

Scott N. Murphy

Calgary, Alberta | Articling Candidate

Internationally trained law graduate returning home to become qualified in Canada with ~1.5 years experience in commercial litigation with a focus on consumer litigation, breach of contract, and contract disputes. Now leveraging global experiences gained in education, travel, and personal and professional endeavors that have cultivated a deep emotional intelligence, and an appreciation for diverse perspectives, and a dynamic, pragmatic approach to problem-solving.

EDUCATION

National Committee on Accreditation , Calgary, Alberta <i>Certificate of Qualification</i>	2024
University of Melbourne , Melbourne, Australia <i>Melbourne Law School, Juris Doctor- Honours</i>	2021-2023
McGill University , Montreal, Canada <i>Bachelor of Commerce, Finance and Managing for Sustainability</i>	2016-2020
University of Queensland , Brisbane, Australia <i>Academic exchange with UQ Faculty of Business, Economics and Law</i>	Winter 2019

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Paralegal/Legal Assistant , Melbourne, Victoria, <i>BP Lawyers</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Supported Principal on civil litigation files across all 8 Australian JurisdictionsDrafted and filed necessary documentation for legal proceedingsActively maintained relationships and correspondence between clients, third parties, lawyers, and the courts	Jun 2022–Nov 2023
Paralegal , Melbourne, Victoria, <i>Anika Legal</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Responsible for drafting legal advice, and demand lettersLiaised with clients to ensure needs are being metAttained success rate above the organization's average	Apr 2022–Dec 2022
Recruiter/Office Manager , Calgary, Alberta, <i>Express Employment Professionals</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Responsible for developing new associates and appropriately matching them with clients' needsPerformed payroll duties, led analytics to enhance job matching, and executed controls reconciliationAttained the highest ratio of proposed associates-to-hire vs other recruiters	Jun 2019-Dec 2020
Turf Management Member , Panorama, British Columbia, <i>Greywolf Golf Course</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Prioritized and completed daily turf tasks based on staffing, weather and tee sheetActed as key member of wildlife response team to ensure golfer safety during bear encounters	May 2020-Sept 2020
Project Analyst , Calgary, Alberta, <i>Alberta Health Services</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recommended changes to streamline and improve waste management throughout the Calgary zone hospital sitesDeveloped and presented to management a communications strategy to drive the implementation of new sustainability procedures	Jun 2018-Aug 2018
Property Manager , Montreal, Quebec, <i>Airbnb</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Facilitated and ensured the maintenance of properties for rent in the Montreal areaEnsured standards were maintained at all guest properties and consistently attained the highest rating from guests	May 2018-Jun 2018
Keyholder/Shift Supervisor , Calgary, Alberta, <i>Buttermilk Fine Waffles</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Ensured facility was opened/closed on time with all associated tasks (staff punctuality, cleanliness, logistics)Created new menu offerings and Upheld customer expectations throughout the service experience, addressing gaps where necessary	May 2015-Dec 2017

LEADERSHIP & EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Calgary Legal Guidance** Calgary, Alberta – *Volunteer* Dec 2024-Present
- Supported lawyers in preparing for legal clinics, including researching legal issues and preparing material
 - Participated in client meetings, gathering relevant information for review
- Zeta Psi Fraternity** Montreal, Quebec - *Senior Representative/General Member* Jan 2017-Jun 2020
- Selected to represent the Chapter at Conferences across the United States and Canada
 - Organized and managed philanthropic events consistently exceeding goals
- McGill Investment Club** Montreal, Quebec - *Member* Sept 2017-Jun 2020
- Helped support the planning and execution of club events
 - Participated in the annual stock market simulations
- Tom Baker Cancer Centre**, Calgary, Alberta – *Stem Cell Donor* August 2017
- As member of Canadian Blood Services One Match program, successfully matched with a Leukemia patient
 - Underwent diagnostics and preparatory treatment for donation through stem cell apheresis

INTERESTS

Travelling: Exploring the world, and meeting people from different places. Aside from seeing beautiful places, trying the local food and sharing a meal with someone who calls that place home

Reading: Enjoying autobiographies and biographies. Understanding the path people have taken has taught me patience and to enjoy the important moments in life

Golfing: A bad day on the golf course is better than a good day anywhere else