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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

June 2009 – Present **Partner**
Fritz & Hughes, LLC

Feb 2001 – June 2009 **Bankruptcy Attorney**
U.S. Bankruptcy Administrator
Middle District of Alabama
Montgomery, Alabama

Description: The Bankruptcy Administrator's office represents the government in all bankruptcy cases filed in the Middle District of Alabama to promote the judicious administration of the bankruptcy process. The Bankruptcy Administrator's office is also responsible for the direct oversight of bankruptcy trustees. As the Bankruptcy Attorney, I monitor the Means Test review process, prosecute abuse cases, oversee Chapter 11 Debtors-in-Possession, and review and recommend the hiring of professionals by bankruptcy debtors. Additionally, I updated and created several internal procedures and I have been a speaker at several Bankruptcy CLE programs. I am a trained Mediator and have established a no-cost mediation program for debtors in our district. I am currently our unit Training Coordinator and I am enrolled in the Federal Court Leadership Program class of 2008-2010.

Dec. 1998 – Dec. 2000 **Mooty & Associates P.C.**
Associate Attorney
600 Clay Street Montgomery, Alabama 36104
(334) 264-0400 fax (334) 264-0380

Description: Mooty & Associates P.C. is the general counsel to the Alabama Oilmen's Association/Alabama Association of Convenience Stores and represents a significant portion of the wholesale and retail petroleum marketers and convenience store operators in the state of Alabama. My experiences included litigation involving employment law, workers compensation, environmental issues, personal injuries, as well as, counseling corporate clients involving all aspects of their businesses. I also drafted contracts and wills.

Aug 1997 - Dec 1998 **Parnell & Crum P.C.**
Associate Attorney
671 South Lawrence Street Montgomery, Alabama 36104
(334) 832-4200

Description: Parnell & Crum P.C. is primarily a commercial litigation/collection firm. We represented banks, credit card companies and health care organizations. During my time at Parnell and Crum I practiced in almost every county in the State of Alabama conducting over 100 trials involving non-payment of debts and breaches of contract.

MILITARY EXPERIENCE:

- April 2003 – Present** **Senior Defense Counsel – Reservist, Major**
154th LSO – Senior Defense Service
Duties: To defend reservist soldiers who face UCMJ action in Courts-Martial, Article 15 hearings, and Administrative Separation Boards. I also supervise two junior Captain JAG officers.
- April 2006 – April 2007** **Defense Counsel – Captain**
(Mobilized Reservist)
Trial Defense Service Europe
Mannheim Germany Field Office
Duties: To defend active duty soldiers who have faced UCMJ action in Courts-Martial, Article 15 hearings, and Administrative Separation Boards.
- April 2001 – April 2003** **Assistant Staff Judge Advocate – Reservist, First Lieutenant**
81ST Regional Support Command
Office of the Staff Judge Advocate
Birmingham, Alabama

EDUCATION

- Juris Doctor
May 24, 1997
Cumberland School of Law at Samford University
800 Lakeshore Boulevard Birmingham, Alabama 35229
Deans List: Fall 1995, Spring 1996, Spring 1997
- B.S. Business Administration
March 22, 1994
Major: Marketing
Auburn University at Montgomery
7300 University Drive Montgomery Alabama 36117
1994 Marketing Student of the Year

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND INTERESTS

Alabama State Bar, American Bankruptcy Institute and the Federalist Society.
Coaching Youth Sports.

LEADERSHIP TRAINING

Alabama State Bar Leadership Forum
Class 5 – 2009

Federal Court Leadership Program
Class of 2008-2010

