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Tyler Crowe is a Telecommunications Policy Specialist with the National Telecommunications & Information Administration's Office of International Affairs—a division of the U.S. Department of Commerce. In this position, he advises the Department on telecommunications/ICT policy, with a focus on the International Telecommunication Union (ITU). In 2022, Mr. Crowe assisted in the months-long preparatory processes for both the World Telecommunication Development Conference (WTDC) and the Plenipotentiary Conference. In addition,

Mr. Crowe serves as the Department of Commerce's representative to various ITU Study Groups, including T-Sector Study Groups 3 and 20 and D-Sector Study Group 1, where he serves as Vice-Rapporteur of Q4/1 on Economic Aspects.

Before joining the U.S. Government, Mr. Crowe served as Manager of International Affairs with the U.S. Chamber of Commerce. In this role, he—in coordination with the Chamber's various bilateral business councils and member companies—led the development of recommendations on intellectual property policy in emerging markets, with a special focus on Africa, South Asia, and the Western Hemisphere. In this role, Mr. Crowe also assisted in the research and analysis on the socioeconomic benefits of intellectual property protection—sharing these results with foreign governments and stakeholders in local languages. He also spearheaded several important Chamber initiatives such as the U.S.-India IP Dialogue—which convened governments, academics, the private sector, and other stakeholders to discuss bilateral cooperation on intellectual property issues. Finally, Mr. Crowe also led the Chamber's annual assessment of intellectual property and market access barriers in 15+ countries to inform the U.S. Government's Special 301 Report.

Mr. Crowe also spent nearly four years as Global Policy Manager/Assistant at the Motion Picture Association. In this role, he researched and analyzed intellectual property and international trade policies on behalf of the film, television, and streaming industries. He also shared these insights with representatives of the U.S. and foreign governments, as well as other stakeholders. Some examples include consulting with World Bank researchers on market access barriers in audiovisual services trade or briefing U.S. government officials on intellectual property trends in emerging markets as stated in annual Special 301 submissions. Although most of Mr. Crowe's tenure at the MPA was spent in Washington, he also served for a short while at MPA's office in Singapore, where he focused on



intellectual property and international trade policy in East and Southeast Asia. While in-region, Mr. Crowe also traveled through China to meet with government and industry stakeholders in assessing commercial opportunities in that country's theatrical film market.

Born in Baltimore, Maryland, he holds a B.A. in Chinese and a certificate in international agriculture and natural resources from the University of Maryland-College Park. He speaks Brazilian Portuguese, Spanish, French, and some Mandarin Chinese.