

David Howard

CHIEF LEGAL OFFICER

David brings over 20 years of legal experience in the software industry to his position as chief legal officer at Cloudera, where he is responsible for the company's worldwide legal affairs and compliance. Most recently, David served as executive vice president and chief legal officer at Docker until the acquisition of the majority of Docker by Mirantis. Prior to that, David was vice president and general counsel at Hortonworks Inc., where he led the legal function through the company's IPO and during the period that it grew from \$40 million to more than \$300 million in annual revenue, culminating in its merger with Cloudera. David also served as director and senior counsel at VMware, where he contributed to VMware's successful IPO and helped build and scale the legal department as the company grew from \$380 million to over \$3.7 billion in annual revenue. David has also played key legal roles at GoodData and Serena Software. David holds a juris doctor degree from New York Law School.