



With the Name Allah, The Merciful, Benefactor, The Merciful Redeemer



PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Capital Defense Attorney
Specializing in Death Penalty Litigation

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Professor
American University
University of Louisville

KNOWLEDGE / SKILLS / ABILITIES

Legal Research & Analysis
Capital Defense & Mitigation
Client Advocacy
Higher Education
Public Service

BOARD EXPERIENCE

Muslim Community Cultural Center of
Baltimore
Trustee | 2024–Present

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Urban & Public Affairs — University
of Louisville
M.S., Psychology — Florida A&M University
J.D. — Howard University School of Law
B.A., Communications — Howard
University

HARUN SHABAZZ is a legal professional with extensive experience in capital defense. As a dedicated capital defense attorney, Harun provides expert legal representation in cases involving the death penalty, specializing in the development and presentation of mitigation strategies. His work focuses on comprehensive client advocacy, including social history analysis, mental health evaluations, and the exploration of other mitigating circumstances related to the crime.

Harun's academic journey reflects a deep commitment to interdisciplinary knowledge and legal excellence. He holds a Ph.D. in Urban & Public Affairs from the University of Louisville, an M.S. in Psychology from Florida A & M University, a Juris Doctor from Howard University Law School, and a B.A. in Communications from Howard University. This diverse educational background enhances his ability to approach legal issues from multiple perspectives.

In addition to his legal practice, Harun has contributed to academia as an adjunct professor at American University and the University of Louisville, where he shares his expertise in law and related disciplines. His military service in the United States Army further underscores his dedication to public service and leadership.