



Qualifications & Interest Statement

This form is for use by Minnesota State Bar Association members interested in being elected as an MSBA nominee to serve on an outside board or for election to the MSBA Council. **Please print or type.**

Date: April 21, 2009
Name of Board: Minnesota State Bar Foundation Board
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Brief Resume/Qualifications (you may submit a 1-2 page resume): **See attached**

Statement of Interest: **I would like to serve on the board of the Minnesota State Bar Foundation. I am currently a board member for The Saint Paul Foundation and the Minnesota Community Foundation. My previous non-profit board experience was with WINGS (Women in Northfield Giving Support), where I served as President and member of the grants committee. This organization serves women and children in Northfield Minnesota. It annually gives grants up to \$48,000**

Have you ever been subject to public or private disciplinary action by the Lawyers Professional Responsibility Board? Yes No **If YES, attach an explanation.**

Signature: 

Please return via mail or fax (612/333-4927) to:
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600 Nicollet Mall - Suite 380
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Attention: Joni Fenner

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Education:

William Mitchell College of Law, St. Paul, Minnesota, J.D. 2000
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, B.S. Business Administration 1996
(attended 1973-1977, 1996)

Qualified Neutral under Minnesota General Rules of Practice, Rule 114
Alternative Dispute Resolution, William Mitchell College of Law, 2000
Family Law Mediation Training, Conflict Resolution Institute, St. Olaf College 2005
Domestic Abuse Issues Training, Conflict Resolution Institute, St. Olaf College 2005

Legal Experience:

Hvistendahl, Moersch & Dorsey, P.A. (2003-present)

Hvistendahl & Moersch, P.A. (2000-2002)

Law practice in the areas of estates and trusts, family law, real estate, and business planning. Advocate and representative in the courtroom, in mediation, at early neutral evaluation, and in settlement negotiations. (Paralegal/Office Manager/Law Clerk at this firm from 1989 to 2000)

Combined 20 years of experience as a Law Clerk, Paralegal and Legal Secretary in Minnesota, Beverly Hills, Los Angeles, Seattle and Phoenix.

Awards:

"Up and Coming Attorney for 2005" selected from over 6,000 attorneys throughout the state of Minnesota who had been in practice less than seven years, by *Minnesota Lawyer* legal newspaper.

Current Affiliations:

William Mitchell College of Law, Adjunct Professor, Estates and Trusts
Fifth District Bar Association, member/former president
Rice County Bar Association, member/former president
Minnesota State Bar Association, member/alternate assembly member representing Fifth District
Minnesota State Bar Association, presenter, legal education classes
Northfield Community Education, presenter, classes on Estate Planning
Minnesota Community Foundation, member Board of Directors 2006-present
The Saint Paul Foundation, member Board of Directors 2007-present
WINGS (Women in Northfield Giving Support), member, former president, founding member

Past Positions:

Minnesota State Bar Association, member of Judiciary Committee (2004-2008)
William Mitchell College of Law, Adjunct Professor, Client Counseling Skills (2002-2005)
Volunteer, KSTP-TV Lawline, providing legal advice to callers (2003-2006)
Defeat of Jesse James Days Committee, committee member (1989-2001)
Northfield Senior Citizens Center, member of Endowment Committee (2000-2004)
Northfield AAUW, co-chair of "I'm Going to College" event, which encourages students to attend post-secondary education (2002-2004)