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Morgan Cleary is an Associate in the firm's Litigation and Creditors' Rights and Bankruptcy Practices. Prior to joining Krieg DeVault, Ms. Cleary served as a law clerk in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin. She has also served as a law clerk for the Goldwater Institute and the Office of the Indiana Attorney General.

Ms. Cleary has previously served as a Summer Associate with Krieg DeVault for a variety of Practices including Litigation, Business Services, Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation, and Governmental Affairs. She also served as a judicial extern in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Indiana and the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. Prior to law school, Ms. Cleary served as the Senior Digital Coordinator and Communications Assistant for the Office of the United States Trade Representative.

### **Education**

- J.D., University of Notre Dame Law School, Notre Dame, Indiana, 2023
  - Journal of Legislation, Executive Notes Editor
- Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design, Minor in English, University of Illinois, 2017
- Visual Communications, Chinese, and French, Barrett, The Honors College at Arizona State University, 2012-2015

### **Bar & Court Admissions**

- Arizona, 2025
- Illinois, 2023
- Indiana, 2024
- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Indiana, 2024
- U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Indiana, 2024

### **Practices**

- Creditors' Rights and Bankruptcy
- Litigation and Dispute Resolution

### Representative Experience

- Case Analysis
- Legal Writing
- Legal Research
- Drafting Orders

### Professional Associations

- Member, Seventh Circuit Bar Association
- Member, Illinois State Bar Association
- Member, Chicago Bar Association
- Member, Indiana State Bar Association

### Civic Involvement

- Former Communications Director, Notre Dame Federalist Society
- Former Ladies of the Federalist Society Chair, Notre Dame Federalist Society

### Publications

- *Civil CIPA: A Defense Against the Government's Unchecked State Secrets Privilege*, 49 J. LEGIS. 136 (2023)