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EDUCATION:

University of Maryland School of Law, Baltimore, MD

Juris Doctor, Environmental Law Program, May 2012

- Cumulative GPA: 3.90, *Magna Cum Laude* (7/321), Order of the Coif
- Environmental Law Concentration

University of California, Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz, CA

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science, June 2009

Concentration: American Political Development

- Cumulative GPA: 3.87, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Highest Honors in Major and Cowell College Honors for strength in non-major courses

VOLUNTEER/CIVIC EXPERIENCE:

Mid-Atlantic Offroad Enthusiasts (MORE)

Board Member (January 2020 – Present)

Anne Arundel County Lead Volunteer (September 2025 – Present)

Annapolis Waterworks Park Lead Volunteer (November 2018 – Present)

- Serve on board of directors as secretary, running board meetings and handling regulatory filings for a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that maintains 925 miles of natural-surface trails in 63 state and county parks throughout Maryland, DC, and Northern Virginia and contributes 16,000 volunteer hours annually
- Designed, built with volunteers, and actively maintain 14-mile natural surface trail system at Annapolis Waterworks Park, with estimated value of more than \$1 million at no cost to the city
- Raised more than \$40,000 from residents, local businesses, and grants to build new recreational facilities at Annapolis Waterworks Park
- As of September 2025, serve as primary coordinating volunteer for Anne Arundel County, including Bacon Ridge Natural Area and Severn Run
- Actively working with Anne Arundel County to begin volunteer construction of 7 miles of new natural surface trails at Crownsville Hospital Memorial Park in Spring 2026

Anne Arundel County Crownsville Hospital Memorial Park Advisory Committee

Recreation and Parks Subcommittee, Member (2023 – 2024)

- Served on subcommittee charged with proposing recreational facilities for inclusion in the Crownsville Hospital Memorial Park Master Plan
- Collaborative member of workgroup comprised of individuals with diverse recreational interests
- Contributions to Master Plan include a new 7-mile natural surface trail network, connector trails to Bacon Ridge and Annapolis Waterworks Park, and a paved “pump track” bike facility

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Gordon Feinblatt LLC, Baltimore, MD

Chair, Energy and Environmental Practice Group (July 2022 – Present)

Member (July 2020 – Present)

Associate (July 2015 – June 2020)

- Chair Maryland’s premier energy and environmental law practice group, including management of two members, three associates, and one counsel
- Primary focus on Maryland energy law and policy, with emphasis on solar energy development and utility matters before the Maryland Public Service Commission

- Permitted more than 850 megawatts of utility-scale and community solar projects in Maryland, ranging from just over 2 megawatts to more than 200 megawatts
- Drafted all or substantial portions of major energy legislation passed by the General Assembly, including the Permanent Community Solar Program (HB908, 2023), the Brighter Tomorrow Act (SB783, 2024), and the Renewable Energy Certainty Act (SB931, 2025), and provided subject matter expert lobbying support
- Substantial rulemaking experience in matters before the Maryland Public Service Commission, including implementing the permanent community solar program and interconnection

Maryland Energy Administration, Annapolis, MD

Policy Advisor (August 2012 – July 2015)

- Supported Policy, Planning, and Analysis team with advice on energy regulatory and policy issues
- Primary lead on agency regulatory process, including policy development, legal drafting, and promulgation procedures for Maryland Register
- Major contributor to policy and task force reports on energy storage, grid resiliency, thermal energy in the renewable portfolio standard, and microgrids
- Drafted all or part of legislation on virtual net metering (SB786/HB1192), the addition of a thermal tier into the renewable portfolio standard (SB530/HB931), energy efficiency financing (SB785/HB1165), and EV tax credits (SB908/HB1345)
- Testified before the General Assembly and presented state energy policies to Congressional delegation

United States House Committee on Natural Resources, Washington, DC

Legal Intern (January 2012 – May 2012)

- Supported committee staff with legislative proceedings, government oversight, and constituent outreach
- Composed policy memoranda on energy and natural resource issues, including natural gas exports, the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, federal oil and gas leasing, and EPA greenhouse gas regulation
- Consolidated support for committee policy initiatives

Maryland Energy Administration, Annapolis, MD

Legal Intern (September 2011 – December 2011)

- Contributed extensively to merger proceedings before the Maryland Public Service Commission for the Exelon/Constellation merger, focusing on market power and corporate governance concerns, as well as the state's proposed 420 MW renewable energy development commitment
- Drafted template contracts for the Jane E. Lawton Conservation Loan Program
- Composed policy memoranda for climate change, energy efficiency, and renewable energy development initiatives, including offshore wind legislation, solar grants, and the state production tax credit

United States Department of Energy, Loan Programs Office, Washington, DC

Law Clerk (June 2011 – August 2011)

- Assisted attorney and technical advisers with more than 240 MW of utility-scale renewable energy project financings, including solar, wind, geothermal and energy storage projects totaling \$550 million in federal loan guarantees
- Prepared monitoring memoranda summarizing project documents and key contract terms for long-term monitoring by portfolio management after project completion
- Tracked 150 MW solar project from conditional commitment to financial close and attended extensive negotiations between DOE, project sponsors, and counsel
- Drafted programmatic memoranda involving regulatory issues and DOE loan guarantee agreements, including NEPA, the Cargo Preference Act, the Federal Credit Reform Act, and the Energy Policy Act of 2005.