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OVERVIEW

Before joining Greene Espel, Alison worked for several years as an associate at one of the leading litigation boutiques in Washington D.C., where she served clients in high-stakes antitrust, class action, and IP-related disputes. Prior to this, Alison clerked both for Judge Debra Ann Livingston at the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit and Judge Ellen Segal Huvelle at the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia.

Alison graduated from Columbia Law School, where she was a Notes Editor for the Columbia Law Review and served as a teaching assistant and legal research assistant. Alison received the Ruth Bader Ginsburg Prize, which is awarded to students who achieve James Kent high honors all three years of law school.

EDUCATION

- J.D., Columbia Law School
- B.S.F.S., *magna cum laude*, Georgetown University School of Foreign Service

EXPERIENCE

- Wilkinson Stekloff LLP, Associate
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, Judge Debra Ann Livingston, Law Clerk
- U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia, Judge Ellen Segal Huvelle, Law Clerk

ADMISSIONS

- U.S. District Court for the District of Minnesota
- State Bar of Minnesota
- State Bar of New York
- District of Columbia Bar
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

AFFILIATIONS

- Minnesota State Bar Association
- Hennepin County Bar Association

RECOGNITION

- Attorney of the Year, Minnesota Lawyer (2025)
- Recognized as Minnesota State Bar Association North Star Lawyer for pro bono service (2025)

COMMUNITY

Alison has a robust pro bono practice, providing legal services to those who otherwise couldn't afford them. Alison is particularly proud to have represented a Cameroonian man in his successful petition for asylum and his subsequent application to bring his family to the United States, as well as a woman seeking an order for protection against her physically abusive soon-to-be-ex-husband.

NEWS & UPDATES

- **June 25, 2026** Greene Espel Attorneys Named 2025 North Star Lawyers for Pro Bono Service
- **December 22, 2025** Attorneys Kshithij Shrinath and Alison Vandenburg Zoschak Recognized by Minnesota Lawyer as 2025 Attorneys of the Year
- **March 4, 2025** Greene Espel Welcomes Attorney Alison Vandenburg Zoschak the Firm

ARTICLES & PUBLICATIONS

- **March 31, 2025** "Eighth Circuit, In Split With 3rd and 11th, Determines No Attorney Fees Authorized in Condemnation by Private Party Pursuant to the NGA," Law.com