

# Heather Heath McIntyre

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## ASSOCIATE | HUGHES WATTERS ASKANASE LLP

*Ms. McIntyre has been admitted to the following practices and courts: State of Texas and Southern, Northern, Western and Eastern Federal District Courts of Texas*

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- Hughes Watters Askanase, L.L.P.**, Houston, TX 2/2019-Present  
*Of Counsel*
- LeClairRyan PLLC** – Houston, TX 12/2018-2/2019  
*Attorney*
- Represent creditors in bankruptcy matters
- Sanders McGarvey**, Houston, TX 11/2017-12/2018  
*Contract Attorney*
- Assist bankruptcy counsel in bankruptcy matters and state court litigation including:
    - Legal research and writing on various matters including preference defense in construction industry, garnishments in Texas, res judicata elements, contribution, personal guaranties and marshaling in relation to bankruptcy claims
    - Manage discovery database on CSDisco platform for multi-party state court litigation
    - Draft pleadings including motion to convert to chapter 7
- Hoover Slovack**, Houston, TX 7/2014-8/2014  
*Contract Attorney*
- Assist bankruptcy counsel team in representing equity holder in chapter 11 bankruptcy of debtor engaged in foreign maritime industry, Case No. 13-33763, *In re TMT Procurement Corp.*, including:
    - Motion practice including objection to claims, objection to attorney's fees, objection to compromise, objections to sell significant estate property
    - Coordinate and file seven appeals and draft initial appellate briefs
    - Legal research and analysis of various issues
    - Draft multiple adversary complaints involving declaratory actions
- Hughes Watters Askanase, L.L.P.**, Houston, TX 10/2003-5/2011  
*Associate* 1/2003-10/2003  
*Legal Clerk*
- Represent and advise bankruptcy trustees, including prosecution of lawsuits
  - Represent individual and corporate debtors in chapters 7, 11, and 13 bankruptcies, in various industries including oil & gas, communications, legal and medical fields
  - Defend corporate clients in litigation involving fraud and consumer disputes
  - Skills utilized to successfully execute the above tasks include:
    - Management of people including young associates and office staff
    - Coordinating multiple parties when negotiating settlement agreements
    - Organizing and analyzing varied sources of data to form strategy and defenses
    - Ascertaining and navigating procedural rules at state and federal court levels
- Baker Hughes Incorporated**, Houston, TX 6/2002-12/2002  
*Legal Clerk*
- Assist with legal data collection and analysis related to global corporate organizational structure and enforceability and interpretation of intercompany agreements

- Evaluate alternate methods of business in 70+ jurisdictions (including analysis of FCPA issues) and prepare analysis for presentation to General Counsel and Board of Directors

## **EDUCATION, CERTIFICATIONS, & BOARD SPECIALIZATION(S)**

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<b>University of Houston Law Center</b> , Houston, TX <i>Juris Doctorate</i>	5/2003
<b>Federal District Court, Southern District of Texas</b> <i>Judicial Intern for Judge Lee H. Rosenthal</i>	Spring 2002
<b>Balkan Law School Linkage Initiative – Kragujevac, Serbia</b> <i>Clinical legal education exchange student</i>	March 2003
<b>University of Texas in Austin</b> , Austin, TX <i>Bachelor of Arts, Psychology, with Honors</i>	5/1999

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State Bar of Texas  
Houston Bar Association  
Director, Houston Bar Association – Corporate Counsel Section, 2019-2020 Term  
Past member - Turnaround Management Association  
Member, National Association of Bankruptcy Trustees  
Past member The Arthur L. Moller – David B. Foltz, Jr. American Inn of Court  
Houston Young Lawyers, Association Leadership Academy, 2004-2005  
*Named a Rising Star by Thomson Reuters, 2008 and 2011*  
*Houston Journal of International Law*, Business Editor, 2002-2003

## **COMMUNITY OUTREACH ACTIVITIES**

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East Montrose Civic Association, Board Member (secretary, 2005-2006; treasurer, 2007-2008)  
Member, Friends of Wharton – organization was recipient of 2008 Community Improvement Award from the Museum District Business Alliance and the 2009 Good Brick Award from the Greater Houston Preservation Alliance for activities relating to saving Wharton Elementary from closure  
Alternate Judge for the 2008 General Election  
Harris County Precinct Chairman, 2008  
Secretary and Vice-President, Montrose Boulevard Conservancy, 2009-2017

## **HOBBIES & INTERESTS**

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I enjoy traveling, staying active with running and yoga, and raising my three children.