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From proactive, strategic family and criminal law counsel to defending your innocence and protecting your rights, Michael Hines is here for you. Put fierce compassion and experienced representation to work for you.



Hines is a very active member of the community and has received many honors, including Mothers Against Drunk Drivers award for outstanding victim advocacy; Donald M. Gravatt Award: awarded to an outstanding graduate who displays compassion, fairness, and dedication to law enforcement; Harriet Robinson Gillock Award: awarded to an outstanding graduate who most exemplifies professional and personal dedication to their fellow students and the law school community; Class Act Award, Virginia Beach Police Department, recognized for highest DUI arrests of the third Precinct; Medals received while in the Navy: Good Conduct Medal, Humanitarian Service Award, Meritorious Unit Commendation, Navy Expeditionary Medal, Navy Unit Commendation.

AREAS OF PRACTICE:

Family
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BAR ADMISSIONS:

Florida, 1998
 U.S. District Court Middle District of Florida, 1999
 U.S. District Court Northern District of Florida, 2003
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EDUCATION:

Temple University School of Law
 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1998
 J.D.

St. Leo College, St. Leo, Florida, 1993
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PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS:

Catholic Lawyers Guild *Member*
 St. Johns County Bar Association *Member*
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

The Law Offices of Michael Hines, P.A.
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Founder
 2002–Present

Coastal Florida Police Benevolent Association, Daytona Beach, Florida
General Counsel
 2002–2004

Quintairos, McCumber, Prieto & Wood
 Jacksonville, Florida
Associate
 2001–2002

Duval County State Attorney's Office
 Jacksonville, Florida
Felony Prosecutor
 1998–2001

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United States Navy
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