

**Committee on Energy and Commerce**  
**U.S. House of Representatives**  
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<b>1. Your Name:</b> Jessica Rosenworcel		
<b>2. Your Title:</b> Commissioner		
<b>3. The Entity(ies) You are Representing:</b> Federal Communications Commission		
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Date: 7.11.16

**JESSICA ROSENWORCEL**

**LEGAL AND POLICY EXPERIENCE**

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION, Washington, DC** 2012-Present

***Commissioner***

Develop and implement communications policy involving radio, television, wire, satellite and cable services as a member of the United States' primary authority for communications law, regulation and technological innovation.

**UNITED STATES SENATE  
COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE AND TRANSPORTATION, Washington, DC**

***Senior Communications Counsel*** 2009-2012

Developed and implemented communications policy agenda for the Democratic members of the Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation, under the leadership of Senator Jay Rockefeller (D-West Virginia). Organized hearings regarding the National Broadband Plan, universal service and rural communications, Children's Television Act, future of journalism, wireless service, communications accessibility for the disabled, retransmission consent for video programming, satellite television, public safety spectrum and oversight of the Federal Communications Commission and National Telecommunications and Information Administration. Developed and worked to secure passage of legislation, including the Broadband Technology Opportunities Program in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, DTV Delay Act, Satellite Television Extension and Localism Act, 21<sup>st</sup> Century Communications and Video Accessibility Act and Public Safety Spectrum and Wireless Innovation Act.

***Senior Communications Counsel*** 2007-2008

Developed and implemented communications policy agenda for the Democratic members of the Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation, under the leadership of Senator Daniel K. Inouye (D-Hawaii). Organized hearings regarding the digital television transition, broadband deployment and adoption, universal service, media ownership, media violence and indecency, network neutrality, online privacy and oversight of the Federal Communications Commission and National Telecommunications and Information Administration. Developed and worked to secure passage of legislation, including the Broadband Data Improvement Act, DTV Transition Assistance Act, Child Safe Viewing Act, and New and Emerging Technologies 911 Improvement Act.

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION, Washington, DC**

***Senior Legal Advisor to Commissioner Michael J. Copps*** 2006-2007

Advised Senior Democratic Commissioner on television, radio and cable policy issues arising under the Communications Act and Cable Television and Consumer Protection Act. Developed office positions and strategy for advancing telecommunications, Internet, wireless and media policy priorities. Managed office staff. Provided legal analysis and voting recommendations for Commission decisions. Drafted speeches, editorials and press statements. Coordinated policy decisions with Congressional offices, state and local officials and industry representatives.

***Legal Advisor to Commissioner Michael J. Copps*** 2003-2006  
Advised Senior Democratic Commissioner on competition policy and universal service issues arising under the Telecommunications Act. Developed policy positions on broadband deployment, Internet access, rural communications, public safety networks, E-Rate and VoIP. Provided legal analysis and voting recommendations for Commission decisions. Drafted Senate testimony, speeches and press statements. Coordinated policy decisions with Congressional offices and state regulatory authorities.

***Legal Counsel to Bureau Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau*** 2002-2003  
Advised Bureau Chief on universal service and broadband policy. Coordinated wireline policy with Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Cable Services Bureau and International Bureau. Taught World Bank telecommunications workshops for the Economic Ministry of Latvia.

***Attorney Advisor, Policy Division, Common Carrier Bureau*** 1999-2002  
Managed teams drafting decisions concerning broadband deployment and competitive entry into local and long distance markets. Recipient of Special Act Award for policy contributions to the Common Carrier Bureau in 2000.

**DRINKER BIDDLE & REATH, Washington, DC**

***Communications Associate*** 1997-1999  
Drafted merger documents for privatization of state-owned telephone company. Prepared Bureau of Export Administration license application for cable modem encryption technology.

**REBOUL, MACMURRAY, HEWITT, MAYNARD & KRISTOL, New York, NY**

***Summer Associate*** 1996  
Drafted securities purchase agreements for venture capital and buyout firm transactions.

**UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, Brooklyn, NY**

***Summer Fellow, Criminal Division*** 1995  
Researched and drafted motions on issues of evidence, criminal law and criminal procedure.

**SKADDEN, ARPS, SLATE, MEAGHER & FLOM, New York, NY**

***Legal Assistant*** 1993-1994  
Managed litigation documents.

**EDUCATION**

**NEW YORK UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, New York, NY** JD, 1997  
Honors: *Annual Survey of American Law*, Editor

**WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY, Middletown, CT** BA, Economics and English, 1993  
Honors: White Prize for Excellence in Economics

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- “Filling in the Homework Gap,” *Daily Press*, May 30, 2015.
- “Falling through the Homework Gap,” *Providence Journal*, April 25, 2015.
- “Limited Internet Access a Challenge for Detroit Kids,” *Detroit Free Press*, March 16, 2015.
- “Let’s Give Our Students a Chance to Compete in the Digital Age,” co-authored with Senator Angus King, *Roll Call*, December 14, 2014.
- “How to Close the Homework Gap,” *Miami Herald*, December 5, 2014.
- “A New Year, a Bolder and Better E-Rate,” *Huffington Post*, December 3, 2014.
- “The Race to 5G is On,” *Re/code*, October 27, 2014.
- “The Spectrum Pipeline,” *Silicon Valley Leadership Group Gamechangers 2015*, Fall 2014.
- “Sandbox Thinking,” *Democracy Journal*, Fall 2014.
- “Here’s How to Expand Wireless Spectrum,” co-authored with Marty Cooper, *San Jose Mercury News*, September 26, 2014.
- “Let’s Upgrade Our Schools for the Digital Age,” co-authored with Rep. Doris Matsui and Sacramento Mayor Kevin Johnson, *Sacramento Bee*, April 25, 2014.
- “Growing Unlicensed Spectrum, Growing the Economy,” *Re/code*, February 21, 2014.
- “Bring Wireless 911 Up to Date,” *The Hill*, January 14, 2014.
- “Giving Our Kids a Change to Compete in the Global Economy Means High-Speed Broadband Capacity,” co-authored with Mooresville, North Carolina Superintendent Dr. Mark Edwards, *Huffington Post*, July 24, 2013.
- “A Federal Wireless Policy Built on Carrots, Not Sticks,” *The Hill*, July 27, 2013.
- “High-Speed Internet Access a Classroom Necessity,” co-authored with San Antonio Mayor Julian Castro, *San Antonio Express*, June 25, 2013.
- “Transforming Education Digitally,” co-authored with Rep. Anna Eshoo, *Politico*, June 3, 2013.
- “Assessing the Effectiveness of Section 271 Five Years After the Telecommunications Act of 1996,” co-authored with Daniel R. Shiman, Chapter 7, *Communications Policy and Information Technology: Promises, Problems, Prospects*, MIT Press, 2002.