

# JON M. BARIS

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## EDUCATION

**Washington University School of Law**, St. Louis, MO

Juris Doctor

May 1996

**University of Missouri-Columbia**, Columbia, MO

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science

May 1993

## EMPLOYMENT

**Saint Louis University School of Law**, St. Louis, MO

***Dean of Students***

July 2009 - Present

Supervise and manage the day-to-day operations of the Office of Student Services, including supervision of staff. Develop programs and resources for students. Counsel students. Work with faculty and staff on student-related matters.

***Assistant Director of Career Services***

August 2005 - June 2009

Counseled law students and alumni on all aspects of the job search and career development process, including resumes, cover letters, and interviews. Planned and coordinated informational programs on career development.

**Legal Services of Eastern Missouri, Inc.**, St. Louis, MO

***Managing Attorney*** - Special Projects Unit

March 2004 - September 2004

Supervised attorney, social worker, paralegal, support staff and students; represented low-income clients in various civil matters; administered grants.

***Staff Attorney*** - Special Projects Unit and VLP

October 2001 - March 2004

Represented low-income clients in various civil matters, including Social Security and Medicaid administrative appeals; supervised law students; presented community education programs and programs to recruit lawyers and law students to volunteer for the agency.

**Baris Law Firm**, St. Louis, MO

***Contract Attorney***

October 2004 - August 2005

Assisted in legal research and brief writing for appellate matters.

***Associate Attorney***

October 1996 - October 2001

Engaged in the general practice of law, including civil and criminal trial and appellate matters in federal and state courts and administrative agencies.

**Law Office of Linda Murphy**, St. Louis, MO

October 1995 - April 1996

***Law Clerk*** - Drafted documents in criminal, civil, and domestic matters; legal research.

**Law Office of Alvin Wolff, Jr. & Associates**, St. Louis, MO

May 1995 - August 1995

***Law Clerk*** - Assisted in trials and drafted documents in personal injury matters, legal research.

**Legal Services of Eastern Missouri, Inc.**, St. Louis, MO

May 1994 - April 1995

***Intern*** - Interviewed and corresponded with clients; drafted documents; legal research.

**Missouri State Public Defender**, St. Louis and St. Charles Co., MO

Summers 1993, 1994

***Intern*** - Assisted in trials and hearings; interviewed clients; legal research.

## **SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

### **Saint Louis University School of Law**

LL.M. Admissions Committee	2024 - Present
Building Emergency Coordinator	2013 - Present
Curriculum and Academic Standards Committee	2010 - Present
LL.M. Program Review Working Group, Co-Chairperson	2022 - 2024
Assessment Review Working Group, Co-Chairperson	2023 - 2024
Honor Code Revisions Working Group, Chairperson	2021 - 2024
Law Library Director Search Committee	2022 - 2023
Assistant Director of Academic Support and Bar Preparation Search Committee	2019 – 2020, 2025-Present
Director of Inclusion & Diversity Education Search Committee	2018 - 2019

### **Saint Louis University**

Office of Student Responsibility and Community Standards University Appeals Board	2022 - Present
Title IX Student Advisor and Hearing Panelist	2020 - Present
Graduate Associate Deans and Directors Committee	2014 - Present
Mission Priority Examen Committee	2024 – 2025
Arrupe Fellowship	2023 - 2025
Academic Integrity Policy Working Group	2023 - 2024
Vice-President of Student Development Search Committee	2020
Learning Technology Advisory Committee	2017 - 2020

## **LEGAL PROFESSION ORGANIZATIONS AND VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES**

### **Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis**

#### Elected Positions

Immediate Past President	2014 - 2015
President	2013 - 2014
President-Elect	2012 - 2013
Vice-President	2011 - 2012
Secretary	2010 - 2011
Treasurer	2009 - 2010
Board of Governors	
Member-at-Large	2006 - 2009
YLD Representative	2004 - 2006
Young Lawyers Division Executive Committee	
Immediate Past Chairperson	2006 - 2007
Chairperson	2005 - 2006
Chair-Elect	2004 - 2005
Vice-Chairperson	2003 - 2004
Treasurer	2002 - 2003

#### Appointed Committee Leadership

Chairperson, Past Presidents Council	2021 - Present
Presidential Liaison, Board of Governors	2017 - 2018, 2024 - 2025
Chairperson, Motion for Kids Committee	2015
Chairperson, Read Across America Committee	2002 - 2003
Chairperson, Call-A-Lawyer Committee	2001 – 2003

#### Other Committee Membership

Strategic Planning Committee	2023 - Present
Governance Committee	2020 - Present
Well-Being Committee	2019 - Present
Motion for Kids Committee	2002 – 2017

#### **St. Louis Bar Foundation**

Board of Directors	2005 - 2006, 2013 - 2015, 2025 - Present
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#### **Missouri Bar**

Bar Leadership Institute Planning Committee	2018 - 2021
Annual Meeting Planning Committee	2018, 2021, 2024
Young Lawyers Section Council	2002 - 2008
Loan Repayment Assistance Program Committee	2004

#### **Washington University School of Law**

Alumni Executive Committee	2004 - 2008
Young Alumni Committee	2001 - 2003
Public Interest Summer Stipend Committee	2001 - 2003

#### **Legal Services of Eastern Missouri, Inc.**

Volunteer Lawyer Program	1999 - 2001
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#### **OTHER ORGANIZATIONS AND VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES**

##### **Congregation Bnai Amoona Synagogue**

Bylaws Review Committee	2025 - Present
Board of Directors	2022 - Present
Executive Director Search Committee	2025
Assistant Rabbi Search Committee	2023 - 2024

##### **National Council of Jewish Women**

Back to School Store Volunteer	2000 - Present
Strategic Planning Committee	2023

##### **YMCA of Greater St. Louis**

Community Development Board	2024 - Present
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##### **Jewish Federation of St. Louis**

Jewish/Muslim Day of Service Volunteer	Multiple years
Planning and Allocations Committee	2012 - 2019
Young Professionals Division Board	2003 - 2006

##### **Hillel at Washington University in St. Louis**

Board of Directors	2007 - 2010
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##### **Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Greater St. Louis**

Volunteer Big Brother	2000 - 2003
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##### **Alpha Epsilon Pi Fraternity, University of Missouri-Columbia**

Philanthropy Co-Chairperson	1992 - 1993
Vice-President	1991 - 1992
Treasurer	1990 - 1991
Rush Chairperson	1990

**RECOGNITION**

Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis President's Award	2025
Missouri Bar Young Lawyers Section Chairperson's Award	2004
Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis YLD Award of Merit	2002
Legal Services of Eastern Missouri Volunteer Lawyer Award	2001

**ADMISSIONS**

Missouri Bar	October 1996
United States Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit	October 1996
United States District Court, Eastern District of Missouri	1996 - 2021