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Education:

The Catholic University, Columbus School of Law, Washington, DC

J.D. May 1998

Activities\Leadership: Extra Mile Award for Service to the School; ABA Representative, 1997-1998, Chapter Chartered School; Student Bar Association, 1997-1998; Deputy Vice Chancellor- (International, Environmental); Moot Court Associate

Associations: Member of the Institute for Communications Studies; Giles Sutherland Rich American Inns Of Court Member (1997-1999) (personal interest copyright/trademark); Phi Alpha Delta Member (International Legal Fraternity)

The American University, Washington, DC

M.A. August 1999

School of Performing Arts, *Arts Management*

Leadership: Graduate Student Council Secretary, 1993-1995

Papers Presented or Published:

"**Censorship: A Case Studied Through Past, Present, and Future,**" presented at College of Arts & Sciences Research Conference.

"**NEA v. Finley: Art Funding and The First Amendment A Case Study,**" Masters thesis.

Western Maryland College, Westminster, MD

B.A. May 1992

Double Major-*Theater Arts & Business-Economics*

Achievements: *Magna Cum Laude; Phi Beta Kappa; Omnicron Delta Epsilon (International Economics Honors Society);* Departmental Honors in Theater; *Trustee (Full Tuition) Scholarship; Maryland Distinguished Scholar*

Leadership: Office Manager, Institute for Educational Media (Film/Video/Graphics)

Associations: Alpha Psi Omega-Xi Epsilon Alumni Association (Drama Fraternity).

Bar Admissions: California State Bar (2000)

Legal Experience:

Contract Legal Agencies, Washington, DC, *Contractor*, Oct. 1999 to Nov. 1999

Conducted pre-discovery support.

DC Bar CLE, Washington, DC, *Part Time CLE Clerk*, Sept. 1998 to Aug. 1999

Assisted in administrative and programming functions for the Continuing Legal Education Program.

Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Walker, Washington, DC, *Part Time Law Clerk*, Sept. 1998 to May 1999

Provided research and writing for law firm specializing in Native American Indian Law.

Columbus School of Law, Washington, DC, *Research Assistant, Prof. Destro, Feb.* 1998 to May 1998

Provided research assistance and liaison services for the Law & Religion Program. Worked with Prof. Destro, members of the United States Department of State's Advisory Committee on Religious Freedom Abroad, and scholars representing the six member schools of the Inter-University Research Consortium supporting the work of the Advisory Committee.

Kennedy Center, Washington, DC, *Intern*, Sept. 1997 to Nov. 1997

Read and compiled summaries of legal archive cases on the Kennedy Center and related agencies.

Irwin, Campbell & Tannenwald, Washington, DC, *Legal Clerk*, May 1997 to Aug. 1997

Performed legal research and writing for small communications law firm.

Court TV, Washington, DC, *Intern*, Sept. 1996 to May 1997

Performed legal research for *Supreme Court Watch* and *Washington Watch*, weekly half-hour news programs, hosted by Fred Graham.

Liotta, Dranitzke & Engel, Washington, DC, *Legal Secretary/Receptionist*, May 1995 to May 1996

Performed legal secretarial and receptionist functions for small family law/ real estate firm.

Washington Area Lawyers for the Arts, Washington, DC, *Intern*, Jan. 1995 to May 1995

Coordinated educational speaker series on legal issues for artists.

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Art/Entertainment/Marketing Experience:

Access News Net, Washington, DC, *Producer/Booker*, Jan. 2000 to December 2000

Participated and assisted in all aspects of production and promotion for news media company clients. Helped with updating Internet material for company website using Front Page and HTML.

Optima Direct, Washington, DC, *Program assistant*, May 1994 to May 1995

Telemarketing firm. Verified all information on legislative targets for political programs. Prepared weekly monitor schedule for 10 program managers. Prepared reports of telephone survey responses in Macintosh Excel. Monitored vendors to ensure quality control.

American University, Washington, DC, *Casting Director Intern*, Jan. 1994 to May 1994

Performed functions of contact coordinator for talent at American University for off-campus positions. Informed students of potential positions. Reviewed headshots and resumes for professional quality

Anchor Network, Washington, DC

Market Researcher, July 1993 to August 1994

Conducted market research interviews on commercials for motion pictures. Supervised small projects for commercial search

Electronic Industry Association, Washington, DC, *Administrative Assistant*, Oct. 1992 to Aug. 1993

Scheduled interviews for survey research by phone with company officials, ambassadors, and political figures (300 calls)

Round House, Silver Spring, MD

Arts Management Intern, Feb. 1992 to May 1992

Assisted with Box Office Operations, marketing, grant research.

Computer Skills:

West, Lexis-Nexis, Internet Research. Basic HTML. Page maker. PC, Macintosh. Windows 95/98. Computer friendly.

Interests:

Horseback riding. Books. Working Out. Theater. Community Service.