

## **Phillip Firstyear**

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### **EDUCATION**

#### **University of St. Thomas School of Law - Minneapolis, MN**

Juris Doctor expected 2010

Activities: Phi Alpha Delta, Treasurer

Minnesota Justice Foundation, Member

#### **University of Minnesota - Twin Cities**

Bachelor of Arts, Journalism, 2007

GPA: 3.5/4.0

Honors: Dean's List (five semesters)

Activities: Pre-Law Society, Officer

College of Liberal Arts Student Advisory Board

### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **Phi Alpha Delta Legal Fraternity – Minneapolis, MN**

*Treasurer*, 2007-2008 School Year

- Manage money and property of chapter members in accordance with the ABA Model Rules of Professional Conduct.
- Responsible for receipt and disbursement of all chapter funds.

#### **Hennepin County Family Law Clinic**

*Volunteer*, Spring Semester 2008

- Interviewed low income, economically and racially diverse clients on family law matters including divorce, custody and protective orders for volunteer attorneys.
- Performed legal research on divorce issues.

#### **Twin Cities News – St. Paul, MN**

*Editorial Intern*, December 2006- May 2007

- Performed extensive web, library and phone research.
- Fact checked upcoming articles.
- Wrote articles for business column relating to local business developments.

#### **University of Minnesota - Minneapolis, MN**

*Student Office Assistant*, May 2004 - December 2006

- Provided administrative and logistical support for university programs.
- Assisted in marketing special events.

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Twin Cities Habitat for Humanity, Fundraiser Organizer  
Make-a-Wish Foundation of MN, Event Planner