

# MICHAEL ANDERSON

General Counsel

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Innovative legal professional with a deep focus on technology law and data privacy, bringing over 9 years of experience in advising tech companies on legal compliance and risk management. Known for exceptional analytical skills and the ability to navigate the rapidly evolving landscape of technology regulations. Expertise in drafting and negotiating data protection agreements, as well as conducting privacy impact assessments.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### General Counsel | TechGuard Solutions

Jan 2022 – Present

- Provided legal advice on data privacy regulations, ensuring compliance with GDPR and CCPA.
- Drafted and negotiated data processing agreements with clients and partners.
- Conducted privacy impact assessments to identify and mitigate risks.
- Managed legal aspects of software development contracts to ensure compliance.
- Collaborated with IT teams to enhance data security measures.
- Engaged with regulators to advocate for favorable technology policies.

### Data Privacy Counsel | CyberSafe Technologies

Jul 2019 – Dec 2021

- Advised on compliance with data protection laws and regulations, reducing risks by 35%.
- Conducted training for employees on data privacy best practices.
- Developed policies for data retention and destruction in compliance with legal standards.
- Negotiated contracts with vendors to ensure data security compliance.
- Represented the organization in data breach incidents and regulatory inquiries.
- Published articles on data privacy law in leading tech journals, enhancing industry reputation.

## SKILLS

Technology Law

Data Privacy

Risk Management

Compliance

Contract Negotiation

Regulatory Affairs

## EDUCATION

### Juris Doctor

University of Southern California

Georgetown University Law Center; Bachelor of Science in Information Technology

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Successfully implemented a data protection program that reduced risks by 40%.
- Recognized as a thought leader in technology law by industry peers.
- Authored a comprehensive guide on data privacy compliance for tech companies.

## LANGUAGES

English

Spanish

French