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BAR MEMBERSHIPS

State Bar of Michigan

United States District Courts for the Eastern and Western Districts of Michigan

United States Court of Claims

EDUCATION

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL: Juris Doctor, 2009; GPA: 3.23 (rank: 67/184)

- Moot Court & Mock Trial
 - Semi-finalist in moot court in-house competition; moot court national team
 - Winner of in-house mock trial competition; awarded Barris Mock Trial Scholarship; mock trial national team

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY: Bachelor of Science: Environmental Studies and Applications, 2006

- Dean's List

EXPERIENCE

NUMINEN, DEFORGE & TOUTANT, P.C. *Marquette, Michigan, Partner, 2017-present*

- Representation of clients in all elements of personal injury cases, criminal matters, divorce and commercial disputes
- Representation of clients in all elements of pretrial litigation, including depositions, hearings negotiation/settlement and other discovery matters in state and federal courts
- Representing clients in jury and bench trials

NUMINEN, DEFORGE & MATHIEU, P.C. *Marquette, Michigan, Partner, 2016-2017*

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- Representation of clients in all elements of pretrial litigation, including depositions, hearings negotiation/settlement and other discovery matters in state and federal courts
- Representing clients in jury and bench trials

THE HEALTH LAW PARTNERS, P.C. *Southfield, Michigan, Attorney & Counselor, 2012-2016*

- Litigating civil and criminal cases, including False Claims Act cases, federal Medicare fraud prosecutions and commercial/contractual disputes in state and federal courts in Michigan and throughout the United States
- Drafting and negotiating contracts for employment, electronic health records, partnerships, and others
- Representing healthcare providers concerning professional licensure and other administrative proceedings
- Defense of providers in post-payment audits by Blue Cross Blue Shield and other third party payors
- Researching and preparing memoranda for state and federal compliance issues for clients throughout the United States
- Assisting clients in contested Certificate of Need applications for mobile MRI host sites

McKEEN & ASSOCIATES, P.C. *Detroit, Michigan. Law Clerk, 2009; Associate Attorney, 2009-2012*

- Trying medical malpractice cases, first chair and second chair, as well as many focus groups/mock juries
- Deposed/defended depositions of lay and expert witnesses in medical malpractice and birth trauma actions
- Participated in settlement negotiations with insurance adjusters, risk managers, facilitators, judges and opposing counsel
- Represented clients in all other facets of pretrial civil litigation and settlement negotiations of same

LAW SCHOOL CLERKSHIPS: (a) State Appellate Defender Office, *Detroit, Michigan, 2009;* (b) Prosecuting Attorneys Association of Michigan, Assigned to Barry County Prosecutor's Office, *Hastings, Michigan, 2008*

PUBLICATIONS/PRESENTATIONS/HONORS

- Michigan Super Lawyers "Rising Stars" 2012-2017
- Coach, Wayne State Law School Mock Trial National Team (2011-2016)
- Presented "Michigan No-Fault and Medical Billing" at the Oakland County Medical Society Group Managers' Meeting and the Michigan Medical Billers Association (May/June 2015)
- Dresevic, AD & Toutant, PB, *OIG 2014 Work Plan: Continued Imaging Compliance Focus*, AHRA Link (2014)
- Kalmowitz, CF, Dresevic, AD & Toutant, PB, *CMS Issues Guidance in Case of EHR Incentive Audit*, AHRA Link (2013)
- McKeen BJ & Toutant PB, *The Case for Attorney-Conducted Voir Dire*, 90 Mich B J 30 (2011)