## **Bio for Katie Monroe, Innocence Project**

Katie joined the Innocence Project in August 2012 as its first Senior Advocate for National Partnerships, located on the ground in Washington, DC.

Prior to joining the Project, Katie served as the Executive Director of the Rocky Mountain Innocence Center, covering innocence work and issues in Utah, Nevada, and Wyoming. She was also an adjunct clinical professor at the S.J. Quinney College of Law, teaching students about wrongful convictions and overseeing casework. Previously, Katie was Senior Counsel at the Constitution Project and served on the Board of Directors of the Mid-Atlantic Innocence Project.

Katie began her legal career as a law clerk to the Honorable Bernard G. Barrow of the Virginia Court of Appeals and an attorney for the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights. She received her law degree from George Mason University. Katie also currently serves on the Board of Directors of the National Innocence Network.