

Ryan D. Anderson KC

Education

University of Calgary Law School-Juris Doctor 2002

University of Alberta Bachelor of Science with Distinction-1998

Experience

HUCKVALE LLP Partner, Mediator, Collaborative Lawyer

- Called to the Alberta Bar in 2003 and have practiced in Lethbridge and area since Graduation from Law School.
- Family Law Lawyer assisting clients in Divorce, Matrimonial Property, and Child Welfare. Appeared in Alberta Court of Justice, Kings Bench, and the Alberta Court of Appeal.
- Real Estate and Agricultural Lawyer

LETHBRIDGE COLLEGE CASUAL INSTRUCTOR (2008-2012)

- Instruct Business Law to students of the Business Faculty.
- Guest Presenter to the Social Work class on legal issues surrounding Child Welfare work.

Professional Volunteer

Bencher Law Society of Alberta 2018-Present

- Currently serve on the Executive Committee and Strategic Plan Task Force,
- Currently appointed Chair of Audit and Finance Committee and the Real Estate Practice Advisory Committee.
- Past Vice Chair of Bencher Election Task Force to increase diversity at the Bencher Table.
- Formerly served as Chair of Conduct, Complaint Dismissal Appeals Panel, Education and Credentials, Trust Safety, Assurance Fund, and Professional Responsibilities.
- Currently sit as a member of the Policy Committee and the Viscount Bennett Scholarship Committee.
- Adjudicator for the following Committees: Conduct, Practice Review, Assurance Fund, Complaint Dismissal Appeals, Credentials and Education, and Trust Safety.
- Past Member of the Innovation and Regulation Task Force, Audit and Finance Committee, Policy, and Education.

Legal Education Society of Alberta

- Board member 2018 to 2022.
- Member of the Governance Committee and revised the Bylaws and Structure of LESA in 2021.

LESA Chair and Presenter

- Presenter of Intersection of Family Law and Child Welfare Law in the Courts and an Introduction to Bill C92 An Act Respecting First Nations, Inuit, and Metis children, Youth, and Families (2021)
- Chair of Family Law Contracts course in Edmonton and Calgary (2019)
- Presenter at Family Law Support Obligations Course in Edmonton and Calgary (2016)
- Presenter for Introduction to Real Estate
- Presenter at Real Estate Refresher (2023)

Lethbridge Public Legal Education

- Presented at over 20 seminars on Family Law, Wills and Estates, and Residential Tenancy issues to members of the public in Lethbridge and surrounding area.

Lethbridge Law Day Chair 2005-2008

- Chair of Lethbridge Law Day. Organize a day for the Public to view the Courts including fairy tale trial, police dog demonstrations, citizenship hearing, and pro bono lawyers.

Lethbridge Bar Association 2013-2016

- Board Member for Lethbridge Bar Association and Chair of the annual Golf Tournament.

Personal Volunteer

SASH 2010-2018 Chair

- Chair of the SASH board, a non-profit organization that provides supports to over 120 individuals with developmental disabilities. This included providing day supports, employment training, and housing.

Food drive 2011-2013

- Assist in organizing a food drive for the community to donate food for the Lethbridge Food Bank. Gathered over a thousand pounds of food each fall.

Youth Athletics

- Board member and volunteer of youth basketball programs in the local community youth ages 8-17. Included coaching basketball, organizing leagues, and spring league.
- Have coached school basketball for 10 years, Magrath minor hockey coach for 3 years, Volleyball for 3 years, baseball for 5 years, and indoor soccer for 5 years.

Professional Organizations

Canadian Bar Association, Association of Collaborative Lawyers, Lethbridge Bar Association, J. Reuben Clark Law Society (Alberta Chapter)