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Anna is passionate about building strong, trust-driven relationships so that clients feel supported throughout every stage of litigation.

Anna is an associate in Dorsey's Trial group. She uses her unique background to make complex litigation matters manageable for her clients. She is equally comfortable with statistics-heavy analysis and text-driven interpretation. Before coming to Dorsey, Anna was an eighth-grade science teacher. From this experience, she gained valuable skills in simplifying challenging concepts and communicating effectively with a wide array of audiences.

Anna maintains an active pro bono practice, including Constitutional rights claims and tenant rights.

Professional Affiliations

- Former board member, Wisconsin Young Lawyers Division
- Member, HCBA New Lawyers Section
- Member, MSBA New Lawyers Section
- Member, MSBA Antitrust Law Section
- Member, MSBA Civil Litigation Section

Accolades

- MSBA, North Star Lawyer, 2025

Education

- Marquette University Law School (J.D., 2025)
– *cum laude*
- St. Mary's University of Minnesota (M.A., Teaching, 2022)
- Case Western Reserve University (B.A., Economics and English, 2020)

Bar Admissions

- Minnesota
- Wisconsin

- Consistently providing pro bono legal assistance to those in need through Dorsey's Pro Bono program
 - CALI, Excellence for the Future Award, Torts
 - CALI, Excellence for the Future Award, Nonprofit Law and Leadership
 - CALI, Excellence for the Future Award, AI Writing, 2025
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Insights

June 3, 2026

More Federal Funding Changes on Tap: OMB Proposes Uniform Guidance Overhaul

January 22, 2026

False Claims Act Settlements and Judgments Set New Record, Exceeding \$6.8 Billion in FY 2025

November 25, 2025

Department of Education Announces Six New Interagency Partnerships Aimed at "Breaking Up the Federal Education Bureaucracy"