

Elizabeth Johnson Klein

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Work Experience

Latham &amp; Watkins LLP, Washington, DC

Associate, October 2006-present; Summer Associate, May 2005-August 2005

- Represent clients in environmental litigation and regulatory matters, with an emphasis on federal land management, National Environmental Policy Act compliance, renewable energy development, climate change policy, and Superfund issues.
- Serve on the firm's pro bono committee, which oversees all pro bono matters in the Washington, D.C. office.

Department of Justice, Environment &amp; Natural Resources Division, Washington, DC

Law Clerk, Environmental Enforcement Section, September 2004-November 2004

- Researched legal issues regarding enforcement actions undertaken by Environmental Protection Agency.
- Prepared legal memoranda and draft complaints for staff attorneys.

Department of Justice, Environment &amp; Natural Resources Division, Washington, DC

Summer Law Clerk, General Litigation Section, May 2004-July 2004

- Researched legal issues regarding ongoing Department of Justice litigation, with an emphasis on Forest Service, Environmental Protection Agency, and Bureau of Land Management activities.
- Prepared legal memoranda and draft briefs for staff attorneys.

National Park Foundation, Washington, DC

Director, Communications &amp; Government Relations, January 2001-July 2003

- Developed government relations strategy and managed all congressional communications.
- Managed public relations activities for corporate stewardship program.
- Served as project manager for strategic planning process.

Department of the Interior, Washington, DC

Special Assistant to the Secretary, May 1999-January 2001

- Scheduled, coordinated logistics, and provided briefing materials for the Secretary's meetings in D.C.
- Assisted in editing and preparing writing projects, including speeches, articles, and correspondence.

Johnson Smith Pence Wright &amp; Heath LLP, Washington, DC

Policy Analyst, August 1998-May 1999

- Identified potential clients and developed government relations strategies.
- Monitored federal and state legislation affecting current and potential clients.

Democratic Governors' Association, Washington, DC

Compliance Director, January 1997-August 1998

- Determined contribution priorities, administered funds, and ensured compliance with campaign finance laws.
- Organized and staffed fundraisers, conferences, and briefings.

Education

American University, Washington College of Law, Washington, DC, (b) (6)

Juris Doctor, GPA: 3.8

Summa Cum Laude, Order of the Coif, *Sustainable Development Law & Policy Journal* Staff Member and Senior Articles Editor, Environmental Law Society President, Women's Law Association Secretary, Integrated Curriculum Dean's Fellow, Gillett-Mussey Fellow

The George Washington University, Washington, DC, (b) (6)

Bachelor of Arts Economics, Women's Studies Minor, GPA: 3.8

Summa Cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa, University Honors Scholar