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### EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

J.D., School of Law, University of San Diego, 1990;  
M.B.A. with honors, Information System and Corporate Finance, Graduate School of Management,  
Boston University, 1979;  
B.A., Philosophy/Economics, Boston University, 1974;  
Architectural Design, Boston Architectural Center.

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**LANGUAGES**

English.

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**PRESENT POSITION**

Attorney, Law Offices of Paul Michael DeCicco, San Diego, CA;  
Vice-President and General Counsel, Hughes Electronic Commerce, Inc. (dba Hughes.Net),  
Lancaster, CA.

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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION**

Partner, DeCicco Kopelowitz & Quinn, San Diego, CA;  
Partner, Branscomb DeCicco Kopelowitz & Quinn, San Diego, CA;  
Partner, Livens & DeCicco, Dallas-Fort Worth, TX;  
Xerox Corporation, Office Systems Division (HQ), Project Manager, Software Products Licensing;  
Xerox Corporation, Office Systems Division (HQ), Product Planner Senior Marketing Analyst,  
Personal Computer Product Line, Director Competitive Products Lab - PC/ Network Products;  
Xerox Corporation, Reprographics Technical Systems Development Division (HQ), Systems Analyst -  
Programmer Multinational Product Launch Reporting Systems - Multinational Data Base  
Definition Committee;  
Digital Equipment Corporation, Consultant;  
Centel Business Systems, Consultant;  
Landslides Aerial Photography, Boston Ma.

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**MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

Member of the following Bar Associations:

California;  
Texas;  
Colorado;  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit;  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit;  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit;  
U.S. District Court, Southern District of California;  
U.S. District Court, Central District of California;  
U.S. District Court, Northern District of California;  
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of California;  
U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas.

Member: International Trademark Association (INTA).

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**AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

Computer, networking and Internet related legal and business issues.

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**EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

Current law practice focus is on IP transactional and litigation matters; additional prior experience through position with Xerox Corporation, Offices Systems Division, Software Contracts and Licensing Department.

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### EXPERIENCE WITH RESPECT TO DOMAIN NAMES

PORSCHE MOTOR CAR NORTH AMERICA v. PORCH.Com et al. (first, in rem law suit against domain names) lead counsel on defendants' motion to dismiss the in rem action; granted by the District Court., See F. Supp. 2d 707 (E.D. Va 1999);  
 Porsche Motor Cars v. Porch.com et al (Appeal of plaintiffs to U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit), Lead Counsel for Appellees;  
 Michael C. Hughes et al v. Hughes Electronics Corporation, Counsel for Plaintiffs;  
 Caesars-World Inc. v. Caesars-Palace.Com, an Internet domain name et al., lead counsel for a domain name defendant;  
 Playboy Enterprises v. Welles, Consultant to counsels for defendants;  
 Vice-President and General Counsel, Hughes Electronic Commerce, Hughes.Net, an Internet Service Provider;  
 Have designed, coded, implemented, managed and advised on numerous Internet websites.

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### MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

"The Anticybersquatting Consumer Protection Act," in process, expected March 2000;  
 "Y2K Legal Issues for Small and Medium Business," Lancaster California, COA, 1999;  
 "Intellectual Property Issues for Internet Service Providers," ISPCON, 1997;  
 Co-author, Valuing Internet Service Provider Businesses, ISPCON, 1997;  
 "Intellectual Property for the Electronic Document Professional," Documentation, 1995 and 1996.

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### EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION

PORSCHE MOTOR CARS NORTH AMERICA, INC. v. PORSCH.COM et al No. 9-1804, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit;  
 CAESARS-WORLD, a Florida Corporation v. CAESARS-PALACE.COM, an Internet domain name et al., U.S.D.C. Eastern District of Virginia, Alexandria Division;  
 MICHAEL C. HUGHES et al v. HUGHES ELECTRONICS CORPORATION, U.S.D.C. Southern District of California;  
 NASDAQ MARKET-MAKERS ANTITRUST LITIGATION, MDL No. 1023 (RWS);  
 JACK DAVIS, et v. MICROSOFT, INC., San Francisco Superior Court, No. 963579;  
 LEONARD BURGESS, Individually and on Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated, v. COMPAQ COMPUTER CORPORATION, U.S. DISTRICT COURT OF HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS 281 Judicial District No. 95-056168;  
 LAU v. HARPER-COLLINS, INC., U.S.D.C. Southern District of California;  
 COBRA GOLF CORPORATION v. BRIDGEHOUSE et al., U.S.D.C. Southern District of California;  
 ARTHUR MAETSOLD, On Behalf of Himself And On Behalf of the General Public, v. EATON FINANCIAL CORPORATION, A Massachusetts Corp.; AT&T CAPITAL CORPORATION, A Delaware Corporation, San Diego Superior Court;  
 DEVOY v. SAFECO LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, San Diego Superior Court.

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### EXPERIENCE IN MEDIATION

Party representation.

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### EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION

Party representation.

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