

Protect our Defenders

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Prior to joining Protect Our Defenders, Miranda Petersen spent two years as the paralegal for attorney Susan Burke in Washington, D.C., where she worked on several historic lawsuits against the Department of Defense filed on behalf of military sexual assault survivors who experienced abuse and retaliation after reporting. The cases are the subject of the documentary film *The Invisible War*. Before coming to Washington, D.C., Miranda worked as an organizer for the Feminist Majority Foundation. She earned her B.A. from UCLA in Psychology and Women's Studies, and studies law at Georgetown University.
