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**OBJECTIVE:** *To advocate for and protect minor children's best interests in family case, and to assess and advocate for the child's best interests by applying my nine years of practice, training, and education in the role of best interest attorney and child privilege attorney.*

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Stein Sperling Bennett De Jong Driscoll PC 2008-present

**Attorney-Family Law Group**

- Represent clients in all areas of family law and in all phases of alternative dispute resolution and litigation including: contested child custody, access, modification and support matters; property distribution and alimony.
- Collaborate with mental health professionals regarding custody evaluations, mental health diagnoses, addictions, and potential impact on custodial issues.
- Represent parties in guardianships matters and step-parent adoptions.
- Serve as Court-Appointed Child Privilege Attorney.

Law Offices of Stuart J. Snyder, P.A., Baltimore, Maryland 2003-2008

**Attorney**

- Represented clients in matters involving family law, adoption, and guardianships cases.
- Represent client in chapter 7 and 13 bankruptcy matters and adversary proceedings.

United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Maryland, Baltimore, Maryland 2002-2003

**Judicial Law Clerk, The Honorable E. Stephen Derby**

- Researched Maryland and federal issues of law and drafted judicial opinions and orders.
- Reviewed, analyzed, and researched trial motions and recommended disposition to Judge.

Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County, Maryland 2001-2002

**Judicial Law Clerk, The Honorable Nancy Davis-Loomis**

- Reviewed hundreds of files during "chambers week" on a bi-monthly basis for compliance with Maryland law; rendered recommendations to Judge; drafted judicial opinions and orders.

**BAR ADMISSIONS**

Maryland; December 11, 2001

United States District for the District of Maryland; March 22, 2002

**ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS**

- Maryland State Bar Association, 2001 to present
- Bar Association of Montgomery County Maryland, Family Law Section, 2006 to present
- Bar Association of Montgomery County Maryland, Family Law Section Co-Chair, 2011-present
  - Recipient, BAMC Co-Chair of the Year Award, 2012

**EDUCATION**

University of Maryland School of Law, Baltimore, Maryland

*Juris Doctor, with Honors*, May 2001

Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, Virginia

*Bachelor of Science*, Criminal Justice; *Minor*, Political Science; May 1997