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EDUCATION

- St. Mary's University School of Law, J.D., 2023
- University of Texas at El Paso, B.A. in Criminal Justice (Cum Laude), 2020

HONORS AND DISTINCTIONS

- National Trial League Champion, 2022
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- Litigation and Advocacy Award
- Staff Writer on The Scholar: St. Mary's Law Review on Race and Social Justice

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

During Vanessa's time at St. Mary's University School of Law she held various internships giving her a wide range of legal experience in different areas such as interning for a non-profit immigration organization, the Bexar County District Attorney's office, and a personal injury firm. After graduating from law school, Vanessa relocated to Galveston, Texas, where she joined a civil litigation firm. In this role, she represented both plaintiffs and defendants in a wide range of legal matters, including construction law, employment defense, and personal injury cases, as well as prosecuting misdemeanor offenses in municipal court.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ACTIVITIES

- State Bar of Texas
- Texas Association of Defense Counsel

COURT ADMISSIONS

- State Bar of Texas