

**SUPREME COURT NOMINATING COMMISSION  
APPLICANT INFORMATION FOR PUBLICATION**

DATE: August 26, 2019

FULL NAME: Kristafer Ross Ailslieger

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Topeka, KS

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

Washburn University School of Law, Juris Doctorate, December 1999

United States Army War College, Master of Strategic Studies, July 2015

Wichita State University, Master of Arts in Political Science, July 1996

Wichita State University, Bachelor of Arts in Political Science, July 1992

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

Kansas Court of Appeals, Central Research Staff (April - September 2000)

Kansas Attorney General's Office (October 2000 - Present)

Washburn University, Political Science Dept. (Adjunct Professor) (August 2019 - Present)

Additionally, I have been a member of the reserve components of the United States Army (ARNG & USAR) both before and after becoming a member of the Kansas bar. (January 1987 - Present)

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DATE: August 29, 2019

FULL NAME: Daniel Cahill

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Kansas City, Kansas

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

University of Kansas: August 1984 – May 1986

Johnson County Community College: August 1986 – May 1987

Washburn University: August 1987 – May 1990 B.S. Criminal Justice

Washburn University School of Law: August 1992 – May 1995 J.D. 3.15 GPA, (top 25%) Dean 's Honors

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

Wyandotte County District Attorneys Office – Assistant District Attorney: April 1996 – April 2000

Barnett and Jamison, P.A. – Associate Attorney: April 2000 – July 2001

Cahill Law Office, P.A. – Attorney/ Operator: July 2001-July 2007

State of Kansas – District Court Judge, 29th Judicial District, Position 9: August 2007 – present

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DATE: 8/28/19

FULL NAME: Angela Dawn Coble

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Salina, KS (July 2009 - present)

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

- 1) Washburn University School of Law; 1700 S.W. College Avenue; Topeka, KS 66621
  - Dates attended: August 2006 – May 2009
  - Degree earned: Juris Doctor, Cum Laude, May 2009
- 2) Kansas Wesleyan University; 100 E. Claflin Avenue; Salina, KS 67401
  - Dates attended: August 1990 – May 1994
  - Degree earned: Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice, Summa Cum Laude, May 1994
- 3) Colby Community College; 1255 S. Range; Colby, KS 67701
  - Dates attended: August – December 1988; completed 1 college course

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

Kennedy Berkley Yarnevich & Williamson, Chtd. ("KBYW"); 119 W. Iron Ave., 7th Floor; Salina, KS 67401

Associate attorney (8/17/09 - 12/31/12); Partner (1/1/13 - 5/10/13)

United States District Court for the District of Kansas; 401 N. Market, Rm. 322; Wichita, KS 67202

Career law clerk to U.S. Magistrate Judge Karen M. Humphreys (5/28/15 - 6/30/15)

Career law clerk to U.S. Magistrate Judge Gwynne E. Birzer (7/1/15 - present)

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DATE: November 15, 2019

FULL NAME: Henry Reid Cox

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Shawnee, KS

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

Washburn University School of Law, J.D. 1981

Baylor University, B.A. 1978

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

Henry R. Cox – Attorney at Law

Swanson Midgley, P.C.

Blackwell Sanders, P.C.

Linde Thompson Langworthy Kohn & VanDyke, P.C.

Trans World Airlines, Inc.

City of Overland Park, Kansas

City of Topeka, Kansas

Kansas Court of Appeals (clerk)

*Adjunct Professor or Instructor:*

Johnson County Community College

Baker University

Friends University

University of Missouri – Kansas City (Bloch School of Business)

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**DATE:** September 3, 2019

**FULL NAME:** Dennis Dale Depew

**CITY OF RESIDENCE FOR PAST TEN YEARS:** Neodesha, Kansas

**LIST EACH COLLEGE AND LAW SCHOOL ATTENDED, INCLUDING  
DEGREES EARNED:**

Independence Community College, Associate of Arts, 1978

University of Kansas, Bachelor of Business Administration, 1980

University of Kansas School of Law, Juris Doctor, 1983

**LIST CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A  
MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR:**

September, 1983-May, 2015, partner in the Depew Law Firm, Neodesha, Kansas

May, 2015-present, Deputy Attorney General, Civil Litigation Division, Office of  
Kansas Attorney General.

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DATE: 8/30/2019

FULL NAME: Randall Lee Hodgkinson

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Topeka, KS

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

- Attended Hutchinson Community College Summer 1985
- Wichita State University, Wichita, KS. 1985 to 1989  
B.S. Mathematics and Computer Science, May 1989, Graduated magna cum laude
- Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ. 1989 to 1991  
J.D., December 1991 Class Rank: 9/147 Graduated Magna Cum Laude  
Order of the Coif; Law Journal—Associate Editor
- Wichita State University, Wichita, KS. 1992 to 1995  
Graduate studies in Political Science
- Asbury Theological Seminary, Wilmore, KY. 2010-present  
Candidate for M.Div. in May 2020

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

- Freelance editor, Wichita, KS. April 1992-December 1992.
- Judicial Clerk, Arizona Court of Appeals, Phoenix, AZ. December 1992-June 1994.
- Assistant Public Defender, Sedgwick County Public Defender Office, Wichita, KS. June 1994-June 1995.
- Assistant Appellate Defender, Kansas Appellate Defender Office, Topeka, KS. June 1995-August 1997
- Judicial Clerk, Arizona Court of Appeals, Phoenix, AZ. August 1997-August 1998.
- Associate, Law Offices of Stephen M. Lee, Kingman, AZ. August 1998-January 2000.
- Assistant Appellate Defender, Kansas Appellate Defender Office, Topeka, KS. January 2000-July 2001.
- Deputy Appellate Defender, Kansas Appellate Defender Office, Topeka, KS. July 2001-July 2006.
- Adjunct Professor of Law, Washburn University School of Law, Topeka, KS. August 2005-December 2006.
- Attorney Trainer, Kansas Appellate Defender Office, Topeka, KS. July 2006-present.
- Visiting Assistant Professor of Law, Washburn University School of Law, Topeka, KS. August 2006-present.

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DATE: August 29, 2019

FULL NAME: Michael Patrick Joyce

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Leawood, Kansas

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED,  
INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

- University of Nevada, Reno, candidate for Master of Judicial Studies degree. Anticipated graduation date: May 2021.
- University of Houston Law Center: Degree Conferred: Juris Doctorate; Graduation: May 1988.
- Creighton University: Degree Conferred: Bachelor of Science in Business Administration; Graduation: May 1982.
- Miami University: Attended August 1978-December 1979. Transferred to Creighton University.

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A  
MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

June 1988 – May 1997:

Wyrsh Hobbs & Mirakian P.C.,  
f/k/a Wyrsh Hobbs Mirakian & Lee, P.C.  
f/k/a Wyrsh Atwell Mirackian Lee & Hobbs, P.C.  
f/k/a Koenigsdorf & Wyrsh, P.C.  
One Kansas City Place  
1200 Main Street, Ste. 2110  
Kansas City, MO 64105

June 1997 – May 2000

Michael P. Joyce, Attorney at Law  
The Joyce Law Firm, LLC – Principal (solo practitioner)  
303 W. 9<sup>th</sup> St., Ste. 303  
Kansas City, MO 64105

June 2000 – November 9, 2012

Van Osdol & Magruder, P.C.

n/k/a Van Osdol, P.C.

f/k/a Van Osdol, Magruder, Erickson & Redmond, P.C.

1000 Walnut St., Suite 1500

Kansas City, MO 64106

Appointed October 24, 2012; sworn in November 9, 2012 – present

District Court Judge

Johnson County District Court

100 N. Kansas Ave.

Olathe, KS 66061

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DATE: 11/18/19

FULL NAME: Russell J. Keller

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

**Fairway, Kansas**

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

**J.D., Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago, Illinois (5/19/96)  
M.A., Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois (6/19/93)  
B.A., Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois (6/20/92)**

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

**Northwestern University, School of Communication, Evanston, Illinois  
Assistant Director, Northwestern University Debate Society (June 1996-December 1996)**

**U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, Chicago, Illinois  
Law Clerk (December 1996-December 1997)**

**Sidley Austin LLP, Chicago, Illinois  
Associate (January 1998-July 1999)**

**U.S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, Lawrence, Kansas  
Law Clerk (August 1999-August 2000)**

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Sidley Austin LLP, Chicago, Illinois  
Associate (September 2000-October 2005)

Stinson LLP, Kansas City, Missouri  
Associate (October 2005- April 2008) and Partner (May 2008-January 2018)

Missouri Attorney General's Office, Kansas City, Missouri  
Assistant Attorney General, Litigation Unit Leader (February 2018-August 2019)

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, Lawrence, Kansas  
Law Clerk (September 2019-present)

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DATE: November 18, 2019

FULL NAME: Michael Charles Leitch

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Prairie Village, Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

University of Kansas, B.A. (Political Science), 1994

University of Texas School of Law, J.D., 1999

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

I started my legal career in 1999 at the firm of Spencer Fane Britt and Browne, LLP, in Kansas City as an associate in the firm's Labor and Employment and Litigation groups. I made partner in December 2006.

I joined the Kansas Attorney General's Office in 2007 as Deputy Attorney General in the Civil Litigation Division and was named Chief Counsel in 2008.

In 2010 I returned to the Spencer Fane firm in its Overland Park, Kansas office as a partner and again worked on general litigation and employment matters

I joined the Office of the General Counsel at the University of Kansas in 2011 as Associate General Counsel. I taught one semester at the Law School and was named Senior Associate General Counsel in 2018.

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FULL NAME: Thomas Edward Malone

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Wichita, Kansas  
Topeka, Kansas

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

Newman University  
B.S. 1976 Summa cum laude

Washburn University School of Law  
J.D. 1979 with honors

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

August 1979 - December 1990; Redmond & Nazar, L.L.P.

1979 - 1987; Newman University  
Adjunct faculty member - Business Law

January 1991 - May 2003; State District Judge, 18th Judicial District

May 2003 - present; Member, Kansas Court of Appeals

October 2012 - January 2017; Chief Judge, Kansas Court of Appeals.

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FULL NAME: Steven J. Obermeier

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS: Olathe, Kansas.

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

Bachelor of Science in Journalism earned in 1981 and Bachelor of Arts in Political Science earned in 1982 from the University of Kansas.

Juris Doctor Degree conferred in Dec. 1984 from Washburn University School of Law.

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

- Assistant Solicitor General, Kansas Attorney General's Office, 2017 to present.
- Johnson County District Attorney's Office, 1985-2016.  
(District Attorney (DA) Dennis Moore from April 1985 until Jan. 1989; DA Paul Morrison from 1989 until Jan. 2007; DA Phil Kline from 2007 until Jan. 2009; & DA Steve Howe from 2009 until Sept. 2016)..
- OBERMEIER LAW LLC in 2017.
- Legal Research & Writing Instructor, Johnson County Community College, Fall 1994.

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**FULL NAME: David A. Ricke**

**CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:**

**Live in Rose Hill, Kansas for 34 years.**

**LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.**

- **Wichita State University, Bachelor of Science Degree in Administration of Justice with a minor in Political Science; graduated Magna Cum Laude in 1983.**
  
- **University of Kansas School of Law, Juris Doctor, completed the summer of 1985.**

**DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.**

- **Associate attorney in the El Dorado, Kansas law firm of Davis and Manley from August of 1985 through December of 1990.**
- **Operated own general law practice in El Dorado, Kansas from January, 1991 until taking the district court bench November 24, 2004 in the 13<sup>th</sup> Judicial District (Butler, Greenwood, and Elk Counties.)**
- **District Judge 2004-current; Chief Judge of the 13<sup>th</sup> Judicial District since January of 2012.**

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DATE: August 20, 2019

FULL NAME: Lyndon W. Vix

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Maize, Kansas

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

University of Minnesota  
Juris Doctor  
May 1985

Tabor College  
Bachelor of Arts  
May 1982

Simon Greenleaf School of Law/International Institute of Human Rights  
Summer Program in Human Rights, Law and Theology  
Strasbourg, France  
June-July 1980

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

Fleeson, Gooing, Coulson & Kitch, L.L.C.  
1900 Epic Center, 301 N. Main  
Wichita, Kansas 67202  
Attorney - 1985-present

Tabor College  
400 S. Jefferson  
Hillsboro, Kansas 67063  
Adjunct Professor - 1999-2010

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DATE: September 2, 2019

FULL NAME: Keynen Jae (K.J.) Wall, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

**Owatonna, Minnesota**  
**Lawrence, Kansas**

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

**a. Kansas State University**

Bachelor of Science, Communications – December 1993

1993 Cross Examination Debate Association National Debate Tournament Champion  
1993 CEDA National All-American  
1992 CEDA National Debate Tournament Semi-Finalist  
1991 CEDA Debate Squad National Championship  
1990 National Junior Varsity Debate Tournament Champion

**b. University of Minnesota**

Master of Arts, Scientific and Technical Communications, 1996

Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate Public Speaking and Group Communication  
Assistant Debate Coach, Macalester College, St. Paul

**c. University of Kansas School of Law**

Juris Doctorate, December 2001

Order of the Coif  
First Place, Moot Court Competition; Regionals Participant  
Paul E. Wilson, Defender Project  
Associate Editor, Kansas Journal of Law and Public Policy  
CALI Awards in Multiple Classes  
Scholarship Recipient, 1999

DESCRIBE CHRONOLOGICALLY YOUR EMPLOYMENT SINCE BECOMING A MEMBER OF ANY STATE BAR.

- a. Organization:** **German May (f/k/a Rouse, Hendricks, German & May)**  
1201 Walnut, 20<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Kansas City, MO 64106
- Dates:** January 2002 – August 2002
- Position:** Law Clerk
- Duties:** Researched legal issues, drafted motions and briefs, and other legal work under supervision of attorneys.
- Reference:** Matt Geiger  
Geiger Prell  
10000 College Blvd., Overland Park KS 66210  
Phone: (913) 661-2430  
e-mail: [mgeiger@GEIGERPRELL.com](mailto:mgeiger@GEIGERPRELL.com)
- b. Organization:** **United States District Court, District of Kansas**  
501 State Avenue, Suite 517  
Kansas City, KS 66101
- Dates:** August 2002 to August 2004
- Position:** Judicial law clerk for the Honorable John W. Lungstrum  
(then - Chief)
- Duties:** Researched substantive and procedural issues raised in Chief Judge's civil and criminal docket, prepared draft memorandum orders, prepared jury instructions, assisted in drafting appellate orders when Judge Lungstrum sat by designation on Tenth Circuit.
- Reference:** Honorable John W. Lungstrum, Senior Judge  
United States District Court  
500 State Avenue, Suite 517  
Kansas City, KS 66101  
Phone: (913) 735-2320  
e-mail: [Judge\\_Lungstrum@ksd.uscourts.gov](mailto:Judge_Lungstrum@ksd.uscourts.gov)

- c. **Organization:** **Witwer Oldenburg Barry & Groom**  
(f/k/a Witwer Oldenburg Barry & Johnson)  
822 7th Street, Suite 760  
Greeley CO 80631
- Dates: August 2004 to August 2008
- Position: Associate Attorney
- Duties: Managed all phases of civil litigation for clients of this regional practice, including discovery, motion practice, trial, and post-trial motions.
- Reference: Jeffrey T. Bedingfield  
Otis & Bedingfield, LLC  
The Doyle Building  
1812 56th Avenue  
Greeley, CO 80634  
Phone: 970-330-6700  
e-mail: [jbedingfield@nocoattorneys.com](mailto:jbedingfield@nocoattorneys.com)
- d. **Organization:** **Federated Insurance**  
121 E. Park Square  
Owatonna, MN 55060
- Dates: August 2008 to April 2013
- Position: Senior Legal Counsel
- Duties: In-house counsel, providing legal advice and counsel to executive management on material legal issues impacting operations of this national commercial insurer named to the Ward Group® 50 top performers list and rated A+ (Superior) by A.M. Best Company®. Worked with HR managers on complex personnel matters requiring advice of counsel, including performance management; high-risk terminations; Title VII, ADA and FMLA compliance. Worked with outside counsel on employment-related litigation matters.
- Reference: Jon Hanson, VP and General Counsel  
121 E. Park Square  
Owatonna, MN 55060  
Phone: (507) 456-9479  
e-mail: [jrhanson@fedins.com](mailto:jrhanson@fedins.com)

- e. Organization:** **Kansas Supreme Court**  
301 SW 10th Avenue  
Topeka Kansas 66612-1507
- Dates:** April 2013 to October 2015
- Position:** Special Projects Counsel/Deputy General Counsel
- Duties:** Managed the Kansas Supreme Court's Office of Capital Appeals/Special Projects, reporting to Chief Justice. Responsible for drafting and overseeing other staff's drafts of case memorandums for Justices analyzing issues raised in capital appeals and other complex cases assigned to the office; review proposed legislation and draft testimony affecting office; support General Counsel on other court projects.
- Reference:** Steve Grieb, General Counsel  
301 SW 10th Avenue  
Topeka Kansas 66612-1507  
Phone: (785) 224- 4699  
e-mail: [GriebS@kscourts.org](mailto:GriebS@kscourts.org)
- f. Organization:** **Forbes Law Group, LLC**  
6900 College Blvd., Suite 840  
Overland Park, KS 66211
- Dates:** October 2015 to current.
- Position:** Member/Partner
- Duties:** Provide legal services to healthcare clients in all aspects of their operations; handle appellate matters from clients and other referred parties; civil litigation for healthcare-related business disputes, contract enforcement, and employment claims; and offer regulatory compliance advice and counsel.
- Reference:** Frankie Forbes, Managing Partner  
Forbes Law Group, LLC  
6900 College Blvd., Suite 840  
Overland Park, KS 66211  
Phone: (816) 686-1762  
e-mail: [fforbes@forbeslawgroup.com](mailto:fforbes@forbeslawgroup.com)

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DATE: August 30, 2019

FULL NAME: Brenda Sue Watkins

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Kansas City, KS

Olathe, KS

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

<b>College/University</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Degrees</b>
University of Missouri – Kansas City	08/1982-12/1985	Juris Doctors
University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa	08/1976-08/1980	Bachelors of Arts

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Organization	Address	Position	Dates
Brenda S. Watkins Attorney at Law	PO Box 445 Shawnee Mission, KS	Sole Practitioner	03/1988-Present
Department of Homeland Security - National Benefits Center	7600B W 119 <sup>th</sup> Street Overland Park, KS 66213  850 NW Chipman Road, Suite 5000 Lee's Summit, MO 64064	Supervisory Immigration Services Officer/Center Adjudications Officer	03/2013-Present  04/2002- 03/2013
Robert A. Kumin, PC	6901 Shawnee Mission Parkway, #250 Shawnee Mission, KS 66202	Of Counsel	04/1994- 04/2002
Rosie Quinn & Associates	Closed	Attorney	04/1986- 03/1988

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DATE: August 29, 2019

FULL NAME: Kristen Diane Wheeler

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Wichita, Kansas

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

Washburn University School of Law, Juris Doctor Magna Cum Laude May 2006

University of Kansas, Bachelor of Science with honors in Biodiversity, Ecology, and Evolutionary Biology May 2003

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Following my graduation from law school, and my admission to the Kansas bar, I joined the Wichita firm of Morris, Laing, Evans, Brock & Kennedy, Chartered, in September 2006 as an attorney in the litigation department. I worked at Morris Laing for ten years in a variety of areas including commercial litigation, personal injury, environmental law, intellectual property, municipal governance, and financial services. I joined the boutique firm of Robinson Law Firm, LLC, in October 2016, where I focused my practice on commercial and residential real estate, business advising, and civil litigation. In August 2018 I accepted a position as Law Clerk to United States District Judge J. Thomas Marten.

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DATE: August 30, 2019

FULL NAME: Marcia Ann Wood

CITY OR CITIES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS:

Wichita, KS

LIST EACH COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND LAW SCHOOL YOU HAVE ATTENDED, INCLUDING DEGREES AND DATES EARNED.

University of Kansas, Bachelor of Arts, December 1988  
University of Kansas School of Law, Juris Doctor, May 1992

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United States District Court, August 1992 to November 1998 (law clerk to Hon. Frank G. Theis, Senior U.S. District Court Judge in Wichita, Kansas)

Hinkle Elkouri Law Firm, Wichita Kansas, November 1992 to April 2006 (associate attorney in the municipal finance department)

Martin, Pringle, Oliver, Wallace & Bauer, LLP, August 2006 to present (partner since 2008, currently serving on firm's executive committee; practice in appellate law and briefwriting)