# Benesch



## Meghan Golden

Associate

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## Main Bio

## Meghan Golden focuses on civil litigation and has experience drafting a wide variety of briefs, motions, and written discovery. Meghan conducts legal research to further facilitate the efficient resolution of legal disputes.

Meghan earned her law degree from University of Illinois Chicago Law School, where she graduated *summa cum laude* and received a concentration in Trial Advocacy and Dispute Resolution. During law school, Meghan served as an extern in the Northern District of Illinois, where she prepared both legal and factual memorandums to assist with case disposition. Through her work as a Student Attorney with the UIC Law Pro Bono Clinic, Meghan represented clients in a wide range of civil, criminal, and family law matters.

Prior to attending law school, Meghan worked for City Year, an educational non-profit focused on lowering the drop-out rate in underserved communities. Meghan also attended the University of Wisconsin-Madison, earning her B.A. in Legal Studies and Social Welfare.

## News

- SaDella Duval D'Adrian and Meghan Golden mentioned in Crain's Chicago People on the Move, December 20, 2023
- Benesch Introduces Latest Class of Associates in Chicago Office, November 30, 2023

## **Related Practices**

Litigation

## Education

- University of Illinois Chicago School of Law, 2023, J.D.
  - summa cum laude
  - Top Grade Award
    - · Lawyering Skills I: Civil Rights
    - Constitutional Law I
    - Evidence
  - Candidacy Editor, UIC Law Review
  - Competitor, 2022-2023 UIC Law Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot Court Team
  - Trial Advocacy & Dispute Resolution Council
  - Moot Court Honors Council
  - Women's Law Caucus
- University of Wisconsin, 2018, B.A. in Legal Studies and Social Welfare, with Distinction
  - Certificate in Education and Educational Studies

#### Credentials

- Illinois
- Northern District of Illinois
- Colorado

#### Recognitions

• Best Oralist, Permanent Court of Arbitration Vis Moot in the Hague, Netherlands, Spring 2023



 Best Respondent Oralist, UIC Law Herzog Competition, Spring 2022