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EXPERIENCE

Bradshaw, Fowler, Proctor & Fairgrave, P.C.

Associate Attorney

Des Moines, IA

July 2014-Present

- Draft pleadings for various types of cases, including but not limited to individual and business Chapter 11 bankruptcies, Chapter 12 bankruptcies, individual and business Chapter 7 bankruptcies, Chapter 13 bankruptcies, foreclosures, collections, estates, and guardian and conservatorships.
- Draft agreements, including but not limited to operating agreements, lease agreements, settlement agreements, and escrow agreements.
- Draft special needs trusts, supplemental trusts, and wills.
- Negotiate with opposing counsel regarding preference actions, dischargeability, plan treatment, and collections.
- Manage and conduct bankruptcies, real estate sales, estates, and guardian and conservatorships.
- Draft discovery requests and answers to discovery.
- Prepare and question witnesses at trial; present oral arguments at trial.
- Analyze the legal aspects of and assist in the coordination of large asset sales and auctions, such as the sale and auction of assets in the Dahl's bankruptcy case.

United States Bankruptcy Court; Southern District of Iowa

Judicial Law Clerk to the Honorable Anita L. Shodeen

Des Moines, IA

Aug. 2013-July 2014

- Researched and wrote legal memoranda regarding bankruptcy issues and proceedings.
- Edited and collaborated with the Judge in writing opinions and orders for the Bankruptcy Court and 8th Circuit Bankruptcy Appellate Panel.
- Contributor, *2013 American College of Bankruptcy, Circuit Review of Consumer Cases*.

West Bank

Law Clerk

West Des Moines, IA

Nov. 2011-May 2013

- Drafted legal memoranda on multiple topics, including power of attorney, lien creditor's priority, credit cards, and real estate issues.
- Drafted letters to outside counsel for legal services, including charged-off loan collections, money judgment actions, and foreclosure referrals; prepared and sent cure notices to defaulting customers.
- Provided legal review and analysis of legislation, rulings, and regulations.

University of Northern Iowa Foundation

Annual Giving Assistant – Reported to Director of Annual Giving

Cedar Falls, IA

Sept. 2007-Dec. 2009

Chair of Student Gift Committee

- Designed and implemented 2008-2010 Student Class Gift marketing campaign.
- Communicated with major donors and alumni through multiple channels.
- Developed events and strategies designed to enhance and expand student giving and philanthropy.

Millennium Gloucester Hotel and Conference Center

Meetings Sales Executive – Reported to Meetings & Events Sales Manager

London, England

June-Aug. 2009

- Responsible for booking large scale corporate events, private receptions and seminars.
- Negotiated with clients concerning pricing, availability, and logistics; maintained and expanded client relationships while issuing event contracts.

Iowa State Fair Blue Ribbon Foundation

Special Events Intern – Reported to Executive Director, John Putney

Des Moines, IA

May-Aug. 2008

- Coordinated and planned events for the Executive Director; collaborated with organizations in the coordination of three major events; communicated with state leaders and influential donors.

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PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE

Admitted to Iowa Bar Sept. 2013
Admitted to U.S. District Courts for the Northern and Southern Districts of Iowa Sept. 2013

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Federal Bar Association, Iowa Chapter, Board of Directors July 2015
American Bankruptcy Institute Aug. 2014
Polk County Women Attorneys Aug. 2014
Iowa State Bar Association Sept. 2010

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

8th Circuit Case Law Update, Iowa Chapter of the Federal Bar Association CLE, October 2014 and October 2015.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Young Professionals Connection – Greater Des Moines Partnership 2016
Member, Professional Development Committee
Lupus Foundation of America – Iowa Chapter 2015
Board Member; Fundraiser; Volunteer
Iowa Central American Relief Effort Wing Eating Contest 2011
Fundraiser
Belize Dance Marathon – James A. Albert Foundation 2010
Fundraiser

EDUCATION

Drake University Law School Des Moines, IA
Juris Doctor, with Honors; Business Law Certificate May 2013
GPA: 3.26/4.00
Class Rank: 44/140 (Top 1/3)
Honors: Dean's List (5 semesters)
Journal: *Note Editor*, Drake Journal of Agricultural Law
Activities: *Secretary*, Moot Court Board; *Administrative Vice President*, Business Law Society; Drake Law Women; Delta Theta Phi; International Law Society; C. Edwin Moore Moot Court Oral Argument Competition
Notable Grades: Administrative Law (A); Business Associations (A-); Consumer Protection (A); Contracts II (A-); Contract Drafting (A-); Legal Research (A-); Federal Income Taxation (A); Wills & Trusts (A-)
Study Abroad: University De Nantes, Nantes, France
University of Northern Iowa Cedar Falls, IA
Bachelor of Arts, magna cum laude: Public Relations; Minor: Marketing Dec. 2009
GPA: 3.90/4.0
Honors: National Society of Collegiate Scholars; Dean's List; Purple and Old Gold Award (highest GPA in graduating Public Relations class)
Activities: *Member*, Connecting Alumni to Students; *Member*, ROTH Student Senate
Study Abroad: Richmond University, London, England

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