

# Jonathan M. Skorheim JD, CPA, CVA

## About Me

Jonathan Skorheim is an Attorney licensed to practice in all courts of the State of California as well as the Federal Central District of California, a Certified Public Accountant, and Certified Valuation Analyst. Jon graduated from the University of the Pacific, receiving a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with a concentration in accounting. He then went on to practice forensic accounting while obtaining his CPA license prior to attending law school at the Dale E. Fowler School of Law at Chapman University where he earned his Juris Doctorate with an emphasis in Business Law. After law school, Jon practiced Family Law Litigation with one of Orange County's most prominent family law firms.

Jon's experience in forensic accounting includes handling financial damages analyses, business valuation, fraud investigations, and family law accounting issues. His work relates to numerous industries including financial services, real estate, manufacturing, retail, distribution, professional services, health care and technology. During law school, Jon served as a law clerk for the Orange County District Attorney's Office Major Fraud Unit. In that capacity he assisted deputy and supervising DA's develop fraud and embezzlement cases, made various appearances in court, and assisted investigators execute search warrants and document seizures. After law school, Jon practiced family law litigation, focusing on financial issues, self-employed individuals, and business valuation cases. While practicing family law, Jon was exposed to litigation at a high level, filing motions, writing briefs, propounding and responding to discovery, taking and defending depositions and appearing in Court for various issues dealing with custody, child support, spousal support, property divisions, business valuation, attorney fees, and sanctions.

Jon enjoys spending his free time with his wife and dog in Carlsbad, California. He enjoys golfing, hiking, and travelling. Jon is also actively involved with the Orange County Bar Foundation, serving on its Board of Directors. Jon is a Co-Chair of the Orange County Bar Foundation Golf Tournament Committee, and is also a member of its Audit Committee.

## Work Experience

Skorheim & Associates, AAC - General Counsel, Litigation Support, Business Valuation, Tax	2016-Present
Minyard Morris, LLP - Associate Attorney	2013 - 2016
Orange County District Attorney's Office Major Fraud Unit - Law Clerk	2011 - 2012
Skorheim & Associates, AAC - Forensic Accountant, Litigation Support, Business Valuation	2006 - 2010

## Professional Affiliations

Member of the Banyard Inn of Court  
Member of the Orange County Bar Association  
Founding Fellow of the Orange County Bar Foundation's Society of Fellows  
Member of the Orange County Bar Foundation's Board of Directors  
Member of the Orange County Bar Foundation's Annual Golf Tournament Committee  
Member of the Orange County Bar Foundation's Audit Committee

## Awards & Honors

Orange County Bar Foundation's Society of Fellows' prestigious Distinguished Fellow Award – The highest award presented by the Society of Fellows for Jon's outstanding dedication to the society's mission to assist the underserved youth in Orange County.

## Education

University of the Pacific (B.S. in Business Administration with a concentration in Accounting)  
Dale E. Fowler School of Law, Chapman University (J.D., emphasis in Business Law)  
Licensed Certified Public Accountant (CPA)  
Licensed Certified Valuation Analyst (CVA)  
Graduate of the National Institute of Trial Advocacy ABA Family Law Trial Advocacy Program (July, 2015)  
Graduate of the National Institute of Trial Advocacy Building Trial Skills: Los Angeles Program (Jan., 2015)

## Publications

Potential Tax Reform Makes Year-End Planning Essential (2017)  
Itemized Deductions - Schedule A After Tax Reform (2017)

### Areas of Expertise:

*Family Law Forensic  
Accounting*

*Business Litigation Forensic  
Accounting*

*Tax and Consulting*