



## Joshua Bevitz

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Joshua Bevitz is a legal strategy pioneer who develops creative litigation solutions to address the individual needs of each of his clients. He concentrates his legal practice on real estate, construction, business litigation, and cybersecurity. As partner in the Walnut Creek office of Newmeyer Dillion, Joshua advises developers, builders, contractors, and other businesses on a variety of real estate, construction, insurance, and cybersecurity related claims. He has experience litigating cases in both state and federal courts, resolving cases through alternative dispute resolution, and in enforcing judgments.

Joshua also worked for the U.S. Department of Justice, Criminal Division, Office of International Affairs in Washington D.C. While in law school, Joshua was an Executive Editor of the Hastings Law Journal, which published his law school note, Flawed Foreign Policy: Hypocritical U.S. Attitudes Toward International Criminal Forums, 53 Hastings L.J. 931 (2002). Joshua also earned credits at Trinity College in Dublin, Ireland and Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic and honors in his Moot Court and Appellate Advocacy courses.

### Services

- Business Litigation
- Construction Litigation
- Coverage & Bad Faith Litigation
- Data Breach Response / Ransomware
- Privacy & Data Security
- Real Estate Litigation
- Risk Avoidance, Transfer & Management

### Awards & Recognition

- Rising Star, Super Lawyers, 2015-2016

### **Professional Affiliations**

- Contra Costa County Bar Association
- CCCBA Food Drive Committee

### **Charitable & Civic Involvement**

- Congregation B'nai Tikvah
- Contra Costa County Bar Association Food Drive Committee

### **Admissions**

- California, 2002
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of California
- U.S. District Court, Central District of California
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of California
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of California
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit

### **Education**

- University of California, Hastings College of Law(J.D., 2002)
  - International Law Concentration
- Washington University(B.A., 1997)
  - English Literature
  - Minor in Writing
- Washington University(B.S., 1997)
  - Business, Law, and Economics Concentration

## **Publications**

### **Published Article**

**Russia Has Threatened American Businesses With Retaliatory Cyber Attacks - What Your Business**

## **Needs to Know to Protect Itself**

Published Article

## **The Consequences Could Be Severe If You Do Not Protect Your Personal Information Online: Take These Steps to Protect Yourself**

Published Article

## **AI is Changing the Face of Cyber Security: Here is What You Need to Know**

Published Article

## **Recovering Your Attorney's Fees in Adjoining Property Disputes**

Published Article

## **Warning: The Federal Trade Commission Will Prosecute Companies Over Consumer Data Breaches - Its Recommendations Should be Heeded**

Published Article

## **A Victory for Computer Fraud Policy Holders: Court Finds Insurance Coverage for Fraudulent Money Transfer Instructions**

Published Article

## **Companies: Per the American Bar Association, Here are Your Attorneys' Obligations Related to Cyberattacks**

Published Article

## **The Marriott Breach: What Happened and What You Should Do About It**

Published Article

## **Data Brokers Beware! An Amendment to California's Consumer Privacy Act is Targeting You**

Published Article

## **Unique Cyber Vishing Threat Emerges**

Published Article

## **Wonder How 2021 May Differ From 2020? Federal Data Privacy May Be Enacted - Be Prepared**

Published Article

## **A Ransomware Task Force Has Released Extensive Recommendations – Prepare Your Company Now!**

Published Article

**Publication**