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Litigation Associate, 1993-2000
Litigation Shareholder, 2000-present
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Education

Harvard Law School, J.D., cum laude (1993)
University of Virginia, B.A. in English Literature, magna cum laude (1990)

Professional Licenses

Utah State Bar (1993)
United States District Court for the District of Utah (1993)
United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (2004)
United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (2006)

Professional Associations and Activities

Utah Supreme Court Advisory Committee on the Rules of Civil Procedure
Committee Member, 2002-present
Secretary, 1999-2002
Utah Supreme Court Advisory Committee on Professionalism, liaison
2003-present
David K. Watkiss - Sutherland II American Inns of Court
President, 2008-2009
Executive Committee, 2006-2009
Master of the Bench, 2005-present
Member, 1993-present
ABA Advisory Committee on 2004 Mid-Year Meeting
Utah Trial Lawyers Association

Salt Lake County Bar Association
President, 2004-2005
Executive Committee, 1997-2006
Member, 1993-present

Publications

- “The Constitutionality of the False Claims Act’s Qui Tam Provision,” Harvard Journal of Law & Public Policy, Vol. 16, No. 3, Autumn 1993
- “Citizen Suits and Qui Tam Actions: Private Enforcement of Public Policy,” National Legal Center for the Public Interest, 1996, Co-authors Benedict S. Cohen, Stuart M. Gerson, & Evan Slavitt

Presentations

- “False Claims Act Seminar,” Parsons Behle & Latimer, 1994
- “Motion Practice,” Utah State Bar New Lawyer Continuing Education Workshop, 1998
- “Letters Threatening Litigation: How Far Can You Go Before You Get Your Client (or You!) Sued?,” Parsons Behle & Latimer, 2000
- “Practice Pointers and Pitfalls of Electronic Discovery,” Federal Bar Association Tri-State Seminar, 2007

Representative Published Opinions

- *Krouse v. Bower*, 2001 UT 28, 20 P.3d 895
- *DeBry v. Godbe*, 1999 UT 111, 992 P.2d 979
- *Salt Lake County Commission v. Salt Lake County Attorney*, 1999 UT 73, 985 P.2d 899
- *Stephens v. Bonneville Travel, Inc.*, 935 P.2d 518 (Utah 1997)
- *U.S. ex rel. Colunga v. Hercules*, 929 F. Supp. 1418 (D. Utah, 1996)
- *Ellison v. Utah County*, 2009 UT App 72