

Alumni Spotlight - Sarah Grago, Esquire

Class of 2003

Graduated from:

- Mount de Sales Academy, 2007
- Loyola University of Maryland, B.A. 2011, magna cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha Sigma Nu, Major: Spanish and Political Science
- University of Baltimore School of Law, J.D. 2015, summa cum laude, Heusler Honor Society

Occupation:

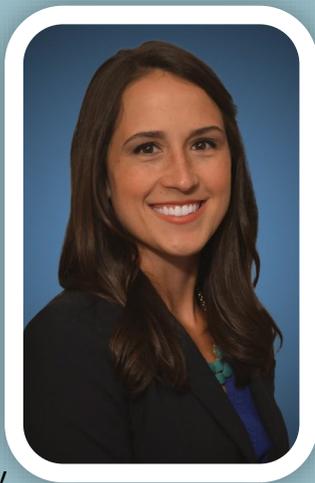
Sarah joined Howanski, Meadows & Erdman as an associate in 2015 and her practice is dedicated to family law matters involving divorce, custody, child support, alimony, adoption, and settlement agreements.

Favorite St. Agnes Teacher:

Mr. Baker and Mrs. Seibel

Favorite St. Agnes Memories:

- Bingo Nights
- Halloween Parades
- Choir Practices
- Christmas Concert - "It was just a magical night. I loved singing all the funny songs with Mr. Baker. Especially Holly, Jolly Christmas with all the encouraged ad-libbing."



What did you want to be when you grew up?

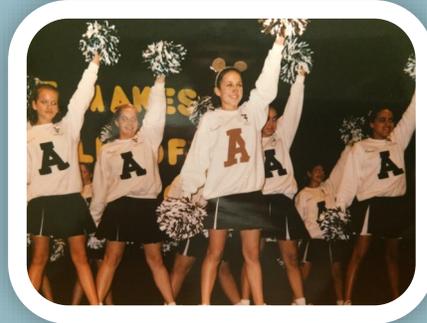
I think I always wanted to be a lawyer. Except for a brief period in 4th grade when I thought I wanted to be a singer until someone asked me to sing and I changed my mind.

Interesting Fact: Sarah taught English in Madrid, Spain before starting law school and has two amazing brothers attending S.A.S. now!

Biggest Accomplishment: Passing the Bar!

How did St. Agnes prepare you for your future?

"Well, anyone who had Sr. Gracette can attest to having excellent grammar skills upon leaving St. Agnes; specifically knowing ALL there is to know



about prepositions. St. Agnes offered a second "family" and provided a nurturing space in which I could feel confident to learn,

ask questions, and grow, but also a challenging environment where your teachers held you accountable if you did not perform to your full potential. Finally, I met three of my best friends in Kindergarten at St. Agnes and was just the Maid-of-Honor in one of their weddings in September!"

What advice do you have for our St. Agnes Students?

1. Be true to yourself in all you do - with your friends, on your teams, in school and beyond. Let your personality shine!
2. Never give up! My friends and I were rejected 3 times from the S.A.S. talent show before they finally let us in!
3. Enjoy recess. It never happens again in your life!
4. Push yourself out of your comfort zone and never stop learning!

