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#### **CURRICULUM VITAE**

Expert witness trainer and consultant. Assists experts of all disciplines through SEAK's seminars, oneon-one report writing review, testimony preparation and business development. Former litigator and trial attorney.

#### **Current Position**

Assistant Vice President/Associate Consultant (2020-Present)
SEAK, Inc. – The Expert Witness Training Company
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# **Professional Experience**

**Associate**, Litigation Department, Partridge, Snow & Hahn, LLP (*May 2019-January 2020*) *Mid-sized full-service law firm based in Providence, RI*.

- Drafted mediation memorandum regarding point-of-sale software dispute
- Researched issues of law regarding patent disputes and drafts memorandums of law regarding same
- Completed extensive review of e-discovery conducted in patent dispute case

Associate, Lynch & Lynch (March 2016-May 2019)

Insurance defense firm specializing in personal injury, premises liability, and general civil litigation.

- Prepared for and second-chaired two Superior Court trials wrongful death, personal injury –
   both resulting in defense verdicts
- Conducted direction examination of client in Superior Court trial
- Prepared for and conducted successful Boston Municipal Court bench trial
- Attended status conferences, pre-trial conferences, final trial conferences in Superior Court,
   Federal District Court
- Drafted memorandums in support of motions for summary judgment

- Conducted initial client meetings to determine facts of the case, prepare discovery responses and assess client's ability to testify at trial
- Determined need for expert witness in numerous cases, located and retained expert witnesses, reviewed expert witness reports, prepared expert witnesses for depositions and trials
- Conducted pre-trial meetings with clients to prepare for testimony
- Took deposition of clients, plaintiffs, and witnesses

#### Education

#### University of Massachusetts School of Law, North Dartmouth, Massachusetts

J.D., (May 2015), Cum Laude

- UMass Law Review Executive Conference Editor
- Public Interest Law Fellow
- Dean's Fellow
- Member, UMass Law Environmental Club

#### St. Mary's College of Maryland, St. Mary's City, Maryland

B.A., Political Science (May 2010)

- Member, Varsity Sailing Team, National Champions 2007, 2009, 2010
- St. Mary's College of Maryland Student-Athlete Academic Achievement Award 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010.
- All-American Sailing Team 2009, 2010
- All-MAISA Sailing Team 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010

# Continuing Education Seminars - Faculty

- 1. "How to be an Effective Expert Witness," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, December 4-5, 2021, Naples, FL
- 2. "How to Start, Build and Run a Successful Expert Witness Practice," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, December 2-3, 2021, Naples, FL
- 3. "How to Make More Money as an Expert Witness," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, September 25-26, 2021, Falmouth, MA
- 4. "How to be a More Persuasive Expert Witness at Trial," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, September 23-24, 2021, Falmouth, MA
- 5. "How to Write a Bulletproof Expert Witness Report," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, June 9-11, 2021, 700m
- 6. "How to Be an Effective Expert Witness," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, June 2-4, 2021, Zoom
- 7. "How to Excel at Your Expert Witness Deposition," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, March 10-12, 2021, 700m
- 8. "How to Strat, Build and Run a Successful Expert Witness Practice," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, Mach 3-5, 2021, Zoom
- 9. "How to Write a Bulletproof Expert Witness Report," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, December 8-10, 2020, Zoom
- 10. "How to Be an Effective Expert Witness," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, December 2-4, 2020, Zoom
- 11. "How to Be a More Persuasive Expert Witness at Trial," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, September 23-25, 2020, Zoom
- 12. "How to Make More Money as an Expert Witness," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, September 9-11, 2020, Zoom

13. "How to Be an Effective Expert Witness," SEAK, Inc. Seminar, March 5-6, 2020, San Diego, CA

### **Publications**

1. Mangraviti JJ, Donovan NN and Wilbur KJ, **2021 SEAK, Inc. Survey of Expert Witness Fees** (E-Book) (SEAK 2021).

### Admitted to Practice Law

Massachusetts, 2015 United States District Court, District of Massachusetts, 2016

### **Public Service**

Commissioner, Conservation Commission, Town of Dartmouth, Massachusetts, 2017-Present