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WORK EXPERIENCE:

1/17 – present Trovillion, Inveiss & Demakis APC – responsible for managing a caseload of workers' compensation claims including evaluation of issues and preparing recommendations for bringing the claims to resolution as efficiently as possible. Attendance at depositions, hearings and settlement conferences.

1/03 – 12/16 McDermott & Clawson LLP – responsible for managing a caseload of workers' compensation claims.

8/98 – 5/02 While attending law school, I clerked for the Legal Aid Society, Orange County District Attorney's Office and the civil litigation firms of Treadway, Lumsdaine & Doyle and Law Office of Mario Mainero.

6/97 – 8/98 Los Angeles Times – responsible for sales of newspaper advertising to restaurants and entertainment venues.

9/84 – 6/97 Irvine World News – responsible for sales of newspaper advertising within a geographic territory, also managed the direct marketing campaign.

2/81 – 6/84 The Daily News – responsible for sales of newspaper advertising to major accounts (department stores).

6/78 – 2/81 The Broadway Department Store – selected for their management training program and became assistant buyer of children's clothing.

EDUCATION:

8/98 – 5/02 Whittier Law School – graduated Magna Cum Laude

8/79 – 5/84 California State University, Northridge – MBA

9/74 – 6/78 University of California, San Diego – Bachelor's Degree in Management Science

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

Member of the State Bar of California and Orange County Bar Association