



HANNAH WILSON

PROFILE

Hannah Wilson is a Practicing Attorney and holds a B.Comm, LLB (with distinction) LLM (tax), as well as an Advanced Diploma in Financial Planning Law and an Advanced Diploma in Estate and Trust Administration. She founded Wilsons Attorneys in 2015.

Hannah is passionate about what she does and is committed to the education and empowerment of individuals in basic principles of both law and finance, believing both to be important cornerstones of life and work in the 21st century.

KEY COMPETENCIES

- **Unique blend of commercial, financial and legal skills**
- **Mediation and coaching skills**
- **Clear understanding of big picture context**
- **Cross functional understanding of law and finance**
- **Critical thinking and problem solving**
- **Insight into clients and their individual requirements**



LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Self employed (2015 – 2018)

Sole practitioner, attorney.

Main area of work is estate planning law, including family mediations, drafting of wills, antenuptial contracts, co-habitation agreements, trust documents, settlement agreements in divorce actions, deceased estates and curatorship applications.

Clarks Attorneys (2014)

Specialists in Family Law.

Family Sabbatical (2007 – 2013)

Self employed (2005/2006)

Mediator and financial coach.

Assisted with the establishment of the Dispute Resolution Alliance for the promotion of commercial mediation in South Africa. Established 21st Century Women (discussion forum for women's financial planning).

Advocate of the High Court of South Africa (2004 - admitted 2003)

General commercial work.

Corpcapital Limited (2000 – 2002)

Member of the Corporate Finance division.

General corporate finance activities including development and marketing of structured products, negotiations, drafting of commercial agreements and circulars, regulatory advice: Project managed Corpcapital's involvement in the development, listing and marketing of Satrix 40. Project managed the Corporate Finance division's implementation of the group merger.

Edward Nathan & Friedlance Inc (1999 – 2000)

Candidate attorney in Commercial Department.

Drafting of legal agreements and documents, legal research and writing of opinions.



QUALIFICATIONS AND TRAINING

University of the Free State (2015 – 2017)

Post Graduate Diploma in Advanced Estate and Trust Administration.

University of South Africa/Centre of Accounting Studies (2015)

Course in the Administration of Estates.

University of the Free State/Institute of Financial Planning (2006)

Post Graduate Diploma in Financial Planning.

University of the Witwatersrand: LLM (Tax) (2004)

University of the Witwatersrand: Bachelor of Laws (LLB) (1998)

Graduated with distinction. Top student in Unjustified Enrichment and Negotiable Instruments and Banking Law (1998). Tutor for Wits Academic Development Programme. Good Fellowship Award (1998).

University of Cape Town: Bachelor of Commerce (B.Comm) (1995)

Major in accounting. Dean's Merit List in 1994 and 1995. STEP Tutor (academic development programme for historically disadvantaged students).

Roedean School

Matriculated 1992. Head girl. Colours in academics and public speaking. Final year prizes in English, History and Classical Studies.

EXTRA CURRICULAR

Mediation, volunteer mediator for FAMSA

Trained by the Family Life Centre and accredited as a mediator by the SA Association of Mediators in 2003.

CEDR (UK) commercial mediation skills training course (2007)

Coaching, Associate Coaching Course, UCT Graduate School of Business (2006)

Coaching to Excellence, UCT Graduate School of Business (2005)