



Danaé Woody

Danaé Woody is chair-elect of the CBA Young Lawyers Division, a CBA-CLE board member, and a CBA Family Law Section Executive Council member. She is also a DBA representative to the CBA Board of Governors.

PROFILE

Hometown:

Hopkins, Minnesota

Law School:

University of Denver

Lives in:

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Practice Area(s):

Family Law and Appeals

CBA Member Since:

2011

Describe yourself in five words.

Direct. Energetic. Grateful. Committed. Fun.

What's the best advice you've ever been given?

You'll never be prepared for anything and everything that might happen when you walk into a courtroom. Prepare for anything and everything anyway.

What's your favorite memory from law school?

Securing a permanent protection order for a client during my first courtroom experience as a student attorney.

What do you like the most about your practice area?

I am fortunate that I have an opportunity every day to be a voice and a guide for people from all walks of life going through some of the most difficult human experiences they will face. It is harrowing, but often incredibly rewarding.

What's your biggest pet peeve?

Baseline rudeness.

Who's your favorite writer and why?

Ken Follett, a master researcher and storyteller.

What's your favorite place you've traveled to?

The Virgin Islands.

What's the most random job you have ever had?

During undergrad, I managed a veterinary clinic.


How do you find work/life balance?

I schedule time for family and life, and I make it a priority just like any other calendar event for work.

How has the CBA impacted your career?

The CBA has exposed me to several talented lawyers, many of whom I now hold as dear friends, and it has been an important place to learn and share experiences as I have grown in my career. I am a better lawyer and professional because of the people I have worked with in the CBA.

What sport do you love to play or watch or both?

I'm into yoga like it's part of my job, and I most enjoy watching gymnastics. 

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