LARRY D. SIMONS

BAR ADMISSIONS:

- ♦ California State Bar (1995)
- ♦ United States District Court, Southern, Central and Eastern Districts of California
- ♦ Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals

LEGAL SPECIALIZATION:

Certified Specialist, Bankruptcy Law, State Bar of Calif., Bd. of Legal Specialization (2004).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

CAL. STATE UNIVERSITY, NORTHRIDGE, Northridge, CA, 2022-Present *Part Time Lecturer*. Teach Business Law 2, including creating my own examinations and practice guides.

CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE, Riverside, CA, 2011-Present

LAW OFFICES OF LARRY D. SIMONS, INC., Mission Hills & Riverside, CA 2008-Present

Principal of 2 person law firm. Represent debtors in Chapter 7 and Chapter 13 proceedings, creditors in all chapters, chapter 7 trustees and parties in adversary proceedings and contested matters before the United States Bankruptcy Court.

SULMEYERKUPETZ, Los Angeles, CA 2002-2008

Associate attorney in 15 lawyer office. Represented Chapter 11 Trustees, Chapter 7 Trustees, Secured Creditors and Unsecured Creditor Committees

HON. ARTHUR M. GREENWALD (dec.), U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT, Woodland Hills, CA, 2001-2002 HON. KATHLEEN THOMPSON (ret.), U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT, Woodland Hills, CA, 2001

Law clerk for bankruptcy judge.

MERRITT AND HAGEN, Woodland Hills, CA, 1996-2001

Associate attorney in consumer bankruptcy law firm of two attorneys.

HON. DAVID E. RUSSELL, CHIEF JUDGE U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT, Sacramento, CA, 1994

Judicial extern

EDUCATION:

PACIFIC McGEORGE SCHOOL OF LAW, Sacramento, CA,

Juris Doctorate, 1995. Courses emphasized business and bankruptcy law.

- ♦ *Member*, International Moot Court Honors Board.
- ♦ President, Phi Alpha Delta 1993-94.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, NORTHRIDGE, Northridge, CA

Bachelor of Arts, History, 1992

- ♦ Outstanding History Student, 1992.
- ◆ Dean's list for the Fall 1990, Spring 1991 and Fall 1991 semesters.
- ♦ President, International Fraternity Council (1990-1991).
- ♦ *Member*, Order of Omega
- ♦ *Member*, Sigma Chi Fraternity.

PUBLICATIONS:

- ◆"The Chapter 13 Plan: A Cure-All for the Debtor who is not Obligated on a Secured Debt?" *Norton Bankruptcy Law Adviser*, December 2002;
- ◆"The Elusive Meaning of Impairment" California Bankr. J., Vol. 27, Number 2, 2004;
- ♦ "When a Solvent Debtor Files for Reorganization, Is the Filing 'Per Se' Bad Faith?" *Norton Bankruptcy Law Adviser*, September 2005;
- ♦ "Is It In or Out? Determining the Operative Transfer Date for Escrow Accounts in Preference Litigation" *California Bankr. J.*, Vol. 28, Number 4, 2006
- ◆"Procedural Pointers Regarding Nondischargability Complaints" *Debt*³, Vol. 23, Number 1, January/February 2008
- ◆"Home Sweet Home: The Homestead Exemption" Valley Lawyer, July 2014
- ♦ "Rule 1009(a): Does a Debtor Have an Absolute Right to Amend Their Exemptions in a Reopened Case?" *California Bankr. J.*, Vol. 35, No. 4, 2021.

AWARDS:

- ♦ Super Lawyer, Southern Calif. Super Lawyers Magazine 2012-2013, 2015-2017, 2020-24.
- ♦ Rising Star, Southern Calif. Super Lawyers Magazine 2004-2007

PUBLISHED CASES:

- ♦Smith v. Rojas, 435 BR 637 (9th Cir. BAP 2010)
- ♦ Kallman v. Gottlieb & Lewis, 515 BR 591 (9th Cir. BAP 2014)

BAR ASSOCIATIONS LEADERSHIP POSITIONS:

- ◆ Alternate Lawyer Representative, United States District Court, Cent. Dist. of California
- ◆ *President*, Inland Empire Bankruptcy Forum;
- ♦ Board of Directors, Los Angeles Bankruptcy Forum
- ♦ Board of Directors, San Fernando Valley Bar Association
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