**ADMITTED TO PRACTICE LAW**

* Licensed to practice law in Oregon and Missouri.

**EDUCATION**

**Saint Louis University School of Law,** St. Louis, MO

* J.D., May 2008; GPA: 3.27, Class Rank: Top 16%; Concentration in Criminal Litigation.

*Honors/Activities*:

* Dean’s Select Scholar (3 year, 2/3 tuition paid scholarship).
* Supervising Notes and Comments Editor and Executive Board Member for the St. Louis University Public Law Review.
* Academic Excellence Award, Received Top Grade in Juvenile Law.

**Gonzaga University,** Spokane, WA

B.A., *magna cum laude*, English and Italian Studies, May 2005; GPA: 3.73, no rank

*Honors*: Essay entitled “My Family’s Kitchen” won student essay contest and published in Gonzaga’s Guide to First-Year Writing; Mock Trial; AmeriCorps Students in Service Volunteer.

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**St. Louis Circuit Attorney’s Office,** St. Louis, MO March 2011-February 2013

Assistant Circuit Attorney

* + Handled all misdemeanor domestic violence cases in the City of St. Louis.
  + Tried jury trials.
  + Obtained a guilty jury verdict in a complex, multi-count cyber stalking case.
  + Tried numerous bench trials.
  + Briefed and argued the constitutionality of the harassment statute before the Missouri Supreme Court in State v. David Hudson.
  + Wrote appellate briefs following jury trials in State v. Nicholas Jones and State v. Maurice Williams. Both cases upheld on appeal.
  + Presented felony cases to the grand jury.
  + Convicted a defendant at jury trial in 12 minutes for unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia-heroin.
  + Made felony and misdemeanor charging decisions, including class A and B felonies.
  + Conducted depositions.
  + Handled the Driving While Intoxicated Petition for Review Docket.
  + Conducted legal research. Wrote legal briefs and motions.

**Vancouver City Attorney**, Vancouver, WA August 2010-December 2010

*Volunteer* *Attorney*

* + Conducted legal research and wrote motions and briefs.
  + Drafted summaries of recent case law for local police department guidance.

**Ledbetter Law Firm,** St. Louis, MO

*Associate Attorney* November 2008-May 2009

* + Practiced consumer bankruptcy law.

**St. Louis Circuit Attorney,** St. Louis, MO

*Intern* May 2006-May 2008

**Spokane County Public Defender’s Office**, Spokane, WA

*Intern* February 2003-May 2003