

EMPLOYMENT

August 1992 - Present

Associate. Personally responsible for the defense of over one hundred personal injury lawsuits from initial case analysis through trial. Caseload consists of premises liability matters, products liability claims, title 59 cases, auto negligence suits and third party contractual indemnification issues. Caseload includes approximately ten high cost files involving potential exposure in excess of two-hundred fifty thousand dollars.

October 1991 - August 1992

Associate. Personally responsible for the defense of over one hundred personal injury cases, including several PIP suits, uninsured motorist arbitrations, property damage subrogation claims and insurance coverage disputes. Drafted and filed pleadings, drafted and served interrogatories, scheduled and conducted depositions of parties and witnesses, prepared and argued motions, attended and participated in personal injury arbitrations, settlement conferences, friendly hearings and answered the trial call.

September 1990 - September 1991

Associate. Handled plaintiff's personal injury cases, cases representing defendants in various contractual disputes and cases involving clients charged with minor criminal offenses in Municipal Court. Conducted initial client interviews, researched and investigated client claims and allegations, drafted and filed pleadings, drafted and served discovery requests, prepared briefs and filed motions, attended and participated in depositions, status conferences and the trial and sentencing of Municipal Court clients.

March 1989 - April 1990

Legal Assistant. Researched legal issues and questions covering such topics as negligence, liability, insurance, contracts and leases. Prepared legal memoranda, drafted pleadings, motion papers, discovery requests and responses, and assisted in the preparation of opinion letters and other documents. Researched and investigated court records and other government records. Contacted clients and other attorneys for the purpose of assisting in the preparation of cases for litigation.

Summers: 1987 and 1988

Summer Intern. Global Custody Division. Conducted a competitive analysis of twelve major financial institutions covering items such as international agent bank network, investment policies and services. Developed standard wording for responses to prospects' Request for Proposals and created a computerized data base which eliminated repetitious manual input.

EDUCATION: Fordham University School of Law - New York, New York
Juris Doctor, 1990

New York University - New York, New York

Bachelor of Science, Economics, 1987

G.P.A.: 3.57; In Major 3.7

Honors: Graduated Cum Laude: University Honors Scholar; Trustee Scholarship;
Omicron Delta Epsilon - International Economics Honors Society

LICENSES: Admitted to practice in New York and New Jersey.