

SAMUEL C. WEBB

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Killeen, Texas 76549

EDUCATION

Reformed Theological Seminary, Global Campus – Charlotte, NC

Master of Arts in Religion – Expected December 2017

- Accredited graduate degree consisting of 60 credit hours, including a Master's Thesis
- Sample Courses: Pastoral & Social Ethics, History of Philosophy & Christian Thought, Systematic Theology
- MAR Thesis Proposed Topics: Theology of Work, Applied Ethic of Work & Wealth, Vocation & Purpose

Texas Tech University School of Law – Lubbock, TX

Doctor of Jurisprudence – Business Law Certificate – May 2010

- 2009 NLLSA National Moot Court Champion – Best Petitioner's Brief and Top Oralist
- 2008-2009 American Association for Justice National Mock Trial Team – Lead Chair
- CALI Award for High Grade – Appellate Advocacy – Fall 2008

Texas A&M University – College Station, TX

Bachelor of Science – Agricultural Economics – Policy and Economic Analysis Specialization - May 2007

- College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Student Council – President 2006-2007
- Student Government Association Legislative Relations Committee – Chairman 2005-2006
- Alpha Zeta Agricultural Honor Fraternity, 2005-2007

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

The Cox Law Firm – Houston, TX

Associate Attorney – December 2016 - Present

- Handle docket of 475+ property tax cases in state district courts, including discovery and pre-trial motions
 - Property types include office buildings, apartments, retail, residential, and business personal property
 - Negotiate valuation settlements through mediation and settlement conferences
 - Valuations range from approximately \$2,000,000 to \$200,000,000
- Advise clients on use of tax exemptions and Foreign Trade Zones for import-export operations
 - Represent third party logistics company in its Foreign Trade Zone Site application
 - Advise French exporter in use of Freeport and Foreign Trade Zone exemptions
 - Negotiate Payment-in-Lieu-of-Tax Agreements for pipe stock distributor's Foreign Trade Zone
- Appear in court weekly for bench trials and hearings on motions
 - Bench trials consist of tax lien foreclosures in the Houston metro area
 - Hearings include Motions to Compel, Motions to Strike or Exclude, and other relevant motions

Texas A&M University-Central Texas – Killeen, TX

Adjunct Professor – College of Business Administration, August 2015 – Present

- Teach Legal Environment of Business course online to traditional and adult learners
- Administer, grade and provide feedback on exams and course papers
- Plan to develop International Trade Law, Tax Law, and Business Ethics courses for online delivery

Ryan, LLC – Arlington, VA & Houston, TX

Team Leader – Tax, Customs & Foreign Trade, November 2014 – November 2016; Senior Consultant – Transaction Tax & Public Affairs, March 2013 – November 2014; Consultant – Transaction Tax, August 2011 – February 2013

- Client Service
 - Pursued \$6M+ sales tax refund for Georgia contractor through Tax Tribunal to Appellate Court
 - Represented clients in administrative hearings resulting in \$2.5+ million tax savings and recovery
 - Negotiated Foreign Trade Zone for energy client with \$4+ million annual property tax savings
- Public & Government Affairs

- Coordinated coalition of data centers to pursue tax legislative changes in several states
- Drafted proposed tax legislation in Texas, Georgia and D.C. for tax exemptions and incentives
- Testified at D.C. Council on double taxation matter related to real estate investment trusts

Wolfe & Associates – Lubbock, TX

Contract Attorney, March 2013 – November 2016; Associate Attorney, June 2010 – June 2011; Law Clerk, March 2009 – June 2010

- Prepared motions and court briefs for predominantly state court civil litigation practice
- Drafted appellee brief in medical malpractice case in the 7th Court of Appeals of Texas
- Appointed attorney ad litem in class-action multi-jurisdictional pharmaceutical litigation

U.S. House of Representatives, Office of Congressman Michael Burgess – Washington, D.C.

Legislative Fellow, July 2011 – August 2011

- Tracked legislation in the U.S. House of Representatives Energy & Commerce Committee
- Managed public policy inquiries on the IQ House congressional office system

PUBLICATIONS, PROFESSIONAL SERVICE & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Publications & Presentations

The Battle of the Georges: Exports, Taxes, and the United States Constitution, TEXAS TAX LAWYER (Fall 2016)

Another Import, Another Dollar: How Foreign Trade Zones Save You Money, presentation at the 2016 National Association of Foreign Trade Zones Annual Conference (October 2016)

The Battle of the Georges: Exports, Taxes, and the United States Constitution, presentation at the 2016 Southern Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Conference (April 2016)

International Trade and America's First Freedom, AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION SECTION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE NEWSLETTER (Summer 2015)

Tax Abatements for the "Children of the Cloud," with M. Allen, RYAN WHITE PAPER (May 2013).

Why Do the Children of the Cloud Need Tax Abatements?. with M. Allen, JOURNAL OF STATE TAXATION (March-April 2013).

Professional Memberships & Service

American Bar Association

- Section of International Law
 - Vice Chair, International Trade Committee, 2015-2016
- Tax Section

State Bar of Texas

- International Law Section
- Real Estate, Probate, and Trust Law Section
- Tax Section
 - International Tax, Property Tax, State and Local Tax, & Tax Controversy Committees

Academy of Legal Studies in Business

- Southern Academy of Legal Studies in Business

The Federalist Society for Law and Public Policy

Christian Legal Society

Community Involvement & Service

Baptist Church of the Redeemer – Houston, TX

- Teach Adult & College Sunday School
- Pulpit Supply

The Ethics and Religious Liberty Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention

- Associate Research Fellow, August 2014 – Present

**References Available Upon Request*