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Mr. Berman has written and spoken on electronic discovery, cybersecurity, ediscovery, professional responsibility and social media issues before the American Bar Association, the New York State Bar Association, the New York City Bar, the New York County Lawyers' Association, as well as the New York Appellate Divisions and New York State Judicial Institute. He has been appointed by the Chief Administrative as a member of New York State E-Discovery Working Group advising the New York State Unified Court System. Since 2005, Mr. Berman has had a column in *The New York Law Journal* addressing electronic discovery under New York State law.

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Mark Berman designed and taught the first law school course on technology and the law in the United States through a bar association at CUNY School of Law. Mr. Berman will also be teaching a similar course at Syracuse University College of Law in the fall of 2019. He has also taught technology classes at the Maurice A. Deane School of Law at Hofstra University.

Mr. Berman is a 1986 graduate of Columbia College and 1990 *magna cum laude* graduate of Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law.