

ADMISSION: Florida Bar, September 2014

EDUCATION: **Juris Doctor**, Florida State University College of Law 2014

- Law School Golf Association, *Member*
- Intramural Softball, *Member*

Bachelor of Science, Florida State University 2011

- Major: Business Management
- FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES FOOTBALL TEAM: DEFENSIVE END (2007-2009)

EXPERIENCE: **DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL REGULATION** *December 2014 - Present*
Assistant General Counsel, Construction Division Tallahassee, FL

VERONICA R. OWENS, ATTORNEY AT LAW *August 2014 - December 2014*
Law Clerk, Civil Litigation Tallahassee, FL

- Draft various court pleadings including complaints and answers;
- Prepare discovery including requests for production, admission, and interrogatories;
- Interview clients and witnesses.

LAW OFFICES OF SEAN T. DESMOND *May 2013 - May 2014*

Law Clerk, Civil Litigation, Construction Law Tallahassee, FL

- Acted Second Chair in a 6-day civil jury trial; conducted research, drafted memorandums, discovery motions, and pleadings, including successful motion in defense of a fraudulent construction lien claim;
- Drafted various trial documents including trial briefs, jury instructions, and final judgments;
- Managed client matters, including consultation, depositions, and negotiated settlements;
- Prepared demand letters and construction liens.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY *June 2013 - December 2013*

Law Clerk, Administrative Law Tallahassee, FL

- Conducted legal research; drafted legal memorandums on a variety of statutory issues;
- Prepared and assisted in administrative hearings, supported fifteen attorneys;
- Participated in statutory drafting; analyzed and interpreted statutes.

CRITICAL CONNECTIONS CONSULTING, LLC *Summer 2010 - Present*

Legal Counsel & Director, Business Development Oxford, FL

- Coordinate national business development with corrections directors and sheriffs;
- Coordinate national corrections conferences;
- Provide legal advice; develop proposals and presentations;
- Manage accounts payable and receivable, expense reports, and act as compliance officer.

OSTEEN IRRIGATION & SUPPLY INC. *Summer 2002 - Summer 2013*

Supervisor, Underground Technician Oxford, FL

- Supervised eight-man construction crew specializing in underground cable installation;
- Managed all business responsibilities, including contracts, clients, and deadlines.

INTERESTS: Extensive travel, creative cooking, sports, and fishing. Member of Ducks Unlimited.