

Kylie M. Riggins, Attorney

Educational Background:

J.D. University of South Dakota School of Law - 2008

Drake University, B.S. in Business Administration - 2002

Court Admissions:

Admitted to the South Dakota Bar - 2009

Admitted to United States District Court -2012

Admitted to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit - 2015

Relevant Work History:

Partner, January 2014-Present

Viken & Riggins Law Firm, Rapid City

General Practice of Law. Primary Emphasis on Family Law.

Attorney, August 2009 to December 2013

Viken Law Firm, Rapid City, SD

General Practice of Law. Primary Emphasis on Family Law.

Judicial Clerkship, 2008-2009

Hon. Warren G. Johnson, Hon. Randall L. Macy, Hon. Jerome A. Eckrich, and Hon. John W. Bastian

Fourth Judicial Circuit, Deadwood, South Dakota

Professional Associations/Memberships:

American Bar Association

- Family Law Committee (Adoption, Alimony, & Spousal Support Sections)

South Dakota State Bar Association

- Family Law Section of the South Dakota State Bar
- Young Lawyers Section – Board of Directors

Pennington County Bar Association

- Vice President 2016-2017
- Secretary/Treasurer 2015-2016
- Member 2009-Present

Awards:

Super Lawyers Magazine; 2015 Rising Star

National Academy of Family Law Attorneys, Top 10 Under 40 – Family Law

Community Leadership and Public Service Activities:

Zonta Club of the Black Hills

- Vice President 2016
- Chair Zonta Expo Steering Committee 2015
- Officer - 2013
- Zonta Expo Steering Committee 2013, 2014

Rapid City Chamber of Commerce Young Professionals Group, 2009 – Present
Lawrence County Teen Court: Judge, 2009
Great Plains Natural Resources Journal: Lead Articles Editor, 2006 - 2008
American Constitutional Society: President, South Dakota Chapter, 2006 - 2007
Innocence Project South Dakota: Project Lead, 2007- 2008
Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity: Recruitment Chair, South Dakota Chapter, 2005 - 2007
Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity: Member, 1998-2002
Coach, Top Flight Soccer League, 2005-2008

Publications:

Kylie M. Dummett, *Carbone v. United Haulers: Local Environmental Regulation Gains Headway While the United States Supreme Court “Trashes” Judicial Precedence.* 11 *Great Plains Nat. Resources J.* 26-40 (2006-07).

Kylie M. Dummett, *State of New York v. Environmental Protection Agency: U.S. Court of Appeals Rejuvenates NSR Mandating that EPA Enforce Emission Standards As Congress Intended.* 12 *Great Plains Nat. Resources J.* 185-204 (2008).

Kylie M. Dummett, *South Dakota Courts Not Eager To Relitigate Settlements: South Dakota Employment Law Letter,* 12 NO. 8 S.D. Emp. L. Letter 3 (Sept. 2007).

Kylie M. Dummett, *All is Fair in Love and Settlements: South Dakota Employment Law Letter,* 12 NO. 7 S.D. Emp. L. Letter 5 (Aug. 2007).

Continuing Education:

Family Law CLE (Presentor), South Dakota State Bar, (April, 2016)
A Boot Camp for Young Lawyers (Presentor) (February, 2016)
NITA Psychiatric Expert Testimony Explanation vs. Excuse (February, 2015)
A Boot Camp for Young Lawyers (Moderator) (February, 2015)
ABA Tips for Trial Lawyers: An Appellate Perspective (February, 2015)
ABA Deposition Skills: Pointers and Pitfalls Practicum for Government and Private Lawyers. (February, 2015)
ABA 10 Things Every Attorney Needs for Personal and Professional Success (February, 2015)
Handling Your First Divorce and Other Family Law Firsts (Presentor), South Dakota State Bar – Nuts and Bolts CLE (October, 2014)
SDSB Getting to Yes: Negotiating Success by William Ury (June, 2013)
ABA Ethical Tools to Defuse Incivility (June, 2013)
ABA The ABCs of Adoption (December, 2012)
2012 Children’s Justice Conference (September, 2012)
ABA Common Evidentiary Foundations for Family Law Litigation: How to Impress the Judge (July, 2012)
SDSB Legal Writing in Plain English with Bryan A., Garner (June, 2012)
AAML Evidence Boot Camp: To Admit or Not to Admit That is the Question (December, 2011)

SDSB ALPS Cloud Computing: Understanding What it is and How it Impacts Your Firm

SDSB ALPS Ethics (June, 2011)

SDSB Memory with Paul Mellor (June, 2011)

SDSB Practicing Law in the 21st Century (June, 2010)

Speaking/Teaching Experiences:

Premarital and Post Nuptial Agreements, South Dakota State Bar – Family Law Division (April, 2016)

Working with Staff- When and How to Delegate, 2016 Young Lawyers Boot Camp (February, 2016)

Moderator: A Boot Camp for Young Lawyer's Tactics and Tips, A Boot Camp for Young Lawyers: Tactics and Tips (February, 2015)

South Dakota Law for Same Sex Couples, 2015 Dakota Equality Summit, (2015)

Handling Your First Divorce and Other Family Law Firsts, South Dakota State Bar – Nuts and Bolts CLE (October, 2014)