



STONERIDGE LEGAL

CONCIERGE COUNSEL

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With 17 years of diversified legal experience at global law firms, small practices, and as in-house corporation counsel, Nicole has represented business clients ranging from small sole proprietorships to large international conglomerates, helping them fulfill their business objectives and protect them from potential legal problems.

Nicole started her career in the heart of Silicon Valley and San Francisco at international law firms where she focused on patent, trademark, and trade secret litigation to defend against and pursue infringement claims relating to her clients' invaluable intellectual property. She then moved to a smaller practice where she represented a diverse clientele facing a broad range of legal challenges.

In 2013, Nicole was recruited to work as General Counsel for a thriving sunglass manufacturer in San Luis Obispo, Calif, where she continues to be based. Since relocating to San Luis Obispo, Nicole has maintained her intellectual property practice and gained powerful skills in helping manage every aspect of running a growing international company.

More recently, Nicole expanded her practice into Stoneridge Legal, a concierge style law firm providing specialized services to select clients. Building upon her diverse professional experiences, Nicole has positioned Stoneridge Legal as a unique "one-stop-shop" for small businesses needing guidance in intellectual property, corporate formation, employment and human resources issues, contract negotiation, among other areas.

Outside of legal work, Nicole is an active Board Member of the San Luis Obispo Women Lawyers Association and serves on the San Luis Obispo County Mock Trial Committee which puts together county-wide mock trial exercises for middle and high school students.

Nicole is a graduate of the University of California, San Diego. She earned her Juris Doctorate at Santa Clara University, from where she has a certificate in Computer and High Technology Law.

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