Red Cross GC Resigns Over Handling of Sexual Assault and Harassment Allegations

News

American Red Cross General Counsel David Meltzer has resigned after a ProPublica story detailed troubling aspects of how he handled a sexual misconduct case involving another senior official at the charity.

Airbnb Names Legal Chief New COO Amid Senior Rank Shakeup

News

Bloomberg reports that Belinda Johnson, formerly chief business affairs and legal officer, has taken the new role with the company as part of a shakeup in the senior ranks.

Michigan State Trustee Calls for GC to Resign in Wake of Scandal

News

Michigan State University Trustee Brian Mosallam is calling

for the resignation of Bob Noto, the school's vice president for legal affairs and general counsel, in the wake of the Larry Nassar scandal, reports *The Detroit News*.

New Research Report: Global Trends in Hiring Outside Counsel

Insight

The Globality report has information on the latest industry viewpoint about hiring outside counsel, That information was gathered from more than 300 GCs from organizations with more than $1 billion in revenue.

Webinar: Contract Review Automation in Action

Event, Feb. 21, 2 p.m. EST

LawGeex says the webinar will show how modern legal teams are revolutionizing their daily contract review processes. This will be a practical look at using on-the-ground solutions for contract review automation.

Study: Companies Want Smaller Firms, But Have Trouble Finding Them

News

Large companies increasingly want to work with smaller, more innovative law firms but have trouble finding them due to over-reliance on personal connections, according to a new survey reported by Courthouse News Service.

Regulatory Whirlwind 2018: What's Ahead for Third-Party Risk Management?

Webinar, Jan. 25, 1 p.m. EST

NAVEX Global will present a complimentary webinar on recent and anticipated enforcement and regulatory changes as they concern third-party risk.

Download: How to Prepare Your Business for 2018 GDPR

Requirements

Insight

In May 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) will go into effect, requiring companies that do business in Europe to adjust their strategies for data management.

Former American Airlines General Counsel Recalls Turbulent Years

News

The Dallas Business Journal looks inside "Twelve Years of Turbulence: The Inside Story of American Airlines' Battle for Survival," scheduled for release in February.

Uber Ex-GC Involved in Data-Hiding System to Foil Police Raids: Sources

News

Bloomberg, citing three people with knowledge of the system, reports that, between spring 2015 until late 2016, Uber used a system designed to thwart police raids in foreign countries.

Invitation: The Strategic-Asset GC, February 12, Washington, DC

Event, Feb. 12, 2018, Washington, DC

This exclusive, one-day event hosted by the National Association of Corporate Directors seeks to help GCs to better align themselves with director expectations, as well as elevate their role in the boardroom

Free eBook: The In-House Counsel's Guide to Change Management

Insight

The LawGeex book dozens of interviews and real-life experiences from a host of industry leaders, including Pearson, Telstra, Avis Budget Group, NetApp, L'Oreal, Microsoft, Cisco, Google and many more.

Download: Legal Benchmarks for Compliance Program Success

Insight

The new Navex report includes best-practice recommendations and discusses how legal departments view compliance training, third-party due diligence and policy and procedure management.

New Uber GC to Staff: Cut Out the Surveillance

News

Just days into his new job as chief legal officer at Uber, Tony West sent an email to the firm’s security team telling them to stop any competitive intelligence projects that included surveilling individuals, reports Recode.

Law Department Operations Survey Report & Webinar

Insight

Blickstein Group, in cooperation with Consilio, has surveyed hundreds of law departments solely on the operations function to provide benchmarks that are useful to all law departments.

Webinar: Legal Insights into Ethics & Compliance

Webinar, Dec. 5, 10 a.m. PT / 1 p.m. ET

NAVEX Global will present a webinar to launch a new role-based Ethics & Compliance Benchmark Report for Legal Professionals.

Year-End Reality Check: The Path to Efficiency

Insight

Lightning-fast automation, policy enforcement, and true oversight will help you get the most out of end-of-quarter initiatives without taking on unnecessary risk, Conga says in a new eBook that is available for downloading.

Ex-WellCare General Counsel Gets Six Months in U.S. Prison

News

A former general counsel of insurer WellCare Health Plans Inc.

has been sentenced to six months in prison for making a false statement to Florida's Medicaid program, Reuters reports.

Apple's New GC Welcomed With Multimillion-Dollar Bonus Package

News

Apple's incoming chief lawyer Katherine Adams has received a bonus package in the form of restricted stock units, or RSUs, according to a mandatory disclosure filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission this week, reports Mac Rumors.

Day Pitney's Washington Office Represents International Spy Museum Pro Bono

News

Day Pitney LLP has announced that it has entered into an agreement to serve as pro bono outside general counsel for the International Spy Museum.