

## Brother and sister team up to run Lawrence Law, a firm with a view

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When attorney Greg Lawrence decided to leave the Baltimore firm where he'd worked for 14 years to create his own practice, it dawned on him that he knew the perfect person to be his next law partner: his sister Kate Lawrence.

On Nov. 1, the two siblings will move into their new offices in the B&O Warehouse next to Camden Yards, where they will run Lawrence Law, the firm that Kate previously operated on her own. Greg will leave Conti Fenn & Lawrence LLC the same day.

Greg said his eureka moment came when he was talking with Kate about expanding his practice — and realized it made sense to partner with her as a brother-and-sister-run firm.

"There are many examples of dynasties of male lawyers and firms founded by brothers, and sons and fathers, so why not brother and sister founders?" he said. "It's 2019. In today's market, my clients want to see diversity and inclusion."

Greg and Kate Lawrence grew up in Steubenville, Ohio, with two other siblings. Greg, who is 12 years older than Kate, attended the University of Baltimore School of Law, while Kate went to the Cleveland-Marshall College of Law.

At Conti Fenn & Lawrence, Greg Lawrence represented individuals and companies in complex civil, white-collar and regulatory cases. He decided to leave the firm because he wanted a new platform to develop his own practice specializing in securities litigation and enforcement, he said, adding that he was parting with his two partners on good terms.

"They're great personal friends and solid lawyers," Lawrence said. "I've enjoyed the 14 years here, but it was time for me to move on."

Kate Lawrence, who specializes in construction law, founded Lawrence Law in 2013. Her team of lawyers will join the firm she will run with her brother.

Kate and Greg said they were still hiring attorneys and were particularly interested in lawyers who deal with business transactions and construction.

Work remains to be done on the new offices, which likely won't be completed until February, Greg said. The siblings are excited about the location of the offices, which have a prime view of the Orioles' field.

"We hope it's a fun place to come to work and a fun environment, as much as it can be for clients coming in to see a lawyer," Greg said, adding that an opening day party for friends and clients is planned for the spring.



Siblings Kate and Greg Lawrence will run Lawrence Law. (Submitted photo)

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