

Upcoming Events:

Diversity and Cyber (TBA)

In an effort to promote diversity and inclusion in this practice area, the Privacy & Cybersecurity Section is presenting the experiences of a diverse group of panelists. Panelists will share how they entered the field and their challenges, and discuss ways to diversify this cutting-edge area of the law further. Stay tuned for more information!

The Rise of Ransomware (TBA)

The Privacy & Cybersecurity Section is hosting an event to discuss ransomware—the use of malicious software to deny access to computer systems until ransoms are paid—and its emergence across the U.S. and beyond. The event will discuss key areas of risk and ways organizations can protect themselves from ransomware attacks. Organization leaders and staff will benefit from this event as we discuss various topics, such as those relating to cyber risk-management and incident response. Stay tuned for more information!

Recap - Section Events:

How the 2020 Elections Will Affect Privacy and Cybersecurity Regulation (December 15, 2020)

The Privacy & Cybersecurity Section hosted an event to discuss how the 2020 elections will affect privacy and cybersecurity regulation in California, U.S., and internationally. Panelists discussed the potential implications in the passage of California's Prop 24, new leadership in the White House, and developments in the Congress that could prompt changes to post-Schrems II US-EU relations. This engaging discussion was led by Cam Kerry, Tisch Distinguished Visiting Fellow of the Brookings Institution; Travis LeBlanc, partner at Cooley LLP and member of the U.S. Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board; and Lydia de la Torre, Of Counsel at Squire Patton Boggs and policy advisor at Californians for Consumer Privacy.

LACBA Privacy & Cybersecurity Zoom Happy Hour (November 19, 2020)

The Privacy & Cybersecurity Section hosted a virtual cocktail hour for anyone interested in having a good time! We met the members of the Section and others interested in this white-hot and cutting-edge practice area. Attorneys, students, and a judge attended this free and fun event. Look out for our next one!

LACBA Privacy & Cybersecurity Section Zoom Meeting (September 23, 2020)

The Privacy & Cybersecurity Section hosted its first mixer to introduce the Section to the incoming board members. Members, and non-members, had the opportunity to meet the incoming board; they also had the chance to chat about all things privacy and cybersecurity-related.