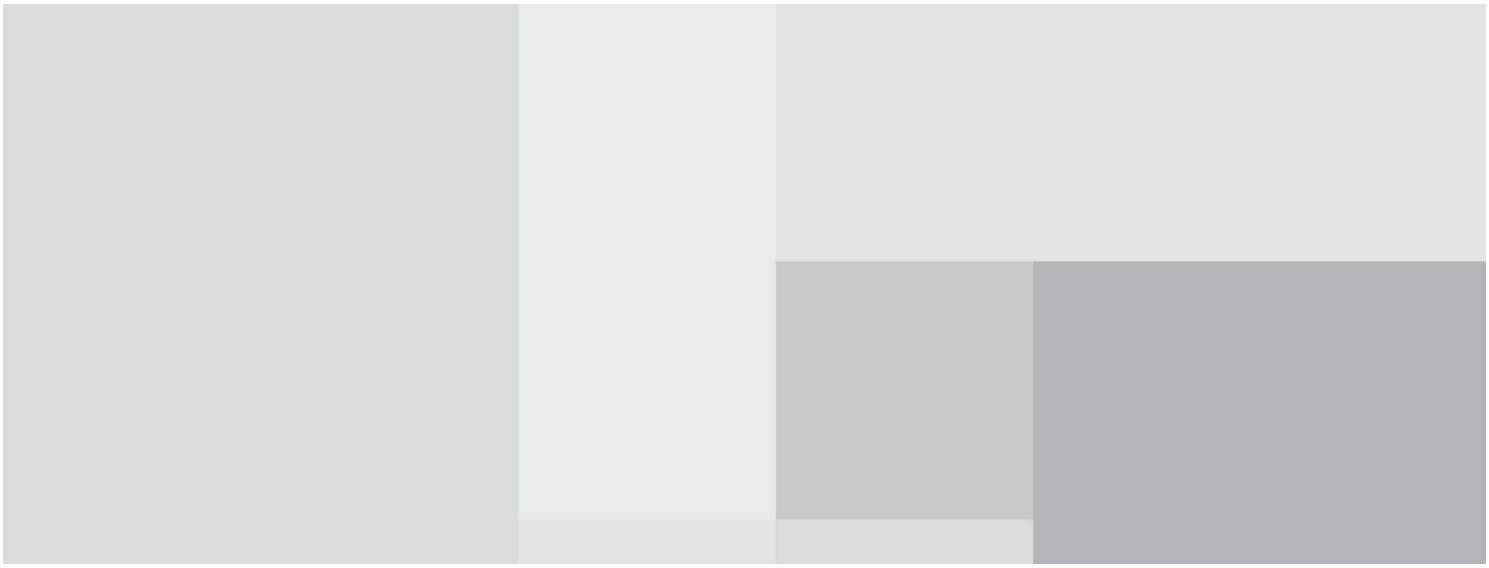
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Lukas earned his Juris Doctor, *magna cum laude*, from the University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law, where he graduated among the top students in his class. He served as Editor-in-Chief of the *UMKC Law Review* and as a Teaching Assistant for the Lawyering Skills program, supporting and mentoring first-year law students. He was a Dean of Students Honor Recipient and earned CALI Excellence for the Future Awards in Lawyering Skills I, Lawyering Skills II, Electronic Discovery, and Employment Discrimination. His comment examining the Missouri General Assembly's efforts to restrict the initiative petition process and consolidate legislative power was published in the *UMKC Law Review*.

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