

JONES, SKELTON & HOCHULI WELCOMES TWO ASSOCIATES & FIVE LAW CLERKS

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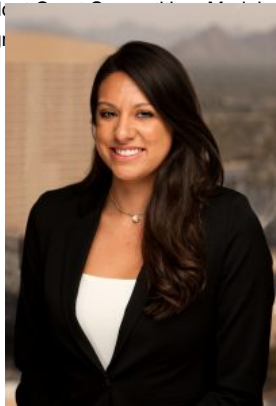
Jones, Skelton & Hochuli welcomes two new associates [Mariah Logan](#) and [Alexis Tinucci](#), and law clerks Samantha Cote, Joshua Dunford, Kathryn Hunnicutt, and Grace Reule.



[Mariah Logan](#)

joins our [General Liability and Auto Trial Group](#). She focuses her practice in the areas of [commercial and](#)

[business litigation](#), [general civil litigation](#), [intellectual property](#), [premises liability](#), and [wrongful death and personal injury defense](#). Before joining JSH, Mariah worked for a year as a law clerk at the Court of Appeals in Tucson and a year with the Pima County Juvenile Court. While pursuing her law degree at UofA, Mariah gained legal experience working as an extern with the United States Attorney's Office in Tucson, as a summer associate with a Valley litigation and insurance defense firm, and as a Rule 38(d) Law Student Advisor at UofA's Child and Family Law Clinic. She also worked for the Southern Arizona Legal Aid Volunteer Lawyers Program, served as Operations Editor at the Arizona Journal of International & Comparative Law, President of the Law Women's Association, and Treasurer of the Black Law Student Association. She earned a Family and Juvenile Law Certificate, and was awarded the Dean's Achievement Scholarship and Thomas Tang Law Scholarship. In her second year of law school, Mariah was chosen for UofA's Pace National Environmental Moot Court Competition. She earned her undergraduate degree in Criminology and Law Studies from Marquette University. She was awarded the MU Ignite Award for the Semester Study Abroad Program at City University in London, England.



[Alexis Tinucci](#) joins our [Transportation](#), [Auto](#), [Products](#) and [General Liability](#) Trial Group and she focuses her practice in

the areas of [automobile](#) and [commercial trucking defense](#), [personal injury and wrongful death](#), and [general liability defense](#). Prior to joining JSH, she worked for two years at a Valley law firm in the areas of insurance defense and civil litigation. While there, her work resulted in numerous favorable outcomes for clients, including four arbitrations, multiple motions for summary judgment, two briefs before the Arizona Court of Appeals, and a jury trial she first chaired in Pima County Superior Court. During her 3L Spring Semester, Alexis worked as a legal extern at the U.S. District Court for the District of Arizona for the Honorable Michelle H. Burns and participated in a mock oral argument before the Honorable John J. Tuchi. She was named the Willard H. Pedrick Scholar in recognition of academic excellence. Alexis gained further legal experience working as a clerk at a Valley law firm practicing in the areas of personal injury and medical malpractice defense. During her 2L Spring Semester, she worked as a legal extern at the Arizona Supreme Court, Staff Attorney's Office. Alexis graduated *magna cum laude* from the University of Arizona Honors College with a B.A. in Philosophy, Politics, Economics and Law. In anticipation of a legal career, she wrote her senior thesis on capital punishment, "The Evolution of Capital Punishment Jurisprudence in the Supreme Court," and worked as a paid

intern with Pretrial Services where she oversaw the Bench Warrant Project.

We are pleased to welcome back our 2019 summer associates, Samantha, Joshua, Kathryn and Anne-Grace, as well as new hire Randall. All five law clerks sat for the bar exam in July. Arizona bar admission is anticipated October 2020.

Samantha Cote works in the [transportation](#), [auto](#), [products](#) and [general liability](#) trial group. During law school at ASU, Sam gained valuable experience working as a summer law clerk at JSH, as an Alternative Dispute Resolution Extern at the City of Phoenix Prosecutor's Office, as an extern at the Maricopa County Public Defender's Office, and as a volunteer with the Arizona Legal Center. While at ASU, she acted as the chair of the fundraising committee and served as the symposium editor of the Arizona State Law Journal, served as Secretary of the Liberty Project, and earned the Rob Carey Sports Law Scholarship. Sam earned her B.S., *magna cum laude*, in Sport Management, with a minor in Psychology, from the University of Massachusetts Amherst. She was awarded the Glenn M. Wong Sports Law Scholarship and named a Top Senior Nominee. While pursuing her undergraduate degree, she worked at the Worcester State Police Office as a Juvenile Unit Intern and with the Wachusett Dirt Dawgs – a Futures Collegiate Baseball League – as a Baseball Operator.



Joshua Dunford focuses his practice in the areas of [auto liability defense](#), [general civil litigation](#), [product liability defense](#),

[transportation defense](#), and [wrongful death and personal injury defense](#). During law school at ASU, he gained legal experience as a summer associate at JSH, judicial extern at the Arizona Court of Appeals for the Honorable Kenton D. Jones, and extern at the Arizona Attorney General's Office. While at the Court of Appeals, Josh was an honoree of the Dean's Recruitment Award and a Willard H. Pedrick Scholar. He served as a Senior Article Editor of the Sports and Entertainment Law Journal and was a member of the Executive Moot Court Board Problem Drafting Committee. Josh earned his undergraduate degree in Communications from Brigham Young University-Idaho, where he also served as President of the Prelaw Society. He earned 1st Place in the Research and Creative Works Conference, and coordinated and hosted a support group for LGBT students. After graduating from BYU-Idaho, Joshua worked as a Hispanic/Latino Student Center Peer Advocacy Program Coordinator at the Family Crisis Center in Rexburg. When needed, he served as an English-Spanish-English Interpreter.



Kathryn Hunnicutt works in the firm's [Professional Liability & Complex Litigation Trial Group](#), focusing in the areas of

[insurance coverage](#), [bad faith and extra-contractual liability](#), [professional liability](#), and [commercial and contract litigation](#). During law school at ASU, she gained legal experience as a summer associate at JSH and most recently, she served as a law clerk at the City of Scottsdale Attorney's Office. Kathryn was an active member in the Women Law Students' Association and Arizona Women Lawyers Association. She earned her undergraduate degree in Marketing, with a minor in Spanish, from the University of Arizona Eller College of Management. In her senior year, Kathryn studied Macroeconomics and International Marketing at Rome's John Cabot University. Demonstrating her passion for leadership and social networking, Kathryn served as Social Chair Assistant for

Chi Omega Sorority, and was a Social Committee Member for Alpha Kappa Psi Professional Business Fraternity. While pursuing her undergraduate and law degrees, she was an Assistant Director at Primrose School of Ahwatukee. She continues to expand her proficiency in Spanish, which she has studied for



Randall Nice works in the firm's [Appellate Department](#), where he assists JSH trial attorneys with critical motions, and

provides guidance from the pleading stage through the post-trial stages. Randy joins the firm after a 1-year clerkship with the Honorable John Lopez IV at the Arizona Supreme Court. He earned his law degree at UofA, graduating *magna cum laude* and with certificates in Business Litigation and Transactional Business Law. During law school, Randy worked as a summer associate at a multi-state business and litigation firm, judicial extern with the Honorable James Alan Soto at the U.S. District Court for the District of Arizona, and Research Assistant. He was active in his law school community, participating on the Arizona Law National Appellate Advocacy Competition Team and the Fegly Moot Court Competition, where he earned the Award for Excellence in Brief Writing. Randy was also an Ares Fellow, a student member of the Morris K. Udall Inn of Court and member of the Arizona Law Review. His published note was awarded the 2020 Burton Award for Distinguished Legal Writing and the 2019 Best Published Note Award. Randy also earned his undergraduate degree from UofA, graduating *magna cum laude* with a B.A. in Middle Eastern and North African Studies, and a minor in Arabic. Before pursuing a law degree, Randy devoted himself to public service and safety, working for 11 years as a Pima County Deputy Sheriff and for seven years as a Corporal with the U.S. Marine Corps. He earned his A.A. in Criminal Justice Administration. During his tenure, Randy earned a Sheriff's Commendation, Medal of Valor for Public Safety, was named Deputy of the Quarter for the Special Operations Section, and earned two Deputy of the Year Awards from Mothers Against Drunk Driving and the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. In 2008, Randy's Marine Corps Unit deployed to Djibouti as part of the Combined Joint Task Force Horn of Africa. As a fireteam and squad leader, Randy was responsible for security at entry control points, lead security patrols, and operations in the nearby village of Negad.



Anne-Grace Reule works with the [Automobile & General Liability Trial Group](#), where she focuses her practice in the

areas of [commercial litigation](#), [auto liability](#), [personal injury](#), [general civil litigation](#) and [insurance defense](#). While earning her law degree at ASU, Anne-Grace gained legal experience working as a summer law clerk at JSH and another Valley law firm, as well as with a summer externship position with the Arizona Justice Project. Active in her law school community, Anne-Grace served as Vice President of the Moot Court Executive Board, worked as a teaching assistant for the Legal Advocacy Writing Course, and served as Associate Editor of *Jurimetrics Journal of Law, Science, and Technology*. Passionate about litigation and trial practice, she competed and won against the University of Arizona's law school moot court teams in a closing-argument style competition (Moot Court Jenckes' Closing Argument Competition), taking first place two years in a row. Anne-Grace was awarded of the J. Windle Merit Scholarship and inducted into the Order of the Barristers upon graduation. She earned her B.A., *magna cum laude*, in Political Science and Arabic Language from the University of South Florida. Anne-Grace was the recipient of the Outstanding Leadership of Student Organization Award, served as President of Alpha Kappa Psi Professional Business Fraternity, served as President of the Arabic Language Organization, and worked as a legal assistant at an intellectual

property law firm in Tampa.