

# MATTHEW MAH

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## EDUCATION

### Cornell Law School

*Juris Doctor Candidate*

Ithaca, NY

May 2028

Honors: 3+3 Accelerated Pathway Scholar

Activities: *IL Representative*: Asian Pacific American Law Student Association, Christian Legal Society, Corporate Connect, Federalist Society, First-Generation Student Association

### Cornell University, School of Industrial and Labor Relations

*Bachelor of Science, Industrial & Labor Relations*, GPA: 4.096

Ithaca, NY

May 2026

Honors: Meinig Family Cornell National Scholars, Richmond Professional Development Grant

Activities: Cornell Small Claims Information Services, *President & Founder*

International Society of Family Law Regional Conference: Family Law in an Age of Political Contestation, Temple University Beasley School of Law, *Conference Paper Co-Author*, (“Child Custody After Incarceration” with Professor Matthew Saleh)

Cornell Undergraduate Law & Society Review, *Staff Writer*, (published papers analyzing criticisms of popular DEI initiatives and of artificial intelligence’s impact on at-will employment)

CU NOOZ, *Staff Writer*, (wrote for Cornell’s student-run satirical newspaper)

The 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Canadian Undergraduate Mathematics Conference, University of British Columbia, *Presenter*, (fully funded trip to Vancouver to present why and how humanities students dislike “math”)

## EXPERIENCE

### Kings County District Attorney's Office

Brooklyn, NY

*College Intern*

June – August 2025

- Conducted plea negotiations with defense counsel, drafted felony indictments, coordinated witness testimony logistics, and developed cross-examination strategies for grand jury proceedings under direct attorney supervision
- Developed arguments and authored motions in opposition to dismiss and motions to compel DNA evidence
- Supported prosecutions by building case databases, preparing subpoenas, parsing body-worn camera footage

### Joy S. Bunch, Esq., PLLC

Westbury, NY

*Legal Intern*

May 2024 – August 2024

- Observed court proceedings with solo family law practitioner, recorded trial notes, and discussed case outcomes
- Participated with client consultations on complex family law matters, assisting with strategic planning discussions

### Meister & Steiner PLLC

New York, NY

*Legal Intern*

May 2024 – August 2024

- Composed weekly legal memoranda on intellectual property, technology, and emerging media domains for two attorney intellectual property boutique firm specializing in technology, copyright & trademark, NFTs, and art law
- Shadowed firm partners during legal consultations, observed strategy and assisted with client interactions

### Lyceum for National Conversation (LYNC)

Remote

*Research Team Lead*

August 2022 – May 2025

- Edited and designed 15+ essays for student discussions hosted by national non-profit focused on civil discourse
- Managed remote team of 7 researchers through weekly assignments and team meetings

## SERVICE

Cornell Winter Ambassador Program (2025), Cornell Concert Commission (2025), Moonlight Breakfast (2024), Catholic Charities of Tompkins County (2024), Ithaca ReUse (2024), Tenants Advocacy Project (2023 – 2024)

## INTERESTS

Outdoor bouldering, Dostoevsky, hiking around the Finger Lakes, wine tasting, publishing for personal blog, *Lego*