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### Top Skills

Politics
Strategic Communications
Global Communications

Certifications

Maryland Bar Association

# Elizabeth Alexander

Communications Director to the First Lady, Dr. Jill Biden Washington DC-Baltimore Area

## Summary

Senior strategist with unique blend of high-level management, legal and communications experience in both government and the private sector. Former Senate and White House Press Secretary for Vice President Joe Biden, with experience in the senior ranks of a global business advisory firm; a Department of Justice attorney; Communications Director for Congressman Adam Schiff; Press Secretary for DNC Chairman Terry McAuliffe; S.C. Press Secretary for Dick Gephardt; and Deputy Press Secretary for U.S. Senator Chuck Schumer.

## Experience

The White House

Deputy Assistant to the President and Communications Director to the First Lady
January 2021 - Present (3 years 4 months)

Biden for President
Senior Advisor

July 2019 - November 2020 (1 year 5 months)

FTI Consulting
Senior Managing Director
July 2013 - July 2019 (6 years 1 month)
Washington, DC

United States Department of Justice Spec. Assistant United States Attorney July 2011 - July 2013 (2 years 1 month) Washington, DC and Alexandria, VA

The White House

Press Secretary for Vice President of the United States Joe Biden January 2009 - June 2011 (2 years 6 months)

Presidential Transition Team
Press Secretary for Vice President-elect Joe Biden
November 2008 - January 2009 (3 months)
Washington, DC

Senator Joe Biden and Senate Foreign Relations Committee Communications Director for Sen. Joe Biden January 2008 - January 2009 (1 year 1 month) Washington, DC

#### **US Senate**

Press Secretary for Senator Joe Biden May 2006 - January 2008 (1 year 9 months) Washington, DC

United Nations Foundation
Press Secretary
February 2005 - May 2006 (1 year 4 months)
Washington, DC

Democratic National Committee
DNC Chairman Terry McAuliffe's Press Secretary
April 2004 - February 2005 (11 months)
Washington, DC

U.S. Rep. Adam Schiff Communications Director February 2003 - May 2004 (1 year 4 months) Washington, DC

U.S. Senator Chuck Schumer Deputy Press Secretary 2001 - 2002 (1 year) Washington, DC

## Education

Georgetown University Law Center

Juris Doctor (J.D.), Law · (2005 - 2008)

## Georgetown University

Executive Certificate in Strategic Diversity & Inclusion Management · (2019 - 2019)

### Harvard Business School Executive Education

Professional Certificate in Women's Leadership (2019 - 2019)

## Texas A&M University

Bachelor of Science - BS, Major in Political Science and Government; Minor in Speech Communications · (1997 - 2001)

## Yale University

Women's Campaign School · (1999 - 1999)