

Brie Duseau

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EDUCATION

NEW ENGLAND LAW | BOSTON

Juris Doctorate, Magna Cum Laude

Class Rank: 4 out of 257, Top 1%

GPA: 3.86

Honors: Intellectual Property Certificate; *New England Scholar*, 2021-2024; *Highest Ranked Female*, (2021-2022); *Dean's List*, 2021-2024; CALI Excellence Award (highest grade) in Property 1, Property 2, and Criminal Procedure; Sandra Day O'Connor Honors Program and Full Merit Scholarship

Activities: *New England Law Review*, Executive Comment and Note Editor (2023-2024), Associate (2022-2023); Judicial Honors Program; Environmental Law Society; Student Mentor Program

CONNECTICUT COLLEGE

Bachelor of Arts in Economics & Psychology, Cum Laude

Honors: Dean's High Honors; Honors Thesis in Economics; Jim Greenleaf Memorial Award for Leadership

University of Otago: Award (highest grade) in Intro to Law and New Technology (Study Abroad, Fall 2017)

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Massachusetts Land Court

Judicial Law Clerk to the Honorable Howard P. Speicher

- Compose judicial opinions and orders following research and deliberation of working legal theories with judge
- Conduct and apply discrete legal research in zoning, easements, title, mortgages, trusts, and environmental law
- Attend hearings, observe arguments, compose docket entries, and compare legal theories from opposing parties

Morrison Mahoney LLP

Summer Associate (Full-Time)/Semester Law Clerk (Part-Time)

- Implemented research for civil defense litigation in medical, construction, professional, and general liability cases
- Utilized research to compose memorandums of law in support of motions for summary judgment and for dismissal
- Directly aided partners; collaborated with associates on legal projects; reviewed and prepared status reports for clients

Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court

Judicial Intern to the Honorable Justice Serge Georges Jr.

- Implemented research of novel and discrete legal issues into recitation memoranda to recommend appellate outcomes
- Evaluated petitions for further appellate review and provided recommendations to the court based on legal merit
- Observed oral arguments and discussed the effectiveness of parties' arguments in chambers with Justice and clerks

Volunteer Lawyer's Project

Student Attorney (Consumer Debt Unit)

- Represented over 25 indigent clients in court under SJC Rule 3:03 regarding small claims debts under \$7,000.00
- Negotiated settlements with opposing counsel and drafted research memos on the creditor's required burden
- Conducted intake interviews, counseled, and represented clients both in person and on virtual hearings

The Halks Firm

Law Clerk

- Wrote agreements for disputed share divisions from sale of marital homes and aided in negotiating settlements
- Researched and drafted legal arguments relating to interstate and intrastate minor child removal disputes
- Assisted attorneys in hearings, pre-trial conferences, and mediations regarding asset division and arbitrations

Northwestern District Attorney's Office

Intern

- Assisted attorneys and paralegals with legal research and preparation regarding criminal cases and trials
- Aided legal staff in arraignments, pre-trial hearings, and aided directly in the juvenile diversion program

New Hampshire Circuit Court

Intern (Family & ADR Division)

- Analyzed the accessibility of legal resources for rural NH citizens impacted by the opioid epidemic
- Assisted in and observed family mediations, drug courts, diversion programs, and divorce trials statewide

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

National Premier League Australia, *Signed Soccer Player for Souths United FC 2020/21*

St Peters Girls Boarding, *Senior Dorm Parent, Soccer Coach, Writing Tutor, 2020/21*

NEFC Girls Soccer, *U13 Coach, K1 Pro-Trainer, 2021-2024*

Northfield Mount Hermon, *Alumni*

Brisbane, Australia

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Newton, MA

Northfield, MA