

KIMBERLY M. HALVORSEN

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

- CLIFFORD LAW OFFICES, P.C.** 2007-Present
Associate
Concentration in Aviation Liability, Medical & Hospital Negligence, and Transportation Liability
- CLIFFORD LAW OFFICES, P.C.** 2005-2006
Law Clerk
- OFFICE OF ILLINOIS ATTORNEY GENERAL LISA MADIGAN** 2003-2004
Law Clerk, Criminal Enforcement Division

EDUCATION

- DEPAUL UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE OF LAW** December 2006
Juris Doctor, Magna Cum Laude, Order of the Coif
Member, Law Review
Dean's List
CALI Awards for Excellence in Trial Advocacy, Civil Procedure, and Products Liability Litigation
- UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN** May 2000
Bachelor of Science in Political Science
Dean's List
Phi Sigma Alpha Political Science Honor Society

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT

- IL. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, OFFICE OF SPEAKER MICHAEL J. MADIGAN** 2000-2002
Program Specialist, Issues Development Unit
Worked with State Representatives to develop and implement legislative agendas, research state-funded district programs, and staff House committees considering legislation affecting the state's budget, judiciary, health care, and public safety.
- DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF ILLINOIS** 2000-2002
Community Outreach Program Coordinator
Assisted Chairman Michael J. Madigan in implementing an outreach program to create an open dialogue with key democratic constituencies.

PRESENTATIONS & PUBLICATIONS

- Pitfalls and Pratfalls of Settling a Tort Case, Chicago Bar Association, Young Lawyers Section, Tort Litigation Committee, October 2011
- Incorporating Pro Bono Work into Your Practice, Public Interest Law Initiative, DePaul College of Law, October 2010
- Professional Insight Panel, Women's Law Caucus and Women's Bar Association, DePaul College of Law, March 2008
- Why Illinois Consumers Should Not Buy into What Corporate America is Selling*, TRIAL JOURNAL OF THE ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION, Vol. 9, Number 1, Winter 2007
- Security Sensitive Information: Does It Impede Justice? Robert A. Clifford, Aviation Litigation Seminar, American Bar Association, New York, June 2, 2006, Contributing Author
- Understanding Products Liability Law, Bruce Ottley & Terrence Kiley, 2006, Contributing Author

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

CHICAGO BAR ASSOCIATION

Member, Judicial Evaluation Committee, 2009-Present
Member, Young Lawyers Section, 2007- Present

ILLINOIS TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION

AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

Member, Section of Litigation, 2007-Present
Member, Young Lawyers Division, 2007-Present

CHICAGO INN OF COURT

Member, 2007-Present

COMMUNITY SERVICE

CHICAGO VOLUNTEER LEGAL SERVICES

Chair, Junior Board, 2011-Present
Vice –Chair, Junior Board, 2009-2010
Member, Junior Board, 2009-Present
Volunteer, 2008- Present

CHICAGO BAR FOUNDATION

Member, Young Professionals Board, 2011- Present

HONORS

2012 SUPER LAWYERS RISING STAR

2009 PRO BONO STAR, CHICAGO BAR FOUNDATION