



**BIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT OF  
GILLIAN S. BARJON**

Gillian joined the Children's Attorneys Project at Legal Aid Center of Southern Nevada in November 2011 as a staff attorney advocating for kids in the child welfare system. She also managed the law clerk and extern program for the entire office and supervised law students for the Children's Attorneys Project. Gillian is currently the Team Chief for the Education Advocacy Program, which fights for the educational rights of children.

Gillian is a proud native of Dallas, Texas. She is, however, barred in Nevada. Gillian earned her Juris Doctor from Northwestern University School of Law in Chicago, IL. There she was on the Northwestern Law Journal of Law & Social Policy. She graduated summa cum laude with a B.A. in Psychology from Hampton University in Hampton, VA.

Prior to joining Legal Aid Center, Gillian clerked at public interest law firms and organizations, including the Family Defense Center and at Equip For Equality in Chicago, Illinois and the Public Defender's office in Dallas, Texas.