

# SRINIVAS AYYAGARI

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- EDUCATION** **University of Pennsylvania Law School**, Philadelphia, PA  
J.D., December 2009  
Marshall Brennan Constitutional Literacy Fellow; Prisoner Legal Education Project
- Harvard University**, Cambridge, MA  
A.B., Biochemical Sciences, June 2003
- ADMISSIONS** **District of Columbia Court of Appeals – 2013; Supreme Court of Pennsylvania–2010**
- EXPERIENCE** **Contract Attorney**, Washington, D.C. May 2012 – August 2014  
**Arnold & Porter/Crowell & Moring/Sidley Austin**, June – August 2014: Major telecom client’s production in response to 2<sup>nd</sup> request from Department of Justice; **Buckley Sandler**, April – May 2014: Lender client’s production in response to government investigation into lending practices; **Vinson & Elkins**, March – April 2014: Energy producer client’s production in response to FTC investigation of proposed oil processing asset sale. **Fried Frank**, February 2014: Defense contractor plaintiff’s production in response to defendant’s RFPs in antitrust litigation; **Quinn Emanuel**, December 2013– January 2014: RMBS litigation plaintiff’s production in response to defendant’s RFPs; **Fried Frank**, October – November 2013: SEC investigation defense; **Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft**, September 2013: major transportation merger antitrust litigation defense; **O’Melveny & Myers**, July – August 2013: computer hardware and software patent litigation; **Willkie Farr & Gallagher**, May– June 2013: SEC investigation defense; **Mayer Brown**, March 2013: employment litigation defense; **Cohen Milstein**, December 2012– January 2013: class action antitrust; **[Confidential client]**, November 2012: copyright infringement defense; **Skadden Arps**, August – October 2012: SEC investigation defense, antitrust investigation productions. **Vinson & Elkins**, July – August 2012: Export Control internal investigation; **Paul Weiss**, May 2012: Wrongful termination litigation defense.
- The Washington Legal Clinic for the Homeless**, Washington, D.C.  
*Volunteer Attorney* July 2012 – Present  
Representations include reinstatement to housing via hearing before D.C. Housing Authority Administrative Review officer and subsequent settlement negotiations, restoration of Social Security benefits, and appeal of SSA Office of Disability Adjudication and Review (ODAR) denial of benefits, including brief writing and representation before SSA Administrative Law Judge.
- Namati**, Washington, D.C.  
*Research Consultant* August 2013  
For international non-profit, reviewed comprehensive body of research publications and other documents related to impact of legal empowerment interventions around the world. Characterized and coded studies according to an exhaustive coding rubric. Checked data for accuracy and customized spreadsheet in Excel to aid analysis of data for use in research publication.
- National Veterans Legal Services Program**, Washington, D.C.  
*Staff Attorney, Nehmer Lawsuit Division* July 2011 – March 2012  
Represented Vietnam veterans and families pursuant to settlement of class action litigation against Department of Veterans Affairs regarding disability benefits. On behalf of individual class members, investigated claims and drafted complaints to redress VA errors in granting benefits owed under court orders, VA regulations, and federal statutes.
- Brower Piven**, New York, NY  
*Contract Attorney* December 2010 – July 2011  
Representing plaintiff investors in securities class action, analyzed documents produced by major pharmaceutical defendant in discovery. Drafted report analyzing trends in full body of scientific literature in production addressing central issues in litigation.
- INTERNSHIPS** **Pennsylvania Innocence Project**, Philadelphia, PA  
*Law Clerk* April – June 2009  
Assisted in drafting legal memorandum opposing Pennsylvania’s right to appeal order denying motion to quash defense’s expert testimony; analyzed inmate petitions for legal assistance; researched cases for potential representation; analyzed client files for evidence of wrongful convictions; conducted interviews with client’s family.
- Federal Community Defender, Capital Habeas Unit**, Philadelphia, PA  
*Legal Intern* June – August 2008  
Drafted legal memoranda for attorneys representing death-row clients in state court and assisted in investigations, juror interviews, and trial transcript reviews. Drafted legal memoranda for attorneys representing Guantanamo Bay, Cuba detainees for reference in discussions with Department of Justice regarding rules of procedure and standards of review.
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania**, Philadelphia, PA  
*Judicial Intern to the Hon. Petrese B. Tucker* July – August 2006  
Read briefs, conducted legal research, and drafted an opinion in a personal jurisdiction matter. Attended trials, hearings, and conferences in civil rights and patent infringement matters.
- U.S. Attorney for the District of New Jersey**, Camden, NJ  
*Legal Intern* May – July 2006  
Drafted memoranda of law in support motions to dismiss federal prisoners’ habeas corpus motions and memorandum of law recommending sentencing in accordance with the advisory U.S. Sentencing Guidelines.
- INTERESTS / SKILLS** Jeopardy! (Champion February 6, 2008; contestant February 7, 2008), trivia, freelance graphic design and digital art, college and pro basketball