

## **Megan E. McNally**

Edgewater Business Law PLLC | Seattle, WA

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### **Summary**

Business lawyer, executive leader, and early-stage investor experienced working with leaders across industries and sectors.

### **Legal Experience**

#### **Managing Director | Edgewater Business Law PLLC | 2026 to present**

- Founding attorney building a tech forward, human-centered firm
- Corporate, commercial, and general business law serving startups, SMEs, nonprofits
- Legal strategy, deal mechanics, and transactional support, from startup to exit

#### **Managing Member; General Counsel | FBA Capital | 2024 to present**

- Series/ syndicate formation and administration
- Head of education for new investors and new founders

#### **Legal Officer | Foundry Law Group | 2018-2024**

- Fractional general counsel to early-stage startups and SMEs

#### **Managing Member | Doyenne Legal PLLC | 2016-2018**

- Founding and supervising attorney of 3-lawyer legal team
- Focus on early-stage legal formation, strategy, and fundraising readiness

### **Bar & Legal Profession Leadership**

- Chair, KCBA Business Law Section | 2023-2024
- Board Member, WWL King County Chapter | 2022-2023
- Member, Membership Committee Chair, SU School of Law Alumni Board | 2015-2021
- Member, SU School of Law, Lawyer Magazine Editorial Committee | 2020-2025
- Member, Governing Council, Washington Initiative for Diversity | 2013-2015

### **Active Bar Memberships & Associations**

- WSBA Number: 47342
- Member, WSBA Business Law Section
- Member, ABA Business Law Section
- Member, ABA Science & Technology Law Section
- Member, ABA Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources (SEER)

### **Pro Bono Legal Service**

- Volunteer Attorney, Communities Rise
- Volunteer Attorney, We The Action
- Volunteer Attorney, National Nonprofit Covid Relief Task Force

## Other Relevant Volunteer Service

- Mentor, NSF I-Corps, University of Washington, CoMotion
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- Founding member of an angel investment club
- 8x lead/ co-lead of pre-seed startup investment competitions
- 2x trade show judge, Harriet Stephenson Business Plan Competition, Seattle University
- 2x screener, Dempsey Startup Competition, University of Washington
- Regular panelist and speaker on early-stage fundraising, angel investing, and funding options for nontraditional businesses and SMEs

## Other Relevant Professional Experience, Non-Lawyer

- Managing Member & Chief Strategy Officer | Doyenne Strategy | 2016-2026
- Founder & CEO | Diana Sports|TV | 2017-2019
- Interim Vice President of Development | Pacific Science Center | 2015-2016
- Dir. of Advancement & Chief Dev. Officer | Washington State Bar Association & Fdn. | 2010-2015
- Principal & Chief Strategy Consultant | mdsNorthwest | 2006-2011
- National Director of Development | NPower | 2000-2005

## Education

- Seattle University School of Law, J.D. cum laude
- Boise State University, B.A., Political Science
- University of Washington, Certificate in Fundraising Management