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**BIOGRAPHICAL DATA**

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**EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

M.A., Jurisprudence and Social Policy, University of California at Berkeley, 1987;  
A.B., *magna cum laude*, Harvard University, 1986 (Phi Beta Kappa);  
J.D., *cum laude*, Harvard Law School, 1990 (editor, *Harvard Law Review*).

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**LANGUAGES**

English and French

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### **PRESENT POSITION**

Shareholder, Wolf, Greenfield & Sacks, P.C. (a Boston intellectual Property Law Firm), Chair, Internet Practice Group; Co-Chair, Litigation Group.

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### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION**

Instructor, *Legal Issues on the Internet*, Harvard Extension School,  
Law Clerk, United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit, 1990-91;  
Editor, *Harvard Law Review*; research assistant to Prof. Laurence Tribe; Legal Writing Instructor,  
Harvard  
Law School, 1987-90.

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### **MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

Boston Patent Law Association Committee on Trademarks and Unfair Competition;  
External Affairs Committee, International Trademark Association;  
Intellectual Property and Litigation Committees, Boston Bar Association.

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### **AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

Intellectual property litigation and mediation, including domain name, trademark, trade dress, patent, copyright, and trade secret cases.

Client base: United States and international clients in high-tech, software, Internet, and biotechnology industries, as well as retail businesses including in the apparel, fashion, housewares, food services, and other product industries.

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### **EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

Lectured before several professional associations and in educational institutions on topics relating to trademark, trade dress, copyright and Internet law.

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### **EXPERIENCE WITH RESPECT TO DOMAIN NAMES**

Litigated and mediated “cybersquatting” and other domain name disputes;  
Obtained injunctive relief and statutory damages in federal court in domain name cases;  
Has experience with sale, transfer, and licensing of rights in domain names;  
Instructed at Harvard Extension School in a course on domain name disputes and other Internet legal issues.

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### **MAJOR PUBLICATIONS**

“Trade Libel: Theory and Practice Under the Common Law, the Lanham Act, and the First Amendment,”;  
Trademark Reporter, (INTA), 1999;  
“Claims Against Accountants: Standing to Sue and Legal Defenses”, Mass. Continuing Legal Ed., co-author, 1996;  
Drafted trademark legislation for the International Trademark Association, which has been introduced in Massachusetts’s legislature.

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### **EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION**

Extensive litigation experience in federal and state courts in Massachusetts, Delaware, California, Illinois; appellate litigation before the U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit and the Federal Circuit and before the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court; Participated in briefing successful U.S. Supreme Court appeal; Represented clients in matters before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and in inter-party proceedings before the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board.

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