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EMPLOYMENT

2003 to Present - Partner, **Hirst Applegate, LLP.**

- Chairman of firm's management committee.
- Practice areas: Civil Litigation, Personal Injury Litigation, Products Liability Litigation, Employment Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Trucking Litigation, and Employment Counseling, including employment law training.

2002 to 2003 - Associate, **Hogan & Hartson, LLP**

- Practice areas: Civil Litigation, Employment, Products Liability Litigation, Securities Litigation, Personal Injury Litigation, and Contract Litigation.

2001 to 2002 - Law Clerk, **Honorable William C. Beaman, United States District Court** for Wyoming

EDUCATION

University of Wyoming, J.D. (Order of the Coif), 2001
University of Wyoming, M.A. (Political Science), 1995
University of Wyoming, B.S. with Honor, 1993

RECENT CASES

- Obtained summary judgment for international news agencies in federal court defamation action.
- Successfully defended heavy equipment manufacturer in a state court trial where plaintiff sought \$9 million in personal injury damages.
- Successfully tried a complex construction contract case in federal court and received a \$6.2 million verdict and nearly \$1 million in interest for a general contractor.
- Tried and obtained defense verdict in wrongful termination and due process jury trial brought by former school district superintendent.
- Obtained summary judgment and affirmation on appeal for a former state employee in a RICO case.

- Obtained dismissal for lack of jurisdiction in a federal case on behalf of Canadian manufacturer of an oil rig.
- Tried and obtained defense verdict in case for personal injuries suffered in an accident on a 131-foot manlift.

REPORTED CASES

Wyoming Corporate Services v. CNBC, LLC, 2014 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 104094, 2014 WL 3686422 (D. Wyo. 2014)
Kruckenber v. Ding Masters, Inc., 2008 WY 40 (2008)
Eastman v. Union Pacific Railroad, 493 F.3d 1151 (10th Cir. 2007)
United States Aviation Underwriters, Inc. v. Dassault Aviation, 2007 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 35028 (D. Wyo. 2007)
Boswell v. Colloid Emvtl. Techs. Co., 236 F.R.D. 682 (D. Wyo. 2006)
Killian v. Caza Drilling, Inc., 2006 WY 42 (2006)
Briefing.com v. Jones, 2006 WY 16 (2006)

ACTIVITIES & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- AV rating in the *Martindale-Hubbell Law Directory*
- Recognized in *Best Lawyers in America* for Commercial Litigation, Labor & Employment, and Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
- Recognized in *Chambers USA-America's Leading Lawyers* for Employment Law and General Commercial Litigation.
- Recognized as a 2014 Super Lawyer
- Recognized in Benchmark Litigation as a litigation star in General Commercial Litigation.
- 2009 to present: Board of Continuing Legal Education, Wyoming State Bar (currently chairman)
- 2007 to present: State Representative, Defense Research Institute (DRI)
- Member of University of Wyoming's Athletic Director's Council.
- Board of Directors University of Wyoming Cowboy Joe Club (Athletic Scholarship Club)

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- 2005 to present: District, State, and National Judge for “We the People – The Citizens and the Constitution” Educational Program and high school mock trial coach
- 2000 to 2001: Editor-in-Chief, Wyoming Law Review
- 1993 to present: Phi Beta Kappa

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Wyoming State Bar Association; Colorado Bar Association; DRI-Defense Research Institute

PERSONAL: Mr. Jarosh and his wife have two children, Alexander and Addison.