

**Mark Howard Zalzman**  
**J.D. (Lawyer), C.P.A. (Accountant), LL.M (Master in Tax Law)**

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**LITIGATION / TRIAL LAWYER**

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Versatile trial attorney with a solid record of litigation success and experience in various facets of the law, including family, divorce and custody law, criminal prosecution and defense, and business and civil matters.

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**ATTORNEY EXPERIENCE**

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<b>Sole Practitioner</b> (Self-employed attorney specializing in all aspects of Family, Divorce and Custody Law, Criminal Law and Defense and Business and Civil Litigation)	Peoria, IL	2006-Present
<b>Assistant Public Defender</b> (Represented defendants in Misdemeanor, Felony Bonding, and Mental Health Courts)	Peoria County, IL	11/2007-03/2008
<b>Assistant State's Attorney</b> (Prosecuted in the name of the People of the State of Illinois in Misdemeanor and Juvenile Delinquency Courts)	Peoria County, IL	02/2003-07/2004
<b>Sole Practitioner</b> (General Business and Employment Law Practice)	Chicago, IL	1994-2000
<b>Associate</b> , Law office of William B. Kohn, (Performed pre-trial functions for a business litigation and employment law office)	Chicago, IL	1992-1993

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**EDUCATION & LICENSES**

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<b>University of San Diego School of Law</b> LL.M., Taxation (Master of Laws Degree)	2001
<b>University of Loyola, Chicago, IL, School of Business</b> Accounting (non-degree program to qualify for CPA Exam)	1998
<b>University of California, Berkeley, Boalt Hall School of Law</b> Law Degree/Juris Doctor	1991
<b>University of Michigan, Ann Arbor</b> Bachelor of Arts in History with High Distinction (top 10 % of class)	1985

**Certified Public Accountant, IL, 1999▪ State Bar of Illinois, 1993▪ State Bar of California, 1993**