

## **Darrinisha Gray**

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**Sitting for Louisiana Bar Exam July 2019**

### **Education**

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#### **Loyola University New Orleans College of Law, New Orleans, Louisiana**

Juris Doctor, May 2019

G.P.A. 3.12      Class Rank: Top 38%

#### **Honors**

Gillis Long Public Service Award, Torts 2: Highest Grade

#### **Activities**

Maritime Law Journal, Black Law Student Association: Vice President and Scholarship Gala Chair, 2017 – 2018, Barbri Representative

#### **Publications**

Duty of Wharfinger To Provide Safe Berth, Loyola New Orleans Maritime Journal Loyola Current, Terminating Sanctions for Spoliations, American Bar Association

#### **University of New Orleans, New Orleans, Louisiana**

Bachelor of Science in Hotel, Restaurant, and Tourism

May 2016

G.P.A.: 3.862, Magna Cum Laude

#### **Honors and Activities:**

Most Outstanding Graduate, President's List, Dean's List

### **Legal Experience**

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#### **Law Office of Robert Garrity, Jr**

**November 2018 – May 2019**

#### **Law Clerk**

Draft and reply to appellate briefs, interdictions, settlement demand letters, discovery, exceptions, pleadings, summary judgment, and conduct legal research related to civil and criminal matters. Participate in trial preparation, client meetings, client intake, and depositions.

#### **Stuart H. Smith Law Clinic**

**August 2018 – February 2019**

#### **Student Practitioner**

Provided direct services to clients who have been charged with misdemeanors and felonies. Conducted research, represented clients in court and conducted trial preparation.

#### **Law Office of John Redmann**

**November 2017 – November 2018**

#### **Law Clerk**

Drafted and replied to appellate briefs, exceptions, motions to compel, prepare cases for mediation, discovery and various other pleadings in personal injury matters. Assisted in a five-day trial by drafting cross/direct examinations and motions.

#### **Hon. Scott Schlegel, 24th Judicial District Court**

**July 2017 – August 2017**

#### **Law Clerk**

Conducted legal research, attended trial conferences, and assisted with other various legal projects provided.

#### **Chief Justice Bernette Johnson, Louisiana Supreme Court**

**July 2017 – July 2017**

#### **Law Clerk**

Conducted legal research and wrote pool writ memorandums on civil and criminal matters

#### **Hon. Ivan Lemelle, Eastern District Court of Louisiana**

**May 2017 – June 2017**

#### **Law Clerk**

Drafted Orders and Reasons to plaintiff's objections to the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation. Researched and wrote memorandums on social security, pro se litigants, and medical care in prisons. Successfully assisted in publishing two court opinions.

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### **Compliance Experience**

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**Louisiana Children's Medical Corporation (LCMC Health)**

**January 2019 – Present**

**Compliance Analyst**

Assist compliance leadership with assessment of compliance policy gaps, investigate HIPAA Privacy and data breach investigations, assist in developing auditing and monitoring programs, and participate in compliance planning process

**Family Affair Counseling Agency**

**January 2015 – January 2019**

**Corporate Compliance Officer**

Served on Administrative Team for program opening by drafting various policies and procedure manuals. All policies were reviewed on a quarterly basis to ensure compliance with local, state, and federal regulations. Completed compliance risk policies, procedures and controls. Conducted contract negotiations. Consulted with other agencies for CARF Accreditation.

### **Professional Experience**

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**Advance Personal Care Services**

**January 2015 – October 2017**

**Direct Service Worker**

Demonstrated a high level of empathy and emotional intelligence while working with clients who are mentally disabled with high functioning autism, in order to accommodate their needs and increase their quality of life.

**United States Army (West Point)**

**May 2012 – July 2014**

**Private**

Completed rigorous training including combat training, water survival, weapons training, military bearing.

**Activities:**

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Learning Mandarin Chinese, Training in Krav Maga, Trained Soprano 1 Singer