



## Shumaker Alumni Network Newsletter

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Over 260 Alumni

Living in 20 States & Costa Rica

Welcome to the *Shumaker Alumni Network Newsletter*, a quarterly update focused on fostering and strengthening the connections among our prestigious alumni. As the firm closes in on its 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary, Shumaker alumni have had a tremendous impact on institutions and communities across the country. This publication allows us to share and highlight those many accomplishments. We hope you enjoy reading this newsletter and on behalf of the firm, we are honored to consider you part of the “Shumaker Alumni Family.”

~Thomas P. Dillon, Chairman, Management Committee and Toledo Managing Partner



### Upcoming Events

**Shumaker Advisors Ohio** client, American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA) – Ohio Chapter, is hosting a webinar that is free and open to all members of the legal community. ABOTA has applied for CLE credit in Ohio and Florida and will do so for other states if enough people register. Register [here](#).



### Alumni Spotlight

Meet Shumaker Alumnus Stephen Rothschild

### Did you know?

Member of the Leadership Council on Legal Diversity (LCLD) - an organization of more than 320 corporate chief legal officers and law firm managing partners—the leadership of the profession—who have dedicated themselves to creating a truly diverse U.S. legal profession.



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ON LEGAL  
DIVERSITY

Mindi M. Richter Selected to Leadership Council on Legal Diversity Fellows Program.



Implemented implicit bias training.

Shumaker Diversity Scholarship Established in 2016

- Two diversity scholarships awarded annually to 1L or 2L students in the amount of \$7,500 each who participate in Shumaker's Summer Associate Program
- Six scholarship recipients since inception resulting in two new full-time associates



Attended Southeastern Minority Job Fair

Regular hosting of Lunch & Learn sessions to increase firmwide awareness of Diversity and Inclusion topics.



Annual sponsorship and participation in LGBTQ Pride celebrations.

Annual firmwide Martin Luther King, Jr. celebrations.



Tampa Partner Michele Hinton and Sarasota Associates Erin Hope Christy and Jade Davis were appointed to The Florida Bar's Diversity and Inclusion Committee.



Hinton Christy Davis



Support internal and external Diversity and Women's Leadership Initiative's (WLI), such as Women's History Month, Black History Month, National Disability Awareness Month.



We would love to hear from our alumni. If you would like to be featured in our Shumaker Alumni Spotlight or have news to share, please email [wbyrne@shumaker.com](mailto:wbyrne@shumaker.com).