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Expertise
Dispute Resolution
Cybersecurity and Data Privacy
Class Actions
Investigations and White Collar
Defence

Bar Admissions
Québec, 2013
Ontario, 2013
New York, 2015

Clients rely on Corey's skilled and creative advocacy to bring their most pressing disputes to a prompt and favourable resolution.

Corey represents domestic and international clients in a wide array of complex and cross-border litigation, including commercial, class action, cybersecurity, insurance, fraud and regulatory matters. A resourceful and dedicated litigator, he has a proven track record of solving difficult problems and securing successful outcomes for clients.

Corey leverages his background and experience in cyber law to counsel clients on data breach response and litigation, cybersecurity governance and data privacy. He regularly acts as a breach coach to a variety of businesses, including highly regulated and global institutions, in relation to cyber incidents involving ransomware, supply chain attacks and unauthorized disclosure of personal information and sensitive commercial data.

Corey is the sole FraudNet Future representative for Québec of ICC FraudNet, an invitation-only global network of fraud and asset recovery legal specialists administered by the International Chamber of Commerce. Before joining Davies, Corey was a litigator and cybersecurity lawyer at the New York office of an international law firm. He previously clerked for the Honourable Justice Morris J. Fish at the Supreme Court of Canada.

REPRESENTATIVE WORK

Confidential client

Advised a U.S.-based distributor of plumbing supplies in connection with a cybersecurity incident affecting the acquisition of its affiliate, including successfully negotiating follow-on remediation with regulators.

Confidential Private Equity Firm

Acting for a Canadian mid-market private equity firm on a cybersecurity incident involving a business email compromise and attempted fraudulent wire transfer.

Canadian automotive group

Acting for a Canadian automotive group in cybersecurity matters.

Confidential client

Acting for the heir of a substantial estate in connection with multi-jurisdictional shareholder and fraud litigation and investigations.

Louis Dreyfus Company Canada

Acting for Louis Dreyfus Company Canada in prosecuting injunction proceedings relating to its operations in Port Cartier, Quebec.

A large optical products retailer

Advising a large optical products retailer on general privacy and compliance matters as well as its response to a ransomware incident and related investigation with cross-border implications.

DAVIES

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Manufacturer of aircraft components

Acted for a manufacturer of aircraft components in a confidential dispute with its customer.

U.S. public company

Acting for a U.S. public company in responding to a ransomware attack with cross-border implications.

Confidential Client

Acted for a confidential client in connection with an investigation by the Directeur général des élections du Québec.

Confidential client

Acted for a Canadian nonprofit research organization in connection with a dispute with its former general counsel and related investigation.

RECOGNITIONS

Chambers Canada: Canada's Leading Lawyers for Business—Privacy & Data Protection

Benchmark Litigation Canada Awards—Emerging Talent of the Year Award (2024)

Benchmark Canada: The Definitive Guide to Canada's Leading Litigation Firms & Attorneys—Commercial (Litigation Star); White Collar Crime (Litigation Star)

The Best Lawyers in Canada—Corporate Law

Burton Award for Legal Achievement—Distinguished Legal Writing (2018)

INSIGHTS

Giving Meaning to Meaningful Consent: The Federal Court of Appeal's Landmark Decision on Data Privacy
Sept. 30, 2024

The Power and Peril of IP Addresses: The Supreme Court of Canada Weighs in on the Changing Landscape of Online Privacy
Mar. 22, 2024

Young Bar of Montreal, Legal.IT v.17, "En route vers les JO 2024 : en(jeux) de protection des renseignements personnels d'ici et d'ailleurs"; Montréal, QC
Mar. 21, 2024

Ontario Securities Commission and Osgoode PD, Reg2030 Seminar, "Artificial Intelligence and the Markets"; Toronto, ON
Mar. 01, 2024

Consultation on Strengthening Canada's Anti-Money Laundering and Anti-Terrorist Financing Regime with Minister of Justice, the Honourable David Lametti
July 12, 2023

Privacy Connect, "Bill 64 (Law 25): What your organization needs to know";

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Webinar

May 03, 2023

New York State Bar Association International Section Executive Leadership Town Hall, "Canadian Privacy Developments"; April 12, 2023

Apr. 12, 2023

First OPC Ruling for 2023 Will Impact Third-Party Processor Contracts

Feb. 08, 2023

Privacy + Security Forum, "Managing a Global Cyber Incident"; Washington, D.C.;

Nov 2-4

Nov. 03, 2022

Co-Chair, Privacy Connect, "Canada | Evolving Regulation around Sensitive Personal Information in Canada"; Webcast

Oct. 13, 2022

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School, LLM, 2014

McGill University, BCL/LLB, 2012

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

ICC FraudNet Future

New York State Bar Association

BOARD MEMBERSHIPS

Bnai Brith Hillel Foundation of Montreal

Hillel at Baruch College

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

PrivacyConnect, Montréal chapter, co-chair

TEACHING ENGAGEMENTS

Corey teaches Trial Advocacy at the McGill University Faculty of Law. He has also taught a Focus Week course on "Introduction to U.S. Civil Litigation" at the McGill University Faculty of Law. The course provided students with an introduction to key rules and concepts in U.S. civil procedure and compared such rules and concepts to those applicable in Québec and common law Canada.