

MONIQUE HAUGHTON WORRELL

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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA COLLEGE OF LAW

Gainesville, Florida

J.D. - December 1999, Florida Bar Member - May 2000

Activities: Trial Team, Final Four Competitions 1998, 1999

Florida Minority Participation in Legal Education Scholar

Association for Public Interest Law, Fellowship - Summer 1998

Association of Law Students for Common Understanding - Founder 1998

Black Law Students Association

Criminal Law Association

ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY

Queens, New York

B.A. in Psychology, Minor in Criminal Justice, 1995

Activities and Honors: Dean's List for Academic Achievement

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Incorporated, President 1995

EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA COLLEGE OF LAW

Gainesville, Florida

Legal Skills Professor/ Supervising Attorney, 2002- present

Assistant Director, Center on Children and the Law

Development and implementation of the Child Welfare Clinic. Training and supervision of student interns that provide legal consultation to the Child Protection Team. Budget management, and identifying possible program resources. Working closely with other agencies involved in childrens advocacy.

HAUGHTON WORRELL & ASSOCIATES, PA

Orlando, Florida

Managing Partner, 2001- present

Development and administration of a successful general practice law firm, focusing primarily on public interest law. Budget management, supervision of staff and associate attorneys.

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC DEFENDER

Ninth Judicial Circuit

Orlando, Florida

Assistant Public Defender, 1999 - 2001

Client representation - trials, pre-trial conferences, hearings, appeals, depositions, and client interviews. Research and evaluate case law and statutes in the area of criminal law.

VIRGIL HAWKINS CIVIL CLINIC

Gator Team Child

Gainesville, Florida

Certified Legal Intern, 1999

Representation of children in dependency and delinquency proceedings, legal research, preparation of legal documents, witness depositions, correspondence, and court appearances.

OVERCHUCK, NEWSOME & SCHWERER, L.L.P.

Orlando, Florida

Legal Assistant, 1999

Performed legal research and prepared legal documents. Researched and evaluated case law and statutes in the area of civil litigation.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Executive Office for Immigration Review

Orlando, Florida

Judicial Law Intern, 1998,1999

Performed legal research relevant to current immigration proceedings and drafted opinions for the court.

NEW YORK CITY CHILD WELFARE ADMINISTRATION

Brooklyn, New York

Protective Diagnostic Investigator, 1996

Investigated allegations of child abuse and neglect.

Maintained uniform case records, and corresponded with the court to address allegations and make recommendations for services.

ESMOR FEDERAL COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL FACILITY

New York, New York

Case Worker, 1995

Supervised and vocationally trained up to eighty resident inmates.

Maintained case files, and performed necessary court correspondence.

QUEENS FAMILY COURT

Queens, New York

Intern, 1992

Performed legal research, observed family court proceedings, in addition to interacting with different resource agencies.

SKILLS

Legal Research and Writing, Public Speaking, Westlaw, Lexis, Microsoft Office, WordPerfect, and Internet.

References Available Upon Request