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PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

LEVY & PRUETT

Partner

Decatur, GA

August 8, 2005 to present

Civil litigation, including premises liability, automobile defense, professional negligence, wrongful death, insurance coverage, commercial litigation, and subrogation

SWIFT, CURRIE, MCGHEE & HIERS

Partner

Atlanta, GA

January 8, 1997 - August 5, 2005

Civil litigation, including premises liability, trucking and automobile defense, wrongful death, asbestos defense, and commercial litigation

GREENE, BUCKLEY, JONES & McQUEEN

Associate

Atlanta, GA

1990-1997

Civil litigation, including insurance defense, employment discrimination, breach of contract, workers' compensation, commercial litigation, and adversary proceedings in bankruptcy

EDUCATION

GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW

Atlanta, GA

- J.D., 1990
- *Law Review*, Lead Articles Editor
- Environmental Law Society
- American Jurisprudence Award, Evidence

MERCER UNIVERSITY

Macon, GA

- Bachelor of Arts in English, 1978

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES and AFFILIATIONS

State Bar of Georgia; Dekalb County Bar Association; Atlanta Bar Association; Council on Litigation Management; Atlanta Claims Association; Upper Chattahoochee Riverkeeper; Decatur Business Association.

PUBLICATIONS and SEMINARS

Speaker/Author, "Claims Representatives and Defense Counsel: Developing a Working Relationship," Atlanta Claims Association Luncheon, October 2, 2008

Speaker/Author, "Winning Summary Judgment in Georgia Slip and Fall Cases," Southeastern Claim Executives Association (SCEA), April 15, 2008

Speaker/Author, "The State of Summary Judgment in Slip and Fall Cases," Georgia ICLE Advanced Slip & Fall Seminar, May 3, 2007

Speaker/Author, "Policy Limits Cases and Coverage Disputes," Lorman Auto Insurance: Uninsured, Underinsured and Accident Litigation in Georgia Seminar, September 7, 2006

Speaker/Author, "Defending the Slip and Fall Case: Investigation and Discovery," Georgia ICLE Advanced Slip & Fall Seminar, October 15, 2004

Speaker/Author, "Building a Wall of Protection: Defending the Wrongful Death Construction Site Case," Lorman Successful Handling of Wrongful Death Cases in Georgia Seminar, July 15, 2004

Speaker/Author, "The Admissibility of Scientific Evidence in Georgia," Lorman Recent Developments in Product Liability in Georgia Seminar, March 18, 2004

Speaker/Author, "Serving Two Masters: Duties Owed to the Insured and the Insurer in Potential Policy Limits Cases and in Coverage Disputes," Lorman Auto Insurance Law and Accident Litigation in Georgia Seminar, June 21, 2002

Speaker/Author, "Direct Examination and Cross-Examination: A Defendant's Perspective," Georgia Trial Lawyer's Association "Start to Finish" Trial Seminar, August 24, 2001

Author, "Defending the Server of Alcohol in Bar Fight Cases", Georgia Defense Lawyer's Association Law Journal, 2001

Speaker/Author, "Summary Judgment for the Property Owner in Slip and Fall Cases after *Robinson v. Kroger*" Swift Currie McGhee & Hiers Client Seminar, October 21, 1998

Author, "Are Excessive Punitive Damages Unconstitutional in Georgia? This Question and More in *Colonial Pipeline v. Brown*," 6 Ga. St. U.L. Rev. 85 (1989)

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