

ERIN WIGGINS

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EDUCATION

Columbia University School of Law, New York, NY

J.D., May 2008

Honors: James Kent Scholar

Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH

M.A. in Bioethics (GPA 4.0), received May 2005

B.A. in Biology, summa cum laude (GPA 3.94), received May 2005

Honors: Phi Beta Kappa

Case Western Reserve Presidential Scholarship

WORK EXPERIENCE

Williams Lea LLC, Wheeling, WV (working remotely)

April 2022 – Present

Global Head of Legal and Compliance/General Counsel

Manage legal and compliance team of eleven professionals across the globe. Responsible for all legal and risk and compliance matters for private equity-backed business with operations in 30+ countries with 6,000+ associates. Secretary for company board of directors. Responsible for developing and leading company's ESG strategy. Member of company Executive Committee reporting directly to CEO.

TS Tech Americas, Inc., Reynoldsburg, OH

May 2016 – April 2022

General Counsel/Chief Compliance Manager

General counsel for Tier 1 automotive supplier with 16 factory locations in North and South America and over 9,000 employees. Handle all legal matters for company. Responsible for developing and implementing corporate compliance policies and corporate governance hotline allowing associates to raise concerns. Advise publicly-traded parent company on legal and policy matters. Technical title of HR Manager and work closely with Human Resources in all aspects of daily affairs.

Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP, Columbus, OH

January 2014 – May 2016

Senior Associate

Lead counsel defending patent infringement suit. Developed various strategies to expand and diversify technology. Main legal counsel to many small to medium-sized companies. Responsible for drafting and reviewing various commercial agreements, including settlement, license, and technology transfer agreements. Lead counsel defending class action seeking unpaid wages under FLSA and California law.

Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP, New York, NY

August 2011 – December 2013

Senior Patent Litigation Associate

Moved with senior partner from Weil, Gotshal. Senior associate managing multiple patent litigation matters across range of technology fields, including software, pharmaceuticals, biotech, medical devices, chemicals and internet technologies.

Weil, Gotshal and Manges LLP, New York, NY

November 2008 – August 2011

Patent Litigation Associate

OTHER

LAW Enterprises, LLC

January 2015 – Present

Founder/President

Inventor and developer of patented switchflip consumer electronic device (www.switchflip.com).

Independent International Legal Advisors

January 2019-December 2021

Board Member

Guided non-profit through formation and launch