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EXPERIENCE

Trenk, DiPasquale, Della Fera & Sodono, P.C., West Orange, NJ 2007 – Present
Director. Commercial litigation; debtor/creditor rights; corporate and personal reorganizations; serve as assignee and counsel in assignments for benefit of creditors; represent federal receivers and fiscal agents, Chapter 11 and Chapter 7 trustees, and creditors' committees; serve on the firm's executive committee and charged with supervising all employees; supervise firm's pro bono department.

United States Department of Justice, United States Trustee's Office
Newark, NJ 1999 – 2007
Assistant United States Trustee. Appointed by the Honorable Janet Reno, Attorney General of the United States of America, January 30, 2000; Supervised all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in New Jersey; served as trial counsel; managed staff of attorneys, accountants, paralegals, administrative personnel, and bankruptcy trustees.

Cole, Schotz, Meisel, Forman and Leonard, P.A., Hackensack, NJ 1992 – 1999
Attorney. Specialized in bankruptcy, debtor/creditor rights, and commercial litigation with extensive experience in the representation of Chapter 7 and 11 trustees.

Budd Lerner, PC, Short Hills, NJ 1991-1992
Attorney. Specialized in bankruptcy and debtor/creditor rights.

**The Honorable Daniel J. Moore, United States Bankruptcy Court,
District of New Jersey**, Newark, NJ 1990 – 1991
Law Clerk

Internal Revenue Service, Newark, NJ 1985 – 1990
Internal Revenue Agent

EDUCATION

Seton Hall University School of Law, J.D., 1990

Kean University, B.S. in Accounting; *Cum Laude, Omicron Delta Epsilon*;
Honor Society in Economics, 1985

ADMISSIONS

- State of New Jersey
- State of New York
- Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- Third Circuit Court of Appeals
- United States Tax Court
- United States District Court, District of New Jersey
- Supreme Court of New Jersey

MILITARY

United States Marine Corps 1976 – 1981
Sergeant. Honor Graduate; served as Elite Guard, United States Embassies in Budapest, Hungary, and Lisbon, Portugal.

AFFILIATIONS/DISTINCTIONS

- New Jersey Super Lawyer, 2012, 2013, and 2014
- Selected as “Top attorneys in New Jersey” by *New Jersey Monthly Magazine*, 2013
- Selected “Top Legal Mind” by *Inside New Jersey*, 2013
- Appointed by Supreme Court Justice Stuart Rabner to serve on the supreme Court of New Jersey District Ethics Committee for Essex County, District VA
- Lecturer for New Jersey Institute of Continuing Legal Education
- Lecturer for NJ Bankruptcy Foundation’s Financial Literacy Project
- Certified Foreclosure Mediator
- Bankruptcy Court Mediator
- Named Pro Bono Attorney of the Year by Volunteer Lawyers for Justice, 2007
- AV[®] Preeminent[™] rating by Martindale-Hubbell[®]