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LEGAL EXPERIENCE

- Walters Gilbreath, PLLC (Family Law and Personal Injury Firm)** Dallas, Texas
Partner, January 2023 – Present
Board Certified Senior Associate, January 2021 – January 2023
- O’Neil Wysocki, P.C. (Family Law Firm)** Dallas, Texas
Associate, February 2016 – January 2021
- Holmes, Diggs & Eames, PLLC (Family Law Boutique Firm)** Dallas, Texas
Litigation Associate, November 2014– February 2016
Law Clerk, May 2013 – November 2014
- Law Offices of Craig Bernstein (Civil Litigation Boutique Firm)** Dallas, Texas
Law Clerk, February – April 2013
- Collin County Criminal District Attorney’s Office** McKinney, Texas
Misdemeanor Trial Intern, July – August 2012

CERTIFICATIONS

- Certification in Advanced Family Mediation, 2023
- Board Certified in Family Law, *Texas Board of Legal Specialization*, 2020
- Certification in ABA Trial Advocacy, *National Institute of Trial Advocacy*, 2017

ACCOLADES

- *Best Lawyers in America*, Family Law, 2023-2024
- Up-and-Coming 100 List, *Thomson Reuters SuperLawyers*, 2022-2024
- Rising Star, *Thomson Reuters SuperLawyers*, 2018-2024
- *Best Lawyers in America*, One to Watch, 2021-2022
- AVVO Clients’ Choice Award, 2016

EDUCATION

- SMU Dedman School of Law** Dallas, Texas
Juris Doctor, May 2014
- Honors
 - National Order of Barristers, 2014
 - Advocacy
 - 2013 & 2014 National Trial Competition, *Off-Campus Prestige Team Competitor* (Spring 2013 & 2014)
 - SMU Voir Dire Competition, *Runner-Up* (Spring 2014)
 - Peter James Johnson National Civil Rights Trial Competition, *Quarter-Finalist* (Fall 2013)
 - Jackson-Walker Moot Court Board, *Chief Justice Class Instructor* (Spring 2013 & 2014)
 - SMU 2L Moot Court Competition, *Champion* (Fall 2012)
 - Jackson-Walker Moot Court Competition, *Best Advocate in Round* (Spring 2012)
 - Board of Advocates, *Master Level* (satisfied 40 competition points and 30 service points)
 - Received six law credits at Universidad del Salvador, Buenos Aires, Argentina, May 2012 – June 2012
- The University of Texas at Austin** Austin, Texas
Bachelor of Journalism, Print Concentration, December 2005

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- Admitted to the State Bar of Texas, *November 2014*
- Annette Stewart American Inn of Court, *Member*
- Texas Bar College, *Member*
- Dallas Bar Association, *Family Law Section and Trial Skills Section Member*
- Collin County Bar Association, *Member*
- Dallas Association of Young Lawyers, *2017 Leadership Class Member*
- State Bar of Texas, *Family Law and Computer and Technology Sections Member*

PUBLICATIONS AND SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Author, *Worlds Colliding: When Family Law Issues Arise in Immigration Law*, Immigration and Nationality Law Section, Immigration Bulletin, Summer 2021
- Speaker, "Strategies for Dads in Custody Cases in Texas" Webinar, June 2019
- Speaker, "Divorcing the Entrepreneur or Small Business Owner" Webinar, May 2019
- Speaker, "Strategies for Time Limited Hearings," Lawyer Forward Conference, January 2016
- Panelist, *Young Attorney Panel*, Dallas Association of Young Lawyers, July 2016
- Author, *Back to the Future: Will Texas Courts Apply Obergefell Retroactively?*, DBA Headnotes, October 2015

NOTABLE CASES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Obtained successful verdicts as first chair in five separate jury trials
- Tried approximately twenty bench trials as first chair and multiple others as second chair
- Negotiated and prepared premarital agreements, partition and exchange agreements, employment contracts, shareholder agreements, and buy-sell agreements
- Argued and appeared a significant number of temporary orders hearings and contempt proceedings
- Drafted pleadings, discovery responses, and pretrial motions, including original petitions, motions for summary judgment, responses to motions for summary judgment, motions to compel, and motions for enforcement
- Conducted and defended depositions
- Managed average case load of approximately 40 to 50 cases from pre-litigation to post-litigation
- Attended mediation and negotiated settlements on behalf of numerous family law and civil litigation clients for amounts exceeding \$10 million
- Prepared and filed judgments and motions in District, County and Justice of the Peace courts