

## PERSONNEL CHANGES AT THE DENVER PROBATE COURT

After a spectacular tenure of over three years as Denver Probate Court's law clerk, Jennifer Shaler, Esq. is moving from the court into private practice. Jennifer will be an associate at Feldmann Nagel, LLC, a law firm with offices in Denver, Steamboat Springs, Vail, and Austin, Texas. Jennifer will be a member of the firm's transactional team and intends to practice in the areas of estate planning, charitable advising, trust and estate administration, and protective proceedings. Jennifer is looking forward to becoming an active member of the Trusts & Estate and Elder Law sections of the Colorado Bar Association. Contact Jennifer at [JEShaler@gmail.com](mailto:JEShaler@gmail.com) or, after, March 21, through <http://www.colo-lawyers.com>.

Assuming duties as law clerk on February 28 will be Sumi Lee, Esq. Sumi, a graduate of the New York Law School and Georgetown University, is a member of the Bar of the State of New York and sat for the Colorado bar on February 22 and 23. She has worked at the probate court as a volunteer intern since October 2010 and is already known to many of you. She has also worked in Kings County Surrogate's Court and Supreme Court and for the New York City Civil Service Commission. Sumi is also an aspiring film maker. Sumi can be reached at [Sumi.Lee@DenverProbateCourt.org](mailto:Sumi.Lee@DenverProbateCourt.org).

We are also saying farewell to our current University of Denver Sturm College of Law Fellow, Matthew Skotak, Esq., who is a member of the Colorado Bar. Matthew has been an integral and invaluable part of our staff here since last September and is now actively interviewing to take his place in active practice in the Denver legal community. Hopefully, you had an opportunity to meet and work with Matthew while he worked here. Contact Matt at [MattSkotak@gmail.com](mailto:MattSkotak@gmail.com).

Welcome aboard to our first University of Miami School of Law Legal Corps Fellow, Brian Marsiglia, J.D., LL.M. Brian joined us in January 2011 and will be part of our staff for 6 months. Brian grew up in Chicago but intends to make his permanent home in Colorado so we look forward to introducing him to the bar and integrating him into tax, trust, probate and protective proceedings practice. Brian's e-mail address is [Brian.Marsiglia@DenverProbateCourt.org](mailto:Brian.Marsiglia@DenverProbateCourt.org).

We are also sad and glad to announce that Natalie Williams, who served as both administrative assistant to the Denver Probate Court for the last 3 years, has taken a position as Probate Examiner at the Office of State Court Administrator. We hate to see Natalie leave but she will continue to be connected to our Court in her new role and we are enormously proud of her. Natalie will continue to receive e-mail at [Natalie.Williams@judicial.state.co.us](mailto:Natalie.Williams@judicial.state.co.us).