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EMPLOYMENT

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120 North LaSalle Street
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January 2000 - Present
Partner

February 1995 - December 1999
Associate

CORBOY -DEMETRIO- CLIFFORD, P.C.
33 North Dearborn Street
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February 1994 - February 1995
Associate

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Two North LaSalle Street
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Associate : May 1986 - February 1994
Law Clerk : September 1985 - May 1986
Admitted to the Bar in May 1986

CERTIFICATION

Circuit Court Arbitrator
Illinois Institute for Continuing Legal Education
Chicago, Illinois
Certified February 27, 1990
Re-Certified December 10, 2002

EDUCATION

St. Johns University, Collegeville, Minnesota

B.A. 1981
Government Major
Business Administration Minor

Study Abroad:

School of Irish Studies
Dublin, Ireland
Fall 1979

Loyola University School of Law, Chicago, Illinois
J.D. : January 1986

- ▶ Leadership and Service Award 1986
- ▶ Student Bar Association Class Representative 1982 - 1983 and 1983 - 1994
- ▶ Student Bar Association Treasurer 1984 - 1985

MEMBERSHIPS

- ▶ American Bar Association
- ▶ Association of Trial Lawyers of America
- ▶ Illinois State Bar Association
- ▶ Illinois Trial Lawyers' Association
Supreme Court of Illinois Committee on Alternative Dispute Resolution, Fact Finding Mission to Analyze and Review the mediation systems in Wayne County, Michigan
October 20-23, 1991
- ▶ Chicago Bar Association
Tort Litigation Committee 1986 - 1993
- ▶ Judicial Evaluation Committee - Investigations Division
March 1995 - 1999
- ▶ Fenwick Bar Association
Treasurer 1995 - 1999
Vice-President 2000-2004
President 2005 - Present
- ▶ Irish Fellowship Club of Chicago
- ▶ Life Member of National Law Registry of Who's Who
- ▶ Leading Lawyers Network
The Top Lawyers 2004 and 2005

Presentations

Winning Back and Neck Injury Cases

Illinois Institute for Continuing Legal Education
October 31, 2003
Chicago, Illinois

Topics:

“Recent Illinois Case Law and the Painful Impact it May Have on Your Back and Neck cases”

“Opportunities for Use of Demonstrative Evidence in Back and Neck Injury Cases”

“Back and Neck Injury Deposition and Case Development Workshop: Demonstrations of Key Case Preparation”

Handling Personal Injury Cases At Mandatory Arbitration/Arbitration Hearings from the Plaintiff's Perspective

Young Lawyers Section - Chicago Bar Association
October 14, 1999

Illinois Institute for Continuing Legal Education (I.I.C.L.E.)
How to Deal With Insurance Carriers and Get Great Results
“Educating Insurers About the Value of Your Case: Innovative Techniques; the Use of Focus Groups”
April 17, 1998 - Chicago, Illinois

Preparing and Litigating Premises Liability Actions Under the New Law
Discovery Issues from the Plaintiff's Perspective
Chicago Bar Association - John Marshall Law School
February 1, 1996

Illinois State Bar Association/ISBA Tort Law Section Council
Tort Reform: Day to day Issues, Product Liability: Failure to Warn Cases - What Do You Need to Proceed?
Chicago, Illinois
November 6, 1995

New Rules for Discovery and Arbitration - Non-Expert Discovery
Northwestern Suburban Bar Association
Rolling Meadows, Illinois
October 25, 1995

Preparation and Trial of the Automobile Collision Case
Chicago Bar Association Continuing Legal Education Program
Chicago Bar Association Seminar
April 6, 1995

Preparation and Trial of the Automobile Collision Case - Effective Discovery
Techniques - Plaintiff's Perspective
Chicago Bar Association Continuing Legal Education Program
May 11, 1992

Successful Automobile Trials, Child Dart Out Cases
Chicago Bar Association Young Lawyers Section
November 30, 1989
Chicago, Illinois

SEMINARS ATTENDED

DAVID S. SHRAGER: MINI BASIC COURSE IN TRIAL ADVOCACY
ROSCOE POUND - AMERICAN TRIAL LAWYERS FOUNDATION
LOYOLA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
OCTOBER 25-27, 1985

CURRENT MOTION PRACTICE IN THE LAW DIVISION OF COOK COUNTY
CHICAGO BAR ASSOCIATION
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
JANUARY 22, 1986

PACKAGING THE EVIDENCE:
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION EDUCATION FUND
FEBRUARY 16, 1987

TRIAL TECHNIQUES: SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS IN THE TRIAL OF SOFT TISSUE CASE
CHICAGO BAR ASSOCIATION, YOUNG LAWYERS SECTION
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
MAY 7, 1987

PROVING AND DISPUTING DAMAGES IN PERSONAL INJURY CASES
CHICAGO BAR ASSOCIATION, YOUNG LAWYERS SECTION
MAY 28, 1987

STATUTORY CAUSES OF ACTION
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
JUNE 4, 1988

WRONGFUL DISCHARGE UNDER ILLINOIS LAW
SANCTIONS: RULE 11 AND SECTION 2-611
THE CAMBRIDGE INSTITUTE
CHICAGO BAR ASSOCIATION YOUNG LAWYERS SECTION
APRIL 27, 1989

CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY ARBITRATION
TRAINING PROJECT ILLINOIS INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
FEBRUARY 27, 1990

ANATOMY OF AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT LAWSUIT
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
OCTOBER 8, 1990

TORT LAWYERS GUIDE TO NEGOTIATION AND SETTLEMENT, GERALD R. WILLIAMS
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
MARCH 1-2, 1991

EMERGING ISSUES IN AUTOMOBILE PRODUCT LIABILITY LITIGATION
AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION - SECTION OF TORT AND INSURANCE PRACTICE
PHOENIX, ARIZONA
MARCH 21-22, 1991

UNITED STATES ARBITRATION MEDIATION: CONCEPTS IN MEDIATION
MEDIATION TRAINING WORKSHOP FOR LAWYERS
SEPTEMBER 26-28, 1991

ART OF CROSS EXAMINATION: EXPERT WITNESSES (THE ART AND THE LAW):
PERSUASION: OPENING STATEMENT AND FINAL ARGUMENT - JAMES W. MCELHANY
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
MARCH 1992

LAWYERS PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY PROGRAM/LOSS CONTROL SEMINAR
CNA INSURANCE COMPANY
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
APRIL 14, 1992

WINNING TRIAL TECHNIQUES (A ROADMAP FOR EFFECTIVE ADVOCACY) ADVANCED
JURY SELECTION (MAKING THE PROCESS WORK - TAYLOR) BY WILLIAM A. BARTON
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
MARCH 5-6, 1993

PRESIDENTIAL FACE OFF SEMINAR
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
OAK BROOK, ILLINOIS
JUNE 12, 1993

WINNING THE PRE-TRIAL BATTLE (DISCOVERY, DEPOSITIONS & SETTLEMENTS); THE
QUALITIES OF A WINNER (BRAINSTORMING THE THEORY OF YOUR CASE); MASTERING
EVIDENCE (USING THE RULES THAT SHAPE THE CASE) - JAMES W. MCELHANY
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
MARCH 1994

TRIAL TECHNIQUES: ADVOCACY FROM THE INSIDE OUT EXPERT WITNESSES: GETTING
AND GROOMING THE EXPERT WITNESS - JAMES W. JEANS, SR.
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
MARCH 10-11, 1995

A DAY ON TRIAL: THE SECRETS OF PERSUASION
DOMINIC GIANNA AND THOMAS MAUET
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
MARCH 8-9, 1996

LITIGATION, LIES AND OTHER ETHICAL TRAPS
AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION CENTER FOR PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY
CORNILIA WALLAIS HONCHAR
AUGUST 13, 1996

MAXIMIZING RESULTS THROUGH SETTLEMENT AND TRIAL- PROSECUTING THE
NEGLIGENCE CASE
ILLINOIS TRIAL ASSOCIATION
DRAKE HOTEL
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
FEBRUARY 17, 1997

NEGOTIATIONS AND CONFLICT RESOLUTIONS FOR LAWYERS
PROFESSOR GERALD WILLIAMS, BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL
RITZ, CARLTON
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
FEBRUARY 21-22, 1997

POWERFUL WITNESS PREPARATION - RONALD J. COHEN
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
MARCH 7, 1997

PREPARING FOR AND CONDUCTING A WINNING DEPOSITION
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
MARCH 8, 1997

RECENT CASE LAW INTERPRETATION OF DAUBERT - PROFESSOR TERENCE F. KIELEY
CLIFFORD LAW OFFICES - CLE SERIES #2
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
NOVEMBER 12, 1997

ILLINOIS TORT LAW UPDATE - PROFESSOR BRUCE OTTLEY
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
NOVEMBER 12, 1997

NEGOTIATING AND SETTLING PERSONAL INJURY CASES
ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
FEBRUARY 16, 1998
DRAKE HOTEL, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

TRIAL EVIDENCE IN ACTION: CROSS EXAMINATION TECHNIQUES (CROSS EXAMINING
THE SYMPATHETIC WITNESS)
AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION, SECTION OF LITIGATION
ANNUAL MEETING
APRIL 25, 2002
WESTIN COPLEY PLACE, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

TOWN HALL MEETING: THE ROLE OF LAWYERS IN A DEMOCRACY, PART I -
RESPONDING TO OUR NATIONAL CRISIS, PART II - THE PUBLIC VIEW
AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION, SECTION OF LITIGATION
ANNUAL MEETING
APRIL 25, 2002
WESTIN COPLEY PLACE, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

WHAT MAKES JURIES LISTEN TODAY: THE COMMUNICATION CHALLENGES OF THE NEW
JURY
AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION, SECTION OF LITIGATION
ANNUAL MEETING
APRIL 26, 2002
WESTIN COPLEY PLACE, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

STRUCTURED SETTLEMENTS: USING LEVERAGE TO SETTLE CASES AND MAXIMIZE
CLIENT SATISFACTION
MAY 30, 2002
RITZ CARLETON, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

UNINSURED AND UNDERINSURED MOTORIST LAW IN ILLINOIS
NATIONAL BUSINESS INSTITUTE
OCTOBER 15, 2002
CHICAGO CITY CENTER, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

SELECTED CASE LAW ADDRESSING MANDATORY ARBITRATION ISSUES IN ILLINOIS
CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY MANDATORY ARBITRATION PROGRAM
PRESENTED BY THE HONORABLE JAMES P. MCCARTHY
DECEMBER 10, 2002
RICHARD J. DALEY CENTER, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

CURRENT COURTROOM PRESENTATION TECHNOLOGY
PRESENTED BY VISUAL EVIDENCE COMPANY, LEGAL VIDEO SYNC
MARCH 18, 2003
RITZ CARLTON, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

*As of June 4, 1998, he was awarded the highest accolade in Martindale-Hubbell, an A.V. rating
(legal ability ratings A: very high to preeminent and general ethical standard V: very high)