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Stefan focuses his practice on electricity transmission and energy market regulation, while representing clients before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC). Before joining Wright & Talisman, Stefan was a senior associate at a research and consulting firm where he advised on wholesale power markets matters for multistate offices of the consumer advocates at various Regional Transmission Organizations, with a focus on capacity market reforms, transmission interconnection, and FERC filing and order compliance.

Stefan also served as a legal fellow with a federal environmental policy office and a leading national renewable energy trade association. In these roles, he supported the implementation of major environmental regulations, including the Phase 2 revisions to the National Environmental Policy Act, and provided legal research and analysis for the general counsel. Prior to this, he served as a policy analyst for nonprofit research organizations focused on advancing climate and energy policy by conducting in-depth research on climate tech innovation, carbon pricing, wholesale electric power markets, and energy equity in environmental justice communities.

ADMISSIONS

District of Columbia

EDUCATION

Georgetown University Law Center, J.D., (2024)

The Fletcher School, Tufts University, MALD, (2019)

Tufts University, M.A. in UEPP, (2019)

College of Charleston, cum laude, B.S., (2014)