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# Raquel Vélez-Davis is an Associate in the Litigation Practice group, focusing primarily on General Litigation. She practices out of the Firm's office in Morgantown, West Virginia.

Raquel brings an unique experience to the law. An Ivy league undergraduate who worked with families, children and the foster system, she brings a sense of care and understanding in the legal profession few have obtained.

Her experience in litigation began in the Family Law Clinic at the WVU College of Law and continues with drafting court documents and researching novel litigation issues.

In her free time, Raquel enjoys enjoys exploring national and state parks in the family RV and cheering on her children at various sporting events. When not reading case law and statutes, Raquel enjoys reading for fun and relaxing by the fire in her backyard.

### **Work History**

- Jackson Kelly PLLC, Associate (2024-Present)
- Foster Parent, Children's Home Society (2020-2024)
- Service Coordinator, Skill Builders West Virginia Birth to Three (2018-2020)
- Executive Manager, West Virginia Continuing Legal Education (2013-2015)
- First Response Advocate, A Woman's Place (2010-2013)
- Family Advocate, The Center for Family Representation (2007-20210)

#### **Practices**

Litigation

#### **Education**

- West Virginia University College of Law (J.D. in 2024, Order of the Coif)
  - Earned CALI Award (awarded for highest performance in a class) in the following courses:
    - Civil Procedure Rules
    - Criminal Law
    - Family Law
- Cornell University (B.A. in Government, 2007)

#### **Admissions**

West Virginia (2024)

## **Community**

- Hispanic Law Student Association, President
- Admissions Ambassador, WVU College of Law