

PROFESSIONAL RESUME

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- PROFESSION:**
- (1) *Shareholder in law firm of RHOADES McKEE, Grand Rapids, Michigan, June 1997 to present*
 - (2) *Partner in trial law firm of CHOLETTE PERKINS & BUCHANAN, Grand Rapids, Michigan, January 1993 to June 1997*
 - (3) *Associate attorney in trial law firm of CHOLETTE PERKINS & BUCHANAN, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1985 to January 1993*

TRIAL PRACTICE & EXPERIENCE: *Litigation attorney with special emphasis in medical malpractice, dental malpractice, premises liability, products liability, general negligence and contract law.*

Experience includes jury trials to verdict in all areas of specialization. Extensive experience in motion practice, expert consultations, depositions and mediations. Have represented physicians in the specialties of emergency medicine, family practice, general surgery, cardiothoracic surgery, internal medicine, neurology, anesthesiology, nephrology, obstetrics/gynecology, orthopedics and radiology

EDUCATION: *Juris Doctor, 1985, St. Louis University School of Law, St. Louis, Missouri*

Bachelor of Arts, Government, 1982, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS: *Michigan Bar Association (Negligence Section, Health Law Section); American Bar Association (Health Law Litigation Committee, Litigation Section); Grand Rapids Bar Association (Litigation Section, Member Board of Directors, Young Lawyers Section 1991-1993, Co-Chairman Admissions Committee 1993-1995, Trustee 1995 to present, Judicial Review Panel 2006-2007); Michigan Defense Trial Counsel, Inc.; Defense Research Institute; Founding Barrister of the Grand Rapids Chapter of the American Inns of Court 1995 to 1998; Michigan State Bar Foundation, Fellow 2001 to present*

COMMUNITY SERVICE: *Notre Dame Club of Grand Rapids, Board of Directors 1990-1996; Junior Achievement of the Michigan Great Lakes, Board of Directors 1993-1994; Camp Fire Boys & Girls of America, Kent County Chapter, Board of Directors 1995-1997; Kent County Habitat for Humanity, Special Cabinet for Development, 1995-1997; Blythefield Country Club, Board of Directors 2004-2007, President 2007; Immaculate Heart of Mary, Kilgore Education Foundation, Member Board of Directors/Secretary 2003 to present*