



## Sushila Chanana

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Sushila Chanana is a high-stakes technology litigator and legal advisor and has a background in privacy and cybersecurity. She represents companies in complex civil matters, including patent, trademark, copyright, and trade secrets disputes. Her clients have ranged from startups to Fortune 500 companies. In addition to representing clients in federal and state court, at both the trial and appellate levels, Sushila has also assisted clients with matters before the U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC) and the Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB). Additionally, Sushila has drafted amicus briefs in various U.S. Supreme Court cases.

In addition to successfully representing clients in court, she routinely secures favorable settlements on behalf of her clients. Outside of litigation, Sushila works with her clients to develop long-term intellectual property protection strategies. She counsels companies on compliance with various data privacy laws, including the California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA).

Prior to law school, Sushila was a cybersecurity consultant at PricewaterhouseCoopers. She also served as a judicial extern for the Honorable Ronald B. Robie of the Third District of the California Court of Appeal.

She previously served as a U.S. Supreme Court Legal News Correspondent in Washington, D.C.

### Memberships and Affiliations

- Member, Executive Committee, Cybersecurity and Privacy Section, Bar Association of San Francisco
- 2020 Leadership Council on Legal Diversity (LCLD) Fellow

## Publications

April 26, 2022

**hiQ's Groundbreaking Injunction Against LinkedIn Reaffirmed: Scraping of Publicly Available Data Likely Does Not Violate CFAA**

December 1, 2020

**Arbitration Agreements in Privacy Disputes: The Wyze Decision and the CCPA**

December 1, 2020

**Undergoing Bankruptcy Proceedings? Here's How to Make Sure PII Maintains Its Value**  
*Legaltech News*

November 5, 2020

**Privacy During Bankruptcy Proceedings: Why It Matters**

October 22, 2020

**Insights Into the First Patent Trial in Waco, Texas - MV3 Partners v. Roku**

October 22, 2020

## Services

- Technology
- Data Analytics
- Intellectual Property Litigation
- Privacy and Cybersecurity
- Patent Office Litigation

## Education

- University of California, Hastings College of the Law (J.D.)
  - . seniors articles editor, Hastings Law Journal; articles editor, Hastings Business Law Journal.
- University of California, Berkeley (B.A.)
  - . Cognitive Science

## Bar Admissions

- California
- District of Columbia

## Court Admissions

- U.S. District Court (N.D. Cal.)
- U.S. District Court (S.D. Cal.)
- U.S. District Court (E.D. Cal.)
- U.S. District Court (E.D. Texas)
- U.S. District Court (N.D. Texas)
- Federal Circuit Court of Appeals
- U.S. District Court (W.D. Texas)
- 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals

**The CCPA and Nonprofits\_ Privacy and IP Hot Topics**

*Nonprofit Education Series*

June 23, 2020

**Overview of the New Privacy Litigation Frontier, Including California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA) Litigation**

*Cannabis Industry Education Series*

May 29, 2020

**Zoom Successfully Addresses New York's Privacy and Security Concerns**

May 27, 2020

**A Roadmap to Litigating Privacy Claims? A Look at a Recent Order From the Google Assistant Privacy Litigation**

April 9, 2020

**Zoom & Schools: New Privacy Issues Arise**

April 7, 2020

**New CCPA Lawsuit Against Zoom: Issues to Watch**

March 26, 2020

**Litigation Management Checklist in the Time of COVID-19**

February 20, 2020

**Time to Check Your Cyber Insurance**

*TAG Cyber Law Journal*

November 22, 2019

**Is your company covered by California's new privacy law?**

*North Bay Business Journal*