

EDUCATION

- The University of Kansas School of Law Juris Doctor
- The University of Kansas School of Education Master of Education
- The University of Kansas School of Education Bachelor of Education

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant District Attorney – Wyandotte District Attorney

Kansas City, Kansas 2021 – Present

- o Administers justice by reviewing cases for individualized outcome.
- o Stays abreast of caseload, responsibilities, and varying deadlines.
- o Works independently and collaboratively to maximize efficiency for the best results.

Deputy Public Defender – Northeast Kansas Conflicts Office

Topeka, Kansas 2016 – 2021

- o Provided training, mentoring, and evaluations to assure objectives.
- Represented indigent clients that were charged with felonious offenses.
- Supervised staff and attorneys to assure office productivity.

Legal Intern – Leavenworth County Attorney

Leavenworth, Kansas 2010 – 2012

- Assisted attorneys preparing for trials by reviewing discovery and preparing motions.
- Assisted in inventory and indexing of trial exhibits.
- Participated in traffic court and misdemeanor hearings.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Director of Admissions & Scholarships – The University of Kansas School of Law Lawrence, Kansas, 2013 – 2016

- o Administered scholarship allocation to students.
- Developed and implemented new strategies for the recruitment of diverse prospective applicants.
- o Participated in meetings as a faculty advisor for Black Law Students Association.

Social Studies Teacher – Leavenworth School District 453

Leavenworth, Kansas, 2007 – 2009

- Created personalized lesson plans to match the educational and emotional learning abilities of each student.
- o Provided educational opportunities for at-risk students in an alternative setting.
- o Taught social science course to ninth through twelfth grade students.

LEGAL AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

NAACP – Lawrence Chapter – Political Action Committee and History Committee Members Lawrence, Kansas

Justice Matters – Jail Alternative Committee Member Lawrence Kansas

League of Women Voters – Nominating Committee Member Lawrence, Kansas

Judicial Conduct Commission – Member Topeka, Kansas

Kansas County & District Attorney Association – Member Kansas City, Kansas

Kansas City Police Crime Strategy Review Board – Member Kansas City, Kansas

Kansas City Kansas Project Team – Member Kansas City, Kansas

Law Enforcement Advisory Board – Liaison Kansas City, Kansas

Kansas Bar Association – Diversity Committee Member Topeka, Kansas

National Black Prosecutors Association – Member Great Plains Region

Kansas Holistic Defenders – Board Member Lawrence, Kansas, past affiliation

Topeka Youth Project – Board Member Topeka, Kansas, past affiliation

Kansas Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers – Member Olathe, Kansas, past affiliation