

Christina Y. Ellington

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EDUCATION

University of Wisconsin Law School <i>Juris Doctor Candidate</i>	Madison, WI May 2025
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GPA:	3.49 (Top 20%)
Honors:	Best Performance Legal Research and Writing, Fall 2023
Journal:	<i>Wisconsin Journal of Gender and Society</i> , Cite Checker
Activities:	Public Interest Law Foundation, Treasurer

Rice University <i>Bachelor of Science in Biology</i>	Houston, TX May 2019
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Honors:	Departmental Award for Excellence in Biology
Activities:	Young Biologists Club, President; Student Council Senator
Thesis:	<i>The Symbolism of Wilderness in North America</i>

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Wisconsin Department of Justice, Division of Legal Services <i>Extern</i>	Madison, WI Anticipated start Fall 2023
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Family Court Clinic <i>Clinical Law Student</i>	Madison, WI May 2023 – July 2023
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- Represent individual clients in family law matters including divorce, child placement and child support
- Conduct client intakes and meetings to inform client of case status
- Provide guidance to pro se individuals at the Dane County Courthouse

Wisconsin CASA Unit <i>Court Appointed Special Advocate</i>	Madison, WI February 2021 – May 2023
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- Monitored relationship between pre-adolescent sisters and foster mother through home visits and telephone conversations
- Monitored status reports and attended permanency-paneling hearings in order to communicate the needs of the children to the court and offer recommendations

Baylor College of Medicine <i>Research Technologist</i>	Houston, TX September 2020 – January 2021
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- Provide administrative and data collection support for clinical research studies in the Cardiology Department
- Screen, identify, enroll, and obtain consent from program participants
- Assist program manager with training and on boarding new clinical research assistants

Museum of Natural History <i>Assistant Curator and Docent</i>	Anchorage, AK June 2019 – August 2020
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- Contributed to the collection and presentation of a new exhibit tracing the development of arts and crafts in Inuit culture and the influence of Inuit culture on Alaskan folk art
- Successfully pursued private funding for the new exhibit

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Languages:	Fluent Spanish; Conversational French
Interests:	Ironman competitions and reading historical fiction