



Bluestein & Douglas, LLC

Having earned an exemplary reputation for honesty and integrity, good client relationships and overall professional behavior, Charleston's all-woman law firm of Bluestein & Douglas, LLC welcomes two new attorneys, Britton Mason Hawk and Beverly Snelgrove, to the firm. In a strategic move to enhance the firm's ability to provide outstanding legal counsel in the area of matrimonial and family law, Hawk and Snelgrove are now attorneys at one of the state's most respected law firms.

"The integrity of our firm has always been based on providing our clients with solid legal advice and services that are financially and ethically sound," explains Natalie Bluestein, a founding partner. "We maintain good client relationships by being honest and forthcoming in our advice."

Founded in 1999, Natalie Parker Bluestein and Jane Nussbaum Douglas started the family law practice to assist clients who were going through divorces, custody disputes, child support and alimony matters, as well as other cases in South Carolina's Family Court system. Moving into 2017, the firm will see one of its founding partners, Douglas, become "of counsel" to the firm, while the two new attorneys, Hawk and Snelgrove, will bring their own legal experience to the table.

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"After spending the last 17 years cultivating the success of this firm with Natalie, I look forward to offering my experience on an 'of counsel' basis," says Douglas. "I feel very confident that the new additions to our team will increase the firm's abilities to serve our clients efficiently and effectively."

Britton Hawk found her passion in family law after more than seven years of business litigation defense with a local Charleston firm and starting her own firm. In the Family Court arena, "people are dealing with what may be the most emotional ordeal in their lives," says Hawk. A graduate of the University of South Carolina School of Law, Hawk is well tuned to respond to an array of family court issues. "I'm very patient and easy to work with. I've found that my clients respond well to my demeanor."

Beverly Snelgrove comes to Bluestein & Douglas from the South Carolina Department of Social Services (DSS) in Charleston County, where she served a wide-range of people seeking relief in Family Court. "First and foremost, I would say that my work with DSS allowed me to have extensive courtroom experience, which has enabled me to stay calm, and calm others down, in a variety of stressful situations," says Snelgrove. "I was spending as many as five days a week in court, which allowed me to learn to think on my feet."

Good client relationships are at the heart of Bluestein & Douglas, where experienced advice plays a fundamental role in every attorney-client meeting. "Whether a matter is 'unsettled at law' or there's an established precedent to guide the particulars of the case, we will let the client know that and discuss the pros and cons of the situation," says Bluestein. "We will be forthcoming about what we can do, how to do it and whether we are the right fit for the client moving forward."

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