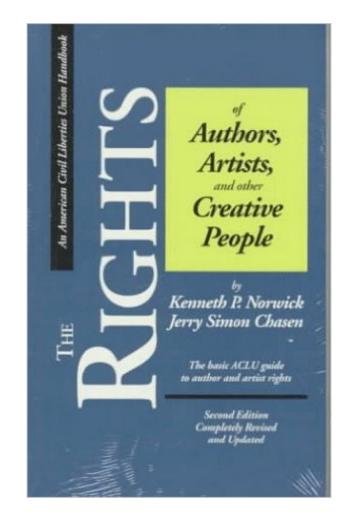
## The book was found

# The Rights Of Authors, Artists, And Other Creative People, Second Edition: A Basic Guide To The Legal Rights Of Authors And Artists (ACLU Handbook)





### Synopsis

The book begins with a look at the provisions of the U.S. Constitution that apply to creative people, and it then examines the major legal areas of special concern to those people: copyright; contracts; libel, privacy, and other claims of injury; obscenity; and business and tax matters.

### **Book Information**

Series: ACLU Handbook Paperback: 310 pages Publisher: Southern Illinois University Press; 1st edition (September 1, 1992) Language: English ISBN-10: 0809317737 ISBN-13: 978-0809317738 Product Dimensions: 4.1 x 0.6 x 6.9 inches Shipping Weight: 8 ounces Average Customer Review: 3.7 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (6 customer reviews) Best Sellers Rank: #1,502,566 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #117 in Books > Law > Business > Entertainment #874 in Books > Law > Legal Self-Help #948 in Books > Law > Intellectual Property

#### **Customer Reviews**

This book is an excellent reference which should be on the shelf of every aspiring author. Too often we become so embroiled in the struggle to write a decent book in the first place and finding a willing publisher in the second place that we can be inclined to simply accept any contract offered for our work. The major lessons from this book are:\* Copyright protection is pretty clear\* The "Fair Use" clause of the Copyright Laws are pretty murky\* There is no such thing as a "standard" publisher's contract\* Everything about publishing is negotiable\* Any contract the author is offered from a publisher is likely to be slanted very heavily in favor of the publisher\* Unless you are an attorney specializing in publishing, the aspiring author should (at minimum) obtain representation by a good agent and a good attorney BEFORE they sign any publisher's contract\* Carefully consider every clause of the contractDon't sign anything unless and until you completely understand and agree to the immediate and long term ramifications of every clause in the contract.Lack of caution and due diligence in this arena can be your ruin as an author.Signing a publishing contract can and will have long term ramifications not only for the particular work in question but ones whole career as a writer.Buy this book, read it, and keep it handy. Writing is a business and any author who does not

understand the rules of the game - will suffer the adverse effects of playing the publishing game.Publishers are in business to protect themselves, while maximizing their profits - they are not in business to benefit or protect authors.

#### Download to continue reading...

The Rights of Authors, Artists, and other Creative People, Second Edition: A Basic Guide to the Legal Rights of Authors and Artists (ACLU Handbook) The Graphic Designer's Digital Toolkit: A Project-Based Introduction to Adobe Photoshop Creative Cloud, Illustrator Creative Cloud & InDesign Creative Cloud (Stay Current with Adobe Creative Cloud) How To Analyze People: Mastering Analyzing and Reading People: (How To Read People, Analyze People, Psychology, People Skills, Body Language, Social Skills) Creative Child Support Strategies A Fathers Rights Approach: A Fathers Rights Approach (The Pro-Active Fathers Rights Series Book 2) The Legal and Moral Rights of All Artists Dress a Bridal Party Paper Dolls: 4 dolls and 170 outfits by 48 artists of the Original Paper Doll Artists Guild How To Sell Romance Novels On Kindle. Marketing Your Ebook In 's Ecosystem: A Guide For Kindle Publishing Authors. (How To Sell Fiction On Kindle. ... A Guide For Kindle Publishing Authors. 3) UNEXPLAINED DISAPPEARANCES & MISSING PEOPLE.: MISSING PEOPLE CASE FILES; UNEXPLAINED DISAPPEARANCES; MISSING PEOPLE. (UNEXPLAINED DISAPPEARANCES : MISSING PEOPLE Book 2) 100 Most Popular Genre Fiction Authors: Biographical Sketches and Bibliographies (Popular Authors (Hardcover)) Art Lab for Kids: 52 Creative Adventures in Drawing, Painting, Printmaking, Paper, and Mixed Media-For Budding Artists (Lab Series) Attorney Responsibilities and Client Rights: Your Legal Guide to the Attorney-Client Relationship (Attorney Responsibilities & Client Rights) Minecraft: Minecraft Secrets: Minecraft Essential Handbook (Updated Edition) A Minecraft Guide Full of Tips and Tricks! (An Unofficial Minecraft Handbook by the Wimpy Steve series authors) How To Analyze People: Body Language and Human Psychology Guide to Mastering Analyzing (Analyze People, Body Language, Human Psychology, How to Analyze People) Minecraft: Minecraft Building Guide: Ultimate Blueprint Walkthrough Handbook: Creative Guide to Building Houses, Structures, and Constructions with Building ... Minecraft Houses, Minecraft Handbook) The Permission Seeker's Guide Through the Legal Jungle: Clearing Copyrights, Trademarks and Other Rights for Entertainment and Media Productions English Legal System with Legal Method, Skills & Reasoning SAVER: Learning Legal Skills and Reasoning Legal Theory and the Legal Academy: Volume III (The Library of Essays in Contemporary Legal Theory) Legal Thriller: Predatory Kill: A Brent Marks Legal Thriller (Brent Marks Legal Thrillers Book 2) Legal Thriller: The Spy Files, A Courtroom Drama: A Brent Marks Legal Thriller (Brent Marks Lawyer Legal Thrillers Series Books Book 7)

Theory and Practice of Group Psychotherapy, Fifth Edition 5th (fifth) edition (authors) Yalom, Irvin D., Leszcz, Molyn (2005) published by Basic Books [Hardcover]

<u>Dmca</u>