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Alexander D. Boyd is a shareholder in Polsinelli's national Technology Transactions and Data Privacy practice. Alex leverages his experience as a Certified Information Privacy Professional (CIPP/US) and as a litigator to lead organizations in responding to data security incidents and complying with state, national, and international data privacy and cybersecurity regulations. Alex consistently works with leading cyber insurers and forensic security firms to investigate every type of data security incident and to provide his clients time-sensitive, practical advice during all stages of an incident.

Alex assists organizations in responding to regulatory investigations opened by state attorneys general, the Department of Health and Human Services Office for Civil Rights, the National Credit Union Administration, the Federal Trade Commission, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, or other state or federal enforcement agencies.

Alex's practice also focuses on providing proactive, pre-breach data privacy advice and drafting and negotiating licensing agreements, terms of service, and other technology-based transactions. Alex coordinates with attorneys in Polsinelli's leading health care, financial services, litigation, and intellectual property practices to provide his clients with seamless, comprehensive legal advice.

Education

- Creighton University School of Law (J.D., *summa cum laude*, 2012)
- Creighton University (B.S.B.A., *summa cum laude*, 2009)

Bar Admissions

- Iowa, 2012
- Nebraska, 2013
- Missouri, 2019

Court Admissions

- U.S. Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit
- U.S. District Court, District of Nebraska

Capabilities

- Technology Transactions
- Privacy & Cybersecurity
- Biometric Privacy Law
- Privacy Litigation
- Information Security (InfoSec)
- Data Breach & Incident Response
- Technology

Memberships

- Iowa State Bar Association, 2012
- International Association of Privacy Professionals (CIPP/US) (2016)

Recognition

- Creighton University School of Law Highest Triennial Average Award (Graduated Ranked 1/156)
- Creighton Law Review, 2010-2012
- Silver Quill Award, Nebraska State Bar Foundation, 2011
- National Moot Court Competition
 - Top 16 National Finalist, 2012
 - Regional Best Brief, 2011
- Creighton University School of Law Moot Court Competition, Best Brief, 2010
- Creighton Moot Court Board, Problem Director, 2011-2012
- Harry L. Welch Award for Excellence in Civil Procedure, 2009
- Alpha Sigma Nu, National Jesuit Honor Society, Member
- Beta Gamma Sigma, International Business Honor Society, Member
- 14 CALI Excellence for the Future Awards including Copyrights, Secured Transactions in Personal Property, Individual Employee Rights, and Criminal Procedure

Publications

January 22, 2026

Leveraging Cyber Insurance Trends to Strengthen Information Security Programs: Insights from M3 Insurance

Co-Author, 2026 Technology Transactions & Data Privacy Report

January 12, 2026

2026 Technology Transactions & Data Privacy Report

December 4, 2025

Months After Hackers Broke Into Cerner's Network, Some Patients Don't Know Their Health Data Was Stolen

Quoted, The Beacon

February 26, 2025

Threat Actor Trends and Practical Guidance —A Conversation Between Polsinelli and Coveware

February 6, 2025

2025 Technology Transactions & Data Privacy Report

June 2024

Looking Ahead to the Federal Trade Commission's Implementation of the Data Breach Notification Rule for Nonbanking Financial Institutions

Co-Author, The Banking Law Journal Vol 141 No 6

April 19, 2024

Critical Infrastructure Cybersecurity – Evolving Incident Response Obligations, Integral to Effective Risk Management

January 24, 2024

Looking Ahead to the FTC's Implementation of the Data Breach Notification Rule for Nonbanking Financial Institutions

January 24, 2024

2024 Tech Transactions & Data Privacy Report

November 13, 2023

FTC Adopts Data Breach Notification Obligations for Non-Banking Financial Institutions

September, 2023

The Increasing Risks and Prohibitions Associated With Paying a Ransom After a Ransomware Attack

The Computer & Internet Lawyer

May 10, 2023

Guidance for the 'Burden of Cybersecurity Compliance' Emerges

March 30, 2023

The Increasing Risks and Prohibitions Associated With Paying a Ransom After a Ransomware Attack

March 27, 2023

How Credit Unions Can Prepare For 3-Day Cyber Report Rule

Co-Author, Law360

March 9, 2023

Executive Roundtable - Cybersecurity

Presenter, KC Tech Council

February 21, 2023

National Credit Union Administration Finalizes 72-Hour Cyber Incident Reporting Rule

February 2, 2023

Tech Transactions & Data Privacy 2023 Report

February 1, 2023

Cybersecurity Roundtable

Speaker, CBIZ MHM

January 6, 2023

So, your data's been put up for sale by hackers. Here's what you should (and shouldn't) do

Quoted, IT Brew

September 22, 2022

Navigating Ethical Issues in the Wake of a Cyber Breach

Panelist, Northwestern Pritzker School of Law - Garrett Securities Law & Corporate

Counsel Institute

August 2, 2022

**National Credit Union Administration Issues New Proposed Rule Requiring 72-Hour
Cyber Incident Reporting**