



Dylan C. Alge was born and raised in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. He graduated from Florida State University with a B.A. in creative writing and then went on to graduate from Louisiana State University Law School in 2002. He clerked for one year in the 23rd JDC (Ascension, Assumption, St. James Parishes) for Judges John L. Peytavin and Thomas Kliebert.

In 2003, he went to work with the Appellate Division of East Baton Rouge District Attorney's Office, and has been there for the past twelve years. His specialization is handling all post-conviction matters, which includes state direct review, state post-conviction review, and federal habeas corpus review. Currently Mr. Alge is post-conviction counsel in 2 capital cases. He has argued on multiple occasions before the Louisiana First Circuit Court of Appeal, the Louisiana Supreme Court, and the federal Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals. He was on the legal team that recently argued *Montgomery v. Louisiana* in October, 2015, at the U.S. Supreme Court. This case addressed the issue of whether *Miller v. Alabama* - which declared mandatory life without parole sentences for juvenile homicide offenders unconstitutional - should retroactively apply to cases on collateral review.

While in law school Mr. Alge met his wife, Raedtha "Rae" Vasquez, and they have been married for 10 years. Ms. Vasquez is a partner with in the Baton Rouge office of Jones Walker.