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PROFESSIONAL: Professional, Organized, Competent

SKILLS: Conflict Resolution, Writer, Researcher, Spanish Fluency, Brazilian Portuguese Proficiency

LICENSES: Florida & District of Columbia Bar; Florida Middle and Southern District Courts, Notary Public State of Florida, Florida Supreme Court Certified Family Court Mediator, Qualified Parenting Coordinator

AWARDS: 2010 Seminole County Bar Association Legal Aid Pro Bono Award Recipient

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Florida Bar Association; District of Columbia Bar Association, American Bar Association

EXPERIENCE:

2014 - Parenting Coordinator – Child Focused Conflict Resolution in Family Law cases to assist parents in developing and implementing Parenting Plans to aid the conclusion of Family Court cases.

2010 to Present - Florida Supreme Court Certified Family Mediator – Conflict Resolution in Family Cases – assisted in the comprehensive development of Settlement Agreements

2002 to Present - Law Office of Nadine A. Brown, P.A., Orlando Metro – Central Florida

Practice Area: US Immigration Law; Family Law, Wills & Trusts/Probate, Family Court Mediations

Community outreach: public awareness education talks w/local school districts and area health depts.

Participated in Winter Park University Club Debate on Immigration (Oct. 2010); Co-taught HEA 671

Immigrant & Refugee Health w/Dr. Sharon Morrison, Associate Professor of Public Health Education at University of North Carolina Greensboro (UNCG) fall semesters 2004, 2005, 2006; guest lectured for Dr. Roslyn Howard, Associate Professor of Anthropology at University of Central Florida (UCF) ANT 4340 Caribbean Cultures class regarding the acculturation process and Afro-Caribbean Diaspora issues

1999-2002 Supervising Attorney, Catholic Immigration & Refugee Services, Inc. Orlando, FL.

Practice Area: Immigration & Nationality Law – Asylum & Refugee Law.

Supervised staff of eight paralegals. Completed immigration petitions, practiced in Immigration Court proceedings, participated in community education and training for other local Community Based Organizations (CBO's). Trainer and Co-trainer at Catholic Legal Immigration Network (CLINIC) national conference and local area seminars about Immigration Deportation/Removal Proceedings-Trial Practice, Violence Against Women's Act (VAWA), and Defenses to Deportation.

1998 Staff Attorney, Central Florida Legal Services, Inc. Daytona Beach, FL.

Practice Area: Housing and Consumer Law. Participated with the WAGES Task Force and Coalition for the Homeless.

EDUCATION:

August 1998 Master of Arts in Latin American Studies: University of Florida College of Liberal Arts & Sciences - Dr. Philip J. Williams, Committee Chair, Dr. Alan Burns – Co-Chair

Major Area: Latin American Studies & Caribbean Politics Minor: Spanish/Portuguese

August 1997 Juris Doctor: University of Florida College of Law

Virgil Hawkins Legal Fellow, Member Phi Alpha Delta

May 1994 Bachelor of Arts: University of Florida College of Liberal Arts & Sciences

Major: Political Science Minor: African Studies/African Politics