

Megan R. Lemire, Attorney at Law

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EDUCATION

Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, OR

Juris Doctorate, *cum laude*, May 2010

Natural Resources and Environmental Law Certificate

Honors: Cornelius Honor Society: selected for scholarship, leadership, and service

Manas Memorial Scholarship

Animal Law Leadership Award

Honors Appellate Brief, Legal Analysis and Writing

Activities: *Animal Law Review*, Articles Editor

Student Animal Legal Defense Fund, Outreach & Community Service Coordinator

Public Interest Law Project, Alumni Reception Coordinator

Animal Law Moot Court, Legislative Lobbying Competition

International Environmental Law Project, Clerk August 2009 – May 2010

University of Maryland, College Park, MD

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology and Criminology & Criminal Justice, *magna cum laude*, May 2005

CIVICUS Citation: living and learning program with the mission of building a civil society

Study Abroad: Rome, Italy, Spring 2004

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

The Law Office of Robert J. Miller, Sr./Benjamin B. Grandy Law Office

Beaverton, OR

Graduate Law Clerk

9/2010 – 5/2011

- Drafted court filings including motions, responses, replies, and petitions
- Conducted legal research and analyses and wrote memoranda regarding civil procedural and substantive law
- Revised complaints, motions, wills, and leases
- Synthesized appellate arguments and counterarguments in a comprehensive chart
- Evaluated claims for a settlement negotiation
- Attended a judicial settlement conference
- Drafted legal documents and correspondence

Oregon Natural Desert Association

Portland, OR

Law Clerk

6/2009 – 8/2009

- Drafted court filings
- Wrote litigation memorandum analyzing potential suit regarding geothermal leases
- Prepared argument chart for preliminary injunction hearing

Smolen Plevy

Vienna, VA

Legal Assistant

3/2006 – 7/2007

- Drafted correspondence, pleadings, and other court filings
- Communicated regularly with clients, opposing counsel, court staff, and laypersons

MEMBERSHIPS

Oregon State Bar, Admitted July 2010

Multnomah Bar Association, Young Lawyers Section YOUThFILM Project Committee

Oregon Women Lawyers

INTERESTS

Yoga, Hiking, Cycling, Bouldering, all things Italian