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Overview

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She earned her law degree from the University of California, Berkeley, School of Law, where she was a senior articles editor for the *Asian American Law Journal*. While in law school, she participated in the Health and Welfare Clinic and interned at the Disability Rights Education & Defense Fund and Outten & Golden LLP. She was also a summer associate at Cades Schutte.

She received her B.A., *summa cum laude*, from Scripps College in Economics and Legal Studies. She is a graduate of 'Iolani School.

Practices & Industries

Litigation

Trusts & Estates

- Conservatorship & Guardianship Proceedings
- Estate Planning
- Probate Administration
- Trust & Probate Dispute Resolution & Litigation
- Trust Administration
- Wealth Preservation & Asset Protection

Noteworthy

Awards

- Jurisprudence Award in Negotiations, Prosser Prize in Appellate Advocacy
- Public Interest & Social Justice Certificate, Pro Bono Honors

Credentials

Education

- J.D. (2020), University of California, Berkeley, School of Law
- B.A. Economics and Legal Studies, Scripps College, *summa cum laude*

Admissions

- Hawai'i State Bar (2020)
- United States District Court for the District of Hawai'i (2020)

Membership

- Hawaii State Bar Association
- Hawaii State Bar Association, Elder Law Section, Chair (2024)

Clerkship

- Hawai'i Supreme Court, Judicial Law Clerk to the Honorable Chief Justice Recktenwald (2020-2021)

Publications

- "Hawai'i's New Uniform Trust Code: Part II," *ke kumu* (Fall/Winter 2022) (Co-Author)