

## Andrea “Danny” Folds

### LEGAL EXPERIENCE

**Earthjustice** **Washington, D.C.**  
*Legislative Counsel* July 2021- present

- Design and execute legislative campaigns to better manage and protect ocean ecosystems
- Engage Congress and the Administration to increase equitable funding for climate resilience

*Associate Legislative Counsel* December 2018 - June 2021

- Assess environmental justice and socioeconomic impacts of law and policy proposals, and consult relevant stakeholders to identify full range of implications of political positions

**Centro de los Derechos del Migrante** **Mexico City, Mexico**  
*Law Clerk* September – December 2018

- Assessed worker complaints from across the U.S. and within Mexico to identify potential causes of action and propose both short- and long-term measures to address workers’ needs.
- Promoted transnational farmworker rights through policy advocacy and legislative analysis.
- Provided case support through investigation and development of witness testimony.

**Friends of the Earth** **Montreal, Quebec**  
*Legal Intern* May – August 2018

- Investigated enforcement of federal and provincial pesticide regulations throughout Canada.
- Analyzed efficacy of cosmetic pesticide bans across provinces and territories.

**Milk with Dignity Standards Council** **Burlington, Vermont**  
*Legal Intern* January - May 2018

- Analyzed trademark and certification law in agriculture and food products
- Evaluated common labor practices in agriculture under anti-trafficking statutes.
- Investigated possible expansion of worker-led social responsibility model into other supply chains.

### VOLUNTEER INFORMATION

**Earth Law Center**  
*Legal Volunteer on Oceans and Latin America teams* 2018-present

- Draft amicus briefs in support of enforcement of rights of nature in State courts throughout Latin America

**Creation Justice Ministries**  
*Volunteer Content Contributor* 2016 - present

- Write op-eds for faith leaders seeking to contribute to national dialogues on environmental issues.

### EDUCATION

**Vermont Law School** **South Royalton, VT**  
**Juris Doctor, *Summa Cum Laude*** May 2018

**Vanderbilt Divinity School** **Nashville, TN**  
**Master of Theological Studies** May 2014

**Columbia University** **New York, NY**  
**B.A., Sustainable Development** May 2012