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Top Skills

Legal Writing
Legal Research
Corporate Law

Jasmine B.

Policy Director at the Partnership for the Future of Learning
Washington, District of Columbia, United States

Summary

Experienced attorney with a demonstrated history of working in securities litigation, civil rights litigation, and special education litigation. Skilled in Corporate Law, Commercial Litigation, and Legal Research.

Experience

Partnership for the Future of Learning
Policy Director
February 2023 - Present (7 months)
Washington DC-Baltimore Area

U.S. Department of Education
Senior Counsel
January 2021 - February 2023 (2 years 2 months)
Washington DC-Baltimore Area

The Bail Project
Senior Staff Attorney
August 2020 - January 2021 (6 months)
Memphis, Tennessee, United States

Warren for President
Policy Analyst
July 2019 - March 2020 (9 months)
Greater Boston Area

Southern Poverty Law Center
Law Fellow
August 2017 - July 2019 (2 years)
Greater New Orleans Area

Participated in the drafting of proposed legislation, amendments to proposed legislation, and the related supporting materials. Drafted motion for class certification in large Medicaid class action. Prepared memoranda on potential

litigation regarding voucher programs across the nation. Prepared and conducted witness interviews, coordinated and conducted legal research, and drafted correlating memoranda in preparation for filing complaints or initiating other administrative action. Prepared for and conducted client intake interviews for litigation over the role of law enforcement in public schools. Researched suspension policies in parishes across the Louisiana. Worked with the Louisiana Department of Education, Orleans Parish School Board, and independent monitors on the implementation of a consent judgement regarding the adherence of Orleans Parish schools to requirements of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Drafted public records requests seeking policy and data from state agencies.

U.S. Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals

Judicial Law Clerk for the Hon. Bernice B. Donald

September 2016 - August 2017 (1 year)

Greater Memphis Area

Researched and drafted bench memoranda, draft opinions, and summaries for cases pending before Judge Donald. Prepared recommendations for draft opinions written by staff attorneys and other chambers. Prepared recommendations for en banc petitions before the judge, including time sensitive en banc petitions, such as those related to the 2016 elections. Drafted communications to other Sixth Circuit Judges regarding cases before the Court.

Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Associate

September 2014 - August 2016 (2 years)

Securities Group

Litigation Department

Assisted in deposition and trial preparation for equal protection and first amendment violation claims. Wrote interview memoranda and assisted with witness interviews. Helped prepare a memorandum and presentation in response to a Wells Notice from the SEC. Assisted in researching and drafting motions including motions to dismiss state breach of fiduciary duty derivative actions, opposition to motions for class certification, and discovery motions relating to federal securities class actions. Participated in Big Brothers, Big Sisters Work Place Mentoring Program.

United States Attorneys' Offices

Intern

January 2014 - April 2014 (4 months)

Eastern District of New York

Researched and prepared trial brief on discrete issues such as chain of custody, venue, and expert testimony. Assisted with the trial preparation for a business and securities fraud trial.

Education

Columbia Law School

Juris Doctor, Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar · (2011 - 2014)

Harvard University

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), History and Literature, Postcolonial Studies · (2007 - 2011)