

# Taylor Morgan

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## EDUCATION

### University of Denver Sturm College of Law

*Juris Doctor* – 3.39 GPA

Denver, CO

May 2024

- *Certificate in Legal Research, 2021*

### University of Denver Graduate School of Professional Psychology

*Master of Arts in Forensic Psychology, Summa cum laude* – 3.97 GPA

Denver, CO

June 2020

### University of Miami

*Bachelor of Science in Biology with Honors* – 3.67 GPA

Coral Gables, FL

May 2015

*Minors in Marine Science; Chemistry*

- *Study Abroad – James Cook University, Queensland, Australia, Spring 2014*

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Office of the District Attorney, 18<sup>th</sup> Judicial District – Centennial, CO

January 2024 – April 2024

*3L Certified Student Practice Act Intern – County Court*

- Met individually with defendants in First Appearance Court – relayed offers, entered pleas, filed court documents
- Subpoenaed and prepared officers, drafted direct and cross examination scripts and opening statements for 2 trials
- Negotiated with defense counsel regarding defendants' cases and potential offers
- Maintained VRA compliance by communicating with victims prior to relaying defendant offers
- Collaborated in weekly team staffing meetings and case consultations

### Office of the Denver District Attorney – Denver, CO

August 2023 – December 2023

*3L Certified Student Practice Act Intern – Juvenile Unit*

- Selected officers for subpoena and prepared officer questioning for testimony at Preliminary Hearings
- Observed Juvenile Delinquency proceedings and developed a deeper understanding of the life cycle of a case
- Attended Youth & Family Treatment Court and various staffing meetings

### Office of the Child's Representative – Denver, CO

May 2023 – July 2023

*2L Intern*

- Conducted legal research on current law and updated training manuals for annual Guardian Ad Litem training
- Edited and cite-checked revisions in upcoming edition of the Guided Reference In Dependency (GRID) book
- Observed court proceedings statewide to collect data on Guardian Ad Litem attorneys for contract renewals

### Gummerson & Nickolaus, PLLC – Arvada, CO

June 2022 – July 2022

*1L Office Intern*

- Drafted motions for submission to courts in both Dependency and Neglect and Juvenile Delinquency cases
- Reviewed discovery, conducted legal research, and compiled information into memoranda for senior attorneys
- Communicated with clients regarding case information and court proceedings
- Gained multidisciplinary, hands-on experience while working with OADC, ORPC, and OCR contracted attorneys

### Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) – Denver, CO

July 2019 – August 2021

*Intern, Team Lead*

- Supported MADD's court monitoring program, Victim Impact Panels, and Victim Advocate program
- Provided full case management as a qualified victim advocate trained by Victim Assistance Training Institute
- Piloted national Court Monitoring program in Douglas County; trained and oversaw a team of up to 5 volunteers

### Denver District Adult Probation – Denver, CO

September 2018 – June 2019

*Probation Officer Intern*

- Monitored a caseload of up to 60 probationary clients for compliance with supervision, court-mandated programs
- Evaluated intake clients and referred them for treatment and community service
- Co-facilitated cognitive-based group incentives classes weekly to help clients gain insight and coping skills