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EDUCATION

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER

J.D. May 2021 (Washington, DC)

Juris Doctor

GPA: 3.92 (*Magna Cum Laude*, Order of the Coif)

Honors: Dean's List (Each Semester)
Law Fellow (Teaching Assistant, 1L Legal Writing Class)
Best Brief (2021 NYU Immigration Law Court Competition)

Journal: *American Criminal Law Review* (Executive Editor, Volume 58)
Beating Qualified Immunity on Appeal (ACLR Online, May 2020)

Activities: Barristers' Council (Moot Court): Appellate Division
Peer Advisor for 1L students

LESLEY UNIVERSITY

M.A. May 2015 (Cambridge, MA)

Master's Degree, Elementary and Special Education

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN & GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY

B.A. May 2012 (Washington, DC)

Bachelor of Arts, *Cum Laude*, in History

EXPERIENCE

Cohen Milstein Sellers & Toll, PLLC—*Antitrust Associate*

Fall 2024–Present (Wash., DC)

Drafted complaints and motions filed in federal district courts; drafted pro bono briefs filed in the D.C. Circuit Court of Appeals and U.S. Supreme Court; managed discovery in a multi-firm complex class-action case; led multiple campaigns to secure plaintiffs for the firm's cases; drafted and responded to requests for production.

Judge Jane Stranch (Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals)—*Term Clerk*

Fall 2023–Fall 2024 (Nashville, TN)

Researched and drafted bench memos and opinions; analyzed the work of lower courts for issues and errors; prepared Judge Stranch for oral argument; provided feedback on the work of colleagues and other chambers.

Judge Gregory Woods (Southern District of New York)—*Term Clerk*

Fall 2022–Fall 2023 (New York, NY)

Researched and drafted opinions; prepared for and assisted Judge Woods in trial and hearings; otherwise supported the work of Judge Woods and chambers.

Americans United for Separation of Church & State—*Litigation Fellow*

Fall 2021–Fall 2022 (Wash., DC)

Researched and co-drafted certiorari-opposition and merits briefs, prepared for oral argument, and coordinated amici during *Kennedy v. Bremerton School District* (Supreme Court OT 2021–22); co-wrote [online journal article](#) after *Kennedy* decision; drafted amicus brief in *Carson v. Makin* (Supreme Court OT 2021–22); drafted briefs for filing and prepared colleagues for argument in numerous federal appellate cases.

Georgetown Law Appellate Litigation Clinic—*Student Attorney*

Fall 2020–Spring 2021 (Wash., DC)

Researched appellate jurisdictional issues and co-drafted brief as appointed amicus for class-action settlement objectors in D.C. Circuit; drafted briefs and prepared colleagues for argument in federal appellate cases.

Judge Dolly Gee (Central District of California)—*Judicial Intern*

Summer 2020 (Los Angeles, CA)

Conducted research and drafted proposed orders and opinions for clerks and Judge Gee.

Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law—*Legal Intern*

Spring 2020 (Wash., DC)

Drafted memos on fair-housing litigation standing and injunction standards; created "Census Protection Hotline."

Holabird Academy—*Fourth Grade Teacher*

2013–2015 (Baltimore, MD)

Awarded "highly effective" teacher distinction.

ACTIVE BAR ADMISSIONS

New York • Washington, D.C. • Southern District of New York • Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals

INTERESTS

Running • Nervously watching the Baltimore Orioles • Balancing a love of croissants with Type 1 diabetes