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Professional

Probate Court Administrator, State of Connecticut
2008-present

Probate judge, Simsbury Probate Court
1999-2011

Law practice concentrating in estate planning, probate and family businesses
1997-2000 Cummings & Lockwood, Hartford
1991-1997 Drew, Mersereau & Knierim, P.C., Avon

State Representative, Connecticut General Assembly
1991-1997
Assistant Minority Leader
Ranking Member, Education Committee
Co-chair, Governor's Commission on School Choice

Law Clerk to Chief Justice Ellen A. Peters, Connecticut Supreme Court
1989-1990

Education

Yale Law School, J.D., 1989

Williams College, B.A., Summa Cum Laude, 1986

Mediation Training at Quinnipiac University Center on Dispute Resolution

Past and Present Civic Activities

Connecticut Bar Association; Connecticut Bar Foundation; Connecticut Probate Assembly; Elder Justice Coalition; Tutor at Literacy Volunteers Greater Hartford; Vice President, Simsbury Cemetery Association; Trustee, Simsbury Land Trust; Simsbury Town Meeting Moderator; Trustee, Connecticut Trust for Historic Preservation