

JONATHAN B. SLATER
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BAR MEMBERSHIP

Admitted to Virginia State Bar, November 2008

EDUCATION

Suffolk University Law School

Juris Doctor

Boston, MA
2008

- Dean's List, Fall 2006, Spring 2007
- Dean's List, Fall 2007, Spring 2008

Radford University

Bachelor of Music, Cum Laude, Performance

Radford, VA
2003

- Dean's List, all semesters
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society

Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Completed Three Semesters of Undergraduate Study

Blacksburg, VA
1999

EXPERIENCE

Burnett & Williams, P.C.

Attorney

Orange, VA
2018-Present

- Extensive experience negotiating, litigating, mediating, and resolving personal injury cases
- Obtained with co-counsel, Peter C. Burnett, what is believed to be the highest wrongful death verdict in Virginia history
- Selected for National Trial Lawyer's Virginia top 40 under 40 in 2012 and 2013

Slater & Smith

Attorney

Orange, VA
2016-2018

- Extensive experience negotiating, litigating, mediating, and resolving personal injury cases
- Worked with clients on a wide variety of cases throughout the Piedmont region

Senior Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney, Culpeper County, VA

Attorney - 1 year, 3 months

Culpeper, VA
September 2014 – December 2015

- Assisted Commonwealth's Attorney and Deputy Commonwealth's Attorney in managing office of six attorneys and three legal assistants.
- Appeared primarily in Circuit Court for adjudication of felonies and misdemeanor appeals, but regularly assisted in General District Court and Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court.
- Possess a superior working knowledge of Virginia criminal procedure, trial practice, and evidence
- Courtroom experience includes, among other things, jury trials, bench trials, and suppression hearings

Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney, Culpeper County, VA

Attorney – 1 year, 3 months

Culpeper, VA
August 2013 – September 2014

- Responsible for prosecution of crimes involving domestic violence, sexual abuse, and stalking
- Capably tried cases in Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court, General District Court, and Circuit Court
- Demonstrated tact and poise in rapidly evolving and emotionally charged court room situations

Jonathan Slater
Cont.

- Embraced a solution oriented and inspired approach to promoting victim and witness cooperation in J&DR trial practice

Burnett & Williams, P.C.

Attorney – 3 years

Leesburg, VA

February 2010 – February 2013

- Extensive experience negotiating, litigating, mediating, and resolving personal injury cases
- Obtained with co-counsel, Peter C. Burnett, what was believed to be the highest wrongful death verdict in Virginia history
- Selected for National Trial Lawyers' Virginia top 40 under 40 in 2012 and 2013
- Spearheaded efforts to improve firm efficiency, accountability, and workflow

MEMBERSHIPS

Virginia Trial Lawyers Association

Orange County Bar Association

Virginia Diversity Foundation