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Lisa is a partner of the firm in Torkin Manes' Business Law Group, specializing in the areas of information technology and business law and is the leader of the firm's Technology, Privacy & Data Management Group. Lisa has particular expertise in preparing and negotiating technology agreements, including Internet-related, m-commerce and e-commerce agreements, cloud computing agreements (SaaS, PaaS, IaaS), cloud retail agreements, cloud storage agreements, app development agreements, hosting agreements, mobile payment agreements, reseller, distribution, outsourcing, system acquisition, maintenance and support agreements, master services agreements and consulting and services agreements. She provides technology-related advice on financings and acquisitions, including export control on cross-border deals. She also provides guidance on IoT, AI/smart contracts, blockchain and open source legal matters. Lisa has considerable experience helping non-Canadian companies, especially American entities, create appropriate legal agreements for their entry into the Canadian marketplace.

Lisa also practises in the area of privacy and information management, advising both Canadian and international clients on compliance with Canadian privacy requirements. She routinely advises clients on trans-border data transfers, data breach management, privacy compliance in corporate transactions and negotiations, and privacy due diligence in connection with information technology transactions. She also advises on compliance relating to Canada's anti-spam legislation.

Lisa is a sought after speaker and has written extensively within the field of IT and privacy Law. She has written extensively for *Canadian Lawyer*, *Business Law Today*, *the SciTech Lawyer* and was also the co-editor and a contributor to ***Cloud 3.0: Drafting and Negotiating Cloud Computing Agreements***, published in May 2019 by the American Bar Association. She has recently contributed to the **Director's Technology Handbook: Tips and Strategies for Advising Corporate Directors** (published by the American Bar Association in May 2021).

Expertise

- ▶ Business Law
- ▶ International & Cross-Border Business
- ▶ Technology, Privacy & Data Management

Awards & Recognition

- ▶ *Canadian Legal LEXPERT Directory* - "Most Frequently Recommended" lawyer: Computer & IT Law, "Consistently Recommended" lawyer in Technology Transactions (2021-Present)
- ▶ *Chambers Canada and Chambers Global Guide* - Information Technology (2015 - Present)
- ▶ *Who's Who Legal: Global Elite Thought Leader in Data - Data Privacy & Protection, Data Security, Information Technology* (2022 - Present)

- ▶ *The Best Lawyers in Canada* - Information Technology Law, Privacy and Data Security Law, Technology Law (2015 - Present)
- ▶ *LEXPERT®/American Lawyer Guide to the Leading 500 Lawyers in Canada* - “Most Frequently Recommended Lawyer” for Computer & IT Law (2022 - Present)
- ▶ *Lexpert Special Edition* - Technology and Health Sciences 2022
- ▶ Awarded the 2018 *Lexpert* Zenith Award for Mid-Career Excellence in Computer and IT Law
- ▶ *Who's Who Legal: Global Elite Thought Leader for Data* - Data Privacy & Protection (2020 - 2021)
- ▶ *Who's Who Legal: Canada* - Leading lawyer in Telecommunications, Media & Technology Law (2015-Present)
- ▶ *Who's Who Legal Data: Leading lawyer in Data Privacy and Protection* (2018 - present)
- ▶ *Who's Who Legal Data: Leading lawyer in Data Security* (2018 - present)
- ▶ *Who's Who Legal Data: Leading lawyer in Information Technology* (2018 - present)
- ▶ *Who's Who Legal Thought Leaders: Leading lawyer in Data* (2018 - Present)
- ▶ *The Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory* - Computer & I.T. Law (2014 - Present)
- ▶ *The Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory* - Technology Transactions (2014 - Present)
- ▶ *IAM Licensing 250* - Leading lawyer in Patent and Technology Licensing in Canada (2012)
- ▶ *The International Who's Who of Business Lawyers*, Leading lawyer in Internet & e-Commerce Law (2009, 2011 - 2017)
- ▶ *Who's Who Legal: Canada* - Leading lawyer in Internet & e-Commerce Law (2010-2017)
- ▶ *Chambers Global* - “Notable Practitioner” (Band 3) for Information Technology Law in Canada, (2010)

Publications & Presentations

- ▶ Jun 01, 2023 | Presentation
Key Regulatory Issues in AI
Ontario Bar Association Career Accelerator Program
- ▶ May 25, 2023 | Presentation
Negotiating Contracts for ‘as-a-Service’ Offerings
ITechLaw Association Toronto '23 World Technology Law Conference
- ▶ Mar 13, 2023 | Article
Seven Tips for Better Technology Services Agreements
Lexpert
- ▶ Feb 21, 2023 | Presentation
Cloud Computing and other Cross-Border Transfers of Personal Information
Osgoode Certificate Program - Privacy and Cybersecurity Law
- ▶ Dec 06, 2022 | Presentation
The Coming New Wave of AI Laws
ABA Webinar
- ▶ Jul 13, 2022 | Article
Canada’s First AI Act Proposed
ABA Business Law Today
- ▶ Jul 07, 2022 | [Torkin Manes LegalPoint](#)
Cybersecurity in M&A Transactions
- ▶ Jun 30, 2022 | Presentation
Important Developments in Privacy & Cybersecurity Laws in Canada
Torkin Manes Webinar

- ▶ [Jun 21, 2022 | Torkin Manes LegalPoint](#)
Proposed Privacy Bill Introduces Fines and New Requirements for Private Organizations
- ▶ [Jun 17, 2022 | Torkin Manes LegalPoint](#)
Legislative Update: Bill C-26 Introduces New Requirements for Federally Regulated Industries
- ▶ [May 05, 2022 | Article](#)
Legal iGaming Comes to Ontario!
ABA Business Law Today
- ▶ [Apr 20, 2022 | Torkin Manes LegalPoint](#)
Blockchain: Opportunities and Legal Considerations
- ▶ [Oct 20, 2021 | Presentation](#)
Getting Up to Date on New Data and Privacy Laws: Critical Federal and Provincial Developments for Technology Lawyers
2021 CanTech Conference
- ▶ [Jun 29, 2021 | Presentation](#)
Cloud solutions for dispersed workforces: Understanding your risks and benefits
Legal Tech Summit Canada
- ▶ [Jun 24, 2021 | Presentation](#)
Cloud Solutions for Dispersed Workforces: Understanding Your Risks and Benefits
Key Media LegalTech Summit (June 29, 2021) (Toronto)
- ▶ [May 12, 2021 | Book](#)
Co- author, "Same, Same, but Different: Uncommon Law(s) When Doing Business in Canada"
Director's Technology Handbook: Tips and Strategies for Advising Corporate Directors (published by the American Bar Association in May, 2021)
- ▶ [Mar 10, 2021 | Presentation](#)
Cloud 3.0: Best Practices for Privacy and Security
Osgoode Professional Development, Privacy & Cybersecurity Law Summit (March 10, 2021) (Toronto)

- ▶ [Dec 16, 2020 | Article](#)
Think before you click! New cyberthreat assessment published
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Dec 02, 2020 | Article](#)
Proposed Canadian Privacy Bill Introduces Fines and New Requirements for Private Organizations
Business Law Today
- ▶ [Nov 19, 2020 | Torkin Manes LegalPoint](#)
Proposed Privacy Bill Introduces Fines and New Requirements for Private Organizations
- ▶ [Nov 18, 2020 | Article](#)
Attention, mall shoppers: your data is being collected!
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Nov 03, 2020 | Article](#)
Legal and Ethics Checklist for AI Systems
The SciTech Lawyer
- ▶ [Oct 21, 2020 | Article](#)
Class dismissed: CRTC finds OneClass in violation of Canada's anti-spam legislation
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Sep 23, 2020 | Article](#)
Clouds without borders: the dangers of non-localized cloud contracts
Canadian Lawyer

- ▶ [Aug 28, 2020 | Article](#)
Faceoff! UK appellate court finds police use of facial recognition technology contravenes laws
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Jul 27, 2020 | Novel Coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#)
No Free Lunch: Global Privacy Regulators Set Expectations of Video Teleconference Providers
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Jul 03, 2020 | Article](#)
Safety first! New Canadian cloud security guidance is issued
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Jun 05, 2020 | Article](#)
Getting it right: Using consumer-facing AI tools wisely
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Jun 02, 2020 | Presentation](#)
How to Gain Access to New Technology: Key Legal Strategies and Considerations
CAN_TECH
- ▶ [May 26, 2020 | Presentation](#)
LegalTech Summit Toronto 2020
Speaker, Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [May 07, 2020 | Novel Coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#)
Lawyering in the time of pandemic
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Apr 06, 2020 | Novel Coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#)
Cybersecurity in the time of pandemic
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Mar 06, 2020 | Article](#)
Online ticket seller faces the music on extra fees
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Feb 12, 2020 | Article](#)
IP Addresses No Longer Protected in Alberta
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Jan 22, 2020 | Article](#)
Beware the Zombie Software!
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Dec 11, 2019 | Article](#)
Connecting the right way this holiday season
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Nov 26, 2019 | Presentation](#)
How to Work Successfully in the Cloud: Removing the Cloudy from Cloud Technology
Speaker, Annual Digital Open Government Forum: Digital Disruption-Disrupt to Innovate?
- ▶ [Nov 11, 2019 | Article](#)
PIPEDA mandatory breach notification provisions turn one
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Oct 15, 2019 | Article](#)
Ethical Open Source: Is the world ready?
Canadian Lawyer
- ▶ [Sep 24, 2019 | Presentation](#)
Cloud 3.0 - Best Practices for Privacy and Security
ISMG Cybersecurity Summit: Toronto

- ▶ Sep 16, 2019 | Article
California now has toughest law in U.S. for the collection of personal information
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ Aug 20, 2019 | Book
Artificial Intelligence in Canada
Chapter author in Law of Artificial Intelligence and Smart Machines: Understanding A.I. and the Legal Impact
- ▶ Jul 15, 2019 | Article
A Fine Mess: the U.K. Information Commissioner's Office's proposed GDPR fines
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ Jul 03, 2019 | Article
Tech competence should be required
Canadian Lawyer Magazine – IT Girl Column
- ▶ Jun 17, 2019 | Article
Combatting cyber threats: CSE releases new baseline cybersecurity controls
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ May 13, 2019 | Article
Federal Court makes clear: Website scraping is illegal
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ May 06, 2019 | Presentation
The Privacy and Security Challenges of New Technologies
PLI Privacy and Data Security Law Conference, May 6, San Francisco and June 7, Chicago
- ▶ Apr 15, 2019 | Article
The many lessons of the Equifax data breach
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ Apr 02, 2019 | Book
Cloud 3.0: Drafting and Negotiating Cloud Computing Agreements
Co-Editor
- ▶ Mar 29, 2019 | Presentation
Medical AI: Legal Issues of Robotics in Healthcare
Program Chair and Moderator, American Bar Association Business Law Spring Meeting
- ▶ Mar 29, 2019 | Presentation
Medical AI - Legal Issues of Robotics in Healthcare
Program Chair and moderator, ABA Business Law Section Spring Meeting
- ▶ Mar 29, 2019 | Presentation
AI in Canada
Law of Artificial Intelligence and Smart Machines panel, ABA Business Law Section Spring Meeting
- ▶ Mar 14, 2019 | Article
Canada Supreme Court Rules That Privacy is Not An “All-or-Nothing Concept”
American Bar Association's Business Law Today
- ▶ Mar 11, 2019 | Article
United States Federal Trade Commission strikes one for children’s privacy
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ Feb 11, 2019 | Article
OSFI unveils new technology and cybersecurity breach requirements
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column

- ▶ Jan 24, 2019 | Presentation
Managing Data Breaches
Torkin Manes Cybersecurity Webinar Series
- ▶ Jan 14, 2019 | Article
Dude, where's my data? The OPC's privacy guidance to cannabis retailers and purchasers
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ Dec 10, 2018 | Article
Ethics by design: Canada adopts AI ethics and data protection declaration
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ Nov 22, 2018 | Presentation
The Cybersecurity Battlefield: How to Mitigate Risks as a CFO
The Toronto CFO Leadership Council
- ▶ Nov 19, 2018 | Article
Security by design: California's new IoT security laws
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ Nov 14, 2018 | Presentation
Managing Data Breaches, Managing Cybersecurity Risk Conference
Managing Cybersecurity Risk Conference hosted by Torkin Manes/Resolver Inc./Microsoft Canada
- ▶ Nov 01, 2018
Podcast: Threat Actions This Week - Sea change in Canadian privacy law - global impact
Podcast – CYVERITY
- ▶ Oct 15, 2018 | Article
Winter is coming: Preparing for Canada's new mandatory federal data breach regulations
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Sep 18, 2018 | Article
It's hard to sue a robot: product liability considerations and AI in Canada
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Sep 14, 2018 | Presentation
Voices in the Room: Professional Ethics of Advising Clients on Responding to Cyber Extortion Demands
American Bar Association Business Law Annual Meeting
- ▶ Sep 14, 2018 | Presentation
AI Basics: What Business Lawyers Need to Know
Program Chair and Moderator, American Bar Association Business Law Annual Meeting
- ▶ Aug 20, 2018 | Article
The limits of intelligence collection
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Aug 02, 2018 | Presentation
Cybersecurity Law: Deciphering the Landscape of Legal Requirements Applicable to Businesses and Law Firms
ABA CLE in the City, American Bar Association Annual Meeting
- ▶ Jul 16, 2018 | Article
Malware begone!
Canadian Lawyer Online – IT Girl Column
- ▶ Jun 21, 2018 | Article
No fly zone- new PIPEDA guidance on inappropriate data practices

- ▶ [May 15, 2018 | Article](#)
New Rules for Mandatory Privacy Breach Notification in Canada: What US Organizations Need to Know
American Bar Association, Business Law Today
- ▶ [May 15, 2018 | Article](#)
Brave new world: some legal considerations in using AI and IoT Systems
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [May 09, 2018 | Presentation](#)
Technology Supernova: How IoT, Artificial Intelligence, and the Cloud Are Reshaping Everything
Chair and Moderator, ABA Third Annual IoT Institute
- ▶ [May 01, 2018 | Torkin Manes LegalPoint](#)
New Rules for Mandatory Privacy Breach Notification in Canada: What Organizations Need to Know
- ▶ [Apr 24, 2018 | Article](#)
American Bar Association Vendor Contracting Cybersecurity Checklist
Co-author, American Bar Association
- ▶ [Apr 17, 2018 | Article](#)
Dark Cloud
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Apr 13, 2018 | Presentation](#)
What's Lurking Back There: Cybersecurity Risks in Legacy Systems
American Bar Association Business Law Section Spring Meeting, April 13, 2018
- ▶ [Mar 12, 2018 | Article](#)
Time to say goodbye: Dealing with legacy software
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Feb 12, 2018 | Article](#)
Lesson from VTech
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Jan 22, 2018 | Article](#)
Draft Canadian Security Breach Regulations Finally Unveiled
American Bar Association, Business Law Today
- ▶ [Jan 16, 2018 | Article](#)
And the nominees are . . . reviewing statements of work, part II
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Dec 11, 2017 | Article](#)
Cracking down on a bad coin offering
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Nov 22, 2017 | Article](#)
How to design a privacy-compliant autonomous vehicle
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Oct 30, 2017 | Article](#)
Dark cloud: the threat of ransomware
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Sep 20, 2017 | Article](#)
Ottawa's draft PIPEDA amendments highlight the importance of security safeguards
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Sep 15, 2017 | Presentation](#)
Wait, Now I Need to Learn IT Too? Meeting the Ethical Duty of Technological Competence
Program Chair, American Bar Association Business Law Section Annual Meeting

- ▶ [Aug 29, 2017 | Article](#)
(Ain't) gonna fly now: European court rejects EU-Canadian PNR deal
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Jul 17, 2017 | Article](#)
Statements of what? Reviewing SOWs
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Jun 19, 2017 | Article](#)
Procurement blues: well-run process did not avoid fraud
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [May 16, 2017 | Article](#)
Bad games
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Apr 20, 2017 | Article](#)
Beware CASL's new private right of action requirements!
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Mar 13, 2017 | Article](#)
Smart toys: smart or just creepy?
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Feb 15, 2017 | Article](#)
Bad security has bad consequences
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Jan 16, 2017 | Article](#)
Star Trek fan-fiction copyright suit tests 'fair use' defence
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Dec 15, 2016 | Article](#)
Not their finest hour: the U.K. surveillance law
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Nov 23, 2016 | Article](#)
Avoiding the storm clouds with good cloud-computing policies
Canadian Lawyer Online- IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Oct 17, 2016 | Article](#)
Bad vibrations: Sex toy class action comes to Canada
Canadian Lawyer Online- IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Sep 28, 2016 | Article](#)
Buyer beware . . . Lessons learned from the Ashley Madison hack
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Aug 16, 2016 | Article](#)
The dangers of patio thinking
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Jun 23, 2016 | Article](#)
CASL - How to Send E-mails to Canadians Safely
Business Law Today, American Bar Association
- ▶ [Jun 21, 2016 | Article](#)
Don't post that rhino pic
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [May 17, 2016 | Article](#)
People being people equals lots of data breaches
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column

- ▶ [Apr 18, 2016 | Article](#)
Hold the champagne...
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Apr 05, 2016 | Torikin Manes LegalPoint](#)
Welcome to the new EU-US Privacy Shield
Torkin Manes LegalPoint
- ▶ [Mar 28, 2016 | Article](#)
Hello? It's not just e-mail...
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Feb 17, 2016 | Article](#)
Shield or sword? The new EU-U.S. Privacy Shield
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Jan 26, 2016 | Presentation](#)
IoT, Big Data, and the Cloud
American Bar Association's 2016 Internet of Things (IoT) National Institute
- ▶ [Jan 19, 2016 | Article](#)
New year resolutions
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Dec 15, 2015 | Article](#)
Ultrasonic, cross-device tracking is here, beware
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Dec 11, 2015 | Presentation](#)
Managing Cybersecurity Risk 2015
Course Leader
- ▶ [Nov 17, 2015 | Article](#)
Demystifying cloud service levels
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Oct 26, 2015 | Article](#)
Negotiating the (successful) exit
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Sep 21, 2015 | Article](#)
Consumers must demand action on unified security standards
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Aug 17, 2015 | Article](#)
The Internet of Everything is here - and it's scary!
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Jul 20, 2015 | Article](#)
CASL lessons learned
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Jun 15, 2015 | Article](#)
Moving in the right direction
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [May 25, 2015 | Article](#)
Why tech deals fail
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ [Apr 27, 2015 | Article](#)
Is cyber-liability insurance the answer to data breaches?
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column

- ▶ Mar 23, 2015 | Article
Think before you click
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Feb 24, 2015 | Presentation
Privacy at the Crossroads
The Canadian Institute
- ▶ Feb 18, 2015 | Article
Getting some respect: OSS out of the shadows
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Jan 15, 2015 | Article
Practising outside the technology box
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Dec 15, 2014 | Article
What do cloud vendors want, part 2?
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Nov 11, 2014 | Presentation
Legal Considerations for Cloud Computing
Federated Press' 9th Internet Law Course
- ▶ Nov 10, 2014 | Article
What do cloud vendors want, pt. 1?
Canadian Lawyer Online, IT Girl Column
- ▶ Oct 21, 2014 | Presentation
Evolution of IT Licensing From Software Licensing to Software as a Service
The 18th Annual Canadian IT Law Association Conference
- ▶ Oct 20, 2014 | Article
The skies are watching you
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Sep 17, 2014 | Presentation
2014 Cloud Computing Forum
Chair and Speaker, Thomson Reuters
- ▶ Sep 15, 2014 | Article
The view from over the pond
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Aug 18, 2014 | Article
Car hacking is the new car jacking
Canadian Lawyer Online - IT Girl Column
- ▶ Jul 15, 2014 | Article
Big data, big problems
Canadian Lawyer Online, IT Girl Column
- ▶ Jun 16, 2014 | Article
CASL: Still Muddy Waters
Canadian Lawyer Online, IT Girl Column
- ▶ Jun 16, 2014 | Presentation
Privacy & Data Security Forum
Chair, The IT.Can - LSUC IT Law Spring Forum 2014
- ▶ Jun 12, 2014 | Article
CASL is Coming!

- ▶ Jun 04, 2014 | Presentation
Privacy and Data Security
- ▶ May 31, 2014 | Article
A New Age of Online Consent
Canadian Lawyer Online, IT Girl Column
- ▶ May 23, 2014 | Presentation
How to Avoid Losing Control of the Message: Managing User Generated Content
5th Social Media Risks Conference, Federated Press, Toronto
- ▶ Apr 21, 2014 | Article
Licensing Blues
Canadian Lawyer Online, IT Girl Column
- ▶ Apr 12, 2014 | Presentation
Online Privacy & Data Security Soup to Nuts: A Primer and Update on Important Developments for the Business Lawyer
American Bar Association Business Law Institute, Spring Meeting
- ▶ Apr 08, 2014 | Presentation
CASL: Canada's New Anti-Spam Legislation - What you need to know
Online Revealed 2014 Conference
- ▶ Mar 25, 2014 | Presentation
Service Provider Selection, Service Levels & Business Continuity
Federated Press' 7th Cloud Computing Law Conference
- ▶ Mar 19, 2014 | Presentation
Canada's New Anti-Spam Legislation - What you need to know
Torkin Manes seminar
- ▶ Mar 17, 2014 | Article
Check your own house
Canadian Lawyer Online, IT Girl Column
- ▶ Mar 01, 2014 | Article
The Sci-Tech Lawyer Espionage Issue
Co-Editor
- ▶ Feb 17, 2014 | Article
Eyes everywhere: what duties of confidentiality do lawyers owe to their clients?
Canadian Lawyer Online, IT Girl Column
- ▶ Feb 01, 2014 | Article
CASL - What does it mean for your business?
Torkin Manes Business Law Focus
- ▶ Jan 20, 2014 | Article
CASL: Clear As Mud
Canadian Lawyer Online, IT Girl Column
- ▶ Dec 01, 2013 | Article
Legal Update from Canada and the US
The Life Cycle of Pharmaceuticals: Adding Value at Each Stage, Lexpert
- ▶ Dec 01, 2013 | Presentation
Online Privacy and Security
Co-Lecturer, Federated Press' 8th Internet Law Course
- ▶ Nov 01, 2013 | Presentation
Cloud Computing: A Practical Approach
Course Developer, Moderator and Speaker, Lexpert Cloud Computing Conference

- ▶ Nov 01, 2013 | Presentation
 - Privacy and Data Security in the Global Cloud
 - Program Chair and Speaker, ABA Annual Meeting (Business Law Section): Security and the Cloud: Key Tips to Managing Your Risks in Cloud Computing Agreements*
- ▶ Oct 01, 2013 | Article
 - Insolvency and the Cloud
 - Corporate Risk Canada, Vol. 2, No. 4*
- ▶ Oct 01, 2013 | Article
 - Mobile Contracting: Current Laws, Practical Considerations-Part 4
 - Internet and Ecommerce Law in Canada (2012-13) 13 I.E.C.L.C. (14:6)*
- ▶ Oct 01, 2013 | Article
 - Practising IT/Tech Law
 - Canadian Lawyer 4Students*
- ▶ Sep 01, 2013 | Article
 - Mobile Contracting: Current Laws, Practical Considerations-Part 3
 - Internet and Ecommerce Law in Canada (2012-13) 13 I.E.C.L.C. (14:5)*
- ▶ Aug 01, 2013 | Article
 - Mobile Contracting: Current Laws, Practical Considerations-Part 2
 - Internet and Ecommerce Law in Canada, LexisNexis*
- ▶ Aug 01, 2013 | Presentation
 - Privacy and Data Security in the Global Cloud
 - Program Chair and Speaker, ABA Annual Meeting (Business Law Section): Security and the Cloud: Key Tips to Managing Your Risks in Cloud Computing Agreements*
- ▶ Jul 01, 2013 | Article
 - Mobile Contracting: Current Laws, Practical Considerations-Part 1
 - Internet and Ecommerce Law in Canada, LexisNexis*
- ▶ Jul 01, 2013 | Book
 - RFID In Canada
 - Chapter co-author, American Bar Association's RFIDs, Near-Field Communications, and Mobile Payments: A Guide for Lawyers*
- ▶ Jun 01, 2013 | Presentation
 - Mobile Contracting: Licensing Issues in the Brave New Mobile World
 - IT.Can and the Law Society of Upper Canada, The 2013 Information Technology Law Spring Forum*
- ▶ Mar 01, 2013 | Presentation
 - Warranties, Indemnification and Limitation of Liability: Allocating Risks in the Cloud
 - The Federated Press' 6th Cloud Computing Conference*
- ▶ Jan 01, 2013 | Presentation
 - Privacy Law Update
 - Presentation to the Magnes Group*
- ▶ Dec 01, 2012 | Presentation
 - Online Privacy and Security in the Cloud
 - Federated Press' 7th Internet Law Course*
- ▶ Oct 01, 2012 | Book
 - Privacy Law
 - Chapter Co-author, Advertising Law in Canada, 4th Edition, LexisNexis Canada*
- ▶ Aug 01, 2012 | Book
 - Internet Law in Canada
 - Chapter Co-author, Internet Law for the Business Lawyer, American Bar Association*

▶ Jun 01, 2012 | Presentation

Social Media, Online and Mobile Commerce Issues

Moderator and Program Chair, The 2012 Information Technology Law Spring Forum, Canadian IT Law Association/Law Society of Upper Canada

▶ Jan 01, 2012 | Article

The Canadian Approach to Data Breach Notification

Co-author, Consumer Finance Law and Quarterly Report (Vol. Nos. 3 and 4)

Memberships

- ▶ American Bar Association, Business Law Section, Content Officer and Chair of the Content Board
- ▶ American Bar Association, Business Law Section, Council Member
- ▶ American Bar Association, Science and Technology Section, Council Member
- ▶ American Bar Association, Member, ABA Cybersecurity Legal Task Force; co-author Vendor Contracting Project: Cybersecurity Checklist (2017)
- ▶ American Bar Association, Business Law Section, Cyberspace Law Committee, Co-Chair of the Robotics and Artificial Intelligence Subcommittee
- ▶ American Bar Association, Business Law Section, Cyberspace Law Committee, Co-Chair of the Robotics and Artificial Intelligence Subcommittee
- ▶ American Bar Association, Business Law Liaison to the ABA Standing Committee on Technology and Information Systems (SCOTIS)
- ▶ American Bar Association - Science and Technology Section, Editorial Board, The Sci-Tech Lawyer
- ▶ Canadian Technology Law Association, Cybersecurity Committee, Co-Chair
- ▶ Canadian Technology Law Association, Past President and Director, October 2013 - October 2017
- ▶ American Bar Association, Member, American Bar Association - Business Law Section, Past Chair, Technology Committee, August 2014 - August 2017
- ▶ American Bar Association - Business Law Section, Cloud & IT Services Subcommittee, Cybersecurity Subcommittee, August 2016 - August 2017
- ▶ American Bar Association - Business Law Section, Past Member, Editorial Board, Business Law Today, August 2014 - August 2017
- ▶ American Bar Association, Past Liaison to the Science and Technology Section and the Business Law Section, August 2011 - August 2014
- ▶ American Bar Association, Past Vice-Chair, Cyberspace Law Committee, August 2008 - August 2011
- ▶ Toronto Computer Lawyers Group, Past Treasurer, Chair and Vice-Chair, Toronto Computer Lawyers' Group, 1999 - 2002
- ▶ Ontario Bar Association, Past Chair of the Executive of the Information Technology and Electronic Commerce Section, 2006 - 2007
- ▶ ITechLaw (formerly the Computer Law Association), Past Director, 2001 - 2007
- ▶ ITechLaw (formerly the Computer Law Association), Co-Chair of the Publications Committee, 2002 - 2006
- ▶ ITechLaw (formerly the Computer Law Association), Member, Planning Advisory Committee, ITechLaw 2003 World Computer and Internet Law Congress 2002 - 2003

Community Involvement

- ▶ Director, Canadian Technology Law Association, 2019 - present
- ▶ Director, Crossroads International, 2018 - present

- ▶ Director, Jane Goodall Institute of Canada, 2015 - 2017
- ▶ Director, SIM-one, Ontario Simulation Network, 2013 - 2014
- ▶ Honourary Past Chair, Corporate Cabinet, The Shoppers Drug Mart Weekend to End Women's Cancer & Torkin Manes LLP Team Captain, 2011 - 2015
- ▶ Director, Bruce Trail Association, Toronto Section, 2011- 2014
- ▶ eHealth Ontario, Director, 2009 - 2010
- ▶ Past President of the Board of Directors, Children's Aid Society of Toronto (CAST), 2007 - 2009
- ▶ Director-at-large and member of the Executive Committee, Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (O.S.P.C.A.), 1997-2004

Credentials

- ▶ Called to the Ontario Bar, 1995

Education

- ▶ LL.B. and B.C.L., McGill University Faculty of Law, 1993
- ▶ M.A. in Soviet and Eastern European Studies, Carleton University, 1991
- ▶ B.A. (High Honours), Carleton University, 1987