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Education

University of California, Davis, School of Law 2003-2006
Juris Doctor

California State University, Chico 1999-2003
Bachelor of Arts, Communication Studies, *Summa Cum Laude*

Professional Experience

Galloway, Lucchese, Everson & Picchi

Associate Attorney 2006-present
Summer Law Clerk Summer, 2005

Manage all aspects of medical malpractice defense litigation. Counsel healthcare provider clients through the various stages of litigation, provide ongoing candid evaluations of strengths and weaknesses of cases, and obtain favorable client outcomes. Conduct written discovery and depositions of parties, witnesses and physicians, retain and consult with expert witnesses and formulate ongoing analyses of complex medical and legal issues. Prepare and argue complicated motions including pleading, discovery and dispositive motions, motions in limine and various other trial-related motions. Successfully defend appeals from start to finish. Counsel local hospitals on practical legal topics of emerging interest, including consent issues involving incapacitated patients.

Senior Legal Hotline, Mediation Department

Mediation Intern Fall, 2005-Spring, 2006

Mediate disputes for senior citizens seeking informal resolution of conflicts with third parties. Evaluate cases to determine suitability for mediation, identify legal and factual points of negotiation in preparation of mediation, conduct pre-mediation conferences with parties, educate parties on process, and conduct mediations to completion.

U.S. Attorney's Office, Affirmative Civil Defense Unit

Law Clerk Spring, 2005

Assist in defending employment and Religious Freedom Restoration Act cases. Analyze and provide case-specific assessment of complex federal statutory and case law pertaining to employment and constitutional law issues.

Community Service

Through the Looking Glass, Board of Directors 2010-2015
Board Member

Community Legal Information Center, CSU, Chico 2002-2003
Intern

Activities, Honors & Publications

Super Lawyers, Rising Star 2009-2016

University of California, Davis, School of Law

National Moot Court Competition, Team Member 2005-2006
Moot Court Board, Member 2005-2006
Outstanding Appellate Brief Award Recipient 2005
Witkin Award for Legal Writing 2004

California State University, Chico

Dept. of Communication Studies, Outstanding Student Award 2003
Order of Omega, Member and Greek Woman of the Year 2003
A.S. Activity Fee Council, Member and Vice Chair 2000-2003
Alpha Gamma Delta, Member and Executive Counsel Officer 2000-2003

A Paper from Personal Values: The Matrix published in ANTHONY J. GRAYBOSCH ET AL., THE PHILOSOPHY STUDENT WRITER'S MANUAL (2nd ed. 2002).