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Mr. Breitenbach earned his bachelor of science in Speech and Political Science from Kansas State University in 1998 and his juris doctorate from the University of Kansas' School of Law in 2001. He joined the Office in August of 2001 and has prosecuted a variety of cases in the intervening years, ranging from theft and DUI to rape and murder in the first degree. Mr. Breitenbach is a member of the Wichita Bar Association's Board of Governors and will serve as its President in 2022-2023. Mr. Breitenbach is a member of the Kansas County and District Attorneys Association and routinely assists in training prosecutors and law enforcement across the State of Kansas on topics related to DUI and traffic investigations, ethics, and trial advocacy. In addition to his professional associations, Mr. Breitenbach volunteers with the Arthritis Foundation, having previously served on its local, regional, and national boards.