# TULA ELLIS

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#### EDUCATION

## Seattle University School of Law, Seattle, WA

Juris Doctor Candidate, May 2019

<u>GPA/Rank</u> :	3.69/Top 10%
Honors:	Presidential Law Scholarship; Dean's List (2017 – Present)
<u>Journal</u> :	Staff Editor, Seattle Journal of Environmental Law (2017 – Present)
Activities:	Advocacy Coordinator, Environmental Law Society (2016 – 2017);
	Member, Women's Law Caucus (2016 – Present)

#### University of California, Sunnydale, CA

Master of Environmental Science, June 2016

<u>GPA</u> :	3.88
Honors:	Student Research Award
Activities:	Research Assistant to Professor Pomona Sprout (2014 – 2016)

#### Hill Valley College, Hill Valley, CA

Bachelor of Science, magna cum laude, Biology, May 2014

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<u>GPA</u> :	3.94
Honors:	Undergraduate Excellence Award; Mu Upsilon Honor Society;
	President's List (2012 – 2014); Dean's List (2011 – 2012)
Activities:	Research Assistant to Professor Roy Hinkley (2013 – 2014);
	Founding Member, Women's Rugby Club (2011 – 2014)
<u>Study Abroad</u> :	Manchester Medlock University, Manchester, England, UK (2012)

#### EXPERIENCE

#### Loggins & Messina, P.S., Seattle, WA

Law Clerk, August 2017 - Present

- Research and write memoranda on water and land use law
- Draft Freedom of Information Act requests to government agencies to access data

#### Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC

Legal Extern, May – August 2017

- Researched and drafted memoranda on federal environmental law issues, including in the areas of Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA); Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA); and hazardous waste law
- Drafted a motion to dismiss a complex, multi-state, Clean Water Act (CWA) case
- Participated in civil and criminal enforcement strategy meetings

#### Office of United States Senator Paul Itico, Washington, DC

Legislative Intern, May - August 2014

- Conducted research in the areas of natural gas distribution, energy facility siting, water quality, wastewater management, and stormwater regulation
- Responded to constituent questions and comments

### LANGUAGE SKILLS & INTERESTS

Conversational Spanish and basic Italian Enjoy CrossFit, knitting, and playing accordion