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SUMMARY

Michael Bandemer is a Managing Director with Berkeley Research Group and leader of its Discovery and Forensic Technology Services Practice (DFTS) which specializes in e-discovery, digital forensic investigations, data security/privacy and compliance. Mr. Bandemer and the DFTS practice utilize best of breed technologies, artificial intelligence (AI) and a diverse group of professionals to assist clients with their investigative, compliance, and legal objectives. Prior to joining Berkeley Research Group, Mr. Bandemer was a Managing Director with Huron Legal, an international advisory and business services firm, and previously served as the national practice leader of LECG's Legal Technology and Analytics Consulting group (LTAC).

Mr. Bandemer has performed or supervised the preservation, forensic collection and analysis of electronically stored information ("ESI") from corporate networks, databases, personal computers (Mac and PC), phones, tablets, external storage devices, social media, archives, cloud providers and other digital storage media in hundreds of matters ranging from internal and federal investigations to commercial disputes. Mr. Bandemer advises both corporate and law firm clients and provides expert testimony regarding various information management, data security, and legal technology issues including internal processes, policies & procedures, best practices, evidence preservation and collection, computer forensics, electronic discovery, complex data analytics, and other information technology issues. Mr. Bandemer also assists clients with information governance program development including data security readiness programs through the implementation of data mapping, data handling, policies & procedures, education & awareness programs and change management in compliance with applicable privacy laws such as General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and The California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA).

Mr. Bandemer has qualified in court as an expert in e-discovery and computer forensics and provided testimony at deposition, arbitration and federal and state court. He has been selected as an independent e-discovery and computer forensics expert and has served as a 30(b)(6) corporate representative, special master and court appointed third-party neutral in various engagements. In these matters Mr. Bandemer has addressed discovery issues concerning records management, accessibility, burden, preservation, collection, spoliation, search and production.

The diverse range of matters Mr. Bandemer has assisted with includes misappropriation of trade secrets, internal investigations, breach of contract, business interruption, employment disputes, fraud investigations, securities, and wage and hour class actions among others. He has experience in a broad spectrum of industries including high technology, financial services, construction, professional services, gaming, hospitality, entertainment, oil and gas, government, retail, auto, railroad, entrepreneurial business, manufacturing, and real estate.

EDUCATION

B.S., Finance

Arizona State University, 1990

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

Managing Director, Huron Consulting Group, 2011-2014
Partner, LECG (Mack | Barclay), 1994-2011
Senior Consultant, Peterson Consulting, 1990-1994
Associate, Phelps Dodge Corporation, 1988-1990

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants
Certified Public Accountant
High Technology Crime Investigation Association
The Sedona Conference Working Group
Electronic Document Retention and Production
California State Society of Certified Public Accountants
Association of Certified Fraud Examiners
Association of Records Managers and Administrators
Association of Information and Image Management
Institute of Management Accountants
Certified Management Accountant, 1995

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Public Accountant, 1998
Certified Management Accountant, 1995
Certified Information Technology Professional, 2001
Certified EnCase Computer Examiner, 2003
Certified Financial Forensics, 2008

PATENTS HELD

System and Method for Managing Observational Information Items:
United States 7,107,278 B1, Issued September 12, 2006
Structural relational database and interface developed for managing electronic information, photos and digitized field drawings/notes and other information in construction defect matters.