

Jasmine Patel

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SUMMARY

Dedicated Mid Level Criminal Defense Attorney with over 5 years of experience in litigation and trial preparation. Proven track record of successfully defending clients in complex legal matters, achieving favorable outcomes through strategic negotiation and comprehensive case analysis.

EXPERIENCE

Criminal Defense Attorney

Jan 2022 - Present

Smith & Associates Law Firm, Seattle, WA

- Successfully defended over 50 clients in misdemeanor and felony cases, resulting in a 75% reduction in charges compared to initial indictments.
- Implemented a case management system that reduced trial preparation time by 30%, improving efficiency and client satisfaction.
- Conducted extensive legal research and wrote persuasive motions that led to the dismissal of 20% of cases before trial.

Associate Attorney

Jun 2018 - Dec 2021

Johnson & Partners Law Group, San Francisco, CA

- Represented clients in over 100 criminal cases, achieving a 60% success rate in jury trials.
- Negotiated plea deals that saved clients an average of \$25,000 in potential fines and restitution.
- Coordinated with expert witnesses and investigators to build strong defense strategies, resulting in a 40% reduction in trial durations.

Legal Intern

May 2017 - Aug 2017

Public Defender's Office, Los Angeles, CA

- Assisted in trial preparation and client interviews, contributing to successful defense in multiple cases.
- Drafted legal briefs and research memoranda that supported successful motions in court.
- Participated in community outreach programs, enhancing public understanding of legal rights.

EDUCATION

Juris Doctor

May 2018

University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA • GPA: 3.6

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science

May 2015

University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA • GPA: 3.7

SKILLS

Technical Skills: Legal Research, Trial Preparation, Negotiation, Litigation Strategy

Tools & Frameworks: Westlaw, LexisNexis, Clio, TrialDirector