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AGENDA

8:30 am - 9:00 am  Breakfast & Registration  
Morning Presiding Officer Chris Jay Hoofnagle, BCLT and Berkeley Law

9:10 am - 10:30 am  Panel 1: The EU-US Privacy Collision  
► Paul Schwartz, BCLT and Berkeley Law  
► Christopher Wolf, Hogan Lovells  
► Karl-Nikolaus Peifer, University of Cologne Law School  
► Michael Hintze, Microsoft Corporation

10:30 am - 11:00 am  Break

11:00 am - 12:15 pm  Panel 2: Privacy and The Price of Free  
► Chris Jay Hoofnagle, BCLT and Berkeley Law  
► Dalton Caldwell, App.Net  
► Michael Glaser, Perkins Coie LLP  
► Daren Orzechowski, White & Case LLP

12:15 pm - 12:45 pm  Lunch  
Afternoon Presiding Officer Paul Schwartz, BCLT and Berkeley Law

12:45 pm - 1:45 pm  Keynote  
► Travis LeBlanc, Special Assistant Attorney General, California Department of Justice

1:45 pm - 3:15 pm  Panel 3: The Management of Privacy Processes: The CPO and Beyond  
► Deirdre Mulligan, BCLT and UC Berkeley School of Information  
► Kenneth Bamberger, BCLT and Berkeley Law  
► Harriet Pearson, Hogan Lovells and Former Chief Privacy Officer, IBM  
► Susan Lyon, Cooley LLP  
► Michelle Dennedy, McAfee  
► Scott Goss, Qualcomm Incorporated

3:15 pm - 3:45 pm  Break

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm  Panel 4: Technology and Privacy Design  
► Deirdre Mulligan, BCLT and UC Berkeley School of Information  
► Jennifer Urban, BCLT and Berkeley Law  
► Jim DeGraw, Ropes & Gray LLP  
► Gabriel Ramsey, Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm  Reception

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New conflicts in information privacy loom ahead for the US and the EU due to the Proposed Data Protection Regulation of the EU. This document, which creates directly binding law for all EU Member States, alters the current equilibrium achieved under the Data Protection Directive of 1995. The Directive stimulated a process of EU-US “lawmaking” through multi-party ad hoc networks, and led to multiple ways to accommodate the Directive’s rules for international data transfers. In contrast, the Proposed Regulation creates risks to the established processes and institutions.

In the aftermath of the Directive, ad hoc policy efforts between the US and EU have created numerous paths to “adequacy.” The policy instruments involved are the Safe Harbor; the two sets of Model Contractual Clauses; and the Binding Corporate Rules. A novel process of “lawmaking” has occurred and it has drawn on a large cast of characters, governmental and non-governmental. Building on Anu Bradford’s concept of “The Brussels Effect,” this paper argues that this policymaking has not been led exclusively by the EU, but has been a collaborative effort marked by accommodation and compromises. This resulting “lawmaking” is a productive outcome of the kinds of “harmonization networks” that Anne-Marie Slaughter has identified in her scholarship.

For the future, however, the Proposed Data Protection Regulation threatens to destabilize the current privacy policy equilibrium and prevent the kinds of decentralized global policymaking that has occurred in the past. To avert the privacy collision ahead, this paper advocates renewed attention to institutions and procedures. It also draws on lessons from policymaking under the Directive. This Article advocates a Revised Regulation that concentrates only on a limited set of non-uniform aspects of EU privacy law while also preserving future opportunities for creative global policymaking experimentation. It should do so through attention solely to the key conceptual definitions of data protection law. In addition, the Revised Regulation should not grant the Commission the power to act as a final arbiter of data protection through an ability to strike down decisions of national data protection authorities. The Revised Regulation should also limit the Commission’s power to issue further implementing and delegated acts over virtually any matter.
Paul Schwartz, BCLT and Berkeley Law

Paul Schwartz, Professor of Law at UC Berkeley School of Law, is a leading international expert on information privacy, copyright, telecommunications and information law. He has published widely on these topics. In the US, his articles and essays have appeared in periodicals such as the Harvard Law Review, Yale Law Journal, Stanford Law Review, Columbia Law Review, Michigan Law Review, and N.Y.U. Law Review. His books include Privacy Law Fundamentals (2013) (co-author Daniel Solove) and Information Privacy Law (4th ed., 2011)(co-author Daniel Solove). Professor Schwartz has provided expert opinions, advice, and testimony to numerous governmental bodies in the United States, Canada, and Europe. He has also served as an organizer of the Privacy Law Salon, which is held annually in Miami.

Christopher Wolf, Hogan Lovells

Christopher Wolf leads the global privacy practice at Hogan Lovells and is founder and co-chair of the Future of Privacy Forum, a think tank promoting the advancement of privacy. Chris has practiced law for 33 years, and started his focus on privacy with a pro bono case representing a gay sailor the Navy proposed to eject under Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell based on information it obtained illegally from AOL. Chris produced the first comprehensive privacy treatise for the Practising Law Institute, and is a frequent author and lecturer on privacy and Internet issues. He was the first privacy practitioner to testify, in January 2012, before the Privacy Subcommittee of the United States Senate Judiciary Committee, and was the only privacy lawyer to speak at the 2011 eG8 in Paris. In conjunction with Berkeley scholars Paul Schwartz and Chris Hoofnagle, and GW Professor Daniel Solove, Chris is an organizer of the Privacy Law Salon series of conferences.

Karl-Nikolaus Peifer, University of Cologne Law School

Professor Peifer is currently Director of the Institute for Media Law and Communications Law of the University of Cologne and Director of the Institute for Broadcasting Law at the University of Cologne. He studied law, economics and romanic languages at the Universities of Trier, Bonn, Hamburg and Kiel. He held positions as a researcher at the Max-Planck-Institute for Intellectual Property Law in Munich, as an Assistant Professor in Kiel, and as a Professor in Frankfurt/Oder and Bochum. He has been a judge at the Oberlandesgericht Hamm since 2003. His main fields of research are Intellectual Property and Media Law.

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Michael Hintze is Chief Privacy Counsel and an Assistant General Counsel in Microsoft Corporation's Legal and Corporate Affairs (LCA) group. He joined Microsoft in 1998, and his practice currently includes a number of regulatory and public policy issues, focused on privacy and related matters worldwide. Prior to joining Microsoft, Michael was an associate with the Washington, D.C.-based law firm of Steptoe & Johnson LLP, where his practice focused on export controls, the regulation of encryption technologies and commercial matters for technology companies. Michael is a graduate of the University of Washington and the Columbia University School of Law, where he served as Editor-in-Chief of the Columbia Human Rights Law Review. He is a regular speaker on data privacy issues, and has published articles on a range of subjects including privacy, U.S. export regulations, and capital punishment.
The Price of Free: Accounting for the Costs of the Internet’s Most Popular Price

Offers of “free” services abound on the internet. These offers cause a conundrum for consumer protection. Courts are apt to discount users’ claims against such services; one recently held that users are not “consumers” for purposes of California consumer protection law. Industry leaders push to monitor users ubiquitously, an imperative driven by the desire to fund “free” content. Policymakers struggle with this imperative and weigh it against vague consumer preferences for privacy, which users seem to happily abrogate to get the next new free service. These problems, we argue, flow from attention to the price of free offers instead of their costs.

To elucidate these costs, we apply a transaction cost economic (TCE) approach to “free” transactions with personal information. TCE provides a framework for analyzing these exchanges even where the price of the product seems to be zero. “Freemium” offers employ a form of cross-subsidy, a technique widely accepted in infrastructure industries, and a basic tool used to support the equitable delivery of products and services with the understanding that some have more willingness and ability to pay than others. However, we argue that information intensive companies misuse “free” to promote products and services that are packed with non-pecuniary costs. While behavioral economics may support an outright ban of free offers because of their biasing effects, TCE suggests other strategies for reform, focused upon placing business risk more firmly in the hands of businesses. These interventions go beyond the traditional transparency and accuracy requirements suggested by privacy law. They involve eliminating the avoidable costs that arise for consumers when compelled to provide personal information in order to try a “free” product, recognizing the role consumers play in the production and business of social networking services, and requiring each third party interested in access to a consumer’s personal information to obtain opt-in per consumer through full disclosure with terms of service and privacy policies.
Panel 2: Privacy and the Price of Free

Chris Jay Hoofnagle, BCLT and Berkeley Law
Chris Jay Hoofnagle is the director of the Berkeley Center for Law & Technology’s information privacy programs and senior fellow to the Samuelson Law, Technology & Public Policy Clinic. He is an expert in information privacy law. Chris’s recent work focuses on promoting competition among financial institutions to prevent identity theft. In Identity Theft: Making the Unknown Knowns Known, he discusses the problem of “synthetic identity theft,” a form of crime where an impostor fabricates personal information and yet still can obtain credit accounts. Chris argues that the rise of this form of fraud demonstrates a fundamental failure in banks’ anti-fraud gatekeeper function, and proposes market reforms for reducing identity theft.

Dalton Caldwell, App.Net
Dalton is the CEO and co-founder of App.net, an ad-free social platform and API. App.net aims to be the backbone of the social web. App.net provides infrastructure developers can use to build applications and that members can use for meaningful interactions. Previously, Dalton founded the music-sharing service imeem in 2003, serving as CEO until its acquisition by MySpace in 2009. Dalton graduated with honors from Stanford University in 2003 with a B.A. in Symbolic Systems and B.A. in Psychology.

Michael Glaser, Perkins Coie LLP
Michael Glaser is a leading Partner in the Perkins Coie’s Emerging Companies practice group. Michael is also involved in firm management as a member of the firm’s Executive Committee. Michael has a background in finance and is a member of the Model Document Working Group for the National Venture Capital Association (NVCA). He has led clients in the consumer e-commerce, interactive entertainment, digital media, cloud services, and premise-based software, sectors through hundreds of venture capital transactions ranging from seed stage through mezzanine financings. Michael also has an active M&A practice, and has advised clients in complex mergers and strategic business combinations ranging in size from several million dollars to several hundred million dollars. Michael works with a number of non-profit organizations including Twestival and Jamie Oliver’s Food Foundation.

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How should privacy be operationalized in companies?

What level of independence and authority do privacy officers need so that they can embed a value as complicated as privacy into a complex organization?

If privacy is to be delivered through designs and defaults, as well as policy, where should privacy professionals be positioned?

And how does the law impact these questions?

UC Berkeley Law Professor Ken Bamberger and UC Berkeley Information Professor Deirdre Mulligan have engaged in multi-year research to investigate privacy “on the ground”—how privacy protection actually works in corporations, and the legal, social and other pressures that define the privacy requirements firms must meet—in the U.S. and Europe.

Their work has involved dozens of interviews of chief privacy officers in the U.S., Germany, France, Spain and the UK, as well as discussions with regulators, lawyers and other corporate managers.

Their comparative findings are of direct relevance to privacy lawyers, privacy professionals, and corporate managers alike, as they:

1. reveal an evolving set of corporate privacy best practices to which the leading firms and regulators are turning across jurisdiction;
2. expose the real differences—and similarities—between privacy in the US and in Europe; and
3. weigh in on the heated legal reform debates in Washington and Brussels, informed by evidence of what policies have proven most effective on both sides of the Atlantic.
PANEL 3:
THE MANAGEMENT OF PRIVACY PROCESSES:
THE CPO AND BEYOND

Deirdre Mulligan, BCLT and UC Berkeley School of Information
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Kenneth Bamberger, BCLT and Berkeley Law
Kenneth A. Bamberger is Professor of Law at UC Berkeley, where he teaches Administrative Law, The First Amendment, and Technology and Governance. His research focuses on issues of technology and corporate regulation. In particular, Kenneth’s work explores the regulation of data protection and information privacy, the use of technology by administrative agencies, and the reliance on technology in corporate compliance. With Professor Deirdre Mulligan of the UC Berkeley School of Information and BCLT, he is principal investigator on a major project comparing corporate privacy protection in the US, Canada and Europe.

Harriet Pearson, Hogan Lovells and Former Chief Privacy Officer, IBM
Harriet Pearson has over 20 years of global business experience in all aspects of privacy, cybersecurity and technology law, policy, and compliance. Harriet was one of the first Chief Privacy Officers in the Fortune 500 and is an internationally recognized corporate privacy and data security pioneer. Her practice focuses on counseling clients on privacy and information security policy and compliance matters such as cross-border data transfers, data security incident response and remediation, and information and cybersecurity risk management and governance.

Susan Lyon, Cooley LLP
Susan Lyon is co-chair of Cooley LLP’s Privacy practice group. Susan counsels clients from small start-ups to major Internet, technology, advertising and telecommunications companies on a wide range of U.S. and international privacy and data security issues. Representative areas of expertise include CAN-SPAM, FTC Act, Children’s Online Privacy Protections Act (COPPA), telemarketing laws, data security and data breach notice obligations, behavioral targeting and advertising, online and mobile tracking and monitoring using automatic tracking technology, facial recognition and biometrics, cloud computing strategy, and legislative and regulatory policy and outreach.

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Scott Goss, Qualcomm Incorporated
As Qualcomm’s first attorney focusing exclusively on privacy issues, Scott leads the company’s efforts in designing, creating, and operating a comprehensive, consistent, and sustainable global privacy program. Scott has established the role of the Privacy Office as a new functional area within the global corporation responsible for: Helping drive the development and enhancement of industry-leading privacy features in all of Qualcomm’s products and services; Training Qualcomm attorney’s, project managers and developers on privacy issues and privacy best practices; Coordinating with Government Affairs to monitor worldwide developments in both privacy-related legal and regulatory matters as well as industry best practices.
A rising tide of privacy blunders in the high tech sector is at the forefront of the search for new regulatory approaches. Many of these privacy gaffes center on the privacy implications of interactions between users, or between users and third parties—such as application developers, or embedded content providers—enabled by operating systems, mobile communications, social network sites, and other platforms.

Until recently, adherence to Fair Information Practice Principles ("FIPPs") has been viewed as the standard for protecting privacy. More recently, however, FIPPs has proven inadequate to guide the design choices of companies in a manner that regulators and the public find acceptable.

Regulators across the globe have begun to demand more of corporations. In the past, privacy has been the sole bailiwick of lawyers. Now, under the rubric of "privacy by design," policymakers are calling on the private sector to use the distinct attributes of technology to harden privacy's protection.

Exhorting companies to embed privacy into design is all well and good, but before doing so regulators would do well to ensure that the concept of privacy they direct companies to embed will afford the desirable forms of protection for privacy. And, ideally, there would be a widely used set of methods and tools to aid in translating privacy into design. Today, unfortunately, neither is true.

UC Berkeley Law Professor Jennifer Urban and UC Berkeley Information Professor Deirdre Mulligan, along with the faculty and student colleagues, have engaged in complimentary research that can inform companies’ efforts to avoid privacy missteps and design privacy into technology, products and services. Drawing on quantitative and qualitative investigations of consumer perspectives on privacy, and analytic work to identify the concepts of privacy concerns animating consumer concern in high-profile privacy gaffes, as well as an analysis of the tools and methodologies available to designers, Urban and Mulligan’s research provides practitioners with insight in the contextual privacy concerns of users, the multiplicity of understandings about privacy operating on the ground, and a new tool for the privacy by design tool kit.
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