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EXPERIENCE\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

University of Wisconsin Law School 10/2013 – Present

*Clinical Instructor at Law & Entrepreneurship Clinic*

Supervise law students providing legal services to nascent entrepreneurs. Teach tax aspects of entity formation and transactions involving business entities and nonprofit organizations.

Reinhart Boerner Van Deuren SC 03/2005 – 01/2006

*Associate in the Tax Group*

Drafted transactional documents. Advised clients on tax planning aspects of deals with a focus on real estate and health care transactions.

Sidley & Austin LLP 09/2001—10/2004

*Associate in the Tax Group*

Worked on tax-aspects of mergers and acquisitions, partnership and joint venture formations, financings, financial instruments, state and local taxation matters, and international transactions. Aided nonprofit entities in obtaining and maintaining tax exempt status.

*Summer Associate* 06/2000--08/2000

Wisconsin Department of Justice 05/1999—09/1999

*Clerk*

Performed legal analysis on various litigation topics and drafted legal memorandum.

EDUCATION\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

J.D., University of Wisconsin Law School Awarded May 2001

* Magna cum laude graduate.
* Recipient of the 2000 Andre M. Saltoun Prize for Academic Achievement.
* Recipient of the State Bar of Wisconsin Award for highest achievement in Property (1999), Contracts (1999) and Securities Regulation (2001).

M.P.A., La Follette Institute of Public Affairs Awarded May 2001

B.A. in Economics, Bradley University Awarded May 1995

* Magna cum laude graduate.
* Recipient of the Linstromberg Award for outstanding economic thesis.
* Four-year basketball scholarship winner.

BAR ADMISSION\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Member, State Bar of Wisconsin 05/2001 - Present