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Curriculum Vitae

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Children: Benjamin, Samuel and Megan

Education History:

University of Missouri at Columbia
Bachelor Science, Public Administration 1977

University of Missouri at Columbia
Juris Doctor, 1981

Bar Admissions:

Missouri bar and the U.S. District Court, Western District of Missouri, 1981; Texas, 1986; United States Court of Appeals, 8th Circuit, 1987; Kansas, 1994; United States Court of Appeals, Tenth Circuit, 1994; U.S. District Court, District of Kansas, 1996; U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Missouri, 1998; Northern U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas, 2006; U.S. District Court, Western District of Oklahoma, 2010; United States Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit, 2014; United States Court of Appeals, 11th Circuit, 2014; United States Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit, 2016.

Professional History:

1981 - 1985 Attorney, Morris, Larson, King, Stamper & Bold, (KCMO)
1985 - 1986 Attorney, Stradley, Schmidt, Stevens & Wright (Dallas, Texas)
1986 - 1995 Attorney, Myerson, Monsees & Morrow, P.C. (KCMO)
1995 - present Attorney, Monsees & Mayer, P.C. (KCMO)

Corporate Title: Attorney/Shareholder/Director

Job Description: Civil Litigation Attorney

Areas of Practice:

General civil litigation, product liability, medical malpractice, personal injury, professional negligence.

Member of the following bar associations:

The Missouri Bar; Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association; Tort Law Committee, (Chairman, 1999); Lawyers Association of Kansas City; Kansas Bar Association, State Bar of Texas; Missouri Association Trial Attorneys, Kansas Trial Lawyers Association, Eagle; American Association for Justice, Sustaining Member; Volunteer Attorney Project (Chairman, 2003); American Trial Lawyers Association, American Board of Trial Advocacy (ABOTA); Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Foundation (President, 2012).

Member of other organizations and honors:

Martindale Hubbell rated A/V, 1995-present
American Trial Lawyers Association, Top 100 Trial Lawyers
Missouri/Kansas Super Lawyers, 2006-present
American Institute of Personal Injury Attorneys, 10 Best Attorneys in Client Satisfaction
Kansas City "Best of the Bar"
Best Lawyers in America, Medical Malpractice, 2007-present
Million Dollar Advocate's Forum, 2000-present
Who's Who in American Law
National Registry of Who's Who, 1999
Order of the Coif
Order of the Barristers
National Finalist, Association of Trial Lawyers of America Student Trial Competition, 1981.
Jefferson Club, University of Missouri at Columbia
Kansas City 3&2 Baseball, Board of Directors (1999-2001)
PADI Advanced Open Water Scuba Certification
NAUI Nitrox Certification
SSI Stress and Rescue Scuba Diving Certification
SSI Dive Control Specialist
SSI Dive Master

Publications and Presentations:

The Intentional Acts Exclusion, Missouri Bar CLE, "1993 - The Year in Review."
Federal Practice: Rule 26(a) in the Real World. An Outline for Maximizing its
Virtues and Minimizing the Pitfalls, KCMBA Federal Court CLE, 1995.
Laying the Foundation - Update on Demonstrative Evidence Case Law, Missouri
Association of Trial Attorneys CLE, "Maximizing Damages in Personal Injury
Cases," 1995.
Missouri Tort Law Update, UMKC CLE, "15-Hour Review of the Law," 1996.
Accident Reconstruction, KCMBA CLE, "Personal Injury Cases: A Practical Approach," 1997.
Discovery of the Plaintiff's Medical and Employment History, University of Missouri - Columbia CLE, "Hot Topics in
Personal Injury Litigation," 1997.
1997 Torts and Civil Actions Update, Missouri Bar CLE, "Annual Law Update," 1997.
Missouri Tort Law Update, UMKC CLE, "15-Hour Review of the Law," 1997.
1998 Torts and Civil Actions Update, Missouri Bar CLE, "Annual Law Update," 1998.
Missouri Tort Law Update, UMKC CLE, "15-Hour Review of the Law," 1998
Defending Your Client, the Independent Witness and Your Expert Witness, UMKC CLE, "Taking and Defending
Depositions," 1998.
Trial Strategy – The Beginning of the End, National Business Institute CLE, "Bad Faith Litigation in Missouri," 1998.

Gun Storage Liability in the Wake of Long v. Turk, Kansas Trial Lawyers Association Journal, September, 1999.
Trial Tips – Find the Dastardly Deed, The Missouri Trial Attorney, Winter, 1999.
Ethical Considerations & Settlement, National Business Institute CLE, “Uninsured and Underinsured Motorist Law in Missouri,” June, 2000.
Trial of the Wrongful Death Case, Lorman Education Services CLE, “Successful Handling of Wrongful Death Cases in Missouri, 2001.
Use of Paralegals at Trial, Practical and Ethical Considerations, Missouri Bar Association Solo and Small Firm Conference, 2003.
Uninsured and Underinsured Motorist Coverage in Missouri, National Business Institute, June 2005.
Navigating the Troubled Waters of Tort Reform, Missouri Bar Association Solo and Small Firm Conference, June 2005.
Trial Lawyer’s Successful Trial Tips: What They Learned, Missouri Bar Association, October 2005.
Uninsured and Underinsured Motorist Coverage in Kansas, National Business Institute, November 2005.
Evidence Deskbook – Expert Testimony, Missouri Bar Association CLE Publications, 2006.
Demystifying Third-Party Liens in Personal Injury Cases, Missouri Bar Association Solo and Small Firm Conference, June 2007.
Evidentiary Essentials for Small Firms, Missouri Bar Association Solo and Small Firm Conference, June 2008.
Cross Examination of Expert Witnesses, Missouri Bar Association Solo and Small Firm Conference, June 2008.
The Art of Persuasion, Missouri Bar Association Solo and Small Firm Conference, June 2009.
10 Commandments of Legal Malpractice Claims and Avoidance, Missouri Legal Aid-Volunteer Attorney Project, August 2010.
How to be Successful in Mediation, Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association 38th Annual Bench-Bar & Boardroom Conference, May 2011.
When the Insurance Company Says “No”: First Party and Third Party Remedies, Missouri Bar Association Solo and Small Firm Conference, June 2011.
How to Avoid a Legal Malpractice Suit and Defend Yourself if it Happens, Missouri Bar Association Solo and Small Firm Conference, June 2011.
Opening Statements, UMKC CLE, May, 2013
Opening Statements, Missouri Bar Association Solo and Small Firm Conference, June 2014
Sources of Proof Deskbook – Exhibits and Demonstrative Evidence, Missouri Bar Association CLE Publications, 2014.
“I just Got Sued For Malpractice, Now What?”, Missouri Bar Association Solo & Small Firm Conference, June 2016
Appellate Tips: The View from the Podium, Missouri Bar Association Solo & Small Firm Conference, June 2016

Hobbies/Special Interests/Activities:

Scuba diving, Snow skiing, golf, youth athletics, travel