Welcome, Kyra!

The OAAP is pleased to announce that Kyra Hazilla, JD, MSW, is joining the OAAP as an attorney counselor beginning May 1, 2014.

Kyra earned her law degree and master’s in social work from the University of Michigan in 2006. She has extensive experience in both arenas, including over five years at Metropolitan Public Defender Services, Inc. and many years volunteering then working at West Women’s and Children’s Shelter. Her legal and social work experience also include Federal Public Defender, Juvenile Rights Project, The Family Assessment Clinic, and the Portland Children’s Intervention Project. She is the 2009 recipient of the Oregon State Bar Juvenile Section Advocacy Award.

Kyra was raised by a family member in recovery. She enjoys her family, friendships, hiking, cooking, and competitive obedience and agility training for dogs.

Kyra will join our three OAAP attorney counselors, Shari R. Gregory, LCSW, JD; Mike Long JD, MSW, CEAP; and Douglas S. Querin, JD, LPC, CADC I, assisting lawyers, judges, law firms, and law-related organizations throughout the state with issues related to mental health, recovery, stress management, career satisfaction, and resilience building.