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Mr. DeLosa has comprehensive experience at the intersection of state clean energy policy and wholesale electricity markets.

He has served as a subject matter expert for senior decision-makers and private clients across a wide range of power market issues, including cost-effective implementation of state clean energy policy, resource adequacy, transmission planning and cost allocation, energy and reserve markets, demand response, financial transmission rights, energy efficiency, and energy storage. Mr. DeLosa has worked with regional transmission planners, utilities, states, and advocates to improve regional and interregional planning and interconnection processes, and wholesale and retail rate design.

Before joining Brattle, Mr. DeLosa was the Bureau Chief of Federal & Regional Policy at the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, where he managed all RTO and federal affairs for the state. In his prior role, he also oversaw regulatory affairs for the Delaware Public Service Commission. He previously advised a wide range of PJM states as a long-time member of the Organization of PJM States (OPSI) staff.

EDUCATION

- **University of Tulsa College of Law**
Master of Jurisprudence in Energy Law
- **University of Delaware**
BS in Energy and Environmental Policy and BA in Political Science

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **The Brattle Group (2026–Present)**
Managing Energy Associate
- **The Brattle Group (2022–2025)**
Manager
- **New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (2018–2022)**
Bureau Chief, Federal & Regional Policy (2021–2022)
FERC Specialist (2018–2021)

- **Delaware Public Service Commission (2015–2018)**
Public Utility Analyst
 - **SolarCity (2014–2015)**
Field Energy Specialist
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SELECTED EXPERIENCE

THE BRATTLE GROUP

As Manager:

- Prepared a [strategic action plan](#) for the Northeast Collaborative on Interregional Transmission identifying near- and mid-term priority actions to promote the consideration and potential development of interregional transmission projects.
- Published [Regulation of Access, Pricing, and Planning of High Voltage Transmission in the US](#), with the MIT Center for Energy and Environmental Policy Research (CEEPR), also appearing as Chapter 6 in the [Handbook on Electricity Regulation](#) (Glachant, Joskow, Pollitt, 2025), and a [working paper](#) by the National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER). A summary version is available as Chapter 6 of the [Digest of the Handbook on Electricity Regulation](#).
- Developed a study on the [need for intertie optimization](#) to unlock the benefits of interregional transmission, including as set of regulatory reform recommendations to capture available value and improve interregional coordination.
- Assisted in the [evaluation of New Jersey’s State Agreement Approach](#) for offshore wind, evaluating 80 proposals received through a competitive solicitation window developed together with PJM, supporting selection of a coordinated transmission injection solution.
- For a group of clean energy advocates, co-authored a report on the [benefits and urgency of planned offshore wind transmission](#), highlighting recommendations for government, industry, and others.
- Published in *IEEE Power and Energy Magazine*, [Planning for the Winds of Change: Coordinated and Proactive Offshore Wind Transmission Planning in Europe, China, and the United States](#).
- Led Brattle team assisting the Illinois Commerce Commission in development of a [Renewable Energy Access Plan](#) to provide a pathway for achieving Illinois’ 100% clean electricity goal.

- Co-authored a [report](#) developing recommendations to improve generator interconnection processes.
- For RENEW NE, assisted in developing a [cost-allocation framework](#) for public policy transmission planning.
- For a New England state, assisted in authoring a [Forward Clean Energy Market](#) design proposal.
- For a large multi-state utility, [reviewed and assessed](#) transmission cost allocation alternatives.
- Sample of Speaking Engagements: Mid-Atlantic Conference of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, International Partnering Forum for OSW, DOE's Atlantic OSW Transmission Stakeholder meeting, Global Clean Energy Action Forum, National Conference of State Legislators Policy Summit.

NEW JERSEY BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

As Bureau Chief, Federal & Regional Policy:

- Responsible for federal energy policy for the Board.
 - Case managed all Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) filings, including researching, developing, drafting, and achieving Board approval.
 - Regularly briefed Board Members on issues across the PJM wholesale markets, including resource adequacy, energy markets, transmission planning, and others.
 - Forged strong relationships across the internal organization, including advising the Board's Clean Energy division on priorities including Offshore Wind, Energy Efficiency, Demand Response, Interconnection Reform, Advanced Metering Infrastructure data requirements, and others.
 - Built and maintained strong relationships with outside partners, including regional groups and in-state stakeholders.
- Led the Board's [Resource Adequacy Investigation](#), a complex policy and economic analysis resulting in Board-approved recommendations for the future of capacity procurement in New Jersey.
- Led New Jersey's engagement on a first-of-its-kind [State Agreement Approach](#) for competitive Offshore Wind Transmission development, developed necessary FERC filings to implement the State Agreement Approach, including an approved [Transmission Study Agreement](#) and [Term Sheet](#).

As FERC Specialist:

- Represented the Board in the PJM wholesale market policy development process.
- Case managed large and complex FERC filings on behalf of the Board.
 - Primary responsibility for drafting and case management in: PJM’s Capacity Market Reform Paper Hearing ([Initial](#) and [Reply](#) Argument of NJBPU in EL18-178), Capacity Market Seller Offer Cap ([EL19-47](#)), Distributed Energy Resource aggregation (Post-Technical Conference Comments of NJBPU in [RM18-9](#)), Fast-Start Pricing Compliance Filing ([ER19-2722](#)), PJM’s Order 841 Compliance Filing ([ER19-469](#)), Variable Operations & Maintenance Expense ([ER19-210](#), [EL19-8](#)), and approval of transmission projects (Request for Rehearing of NJBPU in [ER18-614](#)).
- Assisted with drafting elements of the New Jersey Energy Master Plan and Integrated Energy Plan.
 - Advised Integrated Energy Plan modeling group on assumption development in analysis to determine a physical resource plan to achieve 100% clean energy.
 - Advised the Board on Energy Master Plan implementation, including Energy Efficiency and Demand Response program development.
- Appointed to represent the Board on Staff of leading regional and national coalitions, including the Organization of PJM States (OPSI) and the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC).

DELAWARE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

- Represented the Commission in the PJM wholesale market policy development process.
 - By the end of service, responsible for all federal energy policy for DE PSC.
 - Appointed to represent the Commission in leading regional and national coalitions including OPSI and NARUC.

ARTICLES, PRESENTATIONS, AND PUBLICATIONS

- [Regulation of Access, Pricing, and Planning of High Voltage Transmission in the US](#) (with J. Pfeifenberger, P. Joskow), MIT-CEEPR working paper, March 7, 2024.
- [The Need for Intertie Optimization: Reducing Customer Costs, Improving Grid Resilience, and Encourage Interregional Transmission](#) (with J. Pfeifenberger, N. Bay, et. al.), October 2023.

- New England Forward Clean Energy Market Proposed Market Rules, Version 1 (with K. Spees, L. Bai, J. Higham and Sustainable Energy Advantage), proposed by Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources, January, 2023.
- [*The Benefit and Urgency of Planned Offshore Transmission: Reducing the Costs of and Barriers to Achieving U.S. Clean Energy Goals*](#) (with J. Pfeifenberger, L. Bai, C. Plet (DNV), C. Peacock, R. Nelson), prepared for Natural Resources Defense Council, GridLab, Clean Air Task Force, American Clean Power Association, and American Council On Renewable Energy, January 24, 2023.
- Illinois Renewable Energy Access Plan: Enabling an Equitable, Reliable, and Affordable Transition to 100% Clean Electricity for Illinois, Second Draft for Commission Consideration (with Illinois Commerce Commission Staff, The Brattle Group, and Great Lakes Engineering), prepared for the Illinois Commerce Commission, December, 2022.
- *New Jersey State Agreement Approach for Offshore Wind Transmission: Evaluation Report* (with J. Pfeifenberger, J.M. Hagerty, S. Herling, M. Kalpin, D. Sullivan, C. Peacock, E. Bennett, and E. Snyder), prepared for the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, October 26, 2022.
- *Transmission Planning for a Changing Generation Mix* (with J. Pfeifenberger), prepared for Organization of PJM States, Inc. (OPSI), 2022 Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, October 18, 2022.
- *Illinois Renewable Energy Access Plan: Enabling an Equitable, Reliable, and Affordable Transition to 100% Clean Electricity for Illinois* (with Illinois Commerce Commission Staff, The Brattle Group, and Great Lakes Engineering), First Draft for Public Comment, prepared for the Illinois Commerce Commission, July, 2022.
- *Proactive, Scenario-Based, Multi-Value Transmission Planning* (with J. Pfeifenberger), presented to PJM Long-Term Transmission Planning Workshop, June 7, 2022.
- *A Transmission Blueprint for New England: Delivering on Renewable Energy* (with Renew Northeast, Boreas Renewables LLC, and J. Pfeifenberger), May 23, 2022
- *Alternative Resource Adequacy Structures for New Jersey* (with K. Spees, S.A. Newell), June, 2021.