# Mark M. Abramowitz

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## Overview

Mark has demonstrated expertise in leveraging cutting-edge technology in DiCello Levitt's modern and evolving trial practice to achieve what were previously believed to be impossible results for his clients.  An Internet technology expert, he is a student of integrating technology into the practice of law. He has been selected to national discovery review teams and is regularly consulted on cloud-based systems, discovery technology, the Internet of Things, and litigation concerning data storage and security. He has testified before the Ohio State Legislature multiple times on data security and related issues.

Mark is a respected litigator and trial lawyer who has recouped life changing compensation for clients around the country. He has expertise and experience ranging from defective products to Internet technology disputes. Mark is recognized for breaking barriers in medical malpractice litigation through groundbreaking work in exposing electronic medical record alterations and successfully expanding states' damages caps in joint replacement surgery cases.

Mark brings a unique voice to the Sedona Conference's Data Security and Privacy Liability working group and is one of the authors of Sedona's Biometric Privacy Primer. He has also served as a Trustee of the Ohio Association for Justice since 2014. Mark is currently Editor-in-Chief of *Ohio Trial* and is a member of *Law360's* Personal Injury Editorial Advisory Board.

## Practice Areas

AGRICULTURE AND BIOTECHNOLOGY LITIGATION

CLASS ACTION LITIGATION

CIVIL AND HUMAN RIGHTS LITIGATION

MASS TORT LITIGATION

PERSONAL INJURY

PRIVACY, TECHNOLOGY, AND CYBERSECURITY

## Education

University of Toledo College of Law, J.D.

University of Guelph, B.A.

## Representative Matters

*In Re: Propecia (Finasteride) Product Liability Litigation* (E.D.N.Y.)

*Beliville et al. v. Ford Motor Company* (S.D.W.V.)

*In Re: Imprelis Herbicide, Sales Practice and Products Liability Litigation* (E.D.Pa.)

*In Re: Mentor Corp. ObTape Transobuturator Sling Products Liability Litigation* (M.D.Ga.)

*In Re: Stryker Rejuveante & ABG II Hip Implant Litigation* (N.J.)

*Dickerson (J'Lexxys), et al. v. Cuyahoga Metropolitan Housing Authority, et al., No. 09-CV-705527*, Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas, served as appellate counsel.

*Kristen Behrens, Esq. as Admrx. of the Estates, et al. v. Arconic, Inc., et* al., No. 2:19-cv-2664, (E.D. PA).

*Charles D. Hunt, et al. v. City of Cleveland, et al., No. 11-CV-755540*, Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas.

*Paulette Kolosai, Adm. v. Haitham M Azem, M.D., et al., No. 13-cv-806065*, Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas, served as an IT expert.

## Awards & Honors

Recognized in Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions – Plaintiffs, ***The Best Lawyers in America®*** (2027)

Ohio Rising Stars Honoree, ***Super Lawyers*** (2020-2021)

## Publications & Presentations

### Presentations

"Chemical Hair Relaxer Case Update," Mass Torts Made Perfect (April 2026)

"How Does Client Specific eDiscovery Work? – Collection to Production," Mass Torts Made Perfect (April 2026)

E-Discovery Session, *American Association for Justice*'s Mass Tort Webinar Series (March 2026)

"Adapting Plaintiffs' Firms for the AI Future," *Everlaw* Summit '25 (October 2025)

"Understanding AI and What It Means for Your Legal Practice," Mass Torts Made Perfect (October 2025)

"Hair Relaxer Litigation Update," *HarrisMartin*'s MDL Conference: Current MDL Cases (May 2025)

"Social Media Update: Next Steps, Hair Straightener & Social Media Litigation," HarrisMartin's MDL Conference (January 2023)

"New Trends in Civil Litigation," 34th Annual Accredited CLE (2021)

"Emerging from the COVID Cocoon," OAJ Annual Convention (June 2021)

"Cybersecurity and what it means to you," 360 Advocacy (March 2020)

"What is E-Discovery," Civilly Speaking Podcast (July 2019)

"E-Discovery: What You Are Not Being Told, But How to Get It," 360 Advocacy (March 2018)

"Electronics in the Courtroom," 29th Annual accredited CLE (2016)

"How to Get the Higher Cap: RC 2323.43 – Creating a Genuine Issue of Material Fact in Joint Replacement Cases," Ohio Trial (Ohio Association for Justice) (2015)

"How to manage a mass tort inventory," OAJ Annual Convention (2015)

"What is Permanent and Substantial Physical Deformity? Creating a Genuine Issue of Material Fact in Joint Replacement Cases," Cleveland Academy of Trial Attorneys (2014)

"Mass Tort – The Importance Of Venue," OAJ Winter Convention (2014)

"Professional Conduct – efiling," 27th Annual CLE Update (2014)

"Marketing & Electronic Communications," 26th Annual Accredited CLE (2013)

### Publications

Quoted, "Attacks Haven't Killed Judiciary's AI Rule, May Strengthen It," *Law360* (January 2026)

Quoted, "Top Predictions and Trends for Legal Tech in 2026," *Everlaw* (December 2025)

Quoted, "Legal Tech's Predictions for E-discovery in 2025," *Legaltech News* (January 2025)

## Admissions & Memberships

### Bar Admissions

Ohio

Pennsylvania

### Court Admissions

U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio

U.S. District Court, Southern District of Ohio

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Michigan

U.S. District Court, Western District of Michigan

U.S. Court of Appeals, Third Circuit

### Memberships

Ohio Association for Justice, Trustee (2014 – Present)

Lake County Bar Association, Member (2012 – Present)

Ohio Association for Justice, Member (2011 – Present)

Ohio State Bar Association, Member (2008 – Present)

American Bar Association, Member (2008 – Present)