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CreativeFuture Applauds the Nomination of Deborah Robinson to Intellectual Property Enforcement Coordinator

The Biden Administration has announced that attorney and former prosecutor Deborah Robinson will be nominated for the position of Intellectual Property Enforcement Coordinator.

Los Angeles, CA – Today, President Biden announced his nomination of Deborah Robinson to serve as Intellectual Property Enforcement Coordinator (IPEC). If confirmed, Robinson will fill a seat that has been vacant since 2021, when Trump Administration IPEC Vishal J. Amin departed. Established in 2008, the IPEC advises the President on the development of the United States’ intellectual property policies and strategies.

Robinson brings with her over two decades of expertise in intellectual property and anti-piracy efforts, including in the areas of music, television, and consumer products. In addition, Robinson has worked as a prosecutor for the Philadelphia District Attorney’s Office.

“Deborah is a highly qualified I.P. expert and we hope she will be confirmed to this position where she can provide much-needed help to our creative community,” says CreativeFuture CEO Ruth Vitale. “According to the [U.S. Chamber of Commerce](#), piracy costs the U.S. economy between \$29.2 and \$71 billion, and between 230,000 and 560,000 jobs, every year. The creative community needs someone in the Biden Administration with the expertise in infringement and enforcement who will champion our rights.

“I have known Deborah for many years and have admired her work. I can attest to her ability to advocate on copyright enforcement matters. And, I know that few people share her deep knowledge of intellectual property and the harm caused by the global piracy ecosystem. I applaud President Biden for his excellent choice and look forward to working with her.”

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CreativeFuture is a nonprofit coalition of more than 500 companies and organizations and nearly 300,000 individuals – from film, television, music, book publishing, photography, and other creative industries. We're mobilizing our members to speak up about creativity's cultural and economic value, the importance of copyright in protecting creativity, and the massive harm caused by the global theft of our creative works. Millions of creatives and thousands of businesses around the world depend on copyright to bring all of us countless moments of inspiration, learning, and joy. Our mission is to advocate for strong but appropriate copyright protections and to empower creatives to speak out against piracy and how it affects their ability to create and to make a living. To learn more, visit www.creativefuture.org.