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Professional Experience

Fowler Hirtzel McNulty & Spaulding, LLP

May 2016 – Present

Associate – Philadelphia, PA

- Collaborate with colleagues, insurance adjustors, and clients to litigate and defend casualty claims in the areas of commercial construction, product liability, trucking and motor vehicle accidents, and premises liability
- Implement litigation plans, analyze evolving case issues, apply legal research skills, and advise clients based on interpretation of state law and case law to efficiently reach favorable results
- Obtained summary judgments and pre-trial dismissals of clients through successful written motion practice
- Contributed to a trial team that obtained a defense verdict following a \$18.5M pre-trial demand: drafted pre-trial motions, assisted at trial, and drafted post-verdict responses
- Took plaintiffs' depositions and defended depositions of insured defendants and corporate designees on 10+ occasions
- Successfully argued and defended 12+ Motions to Compel before the Courts of Common Pleas

Marshall Dennehey Warner Coleman & Goggin, P.C.

January 2016 – May 2018

Associate, Professional Liability Practice Group – Philadelphia, PA

- Managed high-volume caseload from complaint through disposition: defended first party property claims and insurance fraud cases, successfully led fire investigations, and drafted post-investigation analysis
- Participated in arbitrations, took plaintiffs' depositions, and wrote pre-litigation coverage analysis to instruct clients
- Created concise, accurate summaries from complex information and advised clients to ensure compliance with consumer finance laws and to reduce exposure and future litigation
- Negotiated settlements with adverse parties on behalf of corporate clients and successfully defended class action matters in federal court, ultimately avoiding trial, reducing financial exposure, and limiting potential sanctions
- Obtained the dismissal of claims against a client in an FDCPA case through Motion for Summary Judgment

Pinnacle Connections, LLC

October 2015 – January 2016

Financial Crimes and Anti-Money Laundering Analyst – Wilmington, DE

- Oversaw anti-money laundering and anti-fraud compliance for HSBC Bank: investigated various financial and investment transactions to detect and prevent potential money laundering activities pursuant to federal laws, including the Bank Secrecy Act and Office of Foreign Assets Control regulations
- Led a team of 5 investigators to conduct a successful investigation of sudden and widespread purchases of residential real estate in prominent domestic markets by foreign-based entities

Syracuse University Low Income Taxpayer Clinic

August 2014 – May 2015

Student Attorney – Syracuse, NY

- Defended clients in proceedings before the Internal Revenue Service and the United States Tax Court, strengthening oral and written communication skills and advocacy background
- Negotiated on behalf of clients in collection, examination, and appeals matters, ensuring all clients understood complex legal issues and felt comfortable with the legal process

U.S. District Court, Western District of New York

May 2013 – August 2013

Summer Clerk for the Honorable John T. Curtin – Buffalo, NY

- Drafted preliminary opinions for the District Court, analyzed dispositive and discovery motions, and presented issues and recommendations, resulting in extensive knowledge of the Federal Court system

Law Admissions

- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania 2016
- Commonwealth of Pennsylvania – Attorney ID: 321698 2015

Education

Syracuse University College of Law – Syracuse, NY

Juris Doctor (JD)

2015

The Catholic University of America – Washington, D.C.

Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Psychology

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