

# Martsyl Joseph

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## EDUCATION

**Indiana University Robert H. McKinney School of Law** Indianapolis, IN  
Juris Doctor May 2011

**Indiana University School of Public and Environmental Affairs** Indianapolis, IN  
Master of Public Affairs May 2011

**Boston College, College of Arts and Sciences** Chestnut Hill, MA  
Bachelor of Arts in Communications and Black Studies May 2005

## BAR ADMISSIONS

Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New York, U.S. District Court for the District of Massachusetts

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**M. Joseph Law, P.C.** West Roxbury, MA  
**Solo Practitioner** June 2013-July 2022

- Provide quality legal representation to juveniles in all aspects of delinquency proceedings in juvenile court and also administrative proceedings before the Department of Youth Services.
- Represent adult clients on criminal appeal and post-conviction matters including sentencing and probation violations.

**Committee for Public Counsel Services** Boston, MA  
**Staff Attorney** August 2011-June 2013

- Provided zealous advocacy and representation to indigent clients on criminal matters including misdemeanors and felonies.

**Marion County Public Defender Agency** Indianapolis, IN  
**Certified Legal Intern- Juvenile Division** Spring 2011

- Assisted attorneys with representing juvenile clients during all phases of the case from initial hearing to disposition by meeting with clients, interviewing witnesses, drafting motions, and conducting legal research.

**Miami-Dade County Office of the Public Defender** Miami, FL  
**Legal Intern- Juvenile Division** Summer 2010

- Assisted staff attorneys by preparing cases for trial or plea negotiation, reviewing discovery, meeting with clients, interviewing witnesses, drafting motions, participating in depositions, and conducting legal research.

**LexisNexis** Indianapolis, IN  
**Lexis Associate** August 2009-May 2011

- Assisted students with using the most effective methods to research case law on the LexisNexis system
- Performed administrative duties as necessary

**National Collegiate Athletic Association** Indianapolis, IN  
**Legal Extern- Academic and Membership Affairs Department** Fall 2009

- Completed case summaries on institutions and conferences that requested legislative waivers on behalf of student athletes
- Maintained online NCAA legislation

**Public Defender of Indiana** Indianapolis, IN  
**Summer Law Clerk** Summer 2009

- Assisted attorneys representing clients in post-conviction matters by completing various assignments such as obtaining criminal and medical records, researching legal issues, and conducting investigation

**Committee for Public Counsel Services- Roxbury Defenders Unit** Boston, MA  
**Volunteer** Winter 2008

- Completed legal research and writing assignments
- Participated in trial strategy discussions

**Indiana Senate** Indianapolis, IN  
**Lawrence E. Borst Fellow** August 2007-March 2008

- Monitored the progress and activity of legislative bills which imposed a fiscal impact to the state
- Researched tax and fiscal policy matters in Indiana and other states

**IUPUI Center for Research and Learning** Indianapolis, IN  
**Graduate Assistant** August 2006- January 2008

- Collaborated with Executive Director and Associate Director on the creation and monitoring of efficient processes for counseling students, collecting, tracking, storing, and reporting assessment data
- Assisted with the supervision and facilitation of McNair student activities including the weekly McNair seminar, workshops, and conferences

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## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- Member, Massachusetts Bar Association, Criminal Justice and Real Estate Sections
- Massachusetts Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers