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EDUCATION

Georgetown University Law Center

LL.M. in Taxation

First-Line Editor, The Tax Lawyer, 2007 – 2008

Washington, D.C.

May 2008

Southwestern University School of Law

Juris Doctor

CALI Award for highest grade in Taxation Transactions, Spring 2007

Staff Member, Southwestern University Law Review, 2006 – 2007

President and Founder, Christian Legal Society, 2006 – 2007

Member, Tax Law Society, 2006 – 2007

Visiting Student, Loyola Law School, Federal Income Taxation, January – May 2007

Los Angeles, California

May 2007

College of the Canyons

Associate of Sciences, Business with emphasis in Accounting

Santa Clarita, California

May 2005

The Master's College

Bachelor of Arts

Dean's List

Santa Clarita, California

May 1999

EXPERIENCE

Ernst & Young, LLP

Senior

Structuring complex acquisitions and divestitures to achieve the most tax favorable outcome for the client; advising on the best form of legal entity and tax structure; advising on all tax aspects of stock and asset transactions, mergers, and entity conversions; planning for business wind-downs and liquidations, allocating purchase price, analyzing availability of 338 elections, tax attributes, and deductibility of interest expenses; researching, analyzing, interpreting, and applying Internal Revenue Code, court decisions, Treasury Regulations, Revenue Rulings, and other legal authorities in the context of drafting research memoranda in response to client questions; completing multiple tasks in a timely, high quality, and appropriate manner; preparing and conducting training presentations on technical tax issues; working effectively in a collegial environment on a number of high-profile projects involving multi-national clients; analyzing discrete issues, applying the law to the client's facts, and incorporating analysis into the larger product which demonstrates an ability to work independently, while communicating effectively with colleagues and supervisors, as well as an ability to make legal decisions based on solid legal judgment

New York, New York

September 2008 – June 2010

United States Court of Federal Claims

Legal Extern to the Honorable Lawrence J. Block

Assisting judge with cases involving claims for refund; examining the legitimacy of business enterprises in tax shelter cases; participating in the preparation of a judicial opinion involving partnership taxation, tax shelters, tax refund litigation, and the timeliness of adjustments and assessments; analyzing issues pertaining to the Taxpayer Relief Act

Washington, D.C.

September 2007 – January 2008

United States Bankruptcy Court

Full-Time Legal Extern to the Honorable Samuel L. Bufford

Preparing judge's daily law and motion calendar; analyzing motions and other pleadings; performing legal research; and drafting bench memoranda and recommended rulings for cases involving bankruptcy under chapters 7, 11, and 13 of Title 11 of the United States Code; editing court orders, opinions, and articles for publication; observing courtroom proceedings

Los Angeles, California

March – May 2007

Mercury Insurance Group

Casualty Adjuster

Investigating automobile accidents; evaluating, negotiating, and settling bodily injury, automobile damage, and property damage liability claims; participating in insurance coverage dispute resolution; assisting with mediations; engaging in loss recovery through the process of subrogation

Valencia, California

June 2003 – June 2005

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

IRS Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program (VITA)

IRS Certified Volunteer

Participating in an IRS-established program to provide free tax help to low-income individuals and families who are unable to prepare their own tax returns

Los Angeles, California

February – April 2007

ADMISSIONS

District of Columbia Bar #976671