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After completing his law degree in 1986, David A. Paul returned to Kamloops, British Columbia and entered private practice. In 1994, he established Paul & Company, where he remains as senior associate counsel. His practice includes family law, personal injury, criminal law and mediation. He is a Law Society of British Columbia certified Family Law Mediator, Family Law Arbitrator and Parenting Coordinator and is also on Mediate BC's Civil, Family and Child Protection rosters. Paul has contributed to publications including Canadian Lawyer Magazine, Lawyers Weekly, The Advocate and BarTalk. He earned a master of law degree (dispute resolution) from Osgoode Hall Law School in 2017, and his master's thesis, "Canine Assisted Mediation," was published in the Fall 2017 edition of the *Harvard Negotiation Law Review*. Paul has served as president of the British Columbia Branch of the Canadian Bar Association, chair of the CBA national Legal Profession Assistance and Small, Solo and General Practice conferences, president of the Lawyers Assistance Program of British Columbia and director on the BC Parenting Coordination Roster Society. In 2003, Paul was awarded Queen's Counsel.