

Brandon Latham

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LEGAL EDUCATION

University of New Hampshire Franklin Pierce Law Center, Concord NH

J.D., May 2024 || *Cert. Health Law and Policy*, May 2024

Involvement: Environmental Law Society, *President*
Constitutional Law II, *Teaching Assistant (2x)*
Fundamentals of Law Practice, *Teaching Assistant*
Legal Research and Information Literacy, *Teaching Assistant*
Public Good Advisory Board, *Chair*

Honors: Dean's Scholar, *Merit Award*

Vermont Law & Graduate School, South Royalton VT

Master of Environmental Law and Policy, May 2024

Involvement: Student Bar Association, *Online Student Senator*

Honors: Academic Excellence Award, *Summer Term 2023*
Dean's List, *Summer Term 2022 and Summer Term 2023*

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Donahue, Tucker & Ciandella, Exeter NH

Associate Attorney, October 2024 – Present

- Provide litigation services in matters ranging from landlord-tenant to zoning appeals to construction performance
- Ensure clients get informed, actionable counsel following legal inquiries of various kinds
- Support partners in real estate, municipal, business, litigation, and land use practice areas

U.S. District Court - District of New Hampshire, Concord NH

Judicial Extern, January 2024 – May 2024

- Executed research projects on legal principles to inform judicial action, including orders and jury instructions
- Provided general support to the judge and clerks with day-to-day writing, research, and management tasks

University of New Hampshire Franklin Pierce Law Center, Concord NH

Research Assistant, January 2024 – Present

- Assists Assistant Dean Rebecca Purdom in drafting environmental law teaching materials for West Academic

New Hampshire Municipal Association, Concord NH

Legal Services Resident, August 2023 – December 2023

- Supported the state's 234 municipalities with legal research, advocacy, and counsel
- Led research projects to answer novel legal inquiries with plain-English advice based on state law
- Developed advisory materials for local agencies, especially on land-use, utilities, and right-to-know issues

U.S. Attorney's Office - District of Massachusetts, Boston MA Summer

Legal Intern, May 2023 – August 2023

- Assisted in litigation with the Affirmative Civil Enforcement unit, researching rules of evidence and procedure
- Provided case and complaint review of new development projects for the office's Environmental Justice liaison
- Prepared for presentations and witness interviews in False Claims Act and Anti-Kickback Statute cases

603 Forward/New Hampshire Campaign for Voting Rights, *remote*

Voter Protection Legal Research Assistant, September 2022 – March 2023

- Conducted research on non-profit, election, and campaign law issues for nonpartisan advocacy team
- Counseled volunteer poll observers for primary and general, federal, and municipal elections

City of Concord, Concord NH

Summer Law Clerk, May 2022 – August 2022

- Provided research and departmental-liaison services regarding civil and administrative legal issues
- Advised city staff with varying legal inquiries, including re civil rights and environmental protection
- Wrote legal-style and plain-language memoranda on behalf of legal department for staff of other departments

Town of Lexington, Lexington MA

Public Administration Fellow, May 2021 – September 2021

- Assisted town clerk's office in collecting and archiving documents under public records law
- Oversaw development of two publications: new business guide and annual economic development report

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EDUCATION (before law school)

The American University, Washington DC

B.A. Communication, December 2015

Minors: International Service, Literature

Involvement: American Literary Magazine, *Section Editor*
Critical Approach to Cinema, *Teaching Assistant*

University Library, *Writing Tutor*

Internships: Indiewire.com, *Editorial Intern*

United States Senate, *Legislative Intern*

Southern NH University, Hooksett NH

Grad. Cert. Organizational Leadership, October 2018

Concentration: Human Resources

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

New Leaders Council NH, Concord NH

Curriculum Chair, July 2023 – Present

- Schedule and present leadership institute sessions in five-month professional development program
- Lecture on topics such as access to justice, goal-oriented growth, and mentoring and network management
- Serve on the board of statewide nonprofit, helping make decisions and execute in all operations areas

Local Leadership Network, *remote*

Fundraising Director, December 2021 – December 2023

- Presented classes, managed scheduling, and oversaw data tracking for finance training program Fund the Fight
- Coached volunteer committee members through the process, raising anywhere from \$19,000 to \$47,000

New Hampshire State Parks, Nottingham NH

Seasonal Crew Member, May 2021 – September 2021

- Maintained facilities, enforced policies, and ensured visitor satisfaction for boaters and campers of all backgrounds

Jeanne Dietsch for N.H. Senate, Peterborough NH

Campaign Manager, May 2020 – November 2020

- Managed state legislative race in district of 14 towns, approximately 56,000 constituents
- Developed pandemic-friendly campaign program from scratch
- Led fundraising and budgeting of over \$120,000, raising money from online solicitation and candidate contacts

Presidential primary campaigns, *various*

State Political Director, July 2019 – March 2020

- N.H. political director at Bennet for America, Maine political director at Amy for America
- Hosted dozens of events, including two of over 300 attendees

Cell Press, Cambridge MA

Production Associate, January 2019 – July 2019 || Copy Editor, July 2018 – January 2019

- Proofread as final check in editorial process before manuscripts were sent to design and printing
- Represented organization at American Copy Editing Society conference

Southern NH University, Manchester NH

Academic Advisor, December 2017 – July 2018

- Managed roster of 300 online graduate students in accounting, finance, and applied economics

Monadnock Ledger-Transcript, Peterborough NH News

Reporter, May 2016 – June 2017

- Covered local government, as well as crime, sports, and the environment, in six towns and two school districts

Fairgrounds Middle School, Nashua NH

Head Track Coach, March 2016 – June 2016

- Trained a group of nearly 50 boys in grades 6 through 8 in the events of track and field

Freelance/Self, *various*

Communications Professional, September 2011 – Present, intermittent

- Contributed columns to New Hampshire Bar News and Stay-Work-Play Blog beginning in 2022