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Emily Gaskin joined Law of the Wild in 2023 as a Staff Attorney. Previously, Emily served as the Executive Officer for the IUCN World Commission on Environmental Law, where she oversaw a global network of environmental law experts working to strengthen the capacity of governments, judiciaries, and prosecutors. Earlier in her career, Emily gained valuable legal experience as an Associate Attorney at a private maritime law firm in Honolulu, Hawai'i. Prior to attending law school, Emily worked as a Policy Specialist for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), where she collaborated with stakeholders to develop management plans and federal regulations for National Marine Sanctuaries throughout the Pacific region. Emily holds a Juris Doctor with a certificate in Environmental Law from the William S. Richardson School of Law at the University of Hawai'i, a Master of Public Administration in Environmental Science and Policy from Columbia University, and a Master of Science in Environmental Economics from the University of London. Emily is a member of the Hawai'i and Washington State Bars. Emily is an enthusiastic scuba diver and her passion for conservation is driven by her desire to one day share her favorite dive spots with her young son.