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EMPLOYMENT

2024 to Present – Partner, **Hirst Applegate, LLP**

- Practice areas include: Civil Litigation, Employment Law, Transportation Law, Personal Injury Law, Commercial Litigation, Insurance Defense, and Real Estate

2018 to 2023 – Associate, **Hirst Applegate, LLP**

Fall 2017 – Extern for the Honorable Cathleen Parker, U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of Wyoming

Summer 2017 & Summer 2016 – Law Clerk, **Hirst Applegate, LLP**

2015 – 2014 – Admissions Representative, University of Wyoming

EDUCATION

University of Wyoming Law School, J.D., with honors
2018

University of Wyoming, BS (Molecular Biology with honors), 2014

REPORTED CASES

- *Mattheis Co. v. Mulligan*, 2021 WY 14, 479 P. 3d 1213 (Wyo. 2021)
- *Osterling v. State*, 2018 WY 95, 424 P.3d 250 (Wyo.2018)

PRESENTATIONS & PUBLICATIONS

- Product Liability Desk Reference: A Fifty-State Compendium (Wyoming Chapter).
- *Recent Actions by the U.S. and Wyoming Supreme Courts*, Frontier Human Resources Association Legal/Legislative Update, May 2023
- *Preventing and Overcoming Attorney Burnout*, Wyoming State Bar Annual Meeting & Judicial Conference, September 2022
- *Starting a Workplace Well-Being Initiative* (Wyoming Lawyer, June 2022)
- *Updates in Wyoming Employment Law*, Frontier Human Resources Association Legal/Legislative Update, May 2022
- *Balancing Work and Life*, Wyoming State Bar Young Lawyers Section, April 2022
- *The Helper's High – One Reason to Commit to Pro Bono Work* (Wyoming Lawyer, December 2021)

- *An Evidence-Based Approach to Wellness – Why and How your Firm Should Have a Wellness Initiative*, Wyoming State Bar Annual Meeting & Judicial Conference, September 2021
- *The Current Status of Sexual Harassment in the Legal Profession* (Wyoming Lawyer, April 2019)
- *Bankruptcy Law – A Battle of Two Acts: Midland Funding, LLC v. Johnson*, 137 S. Ct. 1407 (2017), 18 Wyo. L. Rev. 237 (2018).

ACTIVITIES & ACOMPLISHMENTS

- Recognized by *Chambers USA* in the area of General Commercial Litigation
- Recognized in *Best Lawyers in America* as Ones to Watch
- Co-chair, Ad Hoc Attorney Well-Being Committee (2023 to present)
- Board member, Friday Food Bag Foundation (2021 to present)
- Guest lecturer, University of Wyoming College of Law Summer Trial Institute (summer 2021;2022)
- Secretary/Treasurer for the Wyoming State Bar Young Lawyer Section (2021 to present)
- Pro Bono Award for Legal Services for the Indigent Clients, Wyoming State Bar (2021)
- Excellence in Advocacy Award, University of Wyoming College of Law (2018)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Wyoming State Bar Association
- United States District Court for the District of Wyoming

PERSONAL

Erin has one son and loves to take him on adventures with her husband and their two dogs. Erin also enjoys fighting the Wyoming elements while attempting to garden, exploring unique foods, traveling, and cheering for the Wyoming Cowboys.