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EDUCATION

University of Denver Sturm
College of Law, J.D., 2021,
Denver Law Review, Vol. 98
Articles Editor

Brigham Young University, B.S.,
2014, Exercise and Wellness

GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Judicial Intern to the Honorable
Christine Arguello of the U.S.
District Court for the District of
Colorado

OTHER EXPERIENCE

DISH Network
Summer Associate

ADMISSIONS

Colorado

HIGHLIGHTS

- Represented a cab company that ceased operations in a series of personal injury cases and assisted with case mediations.
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INDUSTRIES

- Consumer Products & Services
- Energy
- Asbestos

PRACTICE AREAS

- Commercial Litigation
- Product Liability
- Personal Injury Defense
- Mass Torts

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CASES

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BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

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LEGAL MEMBERSHIPS, ACTIVITIES & HONORS

Colorado Pledge to Diversity, Alumni Mentor

Law School...Yes We Can!, 2022

Associate Mentor

Defense Research Institute, Member

ARTICLES & PRESENTATIONS

Articles

- "Mantras and Monetization: The Commodification of Yoga and Culture," 21 Va. Sports & Ent. L.J. 38 (2022).
- "Banning Books or Banning BIPOC?," 117 Nw. U. L. Rev. Online 24 (2022).

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Indoor cycling, international travel and yoga