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Abby uses her experience in energy to support environmental regulatory and litigation matters.

Before joining B&D, Abby served as a certified student practitioner at the Suffolk University Environmental Law & Policy Clinic, where she counseled clients on Clean Water Act and municipal solid waste matters. In addition, Abby was a judicial intern at the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court.

Prior to law school, Abby worked as a Renewable Energy Program Coordinator at the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources, assisting with the implementation of the state solar energy incentive program. She also worked as the Operations Manager for a solar energy company, supporting engineers in the development of commercial-scale solar projects.

Education

- Stonehill College (B.A., *magna cum laude*, 2015)
 - English
- Suffolk University (J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2024)
 - Articles Editor, *Suffolk University Law Review*
 - President, Environmental Law Society
 - Clinical Legal Education Association Outstanding Clinic Student Award
 - Jurisprudence Award in three courses of study, including Environmental Law, Energy & Natural Resources Law, and Administrative law

Community Involvement

- Net Impact Boston, Co-Chair of Events Team

Publications

- Abby Barnicle, Note, [*Grid Modernization Slows as Courts Split on Constitutionality of State Right of First Refusal Laws for Transmission System Upgrades*](#), 57 Suffolk U.L. Rev. 115 (2024).