

ROBERT SMITH

Senior Attorney III

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Highly qualified Senior Attorney with experience in the industry. Enjoy creative problem solving and getting exposure on multiple projects, and would excel in the collaborative environment.

SEPTEMBER 2004 - 2020

SENIOR ATTORNEY III - LAF

- Represented veterans in benefits appeals before the Veterans Administration.
- Represented a client before the Illinois Appellate Court, First District.
- First- chaired three forcible entry and detainer jury trials and numerous forcible entry and detainer bench trials.
- First-chaired two bench trials in suits to quiet title.
- A second-chaired one bench trial in a suit to quiet title.
- Represented employees in evidentiary hearings before the Illinois Department of Employment Security.
- Represented clients in evidentiary hearings before the Housing Authority and Housing Authority of Cook County.

2003 - 2004

SENIOR ATTORNEY - ABC CORPORATION

- as well as related Bankruptcy and Code Enforcement matters.
- Successfully prosecuted appeals, including preparation of Appellants briefs and filing of related Motions in Fourth District Court of Appeals for the State of Florida.
- Prevailed as Appellee, based upon responsive Brief, affirming entry of Summary Judgment of Foreclosure.
- Assisted Senior Title Attorney in curative procedures, including but not limited to preparation of corrective instruments and title claims.
- Lead Customer Service for lender clients.
- Provided status reports and responded to both telephonic and written queries.
- Obtained reversal or reduction in interest curtailment for lenders from HUD, VA and Private Mortgage insurers..

EDUCATION

J.D. in Criminal Law - (DePaul University College of Law - Chicago, IL)

SKILLS

Microsoft Office, Management.