



District Attorney Marian Ryan with
the 2018 fall class of Assistant District Attorneys

*"I knew I wanted to work
somewhere that took its mission
to serve the public seriously, while
also ensuring that I would receive
the training and skills to build
my career as an attorney. The
Middlesex District Attorney's
Office has fulfilled each of these
goals and more."*

~Aliya Khalidi
Assistant District Attorney
Class of 2012

*My dream was to begin my law
career in an office that guarantees
in-court experience and prepares
young lawyers to become trial
attorneys. Today, I am thankful to
the Middlesex District Attorney's
Office for giving me the skills and
confidence needed to represent the
Commonwealth and the people
we serve.*

~Bader Abu-Eid
Assistant District Attorney
Class of 2017

INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION

In the late 80's and early 90's, the Middlesex District Attorney's Office recognized the correlation between intervention and prevention and prosecution. During that time, the Community Based Justice Program was born, a first-of-its-kind in Massachusetts. Community Based Justice is a national model and is now state-mandated for all Massachusetts District Attorneys' offices. The statutory purpose of CBJ is to "coordinate efforts of the criminal justice system in addressing juvenile justice." Forty-six cities and towns meet with juvenile and district court prosecutors, educators, police, probation and social service providers. Recognizing that prevention is equally as important as prosecution and leads to a better outcome, the office has prioritized developing and creating innovative solutions that are defined by not simply getting involved after a criminal act has occurred, but instead taking meaningful steps to stop crime before it happens. In an effort to support our communities, the office collaborates with a wide range of stakeholders from the public, private, and nonprofit sectors to build partnerships to improve outreach and education, and build county-wide awareness campaigns.

PROSECUTION

The Middlesex District Attorney's Office prosecutes approximately 35,000 cases a year in nineteen superior, district and juvenile courts. Each court has its own designated team, staffed with talented and dedicated attorneys, advocates, paralegals and support professionals.

Specialized units within the office include teams trained to prosecute the most difficult cases while seeking to protect the most vulnerable victims. Those units include the Child Protection Unit, the Elder and Disabled Protection Unit, and the Special Investigation Unit.

The Middlesex District Attorney's Office is committed to solving the County's oldest and most challenging cases. The Cold Case Unit works with prosecutors and police to reexamine existing evidence and utilize the latest investigative techniques and technology to investigate unsolved homicides, suspicious deaths where foul play is suspected, and missing persons cases.

COMPASSIONATE

PROGRESSIVE

DEDICATED

MIDDLESEX COUNTY

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

JOIN OUR STAFF

If you are interested in becoming part of our team, please submit your cover letter, resume, references and completed application, available on our website, to mdaojobs@state.ma.us

Aliya Khalidi, Assistant District Attorney
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- Conviction Integrity Program
- Domestic Violence Roundtables and High Risk Teams
- Drug Forfeiture Program
- Gang Initiatives
- Juvenile and Young Adult Diversion
- Opioid Initiatives
- Safe Babies, Safe Kids
- Senior Protection
- Substance Abuse Prevention
- Workplace Safety Program

For more information and a listing of Middlesex County courts and their jurisdictions, please visit our website at
<https://www.middlesexda.com/about-us/pages/middlesex-county-courts>



COMMITTED

PUBLIC SERVANTS



"The experiences I have had during my career throughout this office have been extraordinary. . . . Being the largest county in the Commonwealth allows us to provide a wide range of opportunities – whether in the courtroom or in the communities – we are poised to increase our knowledge, skills, and relationships."

Marian T. Ryan
District Attorney
Middlesex County

The Middlesex District Attorney's Office's core mission is to protect and serve the people who work, live and raise their families in Middlesex County. Our staff of more than 250 assistant district attorneys, victim witness advocates, paralegals and other talented professionals pursues this mission through exhaustive investigations, unassailable prosecutions and compassionate victim advocacy.

We are also committed to innovative crime prevention and intervention initiatives. Our staff partners with community groups, social service providers, medical professionals, private industry leaders and law enforcement officers to address a variety of public safety issues.

We are interested in bright, motivated professionals to join us in making a difference in the lives of the people in our community.

Marian T. Ryan



Historic Middlesex County Courthouse, East Cambridge
Designed by architect Charles Bulfinch in the 1800s

WHY CHOOSE MIDDLESEX?

Middlesex County is the largest county in New England, comprised of 54 cities and towns. Our population of more than 1.6 million residents swells when our universities and colleges are in session. The county's urban centers, such as Cambridge and Lowell, as well as suburban and rural communities such as Newton, Framingham, Concord and Ayer, present us with diverse populations and unique legal challenges and cases.

PERSPECTIVE

District Attorney Marian Ryan is passionate about building a highly qualified team of professionals from all backgrounds and perspectives. The office has established an Internal Diversity Committee that is committed to attracting and retaining a diverse staff. In addition, the office hosts an Internal Affinity group that has self-identified based on race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, or other perspective. The Affinity Group members educate and advise the Internal Diversity Committee about the unique issues that diverse attorneys face and serve as peer mentors to each other and new members of the office.

The Middlesex District Attorney's Office has a tradition of attracting the best and most talented lawyers, many of whom now serve as state and national leaders in government, law enforcement, the judiciary and private industry.

Supreme Judicial Court Justice Ruth Abrams (ret.)
First Female Middlesex ADA 1961-1968
First Female Justice, Massachusetts SJC 1978-2000

U.S. Secretary of State John F. Kerry
Middlesex First Assistant DA 1977-1979
Lt. Governor of Massachusetts 1982-1984
U.S. Senator 1984-2012

Supreme Judicial Court Justice Margot Botsford
Middlesex ADA, Chief of Appeals 1981-1989

Ralph C. Martin, Esq.
Middlesex ADA 1983-1985
First African American District Attorney in
New England, Suffolk County 1992-2002

L. Scott Harshbarger, Esq.
Middlesex District Attorney 1983-1990
Massachusetts Attorney General 1991-1999

Thomas F. Reilly, Esq.
Middlesex District Attorney 1991-1999
Massachusetts Attorney General 1999-2007

President Martin T. Meehan, University of MA
Middlesex First Assistant DA 1991-1992
U.S. Congressman 1993-2007

Martha Coakley, Esq.
First Female Middlesex District Attorney 1999-2007 First
Female Massachusetts Attorney General 2007-2015

MA Appeals Court Justice Sabita Singh 2017-
Middlesex ADA 1991-1998
MA District Court Justice 2014-2017
First South Asian Justice

Andrea J. Cabral, Esq.
Middlesex ADA 1987-1991
First Female African American Sheriff 2002-2012
Secretary of Public Safety and Security 2017-2018

Carmen M. Ortiz, Esq.
Middlesex ADA 1983-1988
Director of District Courts 1991-1993
First Female and Hispanic MA U.S. Attorney, 2008-2016

MA U.S. District Court Justice Denise Jefferson Casper
Middlesex Deputy District Attorney 2007-2010
First Female African American Justice 2010-