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ALLIANCE UPDATES

Welcoming A New Member Firm

Click the link below to learn more about our new member firm and welcome their main contacts.



HOT TOPICS & MEMBER ARTICLES

New Knowledge Center: California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA)



The California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA) becomes effective on January 1, 2020. Are your firm and its clients ready for the most important data privacy regulation since the GDPR? Our CCPA Knowledge Center contains important thought-leadership and resources from TAG Alliances members, including an informative webinar.

[View our CCPA Knowledge Center.](#) | [Share on LinkedIn.](#)

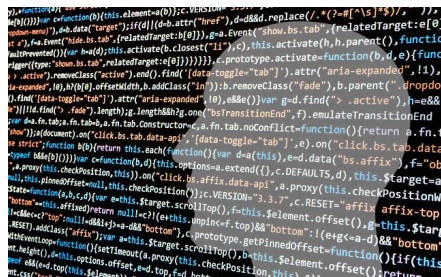
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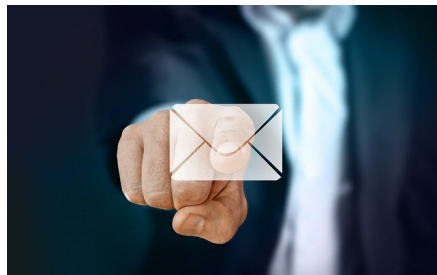
[The Money Laundering Risks of Online Gaming](#); DQ Advocates (Isle of Man - TAGLaw)



[Music in Europe: European Court of Justice Rules on Sampling](#); MVVP (Belgium - TAGLaw)



[Digital Automation Deployment Strategies](#); Cohen & Company (Michigan) (Michigan & Ohio, USA - TIAG)



[Texas Justices Told Emails Can't Support Breach Claims](#); Munsch Hardt Kopf & Harr, P.C. (Texas, USA - TAGLaw)

Blockchain & Cryptocurrency

- [Legal Guidance on Cryptoassets and Smart Contracts Released in England & Wales](#); Blake Morgan LLP (Cardiff & Southampton, England - TAGLaw)

Competition and Antitrust

- [Competition Litigation 2020 in Austria](#); Preslmay Rechtsanwälte (TAGLaw)

Corporate and M&A

- [Brexit, Another No Deal! Important Considerations In Relation To Your Financial Statements](#); LK Shields Solicitors (Ireland - TAGLaw)
- [Economic Outlook in India](#); AJSH & Co LLP (New Delhi, India - TIAG)
- [How to Boost Business and Employee Morale by Partnering with Your Law Firm](#); Dykema (Texas, USA - TAGLaw)

Employment & Labor Law

- [2020 Minimum Wage Increases Announced by the Seattle Office of Labor Standards](#); Ryan, Swanson & Cleveland (Washington, USA - TAGLaw)
- [Covert Surveillance and the Right to a Private Life](#); Blake Morgan LLP (Cardiff & Southampton, England - TAGLaw)

Financial Institutions and Markets

- [Patchless-CFPB Seeks Comment on Ability to Repay and Qualified Mortgages After Expiration of the GSE Patch](#); Dykema (Texas, USA - TAGLaw)

International Trade and Customs

- [Doing Business in China](#); Hiways Law Firm (Shanghai, China - TAGLaw)
- [New Rules for B2B Contracts in Belgium](#); MVVP (TAGLaw)

IP/IT & Cybersecurity

- [Facial Recognition in Public Spaces Raises Data Protection Concerns](#); Clarkslegal LLP (Reading, England - TAGLaw)
- [The Court of Justice of the EU on the Requirements for an Object to Have Copyright Protection](#); Bufete Escura (Barcelona, Spain - TAGLaw)

Litigation & ADR

- [Court Clarifies Solicitors' Pre-Litigation Duty to Clients](#); Carter Newell (Australia - TAGLaw)
- [In What Circumstances Will Settlement Agreements be Set Aside in Historical Sexual Abuse Cases?](#); Carter Newell (Australia - TAGLaw)
- [Royal Commission into Violence, Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation of People with Disability - First Public Sitting](#); Piper Alderman (Australia - TAGLaw)

Real Estate / TAG Property

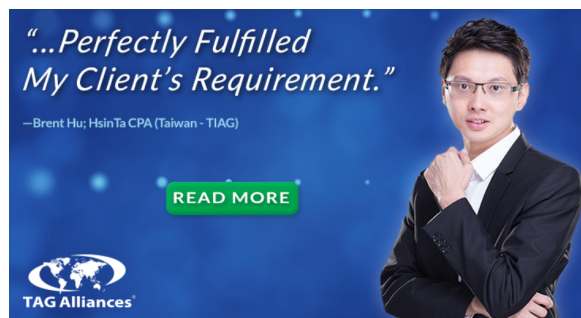
- [It's Coming: The Climate Mobilization Act - What Building Owners Need to Know Now](#); Herrick, Feinstein LLP (New York, USA - TAGLaw)

- [The Consumer Mortgage Experience: Do Lenders Shape Up?](#); Piper Alderman (Australia - TAGLaw)
 - [eSports: The Beginning of a New Era in Gaming?](#); Clarkslegal LLP (Reading, England - TAGLaw)
- Global Mobility & Immigration Law**
- [Hiring Foreign Workers? Prepare For Extra Work, Visa Delays](#); Munsch Hardt Kopf & Harr, P.C. (Texas, USA - TAGLaw)
- Health Law**
- [Stark Contrast: CMS Proposes to Get Reasonable](#); von Briesen & Roper, s.c. (Wisconsin, USA - TAGLaw)
- TAG Tax**
- [Introduction to 15CA & 15CB](#); AJSH & Co LLP (New Delhi, India - TIAG)
 - [Should a Spanish Tax Non-Resident be Entitled to Pay Taxes in Spain for the Sale of Bitcoins in Exchange for Euros?](#); Bufete Escura (Barcelona, Spain - TAGLaw)

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Win a Conference Discount! Share Your Success Stories

In an effort to showcase the successful utilization of TAG Alliances by our members, we are collecting Success Stories. Every member who submits a Success Story by **11:59 PM EST Friday, December 6, 2019** will be entered into a drawing for a chance to win a **\$500 discount** towards one of our 2020 International Conferences.



What is a Success Story?

A Success Story is a brief statement or paragraph about any benefit your firm receives from its TAG Alliances membership such as collaboration with another member, a referral (inbound or outbound), something you learned at a conference or regional meeting, etc.

How can I participate?

Submit a Success Story online via the link below.

[Click here to submit a Success Story and view full details.](#)

EVENTS

Sydney International Conference Recap



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We would like to take a moment to thank all of our attending members and guests for making our International Conference in Sydney such an intimate and memorable event.

Our Australian members Carter Newell, ESV Accounting and Business Advisors, Piper Alderman, Lowe Lipmann, and WMS Chartered Accountants went above and beyond welcoming all of our international visitors "Down Under".

We look forward to seeing everyone in Philadelphia next spring!

Future Regional Meetings

TAG Alliances Latin America Regional Meeting
Costa Rica | Feb 27-29, 2020
[Register and learn more.](#)

TAG Alliances Western Regional Meeting
Scottsdale, Arizona | Feb 27-29, 2020
[Register and learn more.](#)

TAG Alliances Southeast & Midwest U.S. Regional Meeting
New Orleans, Louisiana | March 6-7, 2020
[Register and learn more.](#)

TAG Alliances European Regional Meeting
Copenhagen | March 19-21, 2020
[RSVP and learn more.](#)

MEMBER NEWS



[Kuits Named Manchester's Employer of the Year](#); (TAGLaw)



[Sara Finigan Honored as one of the Most Influential Women in Bay Area Business 2019](#); Coblentz, Patch, Duffy & Bass LLP (San Francisco, California, USA - TAGLaw)



[DTE Group Launches New Website](#); (Manchester, England - TIAG)

Awards & Recognition

[25 Casner & Edwards Attorneys Recognized by Super Lawyers 2019](#); (Massachusetts, USA - TAGLaw)

[Ashok Maheshwary & Associates LLP Receives High Rankings in Tax and Transfer Pricing](#); (Gurgaon, India - TIAG)

[Babbé Advocate Recognized by Who's Who Legal 2019](#); (Guernsey - TAGLaw)

[Blake Morgan Solicitor, John Shaw, Published in the Oxford University Press Journal](#); (Cardiff & Southampton, England - TAGLaw)

[Cherry Bekaert Receives Accolades at 11th Annual Americas M&A Atlas Awards](#); (Southeast, USA - TAG-SP)

[Clarkslegal Acknowledged Once Again by UK Legal 500 2019-2020 & Clarkslegal Features Strongly in Chambers and Partners 2019-2020](#); (Reading, England - TAGLaw)

[Dan Gershwin Recognized as Top 40 Under 40 by the Daily Journal](#); Coblentz, Patch, Duffy & Bass LLP (San Francisco, California, USA - TAGLaw)

[Escura Distinguished by IFLR1000 in the 2020 World's Leading Financial and Corporate Guide & Escura Lawyers Published in Law & Social Inquiry - A Journal of the American Bar Foundation](#); (Barcelona, Spain - TAGLaw)

[Kuits Preserves Record Results in Legal 500 Rankings](#); (Manchester, England - TAGLaw)

[TIAG Members Recognized by the Financial Review in Top 100 Firms in Australia](#); Lowe Lippmann (Victoria, Australia), ESV Accounting and Business Advisors (New South Wales, Australia), and WMS Chartered Accountants (Queensland, Australia)

[Twelve Lugenbuhl Practices Ranked by Best Law Firms](#); (Louisiana, USA - TAGLaw)

Deals & Decisions

[DTE Corporate Finance Undertakes Due Diligence for New Investment Funding by Maven Capital](#); (Manchester, England - TIAG)

[GALA advised Cable Onda on a US\\$600 Million Global Notes Offering](#); (Panama - TAGLaw)

Firm Growth & Events

[Harper Grey Welcomes Allison Lepp as a Contract Lawyer in our Health Law Group](#); (British Columbia, Canada - TAGLaw)

[Henry Lowe and Jo Upshall Promoted to Partner](#); Mercer & Hole (London, England - TIAG)

[Lugenbuhl Welcomes Three Associates to New Orleans Office](#); (Louisiana, USA - TAGLaw)

[New Head of Innovations Tax at AAB](#); (Scotland - TIAG)

[New Partner Greg Englert, CIA, Joins Weaver to Help Expand Risk Advisory Practice](#); (Texas, USA - TIAG)

[Ryan Swanson Announces Joe Sakay as Member and New Chair of Banking Services, Creditors' Rights & Bankruptcy Group](#); (Washington, USA - TAGLaw)

[Samet & Company PC Announces Thomas Attura, CPA and Joshua Levine, CPA Promoted to Manager](#); (Massachusetts, USA - TIAG)

[von Briesen & Roper, S.C. Welcomes William D. Gardner](#); (Wisconsin, USA - TAGLaw)

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