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EDUCATION:

Juris Doctor, University of Baltimore School of Law, 1991, Cum Laude
Master of Science in Business Administration, Boston University, 1984
Bachelor of Science in Institutional Administration, University of Maryland, 1981,
Distinguished Military Graduate
40 Hour Parenting Coordination Training (2018)
Mediation Training (40-hour Basic, Child Access, and Marital Property)
Child Counsel Training (2007)
Georgetown Law, 2016 eDiscovery Training Academy
Arkfeld Online eDiscovery and Digital Evidence Course (2016)

LEGAL EXPERIENCE:

Meiselman Helfant & Wills, LLC
Rockville, Maryland
Partner, (August, 2018 to present)

Area of Practice: Concentration in Family Law, including litigation, negotiation, and appellate work.

Dragga, Hannon, Hessler & Wills, L.L.P.
Rockville, Maryland
Partner, (January, 2001 to August, 2018)
Associate, (June, 1996 to January, 2001)

Area of Practice: Concentration in Family Law, including litigation, negotiation, and appellate work.

Blum, Yumkas, Mailman, Gutman & Denick, P.A.
Baltimore, Maryland
Associate Attorney, (June, 1991 to June, 1996)
Law Clerk, (September, 1989 to June, 1991)

Area of Practice: Civil litigation, including family law cases.

Clark, Crawford & Bonifant
Gaithersburg, Maryland
Summer Intern, (April, 1989 to August, 1989)

AFFILIATIONS:

Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1991.
Fellow, American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, 2015 to present.
Maryland State Bar Association (Family Law Section, Chair June 2014 to June 2015, other leadership positions)
Montgomery County Bar Association (Family Law Section, Co-chair 1999-2000)
American Inns of Court, Montgomery County Inn (Barrister Member (1997- 2003), Executive Committee (2000 - 2003))

BAR ACTIVITIES:

Frequent Lecturer for the Family Law Section of the Maryland State Bar Association.
Co-author: Dorothy R. Fait, Vincent M. Wills, and Sylvia F. Borenstein, "*The Merits of and Problems with Presumptions for Joint Custody*," Maryland Bar Journal, January/February 2012.
Co-author: Vincent M. Wills, P. Lindsay Parvis, *When Do I Become A Spy?* Maryland Bar Journal, May/June, 2009.
Co-author: Cynthia Callahan and Vincent M. Wills, "*Maryland Child Support Guidelines - Time for an Overhaul?*" Maryland Bar Journal, May/June 2006.
Co-author: Cynthia Callahan and Vincent M. Wills, "*Joint Legal Custody*," Maryland Bar Journal, May/June 2005.
Co-author: Cynthia Callahan, Vincent M. Wills, *Searching for Answers About the Role of the Guardian Ad Litem*, Maryland Bar Journal, May/June, 2003

ACCOLADES

AV rated by Martindale-Hubbell
Washingtonian Magazine - Listed among top lawyers in Family Law
Listed in *Super Lawyers Magazine*
Montgomery County Family Law Practitioner of the Year (2017)

REPORTED APPELLATE OPINIONS:

Guillaume v. Guillaume, 243 Md. App. 6, 219 A.3d 66 (2019)
Lee v. Andochick, 182 Md. App. 268, 957 A. 2d. 1038, *cert. denied*, 406 Md. 745 (2008)
Brewer v. Brewer, 156 Md. App. 77, 846 A.2d 1 (2004)
Karmand v. Karmand, 145 Md. App. 317, 802 A.2d 1106 (2002)
Chimes v. Michael, 131 Md. App. 271; 748 A.2d 1065 (2000)
Janelsins v. Button, 102 Md. App. 30, 648 A.2d 1039 (1994)

NON-LEGAL EXPERIENCE:

U.S. Navy Reserve - Lieutenant (1987 to 1990)
United States Air Force - Captain (April, 1982 to August, 1986); Served three years in the Federal Republic of Germany.