming that position he was Senior Litigation Counsel with Tyco International and was responsible for a large toxic tort and insurance recovery docket. Prior to that Dawson served for eight years as Assistant General Counsel at Altria Corporate Services where, among other things, he managed Altria's defense in the multi-billion-dollar RICO lawsuit by the Department of Justice against the major U.S. cigarette companies. At Scott Paper, he managed the company's defense in breast implant class action litigation and navigated its related insurance issues. His litigation training began at the Pepper Hamilton firm where he gained first chair trial experience and worked primarily on insurance and antitrust cases. Because of this extensive litigation

background, Dawson keeps current on a range of related issues, especially the evolving law of eDiscovery. In that regard, he is a member of The Sedona Conference Working Group on Electronic Document Retention and Production (WG1) and a member of the Educational Advisory Board to ALM's LegalTech. Dawson is also a frequent speaker on eDiscovery issues.

Hon. Iain D. Johnston

U.S. Magistrate Judge, Northern District of Illinois, Rockford, IL

Iain D. Johnston is a U.S. Magistrate Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, Western Division, where he handles all pretrial matters for all civil and all criminal cases. He graduated with honors from both The John Marshall Law School (1990) and Rockford College (1987). Following law school, he clerked for Judge Philip G. Reinhard in both the Illinois Appellate Court and U.S. District Court. After his clerkship, he joined the Illinois Attorney General's Office, where he was a unit supervisor. He then entered private practice, during which time he was a partner at Altheimer & Gray and a senior counsel at Holland + Knight. On April 1, 2008, with Andrew Greene, he co-founded Johnston Greene LLC, where he litigated nearly anything a client would pay him to litigate. He has published dozens of articles, which have been relied on as authority by courts across the country.

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Henry litigates class actions and other complex cases. He is currently involved in several major data breach cases as well as cases alleging that major food companies misled consumers by labeling products containing GMOs as "natural." Henry is also a member of the Milberg's E-Discovery Practice Group and handles a wide range of complex e-discovery issues. Henry is a regular observer at meetings of the Judicial Conference Advisory Committee on Civil Rules and has testified multiple times before the Committee regarding proposed amendments to the Federal Rules. He has been included in the Chambers USA, America's Leading Lawyers for Business as a nationally "recognized practitioner" in the e-Discovery practice area and is a frequent writer and speaker on discovery-related amendments to the Federal Rules and other e-discovery issues.

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Colleen is a partner and the chair of Sidley's E-Discovery practice. She has litigated class actions that range from claims under the Fair Labor Standard Act, the Equal Pay Act and Title VII, consumer fraud, and securities fraud. Colleen has over 25 years of experience assisting clients mediate, arbitrate, and litigate complicated and multifaceted contractual and other commercial disputes in a variety of industries. She is a Certified Public Accountant and a Certified Management Accountant. Prior to law school, Colleen worked for four years as an auditor for a large public accounting firm. She is a longtime member of the Sedona Conference Working Group on Electronic Discovery, the Electronic Discovery Institute, the Seventh Circuit E-Discovery Pilot Program on E Discovery, and the Duke Law Conference Discovery Proportionality Guidelines Team. Colleen has been recognized as a *Super Lawyer*, and is currently recognized in *Who's Who Legal: Litigation (E-Discovery)* and as a *Top 100 High Stakes Litigator*.

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Del has been an in-house litigation attorney for the King County Prosecutor's Office in Seattle for over 20 years. He began his government career prosecuting criminal cases and has first-chaired over 60 jury trials, including serious violent felonies and domestic violence cases. For the past decade-and-a-half, he has handled civil cases as diverse as his local-government clients, including employment defense, road design, First Amendment, jail condition, and police misconduct cases. He likes trial work and incorporating technology into his practice. In one jury trial a few years ago, his team was able to use ESI evidence to show that the other party had fabricated an alleged whistleblower communication. Del is a graduate of the University of Washington and the University of Chicago Law School. When he's not working or driving his kids to their activities, he enjoys biking and hiking.

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Leeanne is a litigator and co-chair of the firm's eDiscovery and Information Management Platform. She manages all aspects of national and international discovery. Leeanne frequently serves as eDiscovery counsel on large-scale litigations. She defends and argues discovery motions and prepares and represents witnesses on IT and eDiscovery-related topics. Leeanne has formulated efficient and effective workflows for document review and production, utilizing advanced TAR technologies. She forms creative, strategic plans to address clients' eDiscovery and information management issues in both litigation and pre-litigation settings. Leeanne counsels on policies and procedures related to information management. She also advises on international

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Don practices exclusively in the area of electronic discovery. He works closely with clients and case teams to ensure that electronic discovery is handled in a defensible and cost-effective manner. Specifically, he works with Little attorneys and their clients on issues such as preservation of evidence, strategies for data collection and review, computer forensic issues, and negotiations with opposing counsel regarding electronic discovery. Don has handled cases in many jurisdictions nationally, and he frequently speaks on issues relating to electronic discovery. Previously, he served as a law clerk for the Hon. Lawrence P. Zatkoff, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Michigan and as a staff attorney for the Michigan Court of Appeals.

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Hon. Katharine H. Parker

U.S. Magistrate Judge, Southern District of New York, New York, NY

Magistrate Judge Katharine H. Parker was sworn into office in November 2016. After graduating from Duke University and Fordham University School of Law, she served as law clerk to Judge Warren W. Eginton in the U.S. District Court for the District of Connecticut. From 1993 to 2016, Judge Parker was an associate and later an equity partner with Proskauer Rose LLP where she practiced labor and employment law and chaired several practice groups including Employment Law Counseling and Training, and Government Regulatory Relations and Affirmative Action. Judge Parker has been actively involved with the NYC Bar Association

during her career, and has chaired both the Disability Law and Employment Committees. Judge Parker is also involved in pro bono and charitable causes, including the Michael J. Fox Foundation and Girl Be Heard. She was a recipient of the Fairy Godmother Award from Girl Be Heard and the Jeremy Epstein Award for Pro Bono Service from the NYC Bar Association.

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Trena is a solutions architect with Epiq, where she consults with corporations and law firms regarding e-discovery and information governance. Prior to joining Epiq, Trena was the senior data strategist for Nelson Mullins' e-discovery practice group, Encompass. Trena also managed Nelson Mullins' day-to-day technical discovery operations for the firm and consulted with corporate clients in the areas of preservation, data & culling strategies, technology assisted review, and developing workflows and processes to aid in reducing discovery-related costs and risks. Trena holds a B.S. in Accounting and Finance from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, a M.S. in Accounting from College of Charleston, and a J.D. from Valparaiso University.

Hon. Andrew J. Peck (ret.)

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Judge Peck served for 23 years as a U.S. Magistrate Judge for the Southern District of New York, including a term as Chief Magistrate Judge from 2004 to 2005. Before his appointment to the bench, Judge Peck was in private practice for 17 years, focusing on commercial and entertainment litigation, including copyright and trademark matters, with extensive trial experience. As Senior Counsel at DLA Piper, Judge Peck advises on innovative and efficient solutions to the challenges of information management, both within and outside the litigation context. He frequently speaks at conferences concerning eDiscovery issues. Judge Peck is also available to serve as an arbitrator, mediator and Special Master. Judge Peck is recognized internationally for bringing electronic discovery competency to the attention of both the judiciary and bar. Indeed, he is widely described as the first judge to tackle the subject of eDiscovery head on, most notably in the influential 1995 decision *Anti-Monopoly v. Hasbro*, in which Judge Peck found that "it is black letter law that computerized data is discoverable if relevant." Also among his legacy rulings is the 2011 employment class action *Monique Da Silva Moore, et. al. v. Publicis Groupe & MSL Group*, the first judicial decision approving the use of technology-assisted review. In March 2018, the New York Law Journal called Judge Peck "one of e-discovery's most influential figures." Among the honors he has received, American Lawyer named him to its list of the Top 50 Innovators of the Last 50 Years as its Judicial E-Discovery Innovator.

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Hon. Karen Wells Roby

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Judge Roby is the Chief United States Magistrate Judge for the Eastern District of Louisiana. She has served on the court for twenty years where she handles criminal and civil matters and also serves as a mediator. She is a Division Director for the ABA's Litigation section and is formerly the Co-Chair of the ABA Litigation Section, Diversity and Inclusion Committee and former Co-Chair of the Section's Alternative Dispute Resolution Committee. In 2012, Judge Roby served as President of the Federal Magistrate Judges Association ("FMJA"), a national organization of over 600 U.S. Magistrate Judges across the country. As President of the Association she worked to secure pay raises for all active and recently retired federal magistrate judges. Judge Roby is a frequent speaker on various legal topics and she has had over hundreds of speaking engagements throughout the United States during her career. She is also published in the areas of social media and ethics, settlement and ethics, and attorney's fees. Judge Roby serves as an Adjunct Professor at Tulane University Law School where she teaches a course on E-Discovery and Digital Evidence.

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David is a partner at Redgrave LLP and leads the Firm's privacy and data security practice. Prior to joining Redgrave LLP, David served three terms as the Acting General Counsel at the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) and ten years as the agency's Principal Deputy General Counsel. In both roles, he oversaw the Office's Litigation, Legal Counsel, and Opinions and Analysis Groups, as well as FOIA, Employment Law, and Energy Counsel Staff. Before becoming the Principal Deputy General Counsel, David was the agency's Assistant General Counsel for Litigation. Before joining the FTC, David was an associate at a Washington, DC law firm and a litigator in the Civil Division of the United States Department of Justice. During his tenure at the FTC, David became a recognized expert (and frequently spoke on and wrote about) government investigations, international discovery, privacy, and data security. David is a Senior Fellow of the Administrative Conference of the United States, providing informed and objective assessments about best practices throughout the government. David is currently a member of The Sedona Conference Working Group on Data Security and Privacy Liability (WG11), serves on the Steering Committee for International Electronic Information Management, Discovery and Disclosure (WG6), and is a former member of the Steering Committee for Electronic Document Retention and Production (WG1). He has previously chaired the FTC's eDiscovery Steering Committee. David is recipient of the Presidential Rank Award of Meritorious Executive (2015).

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Judge Vanaskie served for over 8 years as a Circuit Judge for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit. Prior to that, he served more than 16 years as a District Judge for the U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, during which time he also served as the District's Chief Judge for a seven-year term. While on the bench, Judge Vanaskie served on the Information Technology Committee of the Judicial Conference of the United States, where he was appointed Chair by the late Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist in 2005. He also was a member of the Judicial Conference of the United States, serving as Chair of the Conference of the District Judge Representatives to the Judicial Conference in 2005. Judge Vanaskie was a member of the Third Circuit Judicial Council and served on its Information Technology, Reentry Courts, Space and Facilities, and Library Committees. He is a past member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Judges Association and he has also served on several working groups of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts, including as one of the founding members of the working group that established the federal courts' Online System for Clerkship Applications and Review ("OSCAR"). Judge Vanaskie also served on the Electronic Public Access working group, as co-chair of the Chambers Functional Requirements Group for the Next Generation of CM/ECF, and as co-chair of the Appellate Judges Education Committee. He received his Juris Doctor Degree, cum laude, from the Dickinson School of Law, after which he served as a law clerk to then Chief Judge William J. Nealon of the Middle District of Pennsylvania. Thereafter, Judge Vanaskie practiced law first with the firm of Dilworth, Paxson, Kalish & Kauffman, and then with Elliott, Vanaskie & Riley, where he was a principal member. He has lectured extensively at judicial and continuing legal education programs, and is an adjunct professor of law at the Dickinson School of Law at Penn State University, teaching a course on Electronic Evidence. He is a member of Working Groups 1 and 11 of the Sedona Conference. On January 2, 2019, Judge Vanaskie retired from the Court of Appeals. He has joined JAMS, providing alternative dispute resolution and Special Master services, and he also presently serves in a consulting capacity to Agnes Intelligence, whose mission is to develop ethical artificial intelligence solutions to the problems posed by the exponential growth and proliferation of data.

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