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EDUCATION

JURIS DOCTOR, ENVIRONMENTAL LAW CERTIFICATE, William S. Richardson School of Law
Honolulu, Hawai'i, *Member of the University of Hawai'i Law Review, Environmental Law Society, and Ete Bowl*

BACHELOR OF ARTS – ENGLISH AND POLITICAL SCIENCE, University of Hawai'i at Hilo
Hilo, Hawai'i

Kamehameha Schools, Honolulu, Hawai'i

WORK EXPERIENCE

- August 2021- Present *PARTNER, Glendon & Ponce, Honolulu, Hawai'i*
Partner in law firm handling civil and criminal litigation. CJA panel member.
- May 2019 - August 2021 *ATTORNEY AT LAW, Law Office of Crystal Glendon, LLLC, Honolulu, Hawai'i*
Solo practitioner handling criminal defense, family law, appeals and civil litigation matters. Grand Jury Counsel, CJA panel member.
- Dec. 2004 - May 2019 *DEPUTY PUBLIC DEFENDER, State of Hawai'i Office of the Public Defender, Honolulu, Hawai'i*
Trial attorney with extensive experience in Circuit, District, Family and Appellate Divisions. Senior trial deputy assigned to the Family Court Juvenile Division from 2011-2014, and the Circuit Court Felony Division from 2014-2019. Handled all manner of criminal defense cases, most recently Class A felonies ranging from robbery to murder.
- Sept. – Nov. 2004 *LAW CLERK, Honorable Greg Nakamura, Circuit Court of the Third Circuit, Hilo, Hawai'i*
Law clerk tasked with handling research and courtroom management responsibilities for the court in civil, family and criminal cases.
- Jan. – Aug. 2004 *LAW CLERK, Honorable Karen S.S. Ahn, Circuit Court of the First Circuit, Honolulu, Hawai'i*
Law clerk tasked with handling research and courtroom management responsibilities for the court in civil and criminal cases.
- May – Aug. 2003 *SUMMER LAW CLERK, Earthjustice, Honolulu, Hawai'i*
Law clerk tasked with research and writing projects.

BOARDS

- March 2020- Present *COUNCIL MEMBER, Defender Council, Honolulu, Hawai'i*
Current member of the Defender Council overseeing the State of Hawai'i Office of the Public Defender.
- Feb 2021 - Present *BOARD MEMBER, Paepae o He'eia, Ko'olaupoko, Hawai'i*
Current member of the Paepae o He'eia board, overseeing a non-profit fishpond.

PUBLICATION

Glendon, Crystal K. "A Political Solution for a Legacy Under Attack: The Akaka Bill's Potential Effect on the Kamehameha Schools." *University of Hawai'i Law Review* 26 (Winter 2003): 69.