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Education:

University of Dayton, Juris Doctor, 1982;
University of Dayton, B.A. in political science/pre-law, 1979.

Admissions:

Ohio Bar, 1982
U.S. District Court, Southern District of Ohio, 1983
U.S. Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit, 1984.

Member:

Dayton Bar Association
Ohio State Bar Association
Certified Grievance Committee for Dayton Bar Association, 1992 – 2001; Chairman, 1997 - 1999.
Dayton Bar Association Counsel, 2001-present.

Employment:

Cross & Turner, a general practice law firm (1983-1985).
Allbery, Cross & Turner, a general practice law firm (1986-1987).
Law Offices of John M. Ruffolo (1988-1992).
Ruffolo, Stone & Dressel, a general practice law firm (1992-2014).
Ruffolo, Stone & Stone, a general practice law firm (2014-present).

Practice Areas: Real Estate, Corporate/Business, General Civil Litigation, Probate, Personal Injury and Domestic Relations, Ethics/Discipline.

Awards:

AV Preeminent© Attorney in Martindale Hubble (2004-Present)

Presentations:

New Lawyer Training - 02/19/2009
Annual Criminal Law Seminar - 05/08/2009
Conflicts of Interest in a Full-Service Law Firm - 12/17/2009
Domestic Relations – Professionalism – 12/2010
Ethical Considerations & the Grievance Process - 09/25/2012
Flying Solo: Starting, Managing and Maintaining a Solo Practice - 10/05/2012
Mistakes You Don't Want to Make: Common Ethics Issues & Disciplinary Problems - 12/02/2013
Professionalism, Law Practice Management & Client Fund Management - 12/04/2013
Legal Malpractice Issues & Ethical Traps - 10/02/2014
Professionalism, Law Practice Management & Client Fund Management - 12/03/2014
Ohio Ethics Update - 01/12/2015
Professional Conduct: The Top 10 Ethics Mistakes - 12/04/2015
Ethics Year in Review - 12/19/2016
Recent Ethics Violations and the Ethical Perils of Social Media - 10/26/2017
Young Lawyer Development (YLD) Core Components: IOLTA/Professionalism - 11/29/2017
2018 Ethics Case Law Review & New Advisory Opinions - 11/15/2018
Young Lawyer Development (YLD) Core Components: IOLTA/Professionalism - 12/2018

2019 Ethics Case Law Review & New Advisory Opinions - 11/14/2019
Young Lawyer Development (YLD): IOLTA/Professionalism - 12/04/2019
2020 Ethics Case Law Review & New Advisory Opinions – 11/2020
Young Lawyer Development (YLD): IOLTA/Professionalism - 12/2020
2021 Ethics Case Law Review & New Advisory Opinions - 11/2021
Young Lawyer Development (YLD): IOLTA/Professionalism - 12/2021
2022 Ethics Case Law Review & New Advisory Opinions - 11/2022
Young Lawyer Development (YLD): IOLTA/Professionalism - 12/2022
2023 Ethics Case Law Review & New Advisory Opinions - 11/2023
Young Lawyer Development (YLD): IOLTA/Professionalism - 12/2023

Soccer/Community Activities:

Board Member:

Ohio Soccer Association
President (2021-Present)

Ohio South Youth Soccer Association
President (2017-Present)
Appeals Chairperson (2009-2016)
Board Member (2013-Present)

Miami Valley Youth Soccer Association
President (2011-2016)
Vice-President of Conduct (2009-2011)
Board Member (2008-2016)

Coaching:

Northern Warren County Soccer Club
Head Soccer Coach (2009-2014); U-13 State Cup Champion 2012

ISC Storm / Centerville Recreational / Washington Township Recreation Center
Head Soccer Coach (1997-2010);

South Dayton Knights Basketball Program
Head Coach (2010-2014)
Assistant Coach (2008-2010)

Incarnation Grade School
Basketball Coach (2005-2016)

Oakwood High School
Varsity Women's Head Coach (1983-1986)

Oakwood Jr. High School
Boy's Assistant Coach (1981-1982)

Playing Career:

University of Dayton
Men's Varsity Soccer (1976-1979)