

Corey Bieber

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OVERVIEW

Corey Bieber counsels technology manufacturers, game developers, studios, and cross-media companies at the intersection of interactive technology and commercial reality. His practice covers technology transactions, IP licensing, data protection and privacy, and AI governance.

Clients come to him with the questions these technologies actually raise.

In manufacturing and industrial technology, he advises on the licensing and data ownership issues behind connected machinery, AR/VR training, motion capture ergonomics, and digital twin deployments - including who owns the data a digital twin generates and whether a machine-generated model is a derivative work.

In gaming and interactive media, he counsels developers, studios, and cross-media companies on publisher, platform, and open source terms; rights clearance across comics, games, film, and merchandise; and how AI-assisted development changes what studios can protect and what they can safely use.

The two practices share a foundation: immersive technology, real-time data, and IP built on top of someone else's platform. Corey works on both sides of that line.

Before practicing law, Corey spent more than 20 years in software development and information technology, including work as a developer and solutions architect. That background is the foundation of the practice: he understands the systems his clients build at the level of the architecture, not just the contract. He is a Certified Ethical Hacker - nationally recognized for his white hat work - a CISSP, and a named inventor on a software design patent. He heads the firm's Video Game and Immersive Technology Group and serves as the firm's artificial intelligence liaison for the Intellectual Property practice group.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Corey began his career in technology, spending over a decade as a software developer and solutions architect in the healthcare industry. He then served as an in-house information technology and legal consultant for a major health insurer, handling HIPAA privacy and security, TCPA compliance, and web and mobile terms of use and privacy policies, and chaired a cross-divisional committee engaging FTC and FDA policy on mobile technology. After practicing as counsel in the Chicago office of an international law firm, he joined K&L Gates, where he

developed the litigation analytics platform the firm uses to conduct data audits and exposure assessments in data-intensive class action litigation.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Listed in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America* for Technology Law in Chicago, 2025
- Best Mobile App Awards Platinum for "Centered," a mindfulness-based wellness app; named inventor on the software design patent
- Nationally recognized for white hat hacking

PROFESSIONAL / CIVIC ACTIVITIES

- Pro bono representation of disabled veterans before the VA Regional Office (Corey is an Iraq war veteran)
- Illinois Bar Association
- InfraGard, a partnership between the FBI and private sector for the protection of US critical infrastructure

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- The New Technology Frontier: Quantum Computing, AI, National Security, and Cryptocurrency webinar, myLawCLE, 29 October 2026

ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND

- Certified Information Systems Security Professional, 2022
- Certified Ethical Hacker v10, 2021
- Certified Information Privacy Professional/US
- Veterans Administration Accredited Attorney
- Certified Scrum Master, 2015

EDUCATION

- B.A., Indiana University of Pennsylvania, 2002
- J.D., Chicago-Kent College of Law, Illinois Institute of Technology, 2014
- M.P.H, Boston University, 2006 *(Public Health – Applied Research and Statistics)*
- M.S., Northwestern University, 2010 *(Computer Information Systems)*

ADMISSIONS

- Bar of Illinois
- United States Tax Court

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP *POWERED BY HUB*

- 16 November 2026, The New Technology Frontier: Quantum, AI, and Protecting Businesses from Regulatory Risk
- August 2026, Global Data Protection Insights
- 29 July 2026, GOLD EAGLE Takes Flight: White House Launches AI-Enabled Cybersecurity Clearinghouse
- 26 June 2026, Preparing for Q-Day: New Executive Orders Address Quantum Innovation and Post-Quantum Cryptography
- 3 July 2025, Publication Alert: Encrypted Messaging in the Crosshairs: Compliance, Legal Risks, and Global Perspectives
- 17 January 2025, New Executive Order Bolsters the Nation's Cyber Defenses
- 18 November 2024, Understanding the Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC) Program: Essential Steps for Defense Contractors
- 18 November 2024, AI National Security Memorandum Scopes Key Priorities
- 13 November 2024, The Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification Program – Defense Contractors Must Rapidly Prepare and Implement
- 28 September 2023, The Coming Generative AI Revolution: The Impact on Fintechs and Banks
- 30 August 2023, Federal Court Rules Work Generated by Artificial Intelligence Alone Is Not Eligible for Copyright Protection
- 25 July 2023, Legislative Responses to Recent Developments in Generative Artificial Intelligence
- 29 June 2023, Gateway to Privacy: China Data Transfers and What You Need to Know
- November 2022, Decoding Digital Assets: Blockchain, Crypto, and NFTs Insight Series - Part I
- March-October 2022, Transforming Health: Digital Health Legal Insight Series 2022, Parts I, II, and III: D2C Telehealth Services
- 11 April 2019, Interplay of Patents, Technology and Data
- 2 April 2019, CMS Announces Artificial Intelligence Health Outcomes Challenge
- 13 February 2019, Global Legal Blockchain Consortium Briefing

- 7 March 2018, 1st Quarter Update: Trends in Cybersecurity and Data Privacy
- 7 November 2017, Litigation Under Illinois Biometric Information Privacy Act Highlights Biometric Data Risks

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- "Modern adtech regulated under antiquated law: How video killed the internet star," *Thomson Reuters Westlaw Today*, 15 March 2024
- "Legislative Responses to Recent Developments in Generative Artificial Intelligence," *The Journal of Robotics, Artificial Intelligence & Law*, March-April 2024
- "Managing AI Risks: The Top Guest Articles of 2023 - When and How Companies Should Build an AI Strategy," *Law360*, 22 December 2023
- "When And How Companies Should Build An AI Strategy," *Law360*, 18 October 2023
- Bieber, CM & Talamayan, KS (2008, Oct.) Impact of an aging population on eHealth information Delivery: An accessibility analysis. American Public Health Association 136thAnnual Meeting, San Diego, CA.
- Bieber, CM et al. (2008, Aug.) Identifying risk factors for abuse of prescription opioids by pain patients: a pilot case-controlled study. International Association for the Study of Pain 12th World Congress, Glasgow, Scotland.
- Bieber CM, et al. (2008) Subjective effects of opioids in patients treated for pain who do or do not develop opioid addiction: a pilot case-control study. Experimental and Clinical Psychopharmacology, 16, 429–434.
- DeRicco, B., Chiauzzi, E., Bieber, C., & Quinonez, L. (2007, Feb.) Measuring institutional climate for prevention intervention: The Institutional Climate Assessment. NASPA Strategies Conference: Alcohol Abuse Prevention and Intervention, Atlanta, GA
- Bieber, CM, et al. (2007, May) Case-Control study on risk factors for prescription opioid abuse among patients with pain. Poster session presented at the American Pain Society 26th Annual Scientific Meeting, Washington, DC.

NEWS & EVENTS

- 29 October 2026, The New Technology Frontier: Quantum Computing, AI, National Security, and Cryptocurrency, Hosted by myLawCLE
- 4 September 2026, The New Technology Frontier: Quantum, AI, & National Security, Hosted by Beverly Hills Bar Association
- 21 November 2025 , K&L Gates Represents Bluestone Bank on Strategic Partnership With Mutual Bancorp
- 19 December 2022, K&L Gates Adds 40 Lawyers to Firm's Partnership
- 13 July 2021, K&L Gates Launches Expanded Guidebook on Doing Business in the United States

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Technology Transactions and Sourcing
- Biometric Data Compliance and Defense
- Cybersecurity Risk and Response
- Data Privacy Disputes and Risk Mitigation
- Data Protection, Privacy, and Security
- Wage and Hour

INDUSTRIES

- Consumer Goods and Services
- Digital Health
- Healthcare
- Life Sciences
- Quantum
- Technology
- Video Games and Immersive Technology

EMERGING ISSUES

- Artificial Intelligence (AI)