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Julie Jarrell Gresham is Senior Counsel and Director of Compliance at Huntington Ingalls Industries, where she focuses her efforts on the Ingalls Shipbuilding division. Prior to joining HII, Julie was a partner with The Brunini Law Firm, where she practiced in the firm's Gulf Coast office.

In 1998, Julie received her B.A. in Speech Communication, *Highest Honors*, from the University of Southern Mississippi, where she was Student Body President. She received her J.D., *cum laude*, from the University of Mississippi School of Law in 2001, where she was Editor-in-Chief of the *Mississippi Law Journal* and an Executive Officer on the Moot Court Board. Julie is included in the "Bar Register of Preeminent Women Lawyers," which is published by Martindale-Hubbell. She has been recognized by "Best Lawyers in America" in the field of Commercial Litigation and Construction Litigation and by "Super Lawyers" for Business Litigation.

In addition to her legal practice, before joining HII, Julie also worked as a communication consultant with Communication Counsel of America, Inc. ("CCA"). Through her work with CCA, Julie prepared witnesses for Congressional hearings and worked with companies to develop crisis communication plans. She also worked with utility companies in various states preparing witnesses for rate-increase cases pending before the Public Service Commission or the respective state's equivalent governmental authority.

Julie is an active member of the Association of Corporate Counsel ("ACC"), which is an international organization for in-house attorneys. In 2016, she was recognized as one of ACC's "Top 10 30- Somethings." She also currently serves as the membership co-chair of ACC's Compliance and Ethics Committee. Julie is Past President of the Mississippi Gulf Coast Chamber of Commerce and The Mississippi Bar Association Young Lawyers Division. She is also actively involved with the American Red Cross where she served as Chair of the Southeast Mississippi Board of Directors and Chair of the Biloxi Community Advisory Board. She is a graduate of Leadership Mississippi and Leadership Gulf Coast. She has been recognized as "Top 10 Under 40" and "Top 50 Leading Business Women" by the *Mississippi Business Journal*, "Top 10 under 40" by the *Sun Herald* and *The Journal of South Mississippi Business* and was named as an Outstanding Community Leader in 2015.