# Elizabeth A. Platt, Esq.

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## **BAR ADMISSION**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

# Center for Public Health Law Research, Philadelphia, PA

Director, Policy Research Technology Program

- Lead customized legal projects for external clients using innovative technology-based research tools for policy tracking.
- Provide technical assistant for external clients, specializing in international projects.
- Conceptualize, build, maintain, and manage internal policy surveillance projects on COVID-19, opioidrelated laws, health city policies and other public health domains.
- Develop internal processes for project and product management.
- Draft proposals, grant submissions, and budget estimates for project funding.

# Legal Science, LLC, Philadelphia, PA

*Chief Executive Officer/Chief Operating Officer* 

- Oversaw all functions of the company, including running all founder board meetings and managing all daily office operations and hiring.
- Continued operations work directing the legal team, scoping all projects, and executing all project plans.
- Sought sales opportunities and provided demonstrations and trainings to new or potential clients.
- Managed transition of the company to Temple University.

### Vice President of Operations

- Supervised all client projects for both the legal and technical teams.
- Managed all daily office operations and hiring for the company.
- Provided sales demonstrations to potential clients.
- Led all legal team projects from conceptualization to publication.

## Legal Research Manager

- Led all legal team projects from conceptualization to publication.
- Project manager for the creation, launch, and updates of pdaps.org and cityhealth.org.
- Trained new employees and provided demonstrations to potential clients.
- Drafted budget estimates for new projects.

# Center for Public Health Law Research, Philadelphia, PA

Senior Legal Research Associate

- Created a complex inventory platform for the Nebraska Department of Public Health. Conducted comparative legal analysis on various public health law topics.
- Researched and collected state statutes and regulations for legal datasets published on LawAtlas.org.
- Managed summer intern project on state medical marijuana laws.

# Syracuse University College of Law, Syracuse, NY

Research Assistant for Professor William C. Banks

- Expanded research on the domestic role of military and updated chapters on early American military law for Soldiers on the Home Front: The Domestic Role of the American Military.
- Edited pieces on national security law in the United States and assisted with the index for the legal textbook, Counterterrorism Law, Second Edition.

# National Consortium for the Study of Terrorism and Responses to Terrorism, College Park, MD

Feb. 2015 – May 2018

May 2018 – Mar. 2019

Oct. 2019 - Present

2012

Mar. 2019 - Oct. 2019

Oct. 2013 - Feb. 2015

Aug. 2011 – May 2012

### Graduate Intern

### June 2011 - Aug. 2011

- Conducted research on the five extremist threats included in the CoMET database project.
- Coded primary sources and legal sources on counterterrorism measures taken against the five extremist threats.

# Syracuse University College of Law, Syracuse, NY

Barclay Law Library Reference Research Assistant

Aug. 2009 - May 2012

- Composed profiles on College of Law graduates from the Class of 1932.
- Created and updated research toolkits for student, faculty, and public use.

# **EDUCATION**

### Syracuse University College of Law, Syracuse, NY

JD, magna cum laude (3.446 GPA, Class Rank 24/183, Top 14%), Justinian Honor Society; Dean's List; Distinguished Student Achievement Award, Syracuse Law Review, Awarded May 2012

### Syracuse University Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse, NY

MA, International Relations, (3.821 GPA), Certificate of Advanced Study, Security Studies, Awarded May 2012

# Clemson University, Clemson, SC

BA, Political Science, magna cum laude, Awarded May 2008

# PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Cloud, L., Moran-McCabe, K., Platt, E., & Prood, N. (2020). A Chronological Overview of the Federal, State, and Local Responses to COVID-19. In Burris, S., de Guia, S., Gable, L., Levin, D.E., Parmet, W.E., & Terry, N.P. (Eds.), *Assessing Legal Responses to COVID-19* (pp. 10-19). Boston: Public Health Law Watch.

## PRESENTATIONS

E. Platt (2020, October). A Comprehensive Look at Opioid-Related Laws Across the United States: The Development of a Database for Researchers, Advocates and Policymakers. American Public Health Law Association Annual Meeting, virtual presentation.

E. Platt (2020, October). *Health Outcomes & Policy Evaluation (HOPE): Creating a Policy Analysis Platform to Study the Impact of Laws on Public Health*. American Public Health Law Association Annual Meeting, virtual presentation.

E. Platt (2020, August). *COVID-19: Test for the World's Legal Systems, United States of America*. LF Talks: COVID-19 is a test for the world's legal systems. USA, China, Sweden, Virtual presentation.

E. Platt (2019, November). *Cutting-Edge Strategies Using Policy Surveillance*. American Public Health Law Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.

E. Platt (2019, May). *Improving the Creation and Publication of Policy Tracking*. Philly Tech Week Pre-Launch Party, Philadelphia, PA.

Burris, S. & Platt, E. (2019, April). *Legal Responses to the Opioid Crisis: Status, Trends, and Evidence*. 2019 Rx Drug Abuse & Heroin Summit, Atlanta, GA.

Frazer, A., Korostelev M., & Platt, E. (2018, October). *Building Legal Data on Prescription Drug Abuse Laws for Advocacy and Research*. Poster session, 2018 Public Health Law Conference, Phoenix, AZ.

E. Platt (2018, January). *Using Technology to Visualize Policy Surveillance*. Center for Public Health Law Research Policy Surveillance Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

E. Platt (2017, July). *Coding the Law: a MonQcle Demonstration*. Center for Public Health Law Research Policy Surveillance Summer Institute, Philadelphia, PA.

Cicero, T.J. & Platt, E. (2017, March). *The Public Health Balancing Act: Ensuring Access to Pain Management and the Ongoing Addiction Crisis*. 2017 Health Distribution Alliance Distribution Management Conference and Expo, Palm Desert, CA.

Ibrahim, J.K., Klein, D., Platt, E., Presley, D., & Svodoba, C. (2015, April). *Assessing Public Health Law Knowledge and Use Among the Public Health Workforce in Nebraska*. Poster session, 2015 Keeneland Conference, Lexington, KY.