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Destiny Sykes is an associate in the Lansing office of Foster Swift, practicing as a member of both the Finance, Real Estate & Bankruptcy and Litigation practice groups, focusing on finance, real estate, and bankruptcy litigation.

Destiny started at Foster Swift in 2022 as a Summer Associate, conducting legal research and writing assignments for supervising attorneys and attended court proceedings, client meetings, and mitigations.

Prior to rejoining Foster Swift in 2023 after graduating law school, Destiny worked as a Judicial Extern for the Honorable Justice Elizabeth Welch for the Michigan Supreme Court, researching cases' legal issues and advising Justice Welch on whether the Court should grant certain applications for leave appeal.

Destiny received her Juris Doctor *summa cum laude* from Michigan State University College of Law. While attending MSU Law, she received six Jurisprudence Achievement Awards which are awarded to the highest achieving student who earned the top grade in certain focus areas including Contracts, Property, Business Enterprises and Negotiation.

PUBLICATIONS

Could Michigan Highschoolers Soon Benefit from NIL Deals?,
Foster Swift Business & Tax Law News, October 27, 2023

MEMBERSHIPS & AFFILIATIONS

Community Affiliations

- The Good Neighbor Project
 - Co-Mentor, Civil Rights and Social Action, 2021-2022

PRACTICE AREAS

Bankruptcy & Restructuring

Finance, Real Estate & Bankruptcy Law

General & Commercial Litigation

Real Estate Litigation

EDUCATION

Michigan State University College of Law, *summa cum laude* J.D , 2023

Spring Arbor University, *summa cum laude*, B.A. History and Philosophy, 2020

BAR AND COURT ADMISSIONS

Michigan