

## **OVERVIEW**

Samantha J. Graf is an attorney at Hellmuth & Johnson, focusing her practice on Estate Planning, Probate and Family Law.

Prior to joining the firm, Samantha has represented clients in a variety of family law matters including divorce, post-decree matters, and custody issues. Samantha has also represented clients in a variety of contested probate matters and assisted many clients in administering an estate.

Samantha was named to the Minnesota Super Lawyers® Rising Stars list 2017 – 2022 and to the Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in America™ list 2022 – 2023.

Samantha obtained her J.D. from Hamline University School of Law in St. Paul, MN, where she was active with the *Hamline Law Review*. Samantha is admitted to practice in the Federal & State Courts of Minnesota and Wisconsin. She earned her B.S. from University of Wisconsin River Falls, with a major in Psychology & Communication Studies.

## **AFFILIATIONS**

• Member State Bar Association

## COMMUNITY

- Presenter, Estate Planning Seminar in various cities: 2016 2018
- Presenter, Family Law Institute 2017: "Parenting Across Generations" on the topics of grandparent rights
- Presenter, New Orleans 2015 on the topic of the UCCJEA
- Presenter, Spain 2013 on the topic of overtime and second jobs in calculating child support

# **HONORS & AWARDS**

- Rule 114 Qualified Family Mediation Neutral
- Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America Family Law, Trusts and Estates, 2022-2024
- Minnesota Super Lawyers Rising Star® 2017-2023

#### **PRACTICE AREA**

Family Law
Guardianship &
Conservatorship
Trusts & Estates

### **ADMISSIONS**

Minnesota State and Federal Courts

Wisconsin State and Federal Courts

### **EDUCATION**

Hamline University School of Law, J.D., magna cum laude, 2013

University of Wisconsin River Falls, B.S., 2010