

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Flagler Law Group LLC, Sisters, Oregon

Principal Member • *May 2006 to present*

- General counsel and/or publishing and trademark counsel to multiple publishers, designers, and distributors of Christian media and Christian ministries
- Led copyright/libel workshops on-site at six ECPA publishers
- Representing multiple ECPA publishers in UK copyright infringement action
- Successfully dismissed copyright claim alleged by author against book publisher
- Successfully resolved trademark infringement claims alleged against publishers
- Negotiated multiple transactions for the sale of publishing companies and assets
- Co-developed intellectual property manual for one of largest churches in America
- Negotiated multiple fulfillment outsourcing agreements for publishers

Multnomah Publishers, Inc., Sisters, Oregon

Vice President of Administration and General Counsel • *May 2004 to May 2006*

- Member of Executive Leadership Team
- Executive responsible for the Operations, IT, HR, and Legal Departments

Vice President and General Counsel • *October 2002 to May 2004*

- Advised the president and company leadership on all legal matters
- Negotiated all publishing agreements with authors and agents
- Negotiated the acquisition and sale of publishing assets

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP, Portland, Oregon

Associate, Intellectual Property and Media Practice Groups • *August 2000 to October 2002*

- Lead intellectual property counsel responsible for the domestic and international trademark, copyright and trade secret portfolios of industry-leading businesses
- Negotiated domestic and international intellectual property and corporate transactions
- Representative clients:
 - Starbucks Corporation
 - Intel Corporation
 - Oregon Health & Science University
 - Multnomah Publishers, Inc.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE *(continued)*

Troutman Sanders LLP, Atlanta, Georgia

Associate, Intellectual Property and eCommerce Practice Groups • *August 1998 to August 2000*

- Served as trademark counsel to leading regional businesses
- Negotiated and drafted intellectual property licenses
- Representative clients:
 - Turner Broadcasting
 - Nioxin Corporation
 - Chick-fil-A Corporation

Clayton College & State University, Atlanta, Georgia

Adjunct Faculty, Instructor of Intellectual Property Law • *1999 to 2000*

EDUCATION

University of Virginia School of Law

Juris Doctor

Wake Forest University

Bachelor of Arts in History, with Honors

Summa cum laude and Phi Beta Kappa

MEMBERSHIPS AND ACTIVITIES

- Elder, Sisters Community Church
- Professional member, Evangelical Christian Publishers Association
- Admitted to practice in Oregon and Georgia

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- Speaker, “A Summary of the Google Books Settlement,” The Copyright Society of the U.S.A., Northwest Chapter, Seattle University, Jan. 2009
- Speaker, “A Review of the Google Book Search Settlement,” ECPA Web Seminar, Nov. 2008
- Rights Track Manager, ECPA Publishing University, 2006, 2007, and 2008

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS *(continued)*

- Faculty Instructor, “Is Your Publishing Agreement Up-To-Date?,” ECPA Publishing University, Nov. 2007
- Speaker, “A Ride Through Copyright Law,” ECPA Web Seminar, Nov. 2005
- Faculty Instructor, “An Overview of Intellectual Property Principles for the Christian Publishing Professional,” ECPA Publishing University, Nov. 2004
- Faculty Instructor, “Navigating Rights and Permissions,” ECPA Publishing University, Nov. 2004
- Speaker, “Copyright and Trademark Law for Artists,” Portland State University, Feb. 2002
- Speaker, “Copyright Basics,” State Bar of Georgia IP Association, July 2000
- Speaker, “On-line Copyright Infringement,” Emory University Intellectual Property Association, May 2000
- Co-author, “Recent Developments in Trademark Law,” Intellectual Property Institute, Nov. 1998