

## BIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT OF SCOTT CARDENAS

Scott Cardenas joined Legal Aid Center of Southern Nevada in 2020 as a Staff Attorney in the Consumer Rights Project representing adult protected persons in guardianship proceedings. Prior to joining Legal Aid Center, Scott served as a law clerk for the Honorable Jerome T. Tao of the Court of Appeals of Nevada and was an associate attorney practicing commercial litigation at a private law firm in Las Vegas. Scott is licensed to practice law in Nevada.

Scott graduated cum laude from the William S. Boyd School of Law in 2018, and received a Scribes Award for Excellence in Legal Writing and a Dean's Award at graduation. During law school, he was a student attorney for the Thomas & Mack Appellate Clinic, where he had the opportunity to represent clients pro bono before the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. Prior to law school, Scott graduated from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science in 2015.