ICAIL 2011/DESI IV

Workshop on Setting Standards for Searching Electronically Stored Information In Discovery Proceedings

June 6, 2011

AGENDA

Session 1 (chair: Doug Oard)

0900 Welcome

0915 Keynote: "Improving Process Capability and Organizational Maturity" (Mark Paulk)

0945 Discussant (Jason Baron)

1015 Discussion

1030 Break

Session 2 (chair: Dave Lewis)

1100 Faster, Better, Cheaper Legal Document Review, Pipe Dream or Reality? (Svetlana Godjevac)

1120 Inconsistent Assessment of Responsiveness in E-Discovery: Difference of Opinion or Human Error? (Maura Grossman and Gordon Cormack)

1140 Retrospective and Prospective Statistical Sampling in Legal Discovery (Richard Oehrle)

1200 Research Paper Discussant (Eli Nelson)

1215 ISO 9001: A Foundation for E-Discovery (Chris Knox and Scott Dawson)

1235 Observations on ESI Search and GAAP/GAAS-Auditing of Financial Statements (Joe Looby)

1245 Discussion

1300 Lunch

Lunch breakout group session leads:

- 1: Jennifer Mason and Jeremy Pickens
- 2: Dave Lewis and Foster Gibbons
- 3: Debra Logan and Howard Sklar
- 4: Sean McNee and Amanda Jones
- 5: Chris Paskach and William Hamilton
- 6: Jack Conrad and Victoria Redgrave
- 7. Todd Elmer and Hans Henseler

Session 3 (chair: Laura Ellsworth) 1400 The Hon. Paul Grimm (via video link) 1420 Breakout sessions continue from lunch 1500 Breakout Group reports

1530 Break

Session 4 (chair and panel moderator: Debra Logan)
1600 Panel discussion
(Laura Ellsworth, Doug Oard, Venkat Rangan, Bennett Borden)
1645 Open discussion
1715 Wrap up (Jason Baron)
1730 Adjourn
1745 ICAIL Welcome Reception (U Pitt Law School)
1930 No-host DESI dinner (Location TBA)

BIOS FOR SPEAKERS AND GROUP SESSION LEADS

Jason R. Baron

Jason R. Baron has served for the past 11 years as Director of Litigation for the National Archives and Records Administration. Between 1988 and 2000 he was a trial attorney and senior counsel in the Civil Division of the Department of Justice, litigating a variety of complex cases in federal court including involving the preservation of White House e-mail. In 2009 he was named Co-Chair of The Sedona Conference® Working Group on Electronic Document Retention and Production (WG1), and has served as Editor-in-Chief on three Sedona Commentaries, including the *Best Practices Commentary on the Use of Search and Information Retrieval Methods in E-Discovery* (2007), the *Commentary on Achieving Quality in the E-Discovery Process* (2009), and the *Commentary on Finding the Hidden ROI in Information Assets* (2011). His latest law review is entitled "Law in the Age of Exabytes: Some Further Thoughts on 'Information Inflation' and Current Issues in E-Discovery Search," 17 *Richmond J. Law & Tech.* 9 (2011). He was a founding co-coordinator of the TREC Legal Track, as is a founding co-organizer of the "DESI" workshop series. He has been a Visiting Scholar at the University of British Columbia, and is currently an Adjunct Professor at the University of Maryland's graduate college of information studies. Mr. Baron also serves on the advisory board of the Georgetown Law Center Advanced E-Discovery Institute. Mr. Baron is a graduate of Wesleyan University and the Boston University School of Law.

Bennett B. Borden

Bennett B. Borden, a partner at Williams Mullen, co-chairs the e-Discovery and Information Governance Section. A litigation attorney, Mr. Borden focuses his practice on Electronic Discovery and Information Law. In addition to conducting both offensive and defensive electronic discovery in complex litigation, Mr. Borden has extensive experience counseling clients on the establishment of information governance and records management policies, procedures, and practices based on enterprise risk assessments. He regularly advises multinational clients regarding data privacy, security, and regulatory compliance. Mr. Borden also negotiates complex ESI protocols and confidentiality and protective orders. Mr. Borden is a member of the steering committee for the Electronic Discovery Section of the District of Columbia Bar. Mr. Borden is a frequent speaker on the topic of Electronic Discovery and Information Governance and the author of many articles. He is a guest lecturer on e-Discovery Law at the Georgetown University Law

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Jack G. Conrad

Jack G. Conrad is a Senior Research Scientist with Thomson Reuters Corporate Research & Development group. His research areas fall under a broad spectrum of Information Retrieval and NLP topics. Some of these include e-Discovery, document clustering and deduplication for knowledge management systems, sentiment analysis and document structure analysis for legal texts. Jack has researched and implemented components of WestlawNext, the newest generation of West's legal search engine, and PeopleMap, a very large scale Public Record aggregation system, and has developed and evaluated algorithms for real-time fuzzy duplicate detection in large document repositories. He has authored numerous technical papers and has been awarded several patents. Jack completed his graduate studies in Computer Science (Information Retrieval) at the University of Massachusetts—Amherst and in English (Linguistics) at the University of British Columbia—Vancouver. His undergraduate fields of study were Electrical Engineering and English at Marquette University in Milwaukee.

Gordon V. Cormack

Gordon V. Cormack holds the rank of Professor in the David R. Cheriton School of Computer Science at the University of Waterloo, in Canada. Professor Cormack is co-director of the Information Retrieval Group at Waterloo, and co-author of Information Retrieval: Implementing and Evaluating Search Engines (MIT Press, 2010). Professor Cormack also is the author or co-author of more than one hundred peerreviewed articles on information retrieval, computer systems, and computer science education. Professor Cormack's current research interests involve the application of machine learning technologies to critical applications like spam filtering and e-discovery, as well as scientific evaluation of the effectiveness of such methods. For more than twelve years, Professor Cormack has been a program committee member of The Text Retrieval Conference ("TREC"), sponsored by the National Instituted of Standards and Technology. From 2005 through 2007, he was coordinator of the TREC Spam Track, and from 2010 through 2011, he has been a co-coordinator of the TREC Legal Track. Professor Cormack is a winner of the INFORMS 2009 Data Mining Contest and the ECML/PKDD 2006 Discovery Challenge. He was the Scientific Director of IOI 2010 - The International Olympiad in Informatics - a international computer science contest for high school students from 73 countries, which was featured in the December 2010 issue of Wired Magazine. Professor Cormack has coached Waterloo's ACM International Collegiate Programming Contest team for the past fourteen years, qualifying for the World Championships each year (the only team in the world to have done so), and winning the World Championship once, and the North American Championship three times.

Scott Dawson

Scott Dawson is the President of Core Business Solutions. Scott has more than 20 years' experience in manufacturing with the past 10 years consulting with organisations seeking ISO 9001 certification. Scott is also an active voting member of the US Technical Advisory Group (TAG) to ISO Technical Committee 176 (TC 176), which is responsible for drafting ISO 9001 and ISO 9004 on quality management systems.

Laura E. Ellsworth

Laura Ellsworth practices across a wide range of complex litigation matters, including toxic torts, product liability, insurance, intellectual property, employment, and ERISA. She has been involved in a number of multijurisdictional product liability and bankruptcy matters, several of which have resulted in significant appellate rulings on novel issues such as market share liability and public nuisance. Her work includes coordinating and litigating nationwide matters for various clients, and she has appeared in numerous federal and state courts throughout the U.S. In 2008, Ms. Ellsworth was a lead lawyer in the landmark public nuisance case in which the Rhode Island Supreme Court rejected an attorney general's attempt to

apply public nuisance law to the manufacture and sale of products. Previously, she represented the creditor's committee in the largest bankruptcy of a health system in the U.S. In 2008, she was named by Governor Edward Rendell as one of Pennsylvania's "Best 50 Women in Business." Ms. Ellsworth has been involved extensively in electronic discovery and has served as a managing editor of *The Sedona Principles: Best Practices Recommendations and Principles for Addressing Electronic Document Production.* She currently serves on the Firm's e-Discovery Committee and has participated actively in federal and state rulemaking in this area. Laura is also Partner-in-Charge of the Pittsburgh Office. She graduated from Princeton University and the University of Pittsburgh School of Law (J.D. magna cum laude; Order of the Coif; University Scholar; Law Review).

Todd Elmer

Todd Elmer is Senior Director of Communications and Public Affairs at H5. Among his activities, he directs H5's work with The Sedona Conference, the National Institute of Standards and Technology's TREC Legal Track, and created and directed the 2007 H5-Georgetown Law thought leadership Summit, moderated by Professor Arthur R. Miller and featuring Justice Stephen Breyer of the United States Supreme Court. Prior to joining H5, Todd designed corporate communications and public affairs strategies for a wide variety of Fortune 500 corporations and national political organizations. He also practiced law within the public and private sectors, as an international trade attorney at the U.S. Department of Commerce and in the Washington, D.C. office of Kaye Scholer. From 1998 through 2000, Todd served as a member of White House Advance teams at numerous events for President Clinton and Vice President Gore. During the 2000 presidential campaign, Todd served as Vice President Gore's National Director for Business Outreach and as an attorney in the Florida recount. In 2004, he served as a co-chair of the national finance committee for Kerry-Edwards and in 2008, he was a member of the Law and Judiciary policy committee for Barack Obama's presidential campaign. Todd holds a Juris Doctor, with distinction, from Emory University School of Law and a Bachelor of Arts degree, cum laude, from Furman University.

Foster Gibbons

Foster Gibbons is Vice President, Legal Solutions, at Integreon, responsible for Global Managed Document Review Solutions. As a litigator, Mr. Gibbons gained significant experience in e-discovery and document review management over the course of several complex litigations. He joined Integreon from Pfizer, where he held the position of Corporate Counsel from 2006-09, there serving as legal lead of Pfizer's In House Discovery group ('Discovery Response Team', or 'DRT'), following several years representing Pfizer on complex pre-trial discovery projects at Kaye Scholer LLP. At Pfizer, Foster held responsibility for coordinating Pfizer's litigation discovery efforts, and helped expand DRT's influence and role as a crossdivisional resource for the collection, assembly, processing, review and production of company information for ongoing government investigations, compliance reviews, antitrust filings, and other broadly based contexts. Foster has since written and spoken widely on the subjects of Best Practices and on practical considerations in e-discovery, from defensibility to overcoming the challenge of European data privacy rules, to vendor selection and budgeting, and has authored articles and white papers on ediscovery planning and design, and has been a participating member of EDRM (Electronic Discovery Reference Model). At Integreon, Foster has held primary responsibility for designing and propagating a global model for document review management and for fashioning best-in-class processes in the area of document review and discovery solutions.

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The Hon. Paul W. Grimm

Paul W. Grimm serves as a full-time Chief Magistrate Judge for the United States District Court for the District of Maryland. He was appointed in February 1997. Judge Grimm currently serves as a member of the Advisory Committee for the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Additionally, Judge Grimm is an Adjunct faculty member of the University of Maryland School of Law, where he teaches trial evidence, pretrial civil procedure, and scientific evidence. Judge Grimm is a frequent lecturer at CLE programs on issues regarding evidence and civil procedure, and has published several books and numerous articles on these topics. In 2002 Judge Grimm was awarded the Outstanding Adjunct Professor of the Year award by the University of Maryland School of Law; in 2001 he was awarded the Maryland Bar Foundation's Professional Excellence Award for the Advancement of Professional Competence; and in 1998 he received the Maryland Institute for Continuing Professional Education of Lawyer's Distinguished Service Award. Before becoming a Magistrate Judge, Judge Grimm was in private practice in Baltimore for thirteen years, handling commercial litigation. He also served as an Assistant Attorney General for the State of Maryland, an Assistant State's Attorney for Baltimore County, Maryland; and as a Captain in the United States Army Judge Advocate General's Corps. In 2001 Judge Grimm retired as a Lieutenant Colonel from the United States Army Reserve. Judge Grimm is a graduate of the University of California, and the University of New Mexico School of Law.

Maura R. Grossman

Maura R. Grossman is Counsel at Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz, where she advises the firm and its clients on legal, technical, and strategic issues involving electronic discovery and information management, both in the U.S. and abroad. Maura was appointed by Chief Administrative Judge Ann Pfau to serve as co-chair of the E-Discovery Working Group advising the New York State Unified Court System, and by District Judge Shira A. Scheindlin to serve as a member of the Discovery Management and E-Discovery Issues Subcommittee of the Attorney Advisory Group to the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York. She also is involved in other initiatives to provide training on e-discovery to federal and state court judges. Since 2010, Maura has served as a coordinator of the Legal Track of the National Institute of Standards and Technology's Text Retrieval Conference ("TREC"), a joint government/ industry/academic research project studying the application of automated information retrieval technologies to e-discovery, and as an adjunct professor at both Rutgers School of Law-Newark and Pace Law School, where she teaches courses on e-discovery. Maura is a member of The Sedona Conference® Working Groups on Electronic Document Retention and Production ("WG1"), and on International Electronic Information Management, Discovery and Disclosure ("WG6"). She serves on the Advisory Boards of BNA's Digital Discovery and E-Evidence Report and the Georgetown University Law Center's Advanced E-Discovery Institute. In addition to her law degree from the Georgetown University Law Center, Maura also holds an M.A. and Ph.D. in Clinical/School Psychology from Adelphi University.

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Bill Hamilton is board certified in business litigation and intellectual property by The Florida Bar. His work includes complex business litigation in the areas of contract, software and technology disputes, intellectual property (copyright, trademark, patent and trade secrets law), e-commerce, data security, telecommunications, trade regulation and unfair trade practices. Bill is also a neutral, arbitrator and mediator for the World Intellectual Property Organization, the International Trademark Association and the American Arbitration Association. Bill is the Chair of Quarles & Brady's e-discovery practice and frequently writes for its blog "E-Discovery Bytes." Bill teaches Electronic Discovery and Digital Evidence as an adjunct professor at the University of Florida College of Law and is co-author of the LexisNexis Practice Guide "Florida E-Discovery and Evidence" to be published June 2011.

Hans Henseler

Hans Henseler received his masters degree in Computer Science from Delft University of Technology and holds a Ph.D. on Artificial Neural Networks from the University of Maastricht in the Netherlands. In 1992 he founded the department of forensic computer science at the Netherlands Forensic Science institute and in 1996 he was vice chairmen of the International Organisation on Computer Evidence (IOCE). From 1998-2000 he was director at the Netherlands Institute of Applied Research, information systems division which specializes in knowledge management, language technology, image processing and logistical information systems. From 2000-2006 he was chief technology officer at ZyLAB and responsible for the development, testing and support of ZyLAB's E-Discovery software suite. In 2006 Hans became director Forensic Technology Solutions at PricewaterhouseCoopers. In 2009 Hans became partime professor in E-Discovery at the Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences and in 2010 he left PwC and is currently managing partner at Fox-IT Forensics and specialises in commercial E-Discovery services and solutions.

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Chris Knox

Chris Knox is the Chief Information Officer for ieDiscovery. Chris has more than 16 years of project and resource management experience. He is responsible for the implementation of strategic initiatives and IT expenditures, as well as the development of company-wide operating procedures. Chris graduated from the University of Texas at Austin with a degree in Engineering and received his MBA from Syracuse University. Prior to IE Discovery, Chris designed and implemented data collection networks for software developers and Fortune 500 corporations. Chris also previously created Geographic Information Systems for large municipalities, specializing in the development of algorithms for hydraulic models.

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Debra Logan

Debra Logan, VP and Distinguished Analyst, has been with Gartner for ten years. Currently, she is doing research in the area of legal IT, investigating the effects of regulations and rules changes on the IT infrastructure, applications and staffing. Debra's other research interests included systems of knowledge organization, taxonomies and metadata, content, document and records management, process management and the application of enterprise information management technologies and concepts in business. She is leading the Enterprise Information Management research community at Gartner and covering related technologies The EIM community is working with leading global companies to investigate how enterprise architecture concepts can be extended to the world of structured and unstructured content. This research is demonstrating how treating information as an asset can cut IT costs and fuel competitive advantage. Prior to joining Gartner, Debra had her own consulting company, assisting clients in Europe with document and knowledge management issues. Debra began her career at the University of Pittsburgh's Learning Research and Development Center (LRDC). She was a leading member of a team that developed an AI-based Intelligent Tutoring System for the US Air Force. Debra joined Carnegie

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Joe Looby

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