

Stephen A. White

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

United States Attorney's Office for the District of New Mexico

Albuquerque, New Mexico

Assistant United States Attorney

May 2020 – Present

- Prosecute federal crimes on behalf of the United States government in the Violent and Community Crimes section.

United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit

Roswell, New Mexico

Judicial Law Clerk to the Honorable Joel M. Carson III

June 2018 – May 2020

- Wrote bench memoranda and drafted opinions for the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit.

The University of Notre Dame

South Bend, Indiana

Assistant Director of Admissions and Financial Aid at Notre Dame Law School

February 2018 – June 2018

- Reviewed applications to Notre Dame Law School; corresponded with applicants about scholarships and financial aid.

Jones Day®

San Diego, California

Associate Attorney, Labor & Employment Practice

September 2017 – November 2017

- Represented and advised corporate clients in labor and employment matters.

United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit

Roswell, New Mexico

Judicial Law Clerk to the Honorable Bobby R. Baldock

August 2015 – August 2017

- Wrote bench memoranda and drafted opinions for the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit.

United States Attorney's Office for the District of Montana

Billings, Montana

Summer Law Clerk

May 2014 – July 2014

- Drafted appellate briefs to the Ninth Circuit; successfully argued in criminal sentencing and revocation of supervised release hearings; researched various laws under AEDPA and the Federal Tort Claims Act for supervising attorneys.

United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

Los Angeles, California

Judicial Extern to the Honorable Arthur L. Alarcón

January 2014 – May 2014

- Drafted bench memoranda; made technical and grammatical edits for final opinions prior to publication; researched capital punishment, habeas corpus, and AEDPA law.

Republic of Uganda, The High Court of Uganda, Commercial Court Division

Kampala, Uganda

Judicial Extern to the Honorable Justice Geoffrey W. M. Kiryabwire

May 2013 – July 2013

- Analyzed results of mediation in commercial cases to show that alternative dispute resolution is an effective tool in litigation; interviewed Ugandan prisoners and drafted briefs on their behalf to facilitate plea bargaining.

EDUCATION

Pepperdine University School of Law

Malibu, California

Juris Doctor, magna cum laude, Order of the Coif

May 2015

GPA / Class Rank: 3.905 / Top 7%

Journal: *Pepperdine Law Review*, Business and Production Editor, Volume XLII

Moot Court: Interschool Moot Court Team; Vincent S. Dalsimer Moot Court Competition, semi-finalist

Honors/Awards: Parris Award for Excellence in Service; Faculty Scholar (merit-based, full-tuition scholarship)

University of Notre Dame

South Bend, Indiana

Bachelor of Arts in Theology and Philosophy, cum laude

May 2012

GPA: 3.736

Honors: Dean's List (four semesters)

Senior Thesis: "The Kingdom of God: A Search Into the Soul"

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Publications: Stephen White, Comment, *The Universal Remedy for Attorney Abandonment: Why Holland v. Florida and Maples v. Thomas Give All Courts the Power to Vacate Civil Judgments Against Abandoned Clients by Way of Rule 60(b)(6)*, 42 PEPP. L. REV. 155 (2014).

Bar Admissions: California (License #307552, admitted December 2015); United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (admitted January 2016); United States District Court for the District of New Mexico (admitted May 2020).

Interests: Notre Dame football; dogs; the Enneagram of Personality; movie quotes; pranking my friends.