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## LEGAL EXPERIENCE

1999 to present

Associate, Energy Practice, Dewey Ballantine LLP

Washington, D.C.

Practice includes representation of gas and electric industries in a wide variety of matters, including mergers and acquisitions, Regional Transmission Organization developments, transmission and interconnection issues, market-based rates and advising on state and federal regulatory issues; power marketers in regulatory proceedings and commercial negotiations; owners of independent power production facilities and qualifying facilities in contract negotiations with utilities and other energy purchasers and in obtaining required regulatory approvals; outsourcing negotiations; and gas pipeline and storage development projects.

1998-1999

\* Law Clerk for the Honorable Judge Patrick Higginbotham,  
5<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court of Appeals

Dallas, TX

Assisted Judge Higginbotham in preparation of appellate arguments including drafting bench memoranda and opinions.

1997-1998

✧ Law Clerk for the Honorable Chief Judge Morey Sear,  
U.S District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana

New Orleans, LA

Assisted Judge Sear in all aspects of trial court practice including drafting opinions, orders, bench memoranda and jury instructions.

## EDUCATION

Yale Law School

J.D., May 1997

New Haven, CT

Yale Law and Policy Review, Articles Editor

Dean's Advisor 1996-1997

Student Representative 1994-1997

Federalist Society, Vice-President 1995-1996

"I Have a Dream" Volunteer Tutor 1994-1997

Latino Law Student Association, Recruitment Co-Chairman

University of Texas

B.A., *summa cum laude*, May 1994

Austin, TX

Plan II (Honors Liberal Arts Program) and History; GPA 3.8

*Phi Beta Kappa*

Texas Achievement Award

Dean's Distinguished Scholar Award

Presidential Leadership Award

1994 Most Outstanding UT Student

University of Texas Ambassador

UT Longhorn Band, President and Vice-President

University of Texas Fencing Club