Grant L. Learned, Jr.

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EXPERIENCE:

Assistant Professor of Law, Seattle Pacific University, 2005- present.

- Taught business law and business finance in both the undergraduate and graduate School of Business and Economics.
- Co-authored and edited articles, chapters and texts on law, finance and leadership.
- Presented articles and spoke at conferences on investments, changes in the cost of capital and asset valuation post Sarbannes-Oxley and proposed legislation.

Consultant/ Principal, 1990-present.

- Performed investment planning and analysis for individual and institutional investors including pension funds and pension fund advisors.
- Developed a personal finance widget for a local start up.
- Contributed and consulted with local publications on law, real estate and finance. Accurately predicted the sub-prime mortgage meltdown a September, 2006 Seattle Times article.
- Spoken at conferences and seminars on personal finance and investment.

Private Practice Attorney, Grant L. Learned, Jr. Attorney at Law, 2003- present.

- Served as corporate general counsel representing a variety of clients including high net worth individuals and families, investors and closely held corporations.
- Counseled clients on areas of law including corporate law, intellectual property protection, commercial real estate and development and succession planning
- Represented clients on issues involving corporate structure, capital structure, financing, business transactions, patent and copyright protection and risk assessment.
- Active member of the Washington State Bar Association, and King County Bar Association.

Real Estate Investor, principal, 1989- present

- Acquired and renovated over 20 multi-family properties in the greater Seattle area.

Associate Attorney, Stoel Rives, LLP, 2001- 2003.

- Served a diverse client base as associate counsel representing clients including start-ups, Fortune 100 companies
- Counseled clients on areas of law including corporate finance, corporate governance, commercial real estate, intellectual property, bankruptcy and corporate litigation.
- Represented clients on issues including corporate financing (venture capital, mezzanine and IPO financing), asset protection, corporate disclosure requirements, intellectual property protection, corporate issues in complex estate litigation and creditor rights.
- Performed pro-bono representation for immigrant clients on issues including health care and social services, naturalization and family law.

Associate Attorney/ Law Clerk, Lane Powell, PC, 2000- 2001.

- Served clients including boards of directors of publicly traded corporations, high-tech start-ups and Fortune 500 companies.
- Counseled clients on areas of law including corporate governance, business transactions, commercial real estate and corporate litigation.

- Represented clients on issues regarding SEC compliance and business transactions.

Treasurer and Board Member, Queen Anne Helpline, 2006- 2009.
- Served as treasurer of non-profit assisting homeless and needy clients in Seattle.

Consultant and Financial Advisor, CIBC/Oppenheimer Investment Advisors, 2000.
- Performed financial analysis and consulting on investment decisions for a private discretionary, $1 billion investment portfolio.

Consultant, Craig Kinzer & Co, 1999.
- Financial and legal associate for corporate real estate consultant and financial advisor.

EDUCATION:

JD, University of Washington, 2002
- Albright Scholar
- Law School Alumni Scholar

MBA, University of Washington, 2001
- Gates Fellow
- Oppenheimer Finance Scholar
- Faulkner Scholar

B.A. Finance, Seattle Pacific University, 1990
- Magna Cum Laude

OTHER INTERESTS:

- Love being dad to my two kids.
- Fanatic skier and member of the National Ski Patrol and Alpental Volunteer Ski Patrol.
- Rabid Seattle Mariners and Major League Baseball fan.
- Passionate about fly fishing, although admittedly not an expert.
- Enjoy anything in the mountains including hiking, mountain biking and snowmobiling.
- Recovering addict to windsurfing, surfing and kiteboarding.
- Competitive tennis player through college. Voted “Most Inspirational” on every team.