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EMPLOYMENT

January 2021 to Present – Partner, Hirst Applegate, LLP

Practice areas: Estate Planning, Estate and Trust Administration, Special Needs Planning, Real Estate, Corporate and Business Law, Contracts, Guardianship/Conservatorship

January 2017 to December 2020 – Associate, Hirst Applegate, LLP

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

WealthCounsel Member (2017-Present)

Greater Cheyenne Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Cheyenne Class of 2019-2020

Southeast Wyoming Estate Planning Council, Member (2017 to Present)

Greater Cheyenne Chamber of Commerce

Greater Cheyenne Chamber of Commerce Red Carpet Committee (2017 to 2021; 2019 Vice Chair, 2020 Chair, 2021 Past Chair)

Business Networking International, Effective Connections Chapter, Member (April 2019 to Present, Vice President 2019,2020)

Wyoming State Bar Association (2013 to Present)

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

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

Wyoming Civil Pattern Jury Instruction Committee (2017 – 2019)

Ewing T. Kerr American Inn of Court, (2013 – 2022; 2017-2019 acting Secretary)

PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS

LCCC Life Enrichment Speaker discussing estate planning and estate and trust administration topics in a series of classes regarding “*Why and When Would I need a Revocable Living Trust?*” “*Wyoming Probate 101*”, and “*Estate Planning – Which Will, Will I Need?*” (Fall 2021, Spring 2022)

AARP Money Milestones Series Guest Speaker regarding estate planning (11/29/2021 Tele Town Hall and 11/30/2021 Webinar)

The Probate Process from Start to Finish – Uncovering the Laws of Intestacy and How They May Apply, National Business Institute Seminar (December 2019)

Wyoming Probate 101, Cheyenne Regional Medical Center Foundation (April 2019)

Step-by-Step Guide to Drafting Wills and Trusts – Key Elements of Effective Wills, National Business Institute Seminar (November 2018)

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)

Estate Planning Presentations: Shaina enjoys the opportunity to provide the community no-charge educational presentations regarding probate, wills and trusts. Past presentation locations and partnerships have included, but are not limited to: Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Saints Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church, Cheyenne Alliance Church, First Interstate Bank, LCCC

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Foundation, Blue Federal Credit Union, Cheyenne Botanic Gardens, RW Baker Wealth Management, RBC Wealth Management, Edward Jones, Thrivent Financial, Navigation Wealth Management, Wyoming's Department of Workforce Services, and Schrader, Aragon & Jacoby Funeral Home. Should you be interested in learning more, or scheduling a seminar, please contact Shaina by email or phone.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Board Member, Holy Trinity Manor (2021 to Present)
Board Member, Friends of the Cheyenne Botanic Gardens Foundation (2020 to Present)
Greater Cheyenne Chamber of Commerce "Emerging Leader" Finalist, 2020
Volunteer, CASA of Laramie County (2017-2018)
Volunteer, Equal Justice Wyoming
Volunteer, Children's Liturgy Minister, Holy Trinity Catholic Church (2019)

LANGUAGES

Reading, Writing, Conversational Speaking - Spanish

PERSONAL

When not helping clients, Shaina enjoys reading, exercising, cooking, playing the piano, and, most of all, spending time with her husband, Sean and two children. Shaina is a Wyoming native and grew up in Douglas (home of the Jackelope!).