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Overview

Chris joins Dutton Law Group as Director of Operations, bringing over 15 years of experience in overseeing firm operations, developing executive strategies, and managing employees. He has been an attorney for over 20 years and most recently served as Chief Operating Officer at Friedman Law Associates (f/k/a FL Legal Group), where he applied his deep understanding of employment law to manage business operations and advise on complex legal matters.

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Before embarking on his legal career, Chris served with distinction in the U.S. Navy during Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, earning multiple commendations for his dedication and service. He holds a Bachelor of Arts in Behavioral Science and Law from the University of Wisconsin at Madison, with a minor in Business, and a Juris Doctorate from Tulane University School of Law. During his tenure at Tulane, Chris notably worked on a significant lease extension for the New Orleans Saints, ensuring the team's long-term presence in an improved Superdome.

In his free time, Chris is passionate about music, playing the drums, and can be found rooting for the Pittsburgh Steelers on Sundays.