

Cryptocurrency GC Has Left the Company at an Awkward Time

Brynly Llyr, general counsel of Ripple, one of the world's leading cryptocurrency companies, has left the payment and remittance network, reports **Quartz's** Private Key newsletter.

Quartz reporter **Matthew De Silva** explains: "Ripple is gearing up for a class-action battle about whether its XRP cryptocurrency is a security or not, and has bolstered its legal team by retaining heavyweights like former US Securities and Exchange Commission chair Mary Jo White and the regulator's former director of enforcement, Andrew Ceresney. Although Llyr is an experienced attorney with impressive credentials, she doesn't have the same sway as some of these other legal advisors. Still, the turnover on Ripple's in-house legal team comes at an awkward time, given the impending case."

Read the Quartz article.