

# HIRST Wyoming Attorneys APPLEGATE

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### EMPLOYMENT

January 2017 to Present – Associate, **Hirst Applegate, LLP**

Practice areas include: Estate Planning, Estate Administration, Real Estate, Corporate and Business Law, Creditor's Rights and Foreclosure, Forcible Entry and Detainer, Guardian and Conservatorship, Civil Litigation, and Employment Law.

September 2014 - October 2016 Associate, Davis & Cannon, LLP

September 2013 – September 2014 Law Clerk, the Honorable Kelly H. Rankin, United States Chief Magistrate Judge for the District of Wyoming

### EDUCATION

University of Wyoming School of Law, J.D., (with honors), 2013

University of Wyoming, B.A., (Spanish), 2010

University of Wyoming, B.A., (Criminal Justice), 2010

### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Southeast Wyoming Estate Planning Council (2017 to current)

Greater Cheyenne Chamber of Commerce

Greater Cheyenne Chamber of Commerce Red Carpet Committee (2017 to current; 2019 acting Vice Chair)

Business Networking International (2018 to current)

Wyoming State Bar Association (2013 to current)

United States District Court for the District of Wyoming (2014 to current)

United States Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals (2015 to current)

Wyoming Civil Pattern Jury Instruction Committee (2017 – 2019)

Ewing T. Kerr American Inn of Court, (2013 to current, 2017-2019 acting Secretary)

### PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS

*The Probate Process from Start to Finish – Law of Intestate Succession & Handling Claims Against the Estate*, National Business Institute Seminar (December 2017)

*Trusts from A to Z – Generation Skipping/ Dynasty Trusts & Charitable Trusts*, National Business Institute Seminar (June 2017)

*Managing Employee Leaves of Absence*, National Business Institute Seminar, Employment Law (2015) (co-author with Amanda F. Esch of Davis & Cannon, LLP)

*Thank you for "Taking Our Jobs": The Importance of Integrating the Migrant Farmworker into the United States*, 13 WYO. L. REV. 349 (2013)

*Estate Planning Presentations*: Shaina enjoys presenting no-cost speaking engagements to meet with the Laramie County community and to answer questions and discuss the importance, process, and goals of estate planning and why people need wills and trusts in our wild west State of Wyoming. Examples of recent presentation locations include: Blue Federal Credit Union, Holy Trinity Catholic Church, United Methodist Church, LCCC, and Saint Paul's Lutheran Church (partnered with Thrivent Financial).

### COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

CASA of Laramie County

Equal Justice Wyoming Volunteer

### LANGUAGES

Spanish

### PERSONAL

When not working with clients, Shaina enjoys spending time with her husband and young daughter, reading, running, playing piano, attending and participating in Chamber and other community events, giving presentations and writing articles on the importance of estate planning, and volunteering for her church and CASA.