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ATTORNEY AT LAW

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GENERAL SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS

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| • 8 Yrs. Legal Experience | • Torts | • Insurance/DTPA | • Pleadings |
| • 10 Yrs. Scientific Research | • Technical Writing | • Team Management | • Discovery |
| • Briefing | • Motion Practice | • Writs of Mandamus | • Depositions |
| • Legal Research | • Appeals | • Trial Preparation | • Hearings |

LICENSES

- Licensed to practice law in the state of Texas, State Bar No. 24085383.
- Licensed to practice law in the United States District Court in the Northern, Southern, Eastern and Western Districts of Texas.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Simon, Greenstone, Panatier, PC, Dallas, Texas

Associate Attorney, Law and Motions, January 2017 – Present

- Collaborate with case managers and trial attorneys on legal issues and briefing needs in their cases;
- Conduct extensive legal and factual research in all 50 states;
- Brief complex legal issues in the areas of asbestos litigation, talc litigation, products liability, personal and catastrophic injury, pharmaceutical and toxic torts;
- Briefing includes responses to motions for summary judgment, responses to motions to dismiss, *Daubert/Frye* motions and responses, motions *in limine*, jurisdictional issues, trial briefs as well as draft jury charges and instructions, post-trial motions and appeals;
- Navigate issues arising from corporate law, employment matters, estate planning, real estate, oil and gas, probate, family law and business-related matters.

Keith Law Firm, PC, Forth Worth, Texas

Associate Attorney, 2016 – 2017

- Worked as part of a team of three attorneys representing plaintiffs in medical, legal and professional malpractice litigation and personal injury claims;
- Responsibilities included intake, filing suit, conducting discovery, motion practice, legal research, hearings, pre-trial matters and appellate work;
- Prepared Chapter 74 pre-suit notice letters, assisted with retaining experts and worked with experts to obtain adequate Chapter 74 expert reports;
- Managed staff to ensure deadlines were met.

Speights & Worrich Trial Attorneys, Dallas, Texas

Associate Attorney, 2013 – 2016

- Extensive representation of policyholders in first-party insurance cases resulting from unpaid/underpaid property damage claims, pleading various causes of action including contractual disputes, bad faith and extra-contractual claims under relevant provisions of the Texas Insurance Code and Texas Deceptive Trade Practices Act;
- Engaged in all aspects of civil litigation: pre-suit, pre-trial, trial and appellate matters;
- Frequently researched and briefed complex legal issues, including drafting motions and responses for consideration by the Multidistrict Litigation Panel of Texas.



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Bexar County Civil District Courts, Staff Attorney's Office, San Antonio, Texas
Law Clerk, 2012 – 2013

- Provided legal assistance to Bexar County's 14 Civil District Court Judges and the Presiding Court;
- Evaluated TRCP 736 foreclosures, default judgments, and other orders submitted for signature by the Presiding Judge;
- Composed judges' correspondence;
- Conducted legal research and engaged in special projects for the judges;
- Interacted heavily and patiently with pro se litigants as well as attorneys on judges' behalf;
- Attended hearings to assist the judges as needed;
- Proved up pro se divorces, annulments and name changes as well as managed the uncontested docket.

The University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, Texas

Lab Manager, Department of Biology, 2007 – 2011

Research Scientist Associate III, 2005 – 2011

Research Scientist Associate I, 2003 – 2005

- Engaged in highly technical research projects in the area of stem cell biology;
- Interacted with collaborators from other institutions in furtherance of research goals;
- Authored and co-authored journal articles for publication;
- Oversaw daily laboratory operations and personnel;
- Mentored and aided graduate students toward completion of research projects;
- Purchased all laboratory equipment and supplies;
- Managed and reconciled all federally and privately funded accounts;
- Maintained inventories, databases and designed lab website

EDUCATION

St. Mary's University School of Law, San Antonio, Texas

Juris Doctor, 2012

HONORS & AWARDS

- Pro Bono Service Certificate - Center for Legal and Social Justice, Civil Justice Clinic, Student Attorney 2011 – 2012
 - Issued third-year bar card;
 - Managed a diverse caseload encompassing various areas of civil law including: family law, consumer protection and DTPA, property law, SSI/SSA and tax law;
 - Provided legal representation to low-income clients including conducting legal research, drafting legal documents, negotiating with opposing counsel and administrative agencies, and attending court;
 - Participated in border outreach and income tax clinics.
- Dean's List
- Student Health Law Award Recipient, 2011 – American Society of Law, Medicine and Ethics, for independent study entitled "Are all Stem Cells Created Equal? Racial Disparities in Health Care and Potential Implications for Future Therapies."
- *Phi Delta Phi* International Legal Fraternity – Tarlton Inn
- First Year Moot Court Competition, Double Octa-finalist



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The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, Texas
Master of Science, Cellular and Structural Biology, 2005

- Thesis: *Meiotic Sex Chromosome Inactivation in the South American Marsupial Monodelphis domestica.*

Texas State University – San Marcos, San Marcos, Texas
Bachelor of Science, Biology, *Cum Laude*, 2002

- Dean's List
- The University Scholars Award, 1998 – 2002
- *Phi Eta Sigma* Freshman Honor Society, 1998 – 1999

PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS

- Christopher Navara et al., *Derivation of Induced Pluripotent Stem Cells from the Baboon: A Nonhuman Primate Model for Preclinical Testing of Stem Cell Therapies*, Cellular Reprogramming 15(6): 495-502 (2013).
- Jacey L. Hornecker et al., *Meiotic Sex Chromosome Inactivation in the Marsupial Monodelphis domestica*, Genesis (cover) 45: 696-708 (2007).
- Hirotaka Yoshioka et al., *In Vivo Analysis of Developmentally and Evolutionarily Dynamic Protein-DNA Interactions Regulating Transcription of the Pgk2 Gene During Mammalian Spermatogenesis*, Molecular and Cellular Biology 27: 7871-7885 (2007).
- Ronald B. Walter et al., *A Microsatellite Genetic Linkage Map for Xiphophorus*, Genetics 168: 363-372 (2004).

MEMBERSHIPS

- Dallas Trial Lawyers Association
- The American Association for Justice
- Dallas Women Lawyers Association
- Dallas Bar Association

PRESENTATIONS

- Panel speaker at Women of P.A.L.S. CLE, Topic: Expert Depositions and Motions, Las Vegas, NV, 2019.