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EDUCATION

Baylor University School of Law, Waco, Texas (February 2019)

Juris Doctor, *magna cum laude*

- Highest Ranking Student in Graduating Class | Dean's List
- Baylor Law Review: Executive Editor
- Baylor Barrister Society
- Touro Law Center's National Moot Court Competition in Law & Religion: 2nd Best Speaker
- E. Earle Zehmer National Moot Court Competition
- Baylor University Police Department Community Meritorious Service Award

University of South Dakota, Vermillion, South Dakota (2010)

Bachelor of Art in History

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Sanderford & Carroll, P.C. – Senior Associate Attorney (March 2019-Present)

- Assist subcontractors, general contractors, and developers/owners in commercial disputes related to both public and private projects, including disputes involving payment and performance issues, extra work claims, delays and labor inefficiencies, terminations, Prompt Pay Act claims, Texas Trust Fund claims, federal and state procurement claims, federal Miller Act claims, bond and lien claims, change order disputes, and other issues.
- Experience with litigation in state and federal court, State Office of Administrative hearings, and arbitration.

MILITARY EXPERIENCE

US Army, Explosive Ordnance Disposal Officer (November 2010-July 2016)

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE

State Bar of Texas (2019)

United States District Court for the Western District of Texas (2020)

United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas (2020)

United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas (2020)

AFFILIATIONS

State Bar of Texas – Construction Law Section

Bell County Bar Association

PUBLICATIONS

Impact of the Failure to Mitigate on the Enforceability of Liquidated Damage Provisions, The Construction Law Journal, Vol.1 7, No. 2, 2021

The Miller Act: 85 Years of Federal Payment Bond Claims, 33rd Annual Construction Law Conference, 2020

PRESENTATIONS

The Basic Course in Texas Construction Law: Project Documentation, The Construction Law Foundation of Texas, 2021