

ELENI POLALIS SIANIS

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Admitted to practice in Illinois

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

11/10- Present **Law Office of Eleni P. Sianis**, Park Ridge, IL

Principal Attorney

- Represent clients in various real estate matters, including contract negotiations, closings and landlord/tenant disputes
- Assist clients in immigration matters before the U.S Department of Homeland Security
- Draft employment contracts, independent contractor agreements, and lease agreements

2/17- Present **d'aprile properties**, Park Ridge, IL

Real Estate Broker

- Facilitate listing, sales strategy and marketing for commercial and residential properties
- Advise buyers on suitability and market value of properties
- Negotiate purchase price and terms of real estate contracts

3/07-11/10 **Brady, Connolly, & Masuda, P.C.**, Chicago, IL

Attorney

- Successfully prepared and argued motions before arbitrators at the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission
- Presented oral arguments before Commissioners at the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission
- Settled numerous workers' compensation cases with petitioner's attorneys or *pro se* and drafted settlement contracts for approval
- Drafted briefs for the Illinois Circuit and Illinois Appellate Courts

10/05-5/06 **Cook County State's Attorney's Office**, Chicago, IL

Law Clerk, Narcotics Bureau

- Argued motions and conducted trials on matters involving felony and misdemeanor drug charges; assisted senior attorneys in trial preparation.

6/03-9/03 **Office of the Illinois Attorney General**, Chicago, IL

Law Clerk, Worker's Compensation Bureau

- Researched legal issues on matters involving worker's compensation; drafted legal memoranda, correspondence, and pleadings

EDUCATION

THE JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL, Chicago, IL 2003-2006 **Juris Doctor**

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY, Chicago, IL 1998-2002 **BA Political Science and Criminal Justice**

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES EXPERIENCE

Hippocratic Cancer Research Foundation, founding board member. The mission of the HCRF is to discover, develop, and implement effective new treatments for patients with cancer.

St. Basil Greek Orthodox Church, chaired fundraising gala 2017. Proceeds went to assist the Church with numerous ministries including Feed the Hungry, Prison Outreach, and Dress a Girl.

Sunday School Teacher 2012-2013.

BAR ASSOCIATIONS

Women's Bar Association of Illinois, active member

Hellenic Bar Association, active member