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## **EDUCATION**

**Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa** Juris Doctor and Certificate of Legislative Practice, *Honors* – May 2005 Master of Public Administration – May 2005

Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa Bachelor of Arts, Cum Laude – May 2002 Majors: Political Science and History (with Secondary Education Licensure)

## LEGAL AND PUBLIC POLICY EXPERIENCE

## Attorney and Partner, August 2007-PRESENT

Hedberg & Boulton, P.C., Des Moines, Iowa

Currently practicing in workers' compensation, personal injury, and labor law. Certified to practice in the state and federal courts of Iowa.

Associate Attorney, September 2005-August 2007 Hedberg, Owens, Hedberg & Walsh, P.C., Des Moines, Iowa Practiced in a number of legal fields, including personal injury, workers' compensation, and labor law.

#### Law Clerk, June 2003-September 2005

## Hedberg, Owens, Hedberg & Walsh, P.C., Des Moines, Iowa

Prepared legal documents, wrote appellate briefs, conducted research on legal issues, interviewed clients, and counseled clients in unemployment proceedings.

#### Legal Journal Note Editor and Staff Member, August 2003-May 2005

**Drake Journal of Agricultural Law, Drake Law School, Des Moines, Iowa** Set the student Note production schedule, supervised junior staff, and selected Notes for publication. Received the Outstanding Note Award from the *Journal* in 2005.

# Government Relations and Research Intern, December 2004-May 2005

#### Iowa Trial Lawyers Association, Des Moines, Iowa

Drafted bills, researched public policy, tracked legislation, and worked with legislators on civil justice issues.

Legislative Intern for Sen. Bob Dvorksy, 2004 Legislative Session

#### Iowa State Capitol, Des Moines, Iowa

Conducted legislative research and acted as general support staff for a State Senator.

Presidential Campaign College Organizer and Field Staff, June 2003-January 2004 Gephardt for President, West Des Moines, Iowa Served as the statewide student organizer and as a county field organizer for a presidential campaign.

## State Senate Campaigns Field Researcher, May 1999-August 1999 Iowa Democratic Party, Des Moines, Iowa

Conducted research for Iowa Senate candidates in preparation for the 2000 elections.

## **PUBLISHED WORKS**

Note, *The Farmer's Retort to Tort Reform: How Legislation to Limit or Eliminate Punitive Damages Hurts the Agricultural Sector*, 9 Drake J. of Agric. L. 415 (2004).

Nathaniel R. Boulton, *Establishing Causation in Iowa Workers' Compensation Law: An Analysis of Common Disputes over the Compensability of Certain Injuries*, 59 Drake L. Rev. 101 (2011).

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Adjunct Professor, 2012, Drake University Law School, Des Moines, Iowa Adjunct faculty teaching Labor Law to second and third-year law students.

#### Adjunct Professor, 2009-PRESENT, Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa

Part-time faculty teaching Business Law I, Business Law II, Business Ethics, Ethics in Sport, and Sport Law.

Adjunct Professor, 2007-2013, William Penn University, Ames, Oskaloosa and West Des Moines, Iowa Instructor for Business Law, Moral Leadership, Conflict Resolution, Contemporary Business Leadership, and Organizational Management. 2011 Faculty Achievement Award. Faculty Advisory Committee Chair (2011-13).

#### Substitute High School/Middle School Teacher, 2003, Wapello High School, Wapello, Iowa

Student Teacher, 2002, Indianola High School, Indianola, Iowa

## **AWARDS, HONORS & ACTIVITIES**

- ABA-BNA Award for Excellence in Labor Law
- Iowa Association for Justice Vice President
- Iowa State Bar Association
- Iowa Workers' Compensation Advisory Committee President
- CALI Award for Excellence in Trial Advocacy

- AFL-CIO Lawyers Coordinating Committee
- Grader for the Iowa Bar Examination
- Blackstone Inn of Court
- Simpson College Recent Alumni Achievement Award
- Simpson College Recent Alumni Loyalty Award
- Iowa Association of Workers' Compensation Lawyers
  John C. Culver Public Policy Center Board of Directors
  - Simpson College Alumni Association Past President