# Jonathan L. Fahey

### **EXPERIENCE**

Holtzman Vogel

Partner

Washington, D.C. January 2024-present

- Litigate high stakes litigation matters in federal and state court.
- Represent individuals involved in all phases of government investigations.

• Conduct internal investigations.

**Brown Rudnick** 

Counsel

Washington, D.C.

July 2022-January 2024

- Represented individuals and corporations in high stakes litigation in civil and criminal matters.
- Conduct internal investigations involving criminal and civil matters.
- Represent clients involved in government investigations and enforcement proceedings.

**Tate Bywater** 

Partner

Fairfax, VA

February 2021- July 2022

- Litigated cases on behalf of individuals and corporations in state and federal court.
- Successfully briefed complex constitutional issue before the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals.

### **Department of Homeland Security**

Acting Director, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement

Washington, D.C.

December 2020-Jan. 2021

• Led agency responsible for enforcing the nation's immigration laws.

Principal Legal Advisor, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement

October – December 2020

- Led a nationwide office of over 1200 attorneys that represents DHS in removal proceedings before the immigration courts and Board of Immigration Appeals.
- Provided legal advice and training to ICE law enforcement personnel and supported professionals on a wide range of administrative and operational law issues, coordinated with the Department of Justice to defend ICE's interests in complex federal litigation.

Senior Policy Advisor/Deputy Assistant Secretary for Office of Policy

March 2020 – January 2021

• Provided policy guidance on a variety of border security issues including immigration, transnational organized crime, and human trafficking.

### **Candidate for Fairfax Commonwealth's Attorney**

August - November 2019

- Independent Candidate for Fairfax Commonwealth's Attorney.
- Raised nearly \$300,000 from over 500 individual donors during a three-month campaign against candidate heavily funded by outside special interests.
- Earned bipartisan statewide support and endorsements from the business and law enforcement community.
- Garnered national and local media attention for candidacy.

## United States Attorney's Office, Eastern District of Virginia

Chief, Special Assistant United States Attorney's Unit Assistant United States Attorney Special Assistant United States Attorney Alexandria, VA 2016-2019 2005-2019 2002-2005

- Tried 20 jury trials, including cases involving identity theft, drug trafficking, racketeering and capital murder.
- Extensive management experience, leading a unit with up to 20 attorneys and several support staff members.
- Briefed and argued appeals before the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals.
- Led grand jury investigations on a wide variety of cases, including bank fraud, RICO, drug trafficking, capital murder, and public corruption.
- Served as district's Organized Crime and Opioid Coordinator.
- Representative cases:
  - Investigated and prosecuted murder that occurred on a military base in Arlington, Virginia. The defendant was a serial murderer and sexual predator who had killed two children in Illinois. The jury sentenced the defendant to death after a several week trial.
  - Investigated and prosecuted \$53 million bank fraud conspiracy involving the attainment of millions of dollars of fraudulent loans from several banks in multiple states.
  - Investigated and prosecuted 10 members of an MS-13 gang for a variety of crimes, including VICAR for a murder of a rival gang member and drug trafficking crimes to support the gang.
  - Prosecuted notorious pain management physician for multiple counts of drug trafficking relating to his prescribing massive quantities of opioids over a sustained time-period.
  - Investigated and prosecuted several previously unsolved murder cases in Northern Virginia.
  - Investigated and prosecuted large numbers of local drug dealers, charging 47 defendants on a single day with drug trafficking and firearms offenses.

### **Awards & Recognition**

- John Marshall Award (The Department of Justice's Highest Award for Litigation).
- D.E.A. Administrator's Award (For Prosecution of Notorious Pain Management Doctor).
- Liam O'Grady Award (Outstanding Service to Special Assistant United States Attorney's Program).
- F.B.I. Public Service Award (For Public Corruption Investigation).
- Fairfax County Public Service Award (For Prosecution of Previously Unsolved Homicide).

### **White House Office of National Drug Control Policy**

General Counsel (On detail from U.S. Attorney's Office)

- Managed daily legal work for agency.
- Co-authored response to Opioid Commission Report.

### Fairfax County Commonwealth's Attorney's Office

Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney

Fairfax, VA 2000-2002

- Prosecuted a wide range of crimes including homicide, white collar, and theft offenses.
- Tried dozens of jury and bench trials on felony and misdemeanor cases.
- Argued motions on constitutional issues in Circuit Court.

Washington, DC *May-November 2018* 

Arlington County Circuit Court  Judicial Law Clerk	Arlington, VA 1999-2000
TEACHING POSITIONS	
<b>George Washington University, Department of Forensic Science</b> <i>Adjunct Professor</i>	Washington, DC 2010-14, 2018
American University, Washington College of Law Adjunct Professor	Washington, DC 2009
EDUCATION	
University of San Diego School of Law J.D., 1999	San Diego, CA
James Madison University B.S., 1994	Harrisonburg, VA