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MARSHALL R. LURTZ, ESQ.

Admitted to the State Bar of California
U.S. District Court for the Southern District of California
U.S. District Court for the Central District of California
U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Mr. Lurtz is Of Counsel with Lepiscopo & Associates. His primary practice areas include class actions, labor and employment law, and personal injury. He represents clients in both State and Federal Courts, in addition to alternative dispute resolution forums.

Mr. Lurtz is a member of the Consumer Attorneys of San Diego (CASD) and serves as the Employment Law Column Editor for Trial Bar News, a CASD publication. He is licensed to practice law in California and in the U.S. District Courts for the Southern, Northern, and Central District of California.

Mr. Lurtz received his B.A. in Political Science from the University of Kansas. During this time he also studied Political Theory and German at the University of Bonn, Germany. Mr. Lurtz received his J.D. degree from Thomas Jefferson School of Law, where he graduated with Honors. While in law school, Mr. Lurtz was an Editor for the Thomas Jefferson Law Review and externed for Hon. Joseph N. Camacho in the Superior Court of the Northern Mariana Islands. Mr. Lurtz also received a scholarship to study both Private and Public International Law in Pristina, Kosovo.

When not practicing, Mr. Lurtz enjoys long-distance running, reading, hiking, and golfing. He also enjoys spending quality time with family and friends.

LEGAL CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: LEPISCOPO & ASSOCIATES
(June 2016 to Present)

Corporate and Business Law, Labor and Employment Law, & Civil Litigation

- Performed all tasks associated with state and federal civil litigation, including preparing discovery, legal memoranda, and pleadings, motions, and petitions.
- Provide legal analysis and advise on labor and employment law matters

Additional Experience

Cadena Churchill, LLP, San Diego, CA: November 2015 to December 2016, Associate Attorney – Complex Civil Litigation / Class Action / Labor & Employment Law

- Draft and amend class action pleadings; client intake; witness preparation; case investigation
- Law & Motion: including demurrers, motions to compel, arbitration, certification motions (also decertification), transfer/venue, evidentiary, settlement, sanctions, and fee motions;
- Discovery: propound and respond; taking and defending depositions;
- Attend hearings and case management conferences; mediation; DLSE hearings; and
- Editor of the Employment Law Column for Trial Bar News.

Justice Law Corporation, Glendale, CA: March 2015 to November 2015, Associate Attorney – Complex Civil Litigation / Class Action / Labor Law & Employment Law

- Draft and amend pleadings; draft and argue motions, including dispositive and discovery motions; prepare mediation briefs.
- Perform extensive legal research and legal writing.
- Attend hearings, case management and scheduling conferences.
- Propound and respond to discovery; meet and confer with opposing counsel.
- Communicate with witnesses, opposing counsel, and the court.
- Conduct client interviews and witness preparation.

Law Office of Ronald A. Marron, APLC, San Diego, CA: September 2014 to March 2015, Associate Attorney – Complex Civil Litigation / Class Action / Consumer Law

- Drafted and amended pleadings; propounded and responded to discovery, and document review.
- Drafted and argued motions, including dispositive and discovery motions.
- Conducted and defended depositions of witnesses and experts.
- Participated in mediation and alternative dispute resolution.
- Attended hearings, case management and scheduling conferences.
- Met and conferred with opposing counsel; communicated with court, clients and experts.

Law Office of Michael L. Trestick, San Diego, CA: August 2013 to August 2014, Associate/Law Clerk - Personal Injury/ Civil Litigation

- Prepared complaints, demands, declarations and orders.
- Prepared and responded to motions and discovery.
- Communicated with court, opposing counsel, clients, medical professionals and experts.
- Participated in hearings, mediations, depositions and independent medical examinations.

Pacific Justice Institute/Lepiscopo & Associates Law Firm, San Diego, CA: Spring 2013, Public Interest Spring Intern to Mr. Pete Lepiscopo

- Drafted civil legal memoranda.
- Reviewed and evaluated client communications.

Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Saipan, CNMI: May–August 2012, Summer Extern to Superior Court Judges Joseph A. Camacho and David A. Wiseman

- Researched and drafted civil and criminal bench memoranda and orders.
- Performed extensive legal research and writing; participate in judicial conferences

HIGHLIGHT OF LANGUAGES & INTERESTS:

- Proficient in German.
- Personal Interests: running, reading, writing, jurisprudence, and travel.

EDUCATION:

Thomas Jefferson School of Law, San Diego, CA, Juris Doctor, *Cum Laude*

GPA/Rank: 3.27; Top 25%

Honors: *Thomas Jefferson Law Review*, Editor
Jefferson Medal Recipient, Fall 2012
Certificate of Excellence in Mediation
Distinguished Honor Roll, Fall of 2011 and 2012
Scholarship Recipient University of Pristina, Kosovo

Study Abroad: University of Pristina, Kosovo (Summer 2011)
Touro College of Berlin, Germany (Summer 2011)

Activities: Christian Legal Society, Co-President
International Law Society, Secretary
Research Assistant to Professor Luz
Herrera

University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS, Bachelor of Arts in Political Science, May 2010

Major GPA: 3.78

Honors: Phi Beta Delta International Honors Society
National Political Science Honors Society

Study Abroad: University of Bonn, Germany (Spring of 2008 and Summer of 2008)

Activities: Global Awareness Program