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Thank you for choosing to view my biography. I hope that you will trust me and my firm with your legal needs.

I reside in Mobile, AL with my family. I have been married to my wife Ashleigh since 2004. We both attended high school in Mobile at St. Paul's Episcopal School. She is a kindergarten teacher in the local school system. We had our first child - a boy - in Spring 2009. We enjoy outdoor activities, boating, hunting, fishing, gourmet cooking, and grilling.

In 2000, I graduated from Spring Hill College, located in Mobile, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration with a concentration in Accounting. While at Spring Hill College, I was selected for Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges as well as the Order of Omega Greek Honor Society. I was also honored academically by the College. I served as president for a national fraternity and was selected to attend national leadership conferences. The College appointed me to committees to select the Head of Security and Director of Student Activities.

In 2004, I graduated from Cumberland School of Law of Samford University, where I was named a Scholar of Merit. At Cumberland, I was chosen for the Order of the Barrister, which is an honor that was bestowed upon the top twelve trial advocates in my graduating class. I was also selected for Who's Who Among American Law Students by the law school faculty and administration. I was a member of Cumberland's 2003 and 2004 National Mediation Teams and its 2004 National Negotiation Team. I was Director of Mediation for the Trial Advocacy Board and a member of the Henry Upson Sims Moot Court Board. As a member of the Trial Advocacy Board and Moot Court Board, I was given the responsibility of teaching advocacy skills to other students in addition to demonstrating my own ability.

Since graduation from law school, I have continued to be involved. I have served on a committee for the City of Mobile. I have volunteered my time to help keep youths away from drugs. As a result, the Mayor of Mobile named me an honorary member of his staff. I am a member of the local Mobile Bar Association where I serve on the Executive Committee for the Young Lawyer Division. Additionally, I am a member of the Alabama State Bar Association and Florida Bar Association. I am also a member of the Mobile Chamber of Commerce.

I was admitted to practice law in Alabama in 2004 and Florida in 2005. I am also admitted to practice in the United States District Court for the Southern, Middle, and Northern Districts of Alabama. My practice focuses on civil litigation. I have experience in the areas of Civil Trial and Appellate Litigation, Business and Commercial Litigation, Wrongful Death, Personal Injury, Catastrophic Injury, Transportation Law, Insurance Coverage and Defense, Premises Liability, Products Liability, Warranty Litigation, and Catastrophic/Hurricane Loss Litigation.

I began my legal career with the law firm of Masterson & Newell, L.L.C. Over the years I worked there, I was given immense autonomy in terms of handling cases. This allowed me to evolve as a litigator much quicker than would be the case at other firms. I handled a multitude of cases that provided a wide array of experience. These cases ranged from multi-million dollar tractor trailer accident wrongful death claims to personal injury claims against amusement parks. I successfully had many cases dismissed on the merits without having to proceed to trial.

I joined Crosby Saad, L.L.C. in September 2007. As an attorney at Crosby Saad, my practice mainly focused on representing a national manufacturer of mobile homes and recreational vehicles in product liability and warranty litigation, a national insurance adjusting company in catastrophic hurricane casualty matters, and various individual clients in a wide range of tort and breach of contract actions. I litigated matters before state courts, federal courts, and arbitrators/arbitration panels. At Crosby Saad, I was given the opportunity to further develop my litigation skills by learning from experienced litigators that worked with me hands-on while still expecting me to produce positive results for clients on my own. This opportunity further expanded my litigation abilities.

In January 2009, David Walker and I joined Jim Crosby to form Crosby Law Firm. We are handling many of the same matters we previously handled at Crosby Saad, with a dedication to defense litigation and a focus on serving the interests of our clients with their input and direction – and within their litigation budgets. I am proud of what we have to offer our current clients and our future clients. I invite you to contact us to discuss any needs you may have.