

# Jessica Gaston Mathews



Jessica Gaston Mathews is a 2003 graduate of The Ohio State University with a B.A. in Psychology, and minor in Sociology. Jessica entered the public sector in 1999 and worked full-time for the state of Ohio during her undergraduate studies and also while simultaneously pursuing her juris doctor degree at Capital University Law School. During law school, Jessica was in the Order of the Curia, Women's Law Association, and served as her class representative for the Student Bar Association. Jessica received the CALI awards for Alternative Dispute Resolution, International Criminal Law, and Decedent's Estates at Capital. She graduated Magna Cum Laude from Capital University Law School and has been a practicing attorney since 2010. After a short period in the private sector practicing bankruptcy and domestic law, Jessica returned to state service as the Senior Legal Counsel managing the Contracts and Procurement division at the Ohio Department of Medicaid. Jessica has continued in this role since 2014, overseeing all agency procurements and contracts.