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BAR STATUS

Admitted to practice: Connecticut

EDUCATION

Roger Williams University School of Law Bristol, RI
Juris Doctor May 2019

Honors: CALI Award; Law Alumni Association Scholarship; Law Jurisprudence Scholarship;
Outstanding Commitment to Pro Bono Legal Service

Certificates: Rule 9 Certified; Mediation Certification; VITA/TCE- Tax Return Certified; LexisNexis
Legal Research Certification, LexisNexis Professional Research Certification

Activities: Member, Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity; Member, Family Law Society; Student
Ambassador; Volunteer, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program

University of Wisconsin- Eau Claire Eau Claire, WI
Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice May 2016

Honors: Excellence in Service to Students Award

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Oakley Law Offices, LLC Middletown, CT
Associate Attorney November 2019-Present

Represent children and adults in child protection matters including pleas, hearings, motions, and case status conferences. Assist with trial preparation. Draft motions and other legal memoranda. Conduct home visits and other client meetings.

Oakley Law Offices, LLC Middletown, CT
Law Clerk September 2019-November 2019

Prepared and filed various documents in child protection and family cases. Attended client meetings and court proceedings. Communicated extensively with clients, DCF staff and providers, and court personnel. Assisted with general office management and organization.

Rhode Island Department of Children, Youth, and Families Providence, RI
Legal Intern May 2017-August 2018

Conducted legal research on family law issues including abuse and neglect. Reviewed and analyzed trial records and transcripts to identify relevant facts for motions. Drafted and revised legal memoranda for supervising attorney. Attended client meetings and hearings with attorneys. Met regularly with supervising attorney to discuss client cases.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Connecticut Bar Association
Child Welfare and Juvenile Law Section member
Estates and Probate Section member

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Big Brothers Big Sisters

Eau Claire, WI

Mentor

October 2013-February 2016

Mentored at-risk youth weekly during activities. Arranged a variety of activities to develop a good rapport and encourage community involvement. Supervised youth while at community and social events to ensure safety.

Restorative Justice

Eau Claire, WI

Mentor

October 2013-January 2015

Met with youth individually to establish rapport and develop critical thinking skills to help reduce their involvement with the juvenile justice system. Maintained confidentiality to maintain trust and follow professional ethical standards.