

Jason D. Tulley

Biographical Summary

Jason D. Tulley is the Training Director at the Public Defender Service for the District of Columbia (PDS). He is responsible for training all PDS attorneys for practice in various aspects of Superior Court litigation. Previously, Mr. Tulley was Special Counsel to the Director for Forensics at PDS. As Special Counsel, he lead the organization's nationally recognized Forensic Practice Group which focuses on litigation of science issues from DNA to fingerprints to the psychology of eyewitness identification and managed the agency's budget for expert witnesses. Mr. Tulley has been at PDS for twelve years where he has tried murder, sexual assault, and other major felony cases. He is also past Chair and current member of NACDL's Forensic Science Committee, where worked on a national level to ensure scientifically sound forensic practices and education for the defense bar in all forensic disciplines. Prior to working at PDS, Mr. Tulley was a Deputy Capital Defender in the Trial Division of New York's Capital Defender Office, where he represented indigent persons facing death penalty charges. Before moving to New York, Mr. Tulley was an associate for Bennett & Nathans, LLP, a small Maryland law firm that handled state and federal civil and criminal cases, including a substantial capital defense practice. Immediately following law school, Mr. Tulley clerked for the Honorable Theodore Bloom on the Court of Special Appeals of Maryland. He graduated the State University of New York at Binghamton in 1992, and then the University of Maryland School Of Law in 1995.