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### Descrybe Announces Professor Ray Brescia as Strategic Advisor

*Leading scholar in legal ethics, access to justice, and law and technology joins Descrybe.*

**Boston, MA** — Descrybe today announced that Prof. Ray Brescia has joined the company as a strategic advisor.

Professor Brescia is Associate Dean for Research and Intellectual Life and holder of the Hon. Harold R. Tyler Chair in Law and Technology at Albany Law School. He will advise Descrybe on legal ethics, access to justice, and the broader role of technology in the legal profession.

Professor Brescia has spent his career working on issues at the intersection of law, public service, and social change. Before joining Albany Law School, he served as Associate Director of the Urban Justice Center in New York, where he coordinated legal representation for community-based organizations working on housing, economic justice, workers' rights, civil rights, and environmental justice. He also served as a staff attorney at the Legal Aid Society of New York as a Skadden Fellow and clerked for the Honorable Constance Baker Motley of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York.

He is the author of *The Future of Change: How Technology Shapes Social Revolutions* (Cornell University Press, 2020); *Lawyer Nation: The Past, Present and Future of the American Legal Profession* (NYU Press, 2024); *The Private Is Political: Identity and Democracy in the Age of Surveillance Capitalism* (NYU Press 2025); and, most recently, *Lawyer 3.0: A Guide to Next-Wave Lawyering* (Bristol University Press 2025). He has published more than fifty law review articles and is co-editor of *Crisis Lawyering: Effective Legal Advocacy in Emergency Situations* (NYU Press, 2021).

“Ray has spent his career thinking seriously about how law serves people, how institutions change, and how technology can help or harm that work,” said Kara Peterson, CEO and Co-Founder of Descrybe. “That perspective matters deeply to us. We’re building for a legal system that should be more accessible, more understandable, and more usable, and Ray brings both the academic depth and public interest grounding that make him such a strong fit.”

Brescia said: “I am honored and excited to join the Descrybe team because I have so much respect for the game-changing approach this company is taking to help address the brutal reality that there is not just too little access to justice in the United States, but even access to law itself is a challenge for too many Americans. Descrybe is going to make a real difference in the lives of tens of millions of Americans who presently must face their legal problems without the benefit of legal representation by democratizing the law itself, for lawyers, law students, non-profit organizations, and the general public.”

Descrybe is building legal AI tools designed to make legal research more accessible and more affordable. The company supports attorneys, students, legal aid organizations, and others who need serious legal research tools without the cost and complexity that have long defined the category.

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