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Sharon Geuea Jones is a policy professional, registered lobbyist, and attorney in Missouri. She has advocated on behalf of her clients in the legislature since 2002. Her specialty is working with advocacy groups to make their voice heard, especially when their issue is unpopular in the legislature. She has written multiple articles for professional publications and is a frequent speaker on issues of advocacy and legal strategy. Sharon earned her juris doctorate in 2012 from the University of Missouri Columbia, School of Law while working as the Director of Government Relations for the Missouri Association of Trial Attorneys. She has been recognized by Missouri Times 100 People to know list multiple times and was listed in the 2021 Missouri Lawyers Weekly "Power List." She currently resides in Columbia, Missouri.

SKILLS

Legal Research and Writing	Public Policy Advocacy
Presenting Professional Seminars	Negotiating on Behalf of Clients
Coalition Building	Leading a Team of Professionals

QUOTES AND APPEARANCES

Panelist on "This Week in Missouri Politics
The Courts Await Unconstitutional Legislation, Guest Article, Greenway Magazine
Top Missouri Senator Seeks Overhaul of Consumer Law, AP Story, Quoted
Heads Up Missouri, Podcast Appearance
Farmers Seek Legal Protection for AgriTourism, Jacob Fenston, Radio Story on Legislative Effort
MATA (and most other attorneys) Support the Plan, Guest Columnist, The Missouri Times
Missouri Legislature Chips Away at Lawsuits with Veto Overrides, St. Louis Post Dispatch, Quoted

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Jones Advocacy Group, Columbia, MO **2019- Present**
Legal consulting firm specializing in areas of Constitutional law, regulatory compliance, election law, and legislative interpretation and drafting.

Missouri Association of Trial Attorneys, Jefferson City, MO **2002- 2019**
A professional association of litigation attorneys with 1300 members. Provides Continuing Legal Education seminars, lobbying and political activities, and professional networking events.

Deputy Director (April 2012 – Present)
Director of Governmental Relations (June 2007 – April 2012)
Director of Communications (June 2003 – June 2007)
Special Project Coordinator (August 2002 – June 2003)

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

Mid-Missouri Legal Services, Columbia, MO

- Prepared Divorce Filings for Low-Income Individuals

CoMo Roller Derby, Columbia, MO

- President and Head Non-Skating Official

City of Columbia, Planning and Zoning Commission, Columbia, MO

- Commissioner

EDUCATION

University of Missouri School of Law, Columbia, MO **J.D.**
Central Methodist University, Fayette, MO **B.A. Communications**