

RESUME

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Postsecondary Education

Florida State University, Ph.D. in Public Administration (2001) - Doctoral dissertation: *Hazards in the Dual Banking System: Survival Analysis and Population Ecology of Florida Banks, Thrifts and Credit Unions*

Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government, M.P.A. (1994)

University of Miami, J.D. (1974) - West Book Award: Constitutional Law

University of Miami, B.B.A. (1968) - Iron Arrow Honor Society

Professional Experience - Teaching

Current: Fulltime Lecturer, University of Miami, Department of Political Science (Introduction to American Government, Public Policy and Administration, State Government and Politics, Administrative Law, Nonprofit Organizations: Law, Policy, and Management, Political Analysis, and Game Theory)

Former: Adjunct Faculty, Florida State University, Department of Public Administration (Law for Managers of Public and Nonprofit Organizations); Adjunct Faculty, Florida International University, Department of Political Science (Constitutional Law)

Professional Experience - Attorney at Law

University of Miami, Office of General Counsel (2004-2005), Blackwell & Walker (1987-1994), Britton, Cohen, et al. (1984-1987), Goodwin, Ryskamp, Welcher & Carrier (1974-1984)

Areas of practice: Civil appellate law (e.g., insurance, banking, torts, medical malpractice); administrative law, constitutional law and government relations.

Law review article: The Application of State Sunshine Laws to Institutions of Higher Education, 4 *Journal of College and University Law* 83 (1976)

Government Experience - Executive

Deputy Comptroller, State of Florida (2000-2002). *Duties:* Oversight of state accounting, auditing, and financial information management systems.

Director, Division of Banking, Florida Department of Banking and Finance (1995-2000). *Duties:* Prudential supervision of 350 state-chartered commercial banks, savings associations, credit unions, and international banking offices.

Government Experience - Legislative

Florida House of Representatives (1982-1994). *Chaired:* Aging and Human Services Committee (1992-1994), Commerce Committee (1988-1992), Insurance Committee (1987-1988), Miami-Dade County Legislative Delegation (1984-1985).

Major legislation: Banking, insurance, workers' compensation, tort reform and medical malpractice; prime sponsor and principal author of the 1988 Taxation and Budget Reform Amendment to the Florida Constitution.

Awards and Honors: Extensive list – available on request.

Government Experience - Lobbyist

University of Miami (2004-2005)

Duties: Represented UM School of Medicine in state capitol; authored the Enterprise Bill for Patient Protection and Provider Liability; organized a statewide advocacy coalition to support UM's legislative initiative; supervised a team of UM lobbyists; testified before various House and Senate committees; coordinated with the Governor's office and other executive branch officials.

Associated Industries of Florida (2003-2004)

Duties: Supervised all AIF lobbyists; analyzed and prioritized bills of interest to the Florida business community; wrote AIF legislative agenda, mid-session status reports, and post-session legislative summaries; testified before numerous House and Senate committees; coordinated lobbying efforts with other business and professional associations.

Florida Department of Banking and Finance (1995-2002)

Duties: Participated in meetings with legislators, staff, and executive branch officials on major legislative issues, such as statutory authorization for interstate banking and branching, performance based budgeting, and government reorganization (i.e., consolidation of the Department of Banking and Finance with the Department of Insurance); drafted legislation.

Government Experience - Military

Commissioned Officer, United States Marine Corps (1968-1971);
Company Commander, U.S. Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba

Professional Organizations

Florida Bar Association
American Political Science Association
American Society for Public Administration

Skills

Office: High level of proficiency with Microsoft Word, Excel, and Power Point.

Quantitative: Proficient with an array of statistics and econometrics packages (such as SPSS, STATA, EViews, PC Give, LIMDEP), and also some highly specialized programs for data envelopment analysis, decision analysis, structural equation modeling, linear programming, and forecasting.

Language: Spanish, French, Portuguese, Italian (albeit at varying levels of proficiency)

Hobbies

Travel, physical fitness, Florida fiction, West Highland White Terriers