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EXPERIENCE

South Dakota Department of Social Services, Pierre, SD

2020 – Present

Attorney

Provides legal and policy support to the Department and Noem administration, including managing administrative rulemaking, drafting legislation, and researching legal questions. Conducts legal and policy analysis for state and federal legislation. Serves as supervisor for Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules.

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, D.C.

2019 – 2020

Senior Counsel

Served in the Immediate Office of the General Counsel. Provided support to HUD senior leadership on a variety of legal matters, including meeting the agency's obligations for information disclosure pursuant to Congressional oversight and FOIA requests, while ensuring privileged material was appropriately protected. Also assisted in development of regulations, provided policy advice and legal research, and helped address complex strategic questions involving intergovernmental relationships and procedures.

U.S. House of Representatives, Washington, D.C.

2013 – 2019

Deputy Chief of Staff

Spent more than five years serving Members of Congress from Virginia and Colorado. Managed policy staffers as well as a broad legislative agenda. Practiced strategic policymaking and relational business, including through legislative action, letter writing, and hearing prep. Represented Congressmen before constituents, advocacy groups, potential donors, and other Members; performed legislative and legal research; managed constituent correspondence. Policy issues: tax, healthcare, civil rights, budget and appropriations, immigration, energy, transportation.

Previous titles: Legislative Director, Legislative Counsel, Legislative Assistant, Legislative Correspondent.

Accomplishments: secured regenerative medicine standards language in 21st Century Cures Act; passed six bills through the House; five bills signed into law.

XLA, Inc., Springfield, Virginia

2011 – 2013

Legal Specialist

Supported Department of Homeland Security. Conducted oversight of case files and statements establishing probable cause to ensure they met legal standards for administrative forfeiture; analyzed claims for legal sufficiency and made recommendations as to disposition; communicated with federal agents about key investigative facts and documents; conducted training of new legal specialists.

Legal Source and Synergy Legal, Washington, D.C.

2011

Contract Attorney

Conducted relevance and privilege review of discovery documents for client firms.

Williams Mullen, Richmond, Virginia

2009 – 2011

Intern/Library File Clerk

Worked with partners to conduct legal research and draft memoranda; created reference databases of Virginia municipal law and other firm documents; updated legislative materials and legal publications.

EDUCATION

T.C. Williams School of Law, University of Richmond, Richmond, VA

2008 – 2011

Juris Doctor

Admitted: Virginia; South Dakota (pending)

Activities: Federalist Society

Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, IN

2004 – 2008

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, summa cum laude

Majors: Business Management; New Media Journalism

Activities: Opinion section editor and staff writer, Valparaiso University student newspaper.