

SARAH SORSCHER

WORK EXPERIENCE

CENTER FOR SCIENCE IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST, Washington D.C.

Deputy Director of Regulatory Affairs

2017-present

Work with staff scientists and coalition allies to improve the nutrition information available to consumers, stop deceptive food advertising, and reduce or eliminate harmful food additives, contaminants, and pathogens in the food supply.

PUBLIC CITIZEN, Washington, D.C.

Attorney, Health Research Group

2011-2017

Drafted letters, comments and petitions to the Food and Drug Administration concerning drug and device approvals and other issues affecting consumer health and safety. Draft reports, respond to inquiries from Congressional staff, and lobby for increased consumer protections in health-related legislation.

COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, Washington, D.C.

Law Clerk, Hon. Stephen H. Glickman

2010-2011

Researched D.C. and federal law and drafted legal memoranda covering a range of legal issues.

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, Rockville, MD

Legal Intern, Office of Chief Counsel

2009

Assisted in drafting motions for defensive agency litigation. Researched and analyzed legal issues and drafted memoranda addressing theories for prosecution under the mail fraud statute, admissibility of evidence, collection of attorney fees under the Freedom of Information Act, and potential constitutional challenges to agency regulations promulgated under the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.

URBAN JUSTIC CENTER, New York, NY

Paralegal, Mental Health Project

2005-2006

Represented mentally ill public health insurance beneficiaries at administrative hearings and assisted beneficiaries in utilizing available benefits.

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School/School of Public Health, J.D., M.P.H *cum laude*, June 2010

Amherst College, B.A., *magna cum laude*, October 2005

VOLUNTEER & PUBLIC SERVICE EXPERIENCE

EQUITABLE FOODS INITIATIVE, Washington, D.C.

Director, Board of Directors

2018-present

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION, Atlanta, G.A.

Consumer Representative, Food Safety Modernization Act Surveillance Working Group

2016-present

FOOD & DRUG ADMINISTRATION, Washington, D.C.

Consumer Representative, Bone, Reproductive and Urologic Drugs Advisory Committee

2016-2017