







DANIEL OKAFOR

ABOUT ME

First-year associate in corporate practice with summer clerkship experience at two AmLaw 200 firms and a federal externship. Drafting focus on M&A diligence, equity financings, and credit agreement review.

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KEY SKILLS

- Admissions: Minnesota (2024)
- Practice areas: M&A diligence, equity and debt financings, corporate governance
- Tools: Kira, Litera, DealCloud, Westlaw, PLI Practical Guidance
- Languages: French (intermediate), Igbo (conversational)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Corporate Associate

Holcombe Atwater LLP, Minneapolis, MN | May 2024 - Present

- Conducted contract review across 180+ target agreements in a middle-market software acquisition, flagging change-of-control and assignment risks for the deal team.
- Drafted board consents, officer certificates, and closing checklists for three financing transactions.
- Support diligence on a recurring credit facility for a regional restaurant group, including UCC searches and lien release tracking.
- Rotated through the firm's pro bono immigration clinic, taking one asylum case from intake through hearing prep.

Summer Associate

Holcombe Atwater LLP, Minneapolis, MN | September 2023

- Wrote a research memo on Delaware exculpation amendments that was circulated to the corporate practice group.
- Attended a closing dinner for a \$230M carve-out and prepared the post-closing signature page binder.
- Drafted client alert on SEC pay-versus-performance disclosure changes.

EDUCATION

J.D., University of Minnesota Law School

(cum laude; Minnesota Law Review, Note & Comment Editor) | September 2024

B.A.

Economics and Philosophy, Carleton College | June 2020