SAMIR C. JAIN

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

VICE PRESIDENT OF POLICY
CENTER FOR DEMOCRACY & TECHNOLOGY, WASHINGTON D.C.   2021-Present

Lead policy advocacy and strategy and manage policy teams. Key substantive areas of focus include privacy, artificial intelligence and algorithmic decision-making; free expression, content moderation, and platform regulation; government surveillance; equity in civic technology; cybersecurity; and elections.

PARTNER
JONES DAY, WASHINGTON D.C.   2017-2020

Partner in Cybersecurity, Privacy & Data Protection practice group. Regularly advised clients across multiple industries on cyber risk mitigation, data breach response, global privacy compliance and regulation, and issues affecting emerging technologies such as artificial intelligence.

SENIOR DIRECTOR FOR CYBERSECURITY POLICY
NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL, THE WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON, D.C.   2016-2017

Led the team responsible for threat and incident response, cyber operations, international engagement, cyber intelligence, and technology policy issues such as encryption. Advised the National Security Advisor and Assistant to the President for Homeland Security and Counterterrorism, wrote decision memoranda for the President and for Principals and Deputies, and coordinated interagency development and implementation of cyber policy.

ASSOCIATE DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, WASHINGTON D.C.   2014-2015

Served as principal advisor to Deputy Attorney General and other department leadership on cybersecurity investigations and policy, led development of DOJ positions on cyber and communications issues, coordinated with FBI, and represented DOJ in White House interagency cyber policy and incident response committees.

PARTNER
WILMER CUTLER PICKERING HALE AND DORR LLP, WASHINGTON, D.C.   1995-2014

Partner in Communications, Privacy, & Internet Law and Defense & National Security practice groups. Practice involved regulatory and policy work, litigation, and counseling on privacy and data security, national security, communications, and content moderation and online platform liability for companies in the communications, Internet and information technology, defense, media, and financial services sectors.

JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT, LAW CLERK, San Francisco, CA   1994-1995
Served as law clerk to Judge James R. Browning.

EDUCATION

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL
    J.D., *magna cum laude*, 1994
    Editor, *Harvard Law Review*
    Articles Editor, *Journal of Law and Technology*

STANFORD UNIVERSITY
    B.S., Symbolic Systems (Artificial Intelligence), with Distinction and Honors, *Phi Beta Kappa*, 1991

HONORS & AWARDS

Selected by peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America* (2013-2014) and *Washington DC Super Lawyers* (2013-2014)

Ranked as leader in Telecom, Broadcast, and Satellite: Regulatory in *Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business* (2007-2014)

Recognized as leader in privacy and data security in *Chambers Global: The World's Leading Lawyers* (2010) and *Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business* (2007-2009)

Recommended for data protection and privacy practice in *The Legal 500* (2013)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Advisory Board, Future of Privacy Forum (2021-present)

Advisory Board, Tech, Law & Security Program, Washington College of Law, American University (2022-present)

Member of Education Advisory Board, International Association of Privacy Professionals (IAPP) (2017-2019)

Adjunct Professor, E-Commerce Law, George Washington University Law School (2006-2010)