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**PRACTICE OVERVIEW**

Ava Smoldt is an Estates and Trusts paralegal based in Hoge Fenton's San Jose office. Ava takes great pride in her work ethic and strives to deliver outstanding quality work to her team and clients. She is also a notary public with over three years of estates and trusts experience working at various law firms in the Peninsula. Ava's practice focuses on probate administration and trust post-death administration matters, including drafting court pleadings, evaluating and obtaining asset information, drafting accountings, and analyzing will and trust documents.

**BACKGROUND**

Prior to joining the firm, Ava was a paralegal/office manager of the Law Offices of Michael E. Pitts and a legal assistant at Aaron, Riechert, Carpool & Riffle, APC.

Ava earned an Associate Degree in Legal Studies and Paralegal Certificate in Specialized Training in Estate & Probate Law.

**PRACTICE AREAS**

Estates and Trusts

**EDUCATION**

A.A., Legal Studies, Evergreen Community College