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## EXPERIENCE:

### MANATT, PHELPS & PHILLIPS

#### **PARTNER**

2021 to Present

Provide regulatory defense and counseling to financial services and health care companies. Manage responses to numerous supervisory and investigative matters from federal and state financial services and health care regulators.

### CONSUMER FINANCIAL PROTECTION BUREAU

#### **ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR – DIVISION OF SUPERVISION, ENFORCEMENT & FAIR LENDING** 2019 to 2021

Agency executive overseeing largest division of the CFPB accounting for almost 50% of agency personnel (approximately 700 team members). Member of key interagency governing organizations including the Task Force of Supervision of the Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council.

Responsible for management and approval of all supervisory and enforcement actions taken by the Bureau in all areas of its jurisdiction for statutory (including UDAAP) and regulatory violations:

- Student Loan Origination and Servicing
- Mortgage Origination and Regulation Z
- Mortgage Servicing and Regulation X
- Auto Finance (Origination and Servicing)
- Consumer Reporting and Furnishing and Fair Credit Reporting Act and Regulation V
- Credit Card Account Management and Regulation Z
- Debt Collection and the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act and Regulation F and Debt Relief
- Deposits and Regulation E
- Fair Lending
- Payday and Other Small Dollar Lending
- Prepaid Accounts
- Remittances
- Compliance Technology Across all Product Lines

### ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

#### **DEPARTMENT SECRETARY (CABINET MEMBER)**

2015-2019

Served as agency head and member of Governor's Cabinet. Led department of more than 450 team members with an annual budget of more than \$100 million. Responsible for regulatory and licensure oversight of more than 4,000 state-chartered banks, credit unions, and non-depository financial institutions. Responsible for licensure and disciplinary enforcement of over 1.1 million professionals, including physicians, pharmacists, pharmacies, nurses, and related paraprofessionals.

- Led conversion to first-ever online, paperless processes for professional licensure.
- Achieved first-ever credit union section accreditation by the National Association of State Credit Union Supervisors (NASCUS).
- Served on Executive Committees of Conference of State Bank Supervisors and NASCUS.
- Chairman, CSBS Emerging Payments and Innovation Task Force.
- Led creation of Illinois Blockchain Initiative to incubate innovation in Illinois.

**WALGREEN CO.** 2000-2015

**DIVISIONAL VICE PRESIDENT & ASSISTANT GENERAL COUNSEL** 2010-2015  
**PHARMACY, HEALTH & WELLNESS LEGAL**

**Corporate Counsel:** Advised senior (including C-suite) executives as legal vice president reporting directly to the General Counsel at the largest retail, infusion, and specialty pharmacy provider in the U.S. with responsibility for a portfolio impacting more than 70% of annual sales (\$50 billion). Evaluated service offerings from both a regulatory and business perspective. Created compliance strategies that achieve corporate objectives. Served on Corporate Compliance and Disclosure Committees responsible for ensuring compliance with applicable health care and SEC securities requirements.

**Department Management:** Oversaw department with approximately 50 employees and a \$15 million budget. Supervised four directors who managed daily operations and assigned matters. Retained and managed outside legal counsel. Hired and evaluated team members.

**Accomplishments**

- Formulated legal response for inter-disciplinary teams that developed and implemented successful negotiations and transactional strategies with company's top payers, achieving multi-billion dollar enterprise value.
- Directed regulatory and transactional support for successful rollout of the largest national flu immunization program.
- Responded to changes in a key reimbursement metric by providing transactional support that resulted in successful re-contracting with all payers.
- Negotiated successful resolution of then largest controlled-drug settlement with DEA.

DIRECTOR, HEALTHCARE CONTRACTING & REGULATORY LAW 2009-2010  
DIRECTOR, HEALTHCARE REGULATORY LAW 2008-2009  
DIRECTOR, GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, WALGREENS HEALTH SERVICES 2005-2008  
SENIOR ATTORNEY 2000-2005

**OFFICE OF THE ILLINOIS HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER** 1997-2000

**CHIEF COUNSEL**

- Managed all legal matters for House Republican Leader and Republican Caucus

**SIDLEY & AUSTIN** 1993-1997

**ASSOCIATE**

- Represented numerous health care providers concerning fraud and abuse investigations and corporate transactions.

**CHAMBERS OF HON. RICHARD D. CUDAHY**  
**U.S. COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE 7<sup>TH</sup> CIRCUIT** 1992-1993

**LAW CLERK**

**EDUCATION:**

**UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN LAW SCHOOL** Madison, Wisconsin 1992  
Juris Doctor, *magna cum laude*

- David B. Grady Award, top-ranked student in the graduating class

**DePAUL UNIVERSITY** Chicago, Illinois 2001  
Master of Business Administration, with distinction

- concentration in Finance

**TRINE UNIVERSITY** Angola, Indiana  
B.S., Accounting, with highest honors

1989

**LICENSES:**

- Licensed to practice law in Illinois
- Illinois Registered Certified Public Accountant (inactive)

**CIVIC:**

Member, Illinois State Board of Elections (2004-2015)  
Volunteer Tutor, Midtown Educational Foundation (2001-2007 and 2021-Present)  
Chair, Republican National Lawyers Association, Illinois Chapter (2023-Present)  
Volunteer Interpreter, Frank Lloyd Wright Trust (2016-Present)  
Member, Board of Directors, LEARN Charter Schools (2003-2019)