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Julie is the author of several publications pertaining to privacy, cybersecurity, biometrics, cloud computing and technology, including *Biometrics law in Québec: security and privacy* (in French, 2015 Thomson Reuters).

Prior to joining the firm, Julie was senior legal counsel for a Canadian leader in telecommunications and media, where she managed privacy compliance matters and was a member of the Governance management committee and advised senior management on breaches of security safeguards. Julie also worked during several years for a cybersecurity & forensic firm.

## **Insights & Events**

- Author, "BLG's Submission on the Commission d'accès à l'information Consent Guidelines", BLG Article,
   July 2023
- Author, "Projet de loi n° 3 : un nouveau cadre juridique en matière de protection des renseignements de santé au Québec", BLG Article, April 2023
- Author, "Québec Privacy Law Reform: A Compliance Guide for Organizations", BLG Article, October 2022



- Author, "Adoption du projet de loi n° 64 Principales exigences pour les organismes publics", BLG Article, July 2022
- Author, "Canada's Consumer Privacy Protection Act (Bill C-27): Impact for businesses", BLG Article, June 2022
- Author, "Bill C-26: New Canadian critical infrastructure cyber security law", BLG Article, June 2022
- Author, "New Québec biometric requirements: legal risk and mitigation", BLG Article, April 2022
- Author, "Cyber hygiene checklist: Tick these boxes to lower your cybersecurity risk and insurance costs",
   BLG Article, February 2022
- Business insurance trends, Part 3: Cyber insurance, smart equipment, shipping and a plug for insurance reviews, BLG Perspective, December 2021
- Author, "Bill 19: toward a new legal framework for protecting health information in Québec", BLG Article,
   December 2021
- Author, "Québec adopts Bill 64 Key requirements for businesses", BLG Article, September 2021
- Author, "End of clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 64: Where we stand", BLG Article, August 2021
- Author, "End of parliamentary proceedings in Quebec: An Update on Bill 64", BLG Article, June 2021

### **Bar Admission & Education**

- Québec, 2009
- LL. B, Université Laval, 2007

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