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*"Stay even keel. It's never as good as it seems  
and it's never as bad as it seems."*



**Q:** *When were you at Shumaker and what was your position/practice area?*

**A:** I practiced real estate law from 2006 to 2020 at Shumaker.

**Q:** *What is your current position and company?*

**A:** I am a Commercial Title Underwriting Counsel for a title agency licensed in 32 states with the ability to partner in the others.

**Q:** *What do you enjoy most about your career?*

**A:** The opportunity to collaborate with other lawyers.

**Q:** *What is your favorite memory of your time working at Shumaker?*

**A:** I served on the Board of Trustees of the Homeless Families Foundation. The support the firm gave to the organization was really meaningful.

**Q:** *What is the best advice you can give a new attorney?*

**A:** You know more than you think you know. The new lawyers at Shumaker really undertook the effort necessary to be a good lawyer.