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ADMISSION

Awaiting results of July 2015 California bar examination.

EDUCATION

Northwestern University School of Law

Chicago, IL

Northwestern University, The Graduate School

Evanston, IL

Juris Doctor, Magna cum laude, GPA: 3.988

May 2015

Ph.D. in Sociology, GPA: 3.806

June 2015

- Law and Science Fellow
- NORTHWESTERN JOURNAL OF LAW AND SOCIAL POLICY, Articles Editor
Comment, *Misconstructing Sexuality in Same-Sex Marriage Jurisprudence*, 6 NW. J. L. & SOC. POL'Y 238 (2011)
- Published *(No) State Interests in Regulating Gender: How Suppression of Gender Nonconformity Violates Freedom of Speech*, 19 WM. & MARY J. WOMEN & L. 187 (2013)
- *OUTLaw*, Academic Outreach Chair

Brandeis University

Waltham, MA

Bachelor of Arts in Sociology, Summa cum laude, GPA: 3.858

June 2006

- *Phi Beta Kappa*
- Martin Luther King, Jr. Scholar (Awarded based on academic merit and community involvement)
- Participated in summer study abroad in Moscow, Russia, on Russian Criminal Justice

EXPERIENCE

Northwestern University

Evanston and Chicago, IL

Graduate Instructor and Doctoral Candidate

September 2006 – June 2015

- Researched and analyzed case law and organizational records to understand litigation strategies
- Interviewed lawyers at LGBT legal organizations and surveyed donors
- Managed budget and wrote grant applications
- Wrote 342 page dissertation on the history of LGBT public interest litigation
- Taught undergraduate classes on law and supervised student research

Academic Chair for annual Queertopia! Graduate Student Conference

September 2007 – May 2010

- Co-founded as a regional conference and expanded into a national conference
- Developed conference program and supervised panel discussants

Research Assistant to Professor Leonard Rubinowitz

June 2009 – August 2009

- Researched housing discrimination litigation by the Contract Buyers' League

Research Assistant to Professor Laura Beth Nielsen

September 2007 – March 2008

- Analyzed statistical data set related to public interest legal organizations

MassEquality

Boston, MA

Canvas Team Leader and Canvasser

September 2005 – September 2006

- Identified legislators to target for constituent lobbying campaign
- Led canvassing teams in door-to-door operations

National Gay and Lesbian Task Force

Boston, MA

Volunteer

September 2004 – December 2004

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Language Skills: Basic proficiency in Spanish

Interests: Endurance running and triathlon