MATTHEW J. REARDON

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA

Aug. 2015 – May 2018

Juris Doctorate

Harvard University Effective Altruism – President, Law School Chair Harvard Journal of Law and Public Policy – Executive Editor

Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL

Aug. 2009 – Aug 2012

Bachelor of Arts – Economics, Philosophy

Summa cum laude, Honors Scholar

EXPERIENCE

80,000 Hours, London, UK

Oct. 2021 – Present

Growth & Product Development Manager

- Developed active outreach program, generating hundreds of new calls per year
- Trained and mentored 4 later-hired advisors
- Owned UX and marketing flows for 1-1 advising service

Advisor

- Gave 1-1 career advice to over 600 students and graduates of top-100 world universities
- Oversaw reviewing of applications for advising

Sidley Austin LLP, Chicago, IL

Sept. 2018 – Oct. 2021

IP Litigation Associate (Summer Associate in 2017)

- Drafted briefs at all stages of litigation, including appeal
- Helped build factual record and resolve discovery disputes in support successful defense before the ITC
- Joined on-site trial team in preparing witnesses, resolving evidentiary disputes in antitrust case
- Frequently briefed and advised clients on patent eligibility issues related to multiple technologies
- Deposed third-party witness in § 1983 case; defended economics expert deposition in ITC investigation

U.S. Attorney's Office - Northern District of Illinois, Chicago, IL

June 2016 – Aug. 2016

Legal Intern

- Conducted legal research and drafted memoranda to assist attorneys in criminal cases
- Negotiated resolutions to federal misdemeanor citations

Optics Planet Inc., Northbrook, IL

Sept. 2013 – Aug. 2015

Pricing and Inventory Analyst

• Managed pricing, inventory, and online presentation of 50,000 unique products from more than 100 different manufacturers

ENGAGEMENT & INTERESTS

Albany Park Community Center, Chicago, IL

May 2014 – Aug. 2015

Certified ESL Tutor and Citizenship Advisor

Designed curriculum and held English language tutoring sessions for adult immigrants

Life Vietnam and Partage Vietnam, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Aug. 2014 - Sept. 2014

Volunteer, English Copy Editor and Tutor

• Split full-time work over eight weeks at each of these locally-run Vietnamese non-profits specializing in migrant workers' issues and HIV/AIDS prevention, and childhood education, respectively.

Interests

Fantasy Premier League, minimalism, stoicism, chess, social science blogs.