

# BOBBY DESMOND

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## EXPERIENCE

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**Associate Attorney**, Walters Law Group, *Longwood, FL* 2019 – Present

**Associate Attorney**, Klein Law Group PLLC, *Washington, D.C. (Virtual Office)* 2019 – 2019

- Researched relevant state and federal telecommunication statutes, regulations, and case law
- Drafted legal memos, answers, and motions in defense of telephone, cable, and internet companies nationwide

**Legal Researcher**, Legal Expert Connections, *Boca Raton, FL (Virtual Office)* 2017 – 2019

- Prepared presentations and resources for law firms to distribute to corporate clients on labor and employment laws including the FMLA, ADA, Title VII, workers' compensation, state marijuana laws, and other workplace regulations
- Wrote blogs and other marketing materials on topics in the employment law and insurance defense practice areas

**Legal Intern**, AMC Networks, *New York, NY* Summer 2017

- Drafted a large variety of contracts for talent services, production services, casting services, film acquisitions, cross promotional events, IP licenses for video games and other merchandising deals, property leases, and more
- Researched and addressed a variety of legal questions raised by the marketing department and other areas of the business, including right of publicity, guerrilla marketing tactics, virtual reality, sponsorship identification, and more
- Sent DMCA takedown requests to social media and e-commerce sites that host or sell pirated content
- Reviewed, edited, and drafted nondisclosure agreements and employee policies on a wide range of IT security issues

**Legal Intern**, America's Public Television Stations, *Washington, D.C.* Summer 2016

- Prepared briefs for the General Counsel on the effect of proposed FCC rules on PBS member stations
- Assisted in researching and drafting comments and reply comments filed in FCC proceedings
- Wrote memos on telecommunication issues including program licensing, emergency alerts, and more
- Drafted legislation and lobbied members of the FCC and Congress in support of public television initiatives

**On-Air Personality**, WYKS Kiss 105.3 FM, *Gainesville, FL* 2014 – 2016

- Performed live on-air while simultaneously operating the soundboard and taking requests
- Prepared for daily shows by reviewing entertainment news to remain informed of relevant material
- Wrote and produced compelling and effective spots, promos, commercials, and contests

## EDUCATION

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**Juris Doctor**, with a Certificate in Intellectual Property Law, *University of Florida Levin College of Law* 2018

- **Managing Editor**, Journal of Technology Law & Policy
- **Vice President**, Entertainment and Sports Law Society

**Bachelor of Science in Telecommunication**, with honors, *University of Florida* 2015

**Bachelor of Arts in Criminology & Law**, with honors, *University of Florida* 2015

## ADMISSIONS

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**Florida** 2019

**New York** 2019

## MEMBERSHIPS

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**The Florida Bar**, Young Lawyers Division and Entertainment, Art, and Sports Law Section 2019 – Present

**New York State Bar Association**, Young Lawyers Section and Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law Section 2019 – Present

**Federal Communications Bar Association** 2016 – Present