

# CHRIS GLAROS

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## EDUCATION:

### **Stanford Law School, Stanford, CA**

*Graduated with Distinction, May 2001.* Stanford Law & Policy Review. Hilmer Oehlman, Jr. Award for Excellence in Legal Research and Writing. Externship at the San Jose U.S. Attorney's Office.

### **Columbia College of Columbia University, New York, NY**

*Graduated with B.A. in Political Science, May 1996.* Student Body President. University Senator. Graduation Speaker. Civic Engagement Program Founder. Williams Prize in Speech. Alumni Achievement Award as the senior most outstanding for qualities of mind, character, and college service.

## EXPERIENCE:

### **The Children's Defense Fund, Washington, D.C. and Columbus, OH**

*National Field Organizing Coordinator and General Counsel, January 2011 – Present*

- Develop and coordinate grassroots support to advance CDF's mission and priorities across America.
- Manage all legal issues for CDF and provide counsel to its leadership and staff.

### **Ohio Attorney General's Office, Columbus, OH**

*First Assistant Attorney General, January 2009 — January 2011*

- Selected by Richard Cordray for this statutory position that is responsible under Ohio law for performing the Attorney General's duties at his direction or during his absence or disability.
- Served as the chief legal officer for the Attorney General's office, which represents the State of Ohio in all legal matters and assists local law enforcement in fighting crime.
- Led senior staff and helped manage all aspects of the 1,600-person office, including the legal work of more than 400 attorneys in wide-ranging civil and criminal matters.

### **Ohio Treasurer's Office, Columbus, OH**

*General Counsel, January 2007 — January 2009*

- Served as the chief legal officer for Richard Cordray and the Ohio Treasury, which managed nearly \$20 billion of public funds and safeguarded nearly \$200 billion in custodial funds.
- Managed five divisions of the Treasury, including Legal, Legislative, Securities Trust, Internal Audit, and Compliance and Risk Management.

### **Jones Day, Columbus, OH**

*Associate, October 2002 — March 2004 & December 2004 — January 2007*

- Assisted with complex litigation and supervised junior attorneys.
- Drafted motions, discovery, and research memoranda on securities, employment, bankruptcy, general commercial litigation, and criminal *pro bono* matters.

### **The Honorable Algenon L. Marbley, Columbus, OH**

*Law Clerk, September 2001 — September 2002*

- Assisted the Judge with duties in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio.
- Wrote bench memoranda and draft opinions, orders, and jury instructions on myriad legal issues.

### **Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP, Palo Alto, CA**

### **McCutchen, Doyle, Brown & Enersen, LLP, San Francisco, CA**

*Summer Associate, Summers 2000 & 2001*

- Drafted memoranda on intellectual property, securities, transactional, and general litigation matters.

**Deputy Attorney General's Office, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.**

*Law Clerk, Summer 1999*

- Given security clearance, conducted research, drafted memoranda, participated in policy development, and attended staff meetings for then Deputy Attorney General, Eric Holder.

**Ohio Voter Education Security and Training (OVEST), Columbus, OH**

*Volunteer Attorney, March 2006 – November 2006*

- Drafted and helped execute part of a statewide plan for the Democratic Party's voter protection effort.

**Blue 88, Columbus, OH**

*President, June 2005 — November 2006*

- Founded a statewide network to grow grassroots efforts for the Ohio Democratic Party.
- Managed volunteers who held meetings in 84 of 88 Ohio counties, sponsored trainings and forums, recruited precinct captains, and engaged thousands of activists in electoral work and issue advocacy.

**America Coming Together, Columbus, OH**

*State Volunteer Programs Director, April 2004 — November 2004*

- Developed and supervised programs to involve 14,600 volunteers throughout Ohio in voter registration, education, and mobilization activities.
- Hired and managed regional staff, facilitated communications strategies, administered a voter hotline, and coordinated with other progressive organizations.

**Mary Boyle for U.S. Senate, Cleveland, OH**

*Issues and Research Director, Summer 1998*

- Conducted all research and issue preparation and assisted with message formulation.
- Responsible for all topics discussed by the candidate, wrote speeches, and prepared daily briefings.

**Office of George Stephanopoulos, Columbia University, NY**

*Research Assistant, January 1997 — July 1998*

- Directed all research for Mr. Stephanopoulos, the former senior advisor to President Clinton.
- Research included all materials for the book *All Too Human*, ABC political analysis, and speeches.
- Helped create undergraduate and graduate political science courses as his teaching assistant.

**Clinton/Gore '96 Ohio Coordinated Campaign, Columbus, OH**

*Executive Assistant, August 1996 — November 1996*

- Developed and managed special projects for the State Director and Political Director, coordinated all Ohio Ethnic Outreach and Business Outreach activities, and wrote briefings for Principal visits.

**Estonian Investment Agency, Tallinn, Estonia**

*Consultant on EESTI Fellowship, Summer 1996*

- Devised and coordinated the American Investment Survey for the Estonian government.
- Conducted interviews with investors and wrote a report for staff, the World Bank, and other agencies.
- Briefed press, wrote speeches, refined marketing messages, and developed public advertising.

**SKILLS & INTERESTS:**

- Experienced attorney, tested manager, creative organizer, and effective communicator.
- Enjoy Ohio sports, political history and campaigns, photography, golf, astronomy, and fishing.