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EDUCATION

Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law; *Juris Doctor* – May 2002

Computer Law Review and Technology Journal: Editor in Chief, Staff Writer

Student Bar Association Tutor to First Year Students

Orientation Leader to First Year Students

Phi Delta Phi Legal Fraternity

Volunteer at Dallas County Public Defender’s Office

Southern Methodist University; *Political Science, B.A.; Public Relations, B.A.* – May 1997

Mustang Link, SMU Office of Admissions: President, Vice President, Regional Chairperson

Washington Semester Program at American University – Spring 1996

SMU Semester Program in Italy – Summer 1996

The Hockaday School; 1993

WORK EXPERIENCE

El Centro Community College: Dallas, Texas (January 2012-Present)

Adjunct government professor in Texas and Federal Government starting in January 2012 Chosen as Government Department Visiting Scholar in September 2013 for two year appointment. Prepare lectures on government material and facilitate classroom discussions. Goals of class include learning the basics of government, public speaking, and improve writing and critical thinking skills of students.

Casey Brown, L.L.C. (July 2006-Present)

Solo Practitioner: practice focusing on civil litigation, civil and criminal trial support, health law, guardian and attorney at litem.

Contract Grant Writer (July 2006-Present)

Research funding sources, draft grant proposals, and presentations on behalf of clients to large donors, corporations, and foundations in order to secure grant funding, develop and carry out fundraising campaigns and projects. Over 15 years of experience in fundraising and grant writing. Client references and writing samples available upon request.

Cozen O’Connor, P.C. (October 2004–July 2006 and January 2008-April 2010)

Litigation Associate and Contract Attorney: manage litigation docket focused on property damage cases in state and federal court involving products liability, DTPA, negligence, breach of contract and breach of warranty. Responsibilities included: second-chair jury trial in April 2006; independently manage docket of approximately 50 cases in investigation and litigation; written discovery; expert and fact witness depositions; mediations; preparation of motions and responses; argue evidentiary and non-evidentiary hearings.

Cowles & Thompson, P.C. (Summer 2001; September 2002–October 2004)

Litigation Associate: managed defense litigation docket for cases in state and federal court focused on healthcare, negligence and torts, premises liability, products liability, and mass torts. Responsibilities included: second-chair jury trial in October 2003; written discovery; fact witness depositions; mediations; preparation of motions and responses; argue evidentiary and non-evidentiary hearings.

SMU Dedman School of Law *Computer Law Review and Technology Journal* (April 2001–May 2002)

Editor-in-Chief: elected by peers; trained, supervised, and managed staff members throughout editing and publication process; secured authorship and contribution of articles and comments from students, attorneys, professors, and judges; sole responsibility for article selection and publication; reported to Computer Section of State Bar of Texas.

Judge Jay Patterson, 101st Judicial District Court, Dallas County (Summer 2000)

Judicial Clerk: observed courtroom proceedings and organized Court mediator database.

Presbyterian Hospital of Dallas (May 1997–June 1999)

Research and Patient Coordinator for Fogelson Neuroscience Center: all aspects of grant writing and fundraising activities to raise money for research projects and free patient programs; conducted medical research projects including recruiting patients, monitoring studies, and writing final papers; co-authored newsletter.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

The Hockaday School Alumnae Board (August 1993–May 2006; Present)

Director at Large; Reunion Chair; Decade of 1990s Chair, Alumnae Board Nominating Committee, Class Agent.

Saint Michael Preschool (January 2011-Present)

Board of Directors; Fundraising Chair.

Dallas Area Parkinsonism Society (September 2002–August 2012)

Board of Directors; Volunteer.

Kappa Kappa Gamma (August 2010-August 2012)

Southern Methodist University House Board.

Slipper Club Women's Fundraising Organization (August 1997-Present)

Charitable Research Chair; Fundraising Chair; President; Past President's Committee.

Junior League of Dallas (July 1997-July 2009)

Member; Volunteer both community and fundraising hours for numerous organizations in City of Dallas.

Southern Methodist University Alumnae Board (July 2000-July 2004)

National Board Member; President Dallas Chapter; Board Member.

MEMBERSHIPS

State Bar of Texas

Dallas Bar Association

Dallas Young Lawyer's Association

Junior Group of the Marianne Scruggs Garden Club

Saint Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church