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Biography

Katia is a paralegal for the Hon. Gary S. Katzmann. Judge Katzmann was appointed to the federal bench in September 2016. Prior to working for Judge Katzmann, she worked for several years as a paralegal for the late Judge Nicholas Tsoucalas at USCIT. Her experience in the federal judiciary began in 2010, as an administrative assistant to the Clerk of Court at the U.S. District Court for Southern District of New York. Prior to her experience in the federal judiciary, she also worked as a senior court analyst supporting the Chief Clerk of the NYS Supreme Court of Kings County. She entered the public sector with over 11 years of experience as a managing paralegal and office manager at private law firms.

Katia was born in Lima, Peru, and grew up in New York City and Long Island. In 2002, she graduated *cum laude* from St. John's University with a Bachelor's Degree in Government & Politics and Paralegal Studies. She continued her graduate studies at St. John's University and received her M.A. in Public Administration. She is also a NYS Notary Public.

Katia has two children. She enjoys hiking, reading, salsa dancing, and boxing.

On December 13, 2021, Katia was appointed to serve for a three-year term as CSAG's National Courts' Representative. She served as a CSAG facilitator in the 2022 Chambers Staff Administrative Workshop (CSAW); contributed to CSAG's *Administrative Duties for Chambers Staff of Federal Judges* manual; co-authored USCIT's *Chambers Administrative Manual for Judicial Assistants, Judge's Secretaries, Paralegals, and Administrative Law Clerks* in February 2024; and is a standing member of Federal Judicial Assistants Association (FJAA).