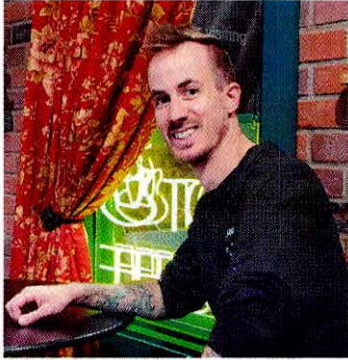




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Colin Retammel is an experienced trial attorney and appellate attorney with a background of adjudicating and litigating complex appeals. He currently serves as a judicial law clerk on the United States Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims. Prior to his time on the Court, he litigated appeals for the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, where he conducted a de novo review of the decisions of an administrative body, determined if the decisions were legally sufficient, and either remanded the decisions for re-adjudication or defended them in federal court.

In his career as an attorney, Mx. Retammel has worked as an assistant public defender, an appellate litigator for the Department of Veterans Affairs, and a judicial law clerk on the U.S. Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims. As a judicial clerk, he conducts initial adjudications of complex federal appeals and draft decisions for publication by the Court. He has also served as an Assistant Public Defender for the Maryland Office of the Public Defender, worked for the D.C. Office of the State Superintendent of Education, the Office of the Attorney General, and the Metropolitan Police Department.

More important than his significant professional and academic experience is his passion for human and civil rights. Mx. Retammel is a non-binary, bisexual person in an interracial marriage, many reasons to appreciate the protections of the DC Human Rights Act.

A Ward 5 resident, Mx. Retammel holds a B.S. in Public Administration from George Mason University, and a J.D. with honors from the American University Washington College of Law.

