

Glen Batista

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Education

Chicago-Kent College of Law, Chicago, Illinois

Juris Doctor Candidate, May 2026,

- Dean's Honor List Spring 2024, Fall 2024, Spring 2025, Fall 2025
- CALI Award in Legal Writing 3
- Duberstein Bankruptcy Moot Court Competition, March 2025

Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia

Master of Science, Exercise Science, May 2011

Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana

Bachelor of Science, Kinesiology, May 2009

Professional Experience

Illinois Attorney General, Chicago, Illinois

General Law Bureau Legal Externship, January 2026-Present

- Observe court calls and attend adversarial hearings
- Draft legal documents including a Court Order and an Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint

Chicago Park District, Chicago, Illinois

Litigation Division Legal Externship, August 2025-November 2025

- Second-chaired a winning arbitration proceeding under Illinois Rule 711
- Drafted pretrial motions and discovery documents, including a court-granted motion to dismiss
- Researched case law and performed citation reviews strengthening the Park District's motion and trial arguments

Ancel Glink, P.C., Chicago, Illinois

Law Clerk, May 2025-August 2025

- Performed legal research and drafted research memoranda on various issues of municipal law such as intoxicating hemp ordinances, tort immunity, and home rule municipal emergency demolition authority
- Updated case law and citations in *Handling the Land Use Case*, and *Land Use Law* textbooks

Circuit Court of Cook County, Honorable Judge Cecilia Horan, Chicago, Illinois

Chancery Division Judicial Externship, August 2024-December 2024

- Conducted legal research and drafted memoranda on legal topics including labor and employment, and administrative law
- Observed status calls, motion calls, trials, settlement conferences, and rulings

Coordinated Advice & Referral Program for Legal Services (CARPLS), Chicago, Illinois

Public Interest Law Initiative Internship, May 2024-August 2024

- Answered general hotline calls, which included direct interaction with clients, researching legal questions, and delivering legal solutions under the supervision of a licensed attorney
- Researched legal topics and drafted brief updates for the internal attorney database

Denver District Attorney's Office, Denver, Colorado

Program Assistant, Strategic Initiatives Division, March 2022-February 2023

Volunteer, Communications and Community Engagement, February 2022-March 2022

Denver Parks and Recreation, Denver, Colorado

Recreation Supervisor, January 2018-November 2021

Volunteer Leadership

Chicago-Kent Hispanic Latino Law Student Association

3L Class Representative, April 2025-Present

HLLSA Student Mentor, August 2024-Present

Pro Se Self-Help Resource Center at the Circuit Court of Cook County

Student Associate Manager, April 2024-April 2025

Volunteer, August 2023-Present

- Assist pro se customers complete legal documents, recruit and train new volunteers

Downtown Denver Expeditionary School, Denver, Colorado

Vice-Chair Board of Directors, December 2020-June 2023

- Collaborated with the board and executive director to manage school operations and overall strategic vision

Colorado Parks & Recreation Association-Fitness Section

Board Representative, September 2019-October 2021

Chair, September 2018-September 2019

Vice-Chair, September 2017-September 2018