



NOMINATING PETITION

Deadline: August 4, 2023

**Alaska Bar Association Board of Governors;
ALSC Board of Directors; ABA Delegate**

We, the undersigned, nominate (name of nominee): Harrison Kerth
to serve as:

☐ **Alaska Bar Association Board of Governor** for the following judicial district:

☐ 1st ☐ 2nd/4th ☐ 3rd ☐ At large

☐ **ALSC Board of Director** for the following jurisdiction and seat (regular or alternate):

☒ **American Bar Association Delegate** for the following seat:

☐ Regular ☒ Young Lawyer Delegate

John Matthew Longacre
(Signature of Nominator)

John Matthew Longacre
(Print Name)

Adam Guzik
(Signature of Nominator)

Adam Guzik
(Print Name)

Kerin Sullivan
(Signature of Nominator)

Kerin Sullivan
(Print Name)

I hereby consent to the above nomination.

Harrison Kerth
(Signature of Nominee)

Harrison Kerth
(Print Name)

In addition to the above signatures, candidates should submit a letter or statement of candidacy that will be posted on the Bar's website. The statement must be received by August 4, 2023.

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Statement of Candidacy for the ABA Young Lawyer Delegate

My name is Harrison Kerth, and I am seeking your support in my run to be the next Young Lawyer Delegate.

After completing my undergraduate degree at the University of Denver, I attended the University of Montana School of Law and moved to Alaska shortly after graduating in 2021. While at the University of Montana, I participated in the Blackstone LaunchPad Clinic where I assisted individuals who wanted to start their own business but were faced with issues because of their inability to access the legal system due to limited means. My experiences during my clinical reaffirmed the value I hold for giving back to the community and providing my assistance wherever possible.

The value of community and giving back was only bolstered when I moved to Alaska and joined the local legal community. Though moving to Alaska was daunting, the warm reception and acceptance by the legal community made the transition far more enjoyable than I anticipated. While the original impetus to move to Alaska was the outdoor recreation and desire to raise my family up here, the community provided an inclination to remain here and a yearning to give back. My experience working with clients and engaging in the legal community over the last few years provides me with an exceptional perspective on the needs and goals of our profession. These experiences provide me the insight for how our profession should develop. I view the Young Lawyer Delegate position as another way to give back to the community that has already provided me with so much.

Thank you for your consideration in supporting my candidacy to be the next Young Lawyer Delegate.

Best Regards,

Harrison Kerth