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Senior Associate Attorney



LICENSES HELD

Licensed Attorney - State of California, 2010 - Present

PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

Certified Legal Specialist, Family Law (CLS-F*), 2019 - Present
State Bar of California Board of Legal Specialization

BAR ADMISSIONS

2010 State Bar of California

HONORS & AWARDS

Wiley W. Manuel Award (for pro bono legal services), State Bar of California, 2014 - 2015

San Diego Daily Transcript Top Young Attorney, 2013

DEGREES, EDUCATION & CONTINUING EDUCATION

- 2009 Juris Doctor
 Empire College, School of Law, Santa Rosa, CA
- 2005 B.S. Biology, Minor in Chemistry
 Sonoma State Univeristy, Rohnert Park, CA

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2019 - Present Senior Associate Attorney
 ABC Family Law & Mediation, San Diego (Bankers Hill), CA
- Certified Family Law Specialist Attorney focused exclusively on Family Law matters, including divorce, legal separation, paternity, child custody and visitation, child support, spousal support, support arrearages, property division, modifications, enforcement of Judgment and Court orders and domestic violence.
- 2014 - 2019 Family Law Attorney
 Yelman & Associates, San Diego, CA
- Attorney focused exclusively on Family Law matters, including divorce, legal separation, paternity, child custody and visitation, child support, spousal support, support arrearages, property division, modifications, enforcement of Judgment and Court orders and domestic violence.
- 2013 - 2014 Pro Bono Attorney
 Legal Aid Society, San Diego, CA
- Counsel in pro per litigants with unlawful detainer, elder abuse, Domestic Violence and Civil Temporary Restraining Order cases via Legal Aid Clinics located the the Superior Court of California, County San Diego – Central & Southern Division
- 2010 - 2013 Contract Attorney
 Special Counsel, San Diego, CA
- Solo associate attorney working with shareholders in a diverse, full service national law firm on matters including civil litigation, high net-worth/complex family law, public agency law, municipal law, maritime law,

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consumer law, Proposition 65 defense, product liability defense, real estate, land use, banking, finance, collections, bankruptcy, and probate.

2005 - 2010

Substitute Teacher

Santa Rosa City Schools, Santa Rosa, CA

Registered Certificated Substitute Teacher with the Sonoma County Office of Education for grades Kindergarten through 12th Grade.

2007 - 2009

Law Clerk

Family Law Center, Windsor, CA

Performed legal research, drafted pleadings, performed intake of potential clients and maintained the office including filing and calendaring for a reputable Family Law firm in Sonoma County, California.

PRO BONO AND PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Alternative Dispute Resolution Panel, San Diego Family Law Bar Association, 2023 - Present

Family Law Settlement Attorney, County of San Diego Superior Court, 2022 - Present

San Diego Family Law Bar Association, Member, 2010 - Present

San Diego County Bar Association, Member, 2010 - Present