

# HALE STEWART, J.D., LL.M.

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## SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

### EDUCATION

#### **Thomas Jefferson School of Law**

LLM: International and Domestic Tax, *Magna Cum Laude*, 2008

GPA: 3.663

Honors: Distinguished Honor Roll

#### **South Texas College of Law, Houston, TX**

Doctor of Jurisprudence, 2001 - 2004

GPA: 2.54 Top 50%

Journal: Corporate Counsel Review, *Associate Editor*

Experienced attorney and business executive with a proven record of advising a wide variety of businesses on matters including: financing transactions, mergers and acquisitions, business planning for closely-held businesses, joint ventures, and other business and commercial transactions. Proven ability to negotiate complex transactions. I also have family law mediation and trial experience as well as experience in estate planning.

#### **Qualifications/achievements include:**

- Negotiated and wrote closing contract for two MRI company purchases.
- Currently structuring partnership/equity deal for additional MRI purchases valued near \$50 million.
- Wrote and negotiated the merger of three companies into single LLC.
- Successfully brought a multi-state child custody matter to conclusion (with assistance from counsel in Arizona).

### EXPERIENCE

#### **Law Office of Hale Stewart, Houston, TX**

Attorney, Solo Practitioner, 2005 – Present.

Specializing in Business and Tax Law, Family Law and Estate Planning

- Diverse corporate practice ranging from structuring and carrying out complex and sophisticated transactions, both domestic and international, to providing daily guidance to clients on matters involving corporate governance, commercial dealings, regulatory issues, and business relationships.
- Brought numerous cases involving child custody, child support and divorce to successful conclusions through trial, mediation and negotiation.

#### **Huffington Post, Chicago, IL**

Business/Economics Writer, 2007 -- Present

- Author of a bi-weekly column focusing on macro-level economic issues.
- The website has 100 million pageviews and 10 million unique visitors per month. According to Technorati, Huffington Post is the most influential blog on the world wide web.

#### **KTLK Los Angeles, CA**

Weekly Guest, 2008

- Weekly guest at 9:30 AM for “econ 101” segment lasting half an hour. The show focuses on the weekly economic news and events.