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Background

Michael D. Edge is a director at Aon, specializing in data analytics and technology-based intellectual property litigation including patent, trade secret, and copyright cases. He has consulted on more than 40 matters in a wide variety of technical fields, has submitted federal court declarations, and has submitted expert reports and served as a testifying expert in federal court and at arbitration. His IP work has involved prior art charting, claim construction analysis, and infringement and validity analysis in fields such as mobile, networking, DRM, and enterprise software. He has been the lead investigator in numerous matters involving code comparison and analysis, data analysis, trade secret appropriation, and copyright infringement.

Michael holds a B.S.E. (*cum laude*) in electrical engineering and computer science from Princeton University (1987).

Michael joined Stroz Friedberg from Elysium Digital, which Stroz Friedberg acquired in 2015. Prior to joining Elysium, Michael was a software architect with over 25 years of technology development experience with an emphasis on multimedia, graphics, video streaming, 3D rendering, and interactive gaming technologies. He developed new multimedia and digital video as the vice president of production for numerous companies, including Synthespia, Dataware Technologies, and Ledge Multimedia.

Professional Experience

- Elysium Digital, LLC, a subsidiary of Aon Corporation, Director, 2019 – Present
- Stroz Friedberg, LLC, Director, 2017 – 2019
- Stroz Friedberg, LLC, Manager, 2015 – 2017
- Elysium Digital, LLC, Computer Scientist, 2011 – 2015
- Simply Sold Carolina, Principal, 2004 – 2011
- First Parish Unitarian Universalist Church of Arlington, Business Manager, 2008 – 2009
- Synthespia, Inc., Vice President of Production, 2001 – 2004
- Dataware Technologies, Inc., Vice President of Production, Multimedia Division, 1995 – 1998
- Ledge Multimedia, Inc., Vice President of Production, 1992 – 1995
- Spinnaker Software Corporation, Programmer, 1988 – 1992
- Princeton University, Researcher, 1987 – 1988
- Siemens Research and Technology Laboratories, Programmer, 1986 – 1987
- University of South Carolina, Researcher, 1985

Education

- B.S.E. *cum laude*, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Princeton University, 1987

Testimony

- [1] *InfoDeli, LLC et al. v. Western Robidoux, Inc. et al.*
U.S. District Court, Western District of Missouri, Case No. 4:15-cv-00364
Was deposed and submitted two expert reports on behalf of InfoDeli, LLC and Brehm C. Burri (represented by Carey & Danis) in a database and source code copyright dispute related to pharmaceutical sales information distribution, 2019.
- [2] *Gimme Vending, LLC v. VendSys et al.*
U.S. District Court, District of Massachusetts, Case No. 1:17-cv-11137
Testified as expert witness at trial and submitted expert report on behalf of Gimme Vending, LLC (represented by Foley & Lardner) in a copyright matter involving communication software for inventory tracking, 2017.
- [3] *Bartech Systems International, Inc. v. Mobile Simple Solutions, Inc. et al.*
U.S. District Court, District of Nevada, Case No. 2:15-cv-02422
Submitted declarations on behalf of Bartech Systems International, Inc. (represented by Conti Fenn Lawrence) regarding a technical investigation into trade secret misappropriation, 2016, 2017.
- [4] *Confidential Arbitration*
American Arbitration Association
Testified as expert witness in arbitration and submitted expert report on behalf of a Fortune 100 company in a confidential matter involving breach of contract allegations regarding software development defects and payment processing errors, 2016.
- [5] *Symantec Corporation v. Acronis Inc.*
U.S. District Court, Northern District of California, Case No. 3:11-cv-05310
Submitted declaration on behalf of Acronis Inc. (represented by Fish & Richardson) in a patent case involving backup and recovery software, 2013.