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Education

Wayne State University Law School
Detroit, Michigan
J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2008
Associate Editor, *Wayne Law Review*
Order of the Coif

Calvin College
Grand Rapids, Michigan
B.A., Psychology, 2004

Legal Employment

Varnum
Grand Rapids, Michigan 2008
Associate

Hon. Marilyn Kelly
Michigan Supreme Court
Judicial Intern, 2007

Dykema Gossett PLLC
Grand Rapids, Michigan
Summer Associate, 2007

Admitted to Practice:
Michigan

Practice Areas

Trial law, commercial litigation. Experience includes commercial tort and contract disputes, condemnation and receivership proceedings, real estate disputes, and civil appeals in state and federal courts in Michigan and beyond.

Honors

Recognized as a 2010 "Michigan Rising Star" by *Super Lawyers*

Professional Affiliations

Federal Bar Association

State Bar of Michigan

Timothy P. Monsma

Grand Rapids Bar Association (Litigation Section, Executive Board Member)

Grand Rapids Economic Club

Community Involvement

Heart of West Michigan United Way, Project Blueprint (Board Member)

Representative Matters

Grand Valley Health Corp. v EthosPartners Health Care Management Group, Inc., No. 292446, 2011 WL 255344 (Mich Ct App Jan 27, 2011); successfully defended physicians group and management company against multiple tort and contract claims seeking multi-million dollar recovery. Case was dismissed on the pleadings.

Fedorov v Zada, No. 09-018061-CB, (Wayne County Circuit Court, August 21, 2009); represented receiver in receivership proceedings following \$60 million judgment against defendant.

Gorge v Rapid Advance, LLC, No. 10-11474 (E.D. Mich. April 13, 2010); defended foreign limited liability companies against contract and successor liability claims in excess of \$1 million.

Russo v Shurbet Partners, No. 08-05611-NZ, (Kent County Circuit Court, April 23, 2010); successfully defended real estate developer against statutory conversion and UCC claims totaling \$500,000. Multi-day trial resulted in a decision in favor of developer on all counts.