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Main Bio

Jay Jetter concentrates his practice in state and local tax and assists his clients with tax planning and business transactions. Jay's experiences with both the Washington State and the Arizona Departments of Revenue have informed his practice, giving him helpful insight into tax regulations, and interpretive statements and tax controversy solutions.

Education

- University of Washington School of Law (LL.M., 2017)
- University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law (J.D., 2003)
 - United States District Court, District of Arizona, Extern for Chief Judge Stephen M. McNamee
 - Rule 38 (e) Student Attorney, Child Advocacy Clinic
 - Note & Comment Editor, Arizona Journal of International & Comparative Law
 - Summer Study Abroad at Tulane Center for European Union and Intellectual Property Law in Amsterdam, Netherlands
- Northwestern University (B.A., Political Science and German Studies, 1999)

Professional Memberships & Activities

- State Bar of Arizona
 - Tax and Real Property Sections
- Washington State Bar Association
 - Tax; Real Property, Probate & Trust; and Indian Law Sections
- American Bar Association
 - Tax and Real Property, Trust, & Estate Law Sections
- King County Bar Association
- ABA Law Student Division, National Appellate Advocacy Competition, Volunteer Judge
- ABA Tax Section, Law Student Tax Challenge, Written Submissions Judge

Representative Presentations & Publications

- "[Arizona's Remote Seller/Marketplace Facilitator Legislation Takes Effect October 1](#)," Co-Author, Snell & Wilmer Legal Alert (October 1, 2019)
- "Real Estate Law: Interpreting Legal Documents," Presenter, Washington Association of County Assessors, Dupont, Washington (August 17, 2016)
- "Excise Tax Exemptions Related to Transfers of Real Property Interests and Controlling Interests in Entities," Presenter, Washington State Bar Association Midyear Seminar, Spokane, Washington (June 14, 2009)

Professional Recognition & Awards

- 40 Under 40, South Sound Business Examiner (2016)

Community Involvement

- Foss Waterway Development Authority, City of Tacoma, Board of Directors (2013-2017)
 - President (2016)
- Thurston County Volunteer Legal Services
- WSBA Wills for Heroes
- YMCA Youth & Government State Mock Trial, Attorney Rater

Other Professional Experience

- Washington State Department of Revenue, Interpretations & Technical Advice Division/Property Tax Division, Senior Tax Policy Attorney
- CMS Law Firm LLC, Attorney
- Moss Adams LLP, State & Local Tax Practice, Senior Associate
- Arizona Department of Revenue, Transaction Privilege Appeals Unit, Tax Counsel

Bar Admissions

- Arizona
- Washington

Court Admissions

- Supreme Court of Arizona
- Supreme Court of Washington