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COURT ADMISSIONS

- Court of Appeals of Maryland, 2007
- United States District Court for the District of Maryland, 2008
- United States Supreme Court, 2017
- Washington, DC - *pending*

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

McDonough Law, LLC – Silver Spring, Maryland
Owner/Founder (2018 - present)

- Current practice is appx. 75% Family Law, 25% Probate and Civil Matters
- Handled cases and multi-day trials, on District, Circuit and Appellate levels.
- Represent clients in all domestic matters including adoption, custody, child support, divorce, guardianship (children and adults), domestic violence, and Special Immigrant Juvenile Proceedings.
- Appointed by Judges to serve as Best Interest Attorney for children and Guardian for both disabled adults and children.
- Served as court-appointed successor Personal Representative for contested estates.
- Mediator for custody and ADR, as well as family law facilitator for the Family Division of the Montgomery County Circuit Court

Andalman & Flynn, P.C. – Silver Spring, Maryland
Partner (2012 – 2018), *Associate* (2007 – 2012), *Law Clerk* (2006-2007)

Community Legal Services – Cleveland, Ohio
Law Clerk (2004-2006)

EDUCATION

Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, Cleveland State University - Cleveland, Ohio
Juris Doctor (2006)

- Student Practitioner with the Urban Development Law Clinic
- Treasurer, *Delta Theta Phi*, National Law Fraternity
- Certificates of Mastery in both LexisNexis and Westlaw
- Awarded the 2006 *Student Public Interest Law Organization* Scholarship for Outstanding Community Involvement

Xavier University - Cincinnati, Ohio

Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Arts (2003)

- Double-major in International Affairs/Spanish; Latin American Studies minor
- *Sigma Delta Pi*, National Spanish Honor Society
- ESL volunteer tutor (Spanish) for Cincinnati Public Schools

AFFILIATIONS

- Bar Association of Montgomery County, Maryland – Member (since 2007)
 - Family Law Section Co-chair (2012-2014)
- Maryland State Bar Association – Member (since 2007)
- Montgomery County, Maryland Inns of Court
 - Associate (2010-2012) and Barrister (2012 – present)
- Women’s Bar Association (Montgomery County) – Member (since 2007)
 - Executive Committee (since 2010)
 - Social & Networking Chair (since 2011)
 - President Elect (2014-2015) and President (2015-2016)

CERTIFICATIONS & SKILLS

- Certified Best Interest Attorney (2010)
- Collaborative Law Practice (2011)
- 40-hour mediation training (2015)
- 20-hour child custody and 20-hour marital property mediation training (2016)
- Fluent in Spanish

AWARDS & HONORS

- Super Lawyers Magazine *Rising Star* in Family Law (2012-2020)
- The Maryland Daily Record’s Leading Women Honoree (2011)
- Montgomery County Inns of Court’s James Salter Pro Bono Award (2011)
- Montgomery County Bar Foundation’s President’s Citation for Outstanding Pro Bono Service (2010)