



Marilyn J. Michales & Associates, P.A.

Marilyn J. Michales CV

Education

- Juris Doctorate – William Mitchell College of Law
- Bachelor of Arts – University of Minnesota
- Negotiation Workshops – Harvard Law School Program of Instruction for Lawyers – June 18-22, 2001; June 21-25, 2004
- National Institute of Trial Advocacy – 1997-1998

Professional Experience

CURRENT – MARILYN J. MICHALES & ASSOCIATES, P.A.

Lawyer/Founding Partner	1994-2008	HONSA & MICHALES, P.A.
Lawyer/Founding Partner	1979-1994	DOYLE & MICHALES LAW FIRM
Assistant County Attorney	1976-1978	Dakota County Attorney's Office

Achievements/Awards

- AV Rated® by Martindale-Hubbell® since 1999
- SuperLawyer® since 2002, including 2009
- Top 40 & Top 100 Family Law SuperLawyer® since 2004
- Top 100 SuperLawyer® since 2005
- Top 100 Female SuperLawyer® since 2005
- “Who’s Who”® Top 40 Family Law Attorney and “Who’s Who”® Top 100 Female Attorney

Recognized in the Martindale-Hubbell® Bar Register of Preeminent Lawyers® for High Professional Legal Standards and Ethics.*

Other Professional Experience

Law Clerk, 1973-1976, Honorable Jonathan Lebedoff, Hennepin County
(retired Federal Judge Magistrate – U.S. District Court)

Clerk, 1973, Hennepin County Municipal Court

Instructor, 1989-1990, Advocacy Institute of Minnesota

Instructor, 1976-1982, William Mitchell College of Law

Instructor, 1976-1979, Inver Hills Community College Paralegal Program

Professional Memberships and Committee Participation

- Member - Douglas K. Amdahl Inn of Court, 2003-2009; Treasurer 2008-2009
- Recipient of the Minnesota State Bar Association President's Award - awarded to members of the Minnesota State Bar Association Task Force on the ABA Model Rules of Professional Conduct: 2004
- Member - Minnesota State Bar Association Rules of Professional Conduct Committee: 2001-2005
- Member - Minnesota State Bar Association Task Force on the ABA Model Rules of Professional Conduct: 2002-2004
- Member - Planning Committee, Family Law Institute: 2004 and 2005
- Chair - Hennepin County Bar Association Eminent Domain Committee: 1998-2000
- Member - Hennepin County Bar Association Eminent Domain Committee: 1978-Present
- Co-Chair - Hennepin County Bar Association Family Law Section: 1997-1998
- Member - Hennepin County Bar Association Professional Ethics Committee: 1979-1983 & 1995-2008
- Co-Chair - Hennepin County Family Law Bar and Family Court Services Liaison Committee: 1999
- Past Chair - Minnesota State Bar Association First Committee on Domestic Abuse
- Past Chair - Minnesota State Bar Association First Committee on Child Abuse
- Past Member - National Child Abuse Resource Center, Washington, D.C.
- Past Member - Minnesota State Bar Association Task Force on Juvenile Prostitution
- Past Member - Minnesota State Bar Association Task Force on Family Violence
- Past Member - Hennepin County Family Law Executive Committee
- Past Co-Chair - Minnesota Women Lawyers Appointments Committee
- Member - Minnesota State Bar Association, Family Law Section
- Member - Hennepin County Bar Association, Family Law Section
- Member - Dakota County Bar Association
- Member - Ramsey County Bar Association
- Past Member - Minnesota State Bar Association Committee on Specialization, Family Law

Continuing Education Presentations

Eminent Domain CLE: Commissioner Panel Presentation 2006 & 2007

Financial Settlement Strategies for your Divorce Clients, June 2006 - Seminar

Minimize the Tax Consequences of Divorce in Minnesota - and Avoid Costly Surprises Later,
September 2005 - Seminar

Co-Facilitate Negotiation Workshops, March 2004 - Family Law Institute

*ABA Model Rules of Professional Conduct: How Will These Proposed and Possibly Sweeping Changes
Affect Your Life as a Family Law Practitioner?*, March 2003 - Family Law Institute

Eminent Domain: Damages for Construction Related Interference, Eminent Domain Seminar,
October 2002

Ethics: Practical Realities, December 2001

Asset Valuations: Guidelines for Presentation of a Valuation Case, December 2001

Inverse Condemnations: Regulatory Takings - Palazzolo v. Rhode Island,
October 10, 2001 Annual Eminent Domain CLE

Law for Social Workers, Counselors and Other Helping Professionals in Minnesota, April 1999

Pension and Qualified Domestic Relations Orders, Minnesota Advanced Legal Education, April 1990

Discovery for Your Client's Sake,
11th Annual Family Law Institute, Minnesota Continuing Legal Education, March 1990,
Advanced Legal Education, September 1988

Bridge the Gap - Minnesota Practice Handbook, Practical trial manual and workshop for attorneys,
Minnesota Continuing Legal Education, 1984, 1985, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990

Efficient Marriage Dissolution, Presenter, Minnesota Continuing Legal Education, 1986

Anatomy of a Divorce Trial, Minnesota Trial Lawyers Continuing Legal Education Program –
Trial skills, presentation of direct and cross examination of expert witnesses, and business
and asset valuation issues, 1985

The Expert: Being One and Using One to the Client's Advantage, Family Therapy and Family Law –
Improving the Relationship, April 1983

How to Interview a Child Victim of Abuse, Bench and Bar, Minnesota State Bar Association, 1980

The Role of an Attorney in Intra-Family Abuse, Realities of Dissolution –
Working with Victimized Clients, Advanced Legal Education, Minnesota, 1978

Civil Remedies for Abuse Victims, Continuing Legal Education, November 1978

Incest: Confronting the Silent Crime, contributing author. Published by the Minnesota Department
of Corrections, State Program for Victims of Sexual Assault, 1978

Judicial Appointments

- Chair - Condemnation Commissions - 1978-present,
Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, Washington and Dakota Counties
- Ad hoc Arbitrator - 1979-1994, Hennepin County District Court
- Ad hoc Referee - 1979-1990, Hennepin County District Court
- Guardian Ad Litem - 1979-1998, Hennepin County District Court

Instructor - Speaker - Trainer

- Speaker, New York Family Court Judges Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect, 1980
- Speaker, International Police Women's Convention, October 1978
- Speaker, State of Minnesota, Department of Public Welfare, Child Abuse Training Team, 1978
- Speaker, Dakota County Child Abuse Seminar, Dakota County, Minnesota, 1977 and 1978
- Speaker, State of Minnesota, Department of Corrections,
Regional Programs for Victims of Sexual Assault, 1977-1978
- Speaker, Dakota County Sexual Assault Law Enforcement Training,
Dakota County, Minnesota, 1977 and 1978

Appellate Court Representation

Bolitho v. Bolitho, 422 N.W.2d 29 (Minn. Ct. App. 1988)

Boxall v. Boxall, No. C1-02-1599, 2003 WL 21384865 (Minn. Ct. App. June 17, 2003)

Boxall v. Boxall, 2007 Minn. App Lexis 718 (Minn. Ct. App. July 3, 2007)

Deliduka v. Deliduka, 347 N.W.2d 52 (Minn. Ct. App. 1984)

Eidsvold v. Eidsvold, No. A03114, 2003 WL 22177728 (Minn. Ct. App. Sept. 23, 2003)

Ganyo v. Engen, 446 N.W.2d 683 (Minn. Ct. App. 1989)

Ganyo v. Engen, No. CX-01-263, 2001 WL 1124400 (Minn. Ct. App. Sept. 25, 2001)

Ganyo v. Engen, No. A05-329, 2005 WL 3291223 (Minn. Ct. App. Dec 6, 2005)

Hankerson v. Hankerson, No. C8-01-1007, 2002 WL 484959 (Minn. Ct. App. April 2, 2002)

State v. Enebak, 272 N.W.2d 27 (Minn. 1978)

Timlin v. Timlin, No. C7-99-607, 1999 WL 970369 (Minn. Ct. App. Oct. 26, 1999)

Timlin v. Timlin, No. C9-00-2138, 2001 WL 856257 (Minn. Ct. App. July 31, 2001)

White v. White, No. C8-90-586, 1990 WL 167840 (Minn. Ct. App. Nov. 6, 1990)

Personal Interests

Marathon running, mountain biking, road biking, scuba diving, swimming, backpacking, trekking, triathlons, travel, reading, gardening.

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