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EDUCATION:

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW

Columbia, South Carolina

Juris Doctor, May 1995

GPR: 3.101

- * J.B. Ness Scholarship Recipient
- * Member, Student Bar Association
- * Research Assistant for Professor Howard Stravitz, August 1993 - May 1994

COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON

Charleston, South Carolina

Bachelor of Arts, May 1991

Major: U.S. History

GPR: 3.966

Graduated *summa cum laude*

- * History Departmental Honors Award 1991
- * Rebecca Motte Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution American History Prize 1991
- * Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society 1991
- * Federation of Women's Club American History Prize 1990
- * Phi Alpha Theta National History Honor Society 1990
- * Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges 1989-90
- * Omicron Delta Kappa National Leadership Honor Society 1989
- * Outstanding College Students of America 1989

WORK EXPERIENCE:

Laddaga - Garrett, P.A.

Attorney/Shareholder: September 29, 1997 - Present

Laddaga & Drachman, P.A.

Attorney/Associate: November 13, 1995 - September 28, 1997

Law Clerk: May 1993 - November 12, 1995

Trident Technical College, Palmer Campus

Adjunct Professor: Spring 2003 - Spring 2005

University of South Carolina Department of Continuing Education

Instructor, Paralegal Certificate Program: Fall 1994 - Fall 1998

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE:

- *South Carolina Supreme Court - November 13, 1995
- *United States District Court for the District of South Carolina - December 14, 1995
- *United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit - February 6, 1996

PUBLICATIONS:

“Discharge Planning for the ‘Abandoned Patient’ Part Deux” with Lawrence A. Laddaga, Esquire, CMPA, and John K. Crout, Esquire. Published October, 1994, *The Rebel Yell* - official publication of the S.C. Chapter Healthcare Financial Management Association

PRESENTATIONS:

“Medical Records Law in South Carolina,” Lorman Education Services, October 21, 2004, Charleston, South Carolina

“HIPAA Compliance: Understanding and Implementing the Security and Privacy Regulations in South Carolina,” Lorman Education Services, June 21, 2002, Charleston, South Carolina

“Legal Aspects of Patient Care,” Shriner’s Hospitals for Children, May 3, 2002, Greenville, South Carolina

“Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information: Part II,” The South Carolina Association of Rehabilitation Facilities (SCARF), February 8, 2002, Columbia, SC

“Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information,” The South Carolina Association of Rehabilitation Facilities (SCARF), September 14, 2001, Columbia, SC

“Overview of Compliance: OIG Compliance Guidance for Hospitals, Role of the Compliance Officer,” South Carolina Healthcare Financial Management Association, June 6, 2001, Columbia, SC

“Developing Your Practice’s Compliance Program: Steps and Strategies,” South Carolina Medical Association, October 5, 2000, Columbia, SC

“Compliance: Fraud and Abuse for Integrated Health Systems,” Medical Group Management Association and Healthcare Financial Management Association Joint Annual Meeting, December 7, 1998, Charleston, SC

“Practical Legal Research and Analysis for the Paralegal in South Carolina,” Institute for Paralegal Education, September 17, 1998, Charleston, SC

“Stark II: Staying Out From Behind the Eight Ball,” South Carolina Hospital Association, April 7, 1998, Columbia, SC

“Corporate Compliance,” Joint Affiliated Societies Meeting Sponsored by the South Carolina Hospital Association, March 23, 1998, Myrtle Beach, SC

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- *South Carolina Bar
 - Health Care Law Section - Past Chair