

Alison Meyers

Associate Attorney at The Law Offices of Kristine C. Hanly

Experience

Associate Attorney at The Law Office of Kristine C. Hanly, LLC

May 2013 - Present (1 year)

-Associate attorney in a law firm specializing in criminal defense and family law. I handle felony and misdemeanor criminal cases, as well as family law matters such as divorce, parental rights and responsibilities, protection from abuse or harassment, and post-judgment matters.

Student Attorney at Cumberland County District Attorney's Office

May 2011 - May 2012 (1 year 1 month)

Charging criminal and limited civil cases around Cumberland County, negotiating plea agreements, attending arraignments and dispositional conferences on behalf of the State of Maine, handling trials as necessary, using prosecutorial discretion when dealing with cases, and other various tasks relating to criminal prosecution. Handled a jury trial, a bench trial, numerous suppression hearings, and wrote an appellate brief to the Law Court.

Student Representative at BARBRI

September 2009 - May 2012 (2 years 9 months)

Student Attorney at Cumberland Legal Aid Clinic

August 2011 - January 2012 (6 months)

Represented clients in divorce cases, protection from abuse hearings, contempt hearings, foreclosure, and termination of parental rights hearings.

Legal Intern at Volunteer Lawyer's Project

May 2010 - September 2010 (5 months)

Advised clients regarding family law cases on the Family Law Helpline, attended Protection from Abuse hearings weekly, worked with the Access to Justice coalition.

Intern at New Hampshire House of Representatives

January 2009 - May 2009 (5 months)

Interned for the Children and Family Law Committee; researched juvenile sentencing and corrections, attended house sessions and committee hearings, various research assignments and small projects for representatives.

Honors and Awards

Pro Bono Public Service Award

May 2012

Dean's List

Skills & Expertise

Legal Research

Legal Writing

Westlaw

Litigation

Criminal Law

Family Law

Trials

Courts

Juvenile Law

Education

University of Maine School of Law

Doctor of Law (J.D.), 2009 - 2012

Activities and Societies: Maine Law Review, Women's Law Association, Maine Law Students for Reproductive Justice, Maine Association for Public Interest Law

University of New Hampshire

BS, Family Studies- Child Advocacy & Family Policy, 2005 - 2009

Activities and Societies: Presidential Member of Sigma Alpha Phi, Student Admissions Representative

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