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CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

2015-current Faculty member, Duquesne University School of Law, Pittsburgh, PA
Professor of Law by Courtesy (2016-17), Visiting Professor (2015-16)
Taught Contracts I and II (day) and Torts I and II (evening), 2015-16

EDUCATION

J.D., *cum laude*, Harvard Law School, 1977
State Farm Foundation Fellowship
Harvard Law Record
Lead author, Law School Drama Society's Annual Musical Comedy (1977)

B.A., *summa cum laude*, in Political Science, Case Western Reserve University, 1974
Phi Beta Kappa
Hearst Foundation U.S. Senate Program/Scholarship

CURRENT AND RECENT ACTIVITIES

2012-current Consultant on pedagogy, Wolters Kluwer Law and Business
Consultant on development and series editor for a new line of casebooks: the In Focus series (12 books to be published by 2017)

2000-current Member, Congress for the New Urbanism

2009-current Member, CLEA Best Practices Implementation Committee and contributor to the Best Practices for Legal Education blog

2017-current Executive Board Member, AALS Section on New Teachers

July 2016 Invited participant in Wolters Kluwer Leading Edge conference on the future of legal education, Chicago, IL
Organizer/moderator of discussion on What You Would Like your Law School to be Doing More or Differently

July 2015 Invited participant in Wolters Kluwer Leading Edge conference on the future of legal education, Chicago, IL
Organizer/moderator of discussion on Design Thinking and the Stanford d-school

July 2014 Invited participant in Wolters Kluwer Leading Edge conference on the future of legal education, Chicago, IL
Organizer/moderator of discussion on The Future of Casebooks and Course Materials

June 2014 Selected for National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar, Westward Expansion and the Constitution in the Early American Republic (only full-time law professor of 25 participants), sponsored by Inst. for the American Constitutional Heritage and the Dept. of History of the Univ. of Oklahoma, Norman, OK

CURRENT AND RECENT PUBLICATIONS

Current Starting Off Right in Property (with Carolyn Nygren), Carolina Academic Press (forthcoming 2017)

2017 What Law School Curriculum Committees Can Learn from Architecture Schools
18 Tenn. J. Bus. L. 615 (2016)

2013	Starting Off Right in Contracts (with Carolyn Nygren), Carolina Academic Press
2013	Constitutional Law: Cases in Context, 2d. ed. (with Randy Barnett) Constitutional Rights: Cases in Context (with Randy Barnett) Constitutional Structure: Cases in Context (with Randy Barnett) Aspen Casebook Series, Wolters Kluwer Publishers
2012-Current	Originator and Editor for the Aspen Strategies and Techniques series (Subject-specific guides for teaching various courses): Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Torts by Arthur Best Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Criminal Law by Andrew Taslitz Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Legal Analysis and Writing by Amy Vorenberg Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Constitutional Law by Robert Power Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Property by Paula Franzese Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Contracts by Amy Bushaw Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Civil Procedure by Jay Tidmarsh Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Evidence by Ric Simmons Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Criminal Procedure by Michael Vitiello Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Professional Responsibility by W. Bradley Wendel Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Administrative Law by Richard Seamon Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Family Law by Robin Fretwell Wilson Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Federal Income Tax Law by Adam Rosenzweig Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Academic Support by Kris Franklin Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Environmental Law by Heidi Gorovitz Robertson (forthcoming) Strategies and Techniques for Teaching Business Organizations by Joan McLeod Heminway (forthcoming)

CURRENT AND RECENT PRESENTATIONS

Jan 2017	A User's Guide to Working with a Teaching Mentor Section on New Teachers, AALS Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA
July 2016	Member of the Planning Committee for the Newer Teachers Workshop Discussant – Teaching Nuggets; Takeaways for and by Law Professors Panel participant – Ways to Improve Teaching and Learning Southeastern Association of Law Schools annual meeting, Boca Raton, FL
June 2016	What Law School Curriculum Committees Can Learn from Architecture Schools Fifth Biennial Conference on Teaching Transactional Law and Skills Emory University School of Law, Atlanta, GA
July 2015	Member of the Planning Committee for the Newer Teachers Workshop Panelist and small group leader – session on Course Design Southeastern Association of Law Schools annual meeting, Boca Raton, FL
May 2015	invited Panelist, City as a Classroom: Teaching Sustainability by Engaging the Community ³⁹ First Annual Sustainability Conference of Legal Educators, Arizona State University School of Law, Scottsdale, AZ
April 2015	Invited discussant – Supreme Court Decision Making: Causes and Consequences, Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, IL
March 2015	Panel participant – How to Be a Better Teacher Southeast/Southwest People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference, North Carolina Central College of Law, Durham, NC
August 2014	Member of the Planning Committee for the Newer Teachers Workshop

	Panelist and small group leader – sessions on Course Design and Improving as a Classroom Teacher Discussion group organizer/participant – Student Evaluation through Essay Exams Southeastern Association of Law Schools annual meeting, Amelia Island, FL
April 2014	Discussant – Explaining Judicial Behavior Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, IL
November 2013	Chair and discussant – Civil Liberties and the Courts Northeast Political Science Association annual conference, Philadelphia, PA
October 2013	Participant – Roundtable on the Roberts Court Chair and discussant – Judicial Independence and Institutional Interdependence Pacific Northwest Political Science Association annual conference, Vancouver, BC
August 2013	Discussion group participant – Multiple Choice Exams Organizer and panelist – Workshop for New Teachers session on course design Southeastern Association of Law Schools annual meeting, West Palm Beach, FL
April 2013	Roundtable Participant – Pre-Law Advising within Departments of Political Science Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, IL
January 2013	Chair and Discussant – Politics and Redevelopment in New Orleans Chair and Discussant – Managing Urban Growth and the Environment Southern Political Science Association annual conference, Orlando, FL

SELECTED PREVIOUS ACTIVITIES

2012-2013	Member, Greensboro Efficiency and Accountability Team (blue-ribbon panel appointed by City Manager Denise Turner Roth)
2009-11	Law School representative to Greensboro University Roundtable
2006-07	Member, AIA Charlotte Architects for Education Committee
2006-07	Transfer member, Leadership Charlotte
2003-04	Knight Foundation Fellowship in Community Building (run by University of Miami School of Architecture)
2002-04	Founding Member, Steering Committee Against Abusive Lending initiated by Federal Trade Commission (Cleveland office)
2003	Primary author of County Treasurers Association of Ohio proposal to change law governing investments by county treasurers Sole witness giving testimony before Ohio House Finance Committee on the proposal, which became law February 2004
2000-02	Regular guest on Cleveland radio talk show as commentator on public affairs
2001	Member, transition team for Cleveland mayor-elect
2000-01	Member, Leadership Cleveland Class of 2001
May 2001	Participant, Brookings Institution Convening on Defining a Political Agenda for Older Suburbs, Cleveland, OH
February 2001	Consultant (<i>pro bono</i>) on strategic planning - Green Energy of Ohio (GEO)
1998-2004	Member, Government Finance Officers Association
1996, 2000 1995	Chair, successful campaigns for County Treasurer, Cuyahoga County, Ohio Volunteer docent at Frank Lloyd Wright's Pope-Leighey House in Fairfax, Virginia

1993-2004	Teach "Car Buying Made (Almost) Easy" for Cleveland and Washington, DC-area adult education programs and programs for seniors Regular guest on Washington, DC radio show on car buying (1995)
1989	Recipient of <i>Dana Planning Award</i> for "outstanding work in helping to achieve planning goals" at the Univ. of Bridgeport (in first and only year at the university)
1986	Consultant (<i>pro bono</i>) to Legal Services of Northern Virginia on issues related to Northern Virginia Housing Coalition
Summers 1981-86	Conducted public affairs and author interviews on Cleveland radio station
Summer 1984	Participant, Institute on Urban Architecture and Design at DePaul University, funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities (only law professor of the 30 participants)
1983	Acknowledged in dedication of the 1983 <i>Bill James Baseball Abstract</i> for ideas and suggestions given to the author

PREVIOUS PUBLICATIONS

2012	Starting Off Right in Torts, 2d ed., (with Carolyn Nygren), Carolina Academic Press
Summer 2011	Negotiation as a Foundational Skill 12 Tenn. J. Bus. L. 169 (2011)
Summer 2009	Adding Transactional Aspects to Doctrinal Courses Using a Spectrum Approach 10 Tenn. J. Bus. L. 399 (2009)
2009	Strategies and Techniques of Law School Teaching: A Primer for New (and Not So New) Professors (with Kevin Francis O'Neill), Aspen Publishers Now in its fifth printing; over 5000 copies in print Also available as a Kindle download Over 2300 ssrn and 1200 bepress downloads as of June 2017
October 2008	The Blame Bubble: Deregulation Zealots Should Look In the Mirror 15 Cleveland Scene Newsweekly 74 (October 10, 2008)
1983	Co-author, "Raising \$\$\$ for Science", 7 Inquiry 22 (with Dr. Gary Ellis)

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November 2012	Moderator – Plenary Panel: "Land Banks – Where Do We Go from Here?" Thriving Communities Institute Ohio Land Bank Conference, Cleveland, OH
November 2012	Discussant – The Roberts Court Pacific Northwest Political Science Association annual conference, Portland, OR
August 2012	Panelist – Course Sequencing and Design Southeastern Association of Law Schools annual meeting, Amelia Island, FL
June 2012	Organizer and Chair – Teaching Emerging Areas of Law panel Law and Society annual conference, Honolulu, HI
January 2012	Chair and Discussant – Case Studies in Urban Policy Southern Political Science Association annual conference, New Orleans, LA
August 2011	Organizer and Panelist – Shrinking the First-Year Courses: Making Difficult Content Choices Southeastern Association of Law Schools annual meeting, Hilton Head, SC
March 2011	Chair and Discussant – Judicial Activism, Regime Politics, and the Supreme Court Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, IL

October 2010	Moderator and Speaker – Public Leaders Answer Vacancy Challenges Reclaiming Vacant Properties Annual National Conference, Cleveland, OH
June 2010	Things I Wish I Had Thought About More (Early in My Teaching Career) Also served as facilitator for future property professors group AALS New Law Teachers Workshop, Washington, DC
June 2010	Negotiation as a Foundational Skills Course Transactional Education: What's Next conference Emory University School of Law, Atlanta, GA
October 2009	Along with the mayor and county council president, addressed a community meeting where over 100 people provided input on the downtown area consolidated plan (sponsored by Action Greensboro), Greensboro, NC
2008-current	Various media appearances on local TV, radio, and in print media
September 2008	Curricular Redesign at Elon Law: Integrating Theory and Practice with a Purpose Legal Education at the Crossroads conference, Univ. of Washington Law School
May 2008	Incorporating Transactional Aspects in Doctrinal Courses Using a Spectrum Approach Teaching Drafting and Transactional Skills: The Basic and Beyond conference Emory University School of Law, Atlanta, GA
December 2007	Getting Your Act Together: How Trustees and Boards Can Manage Government Oversight, Avoid Legal Jeopardy, and Discharge Their Fiduciary Duties Inst. for International Research Public Funds Board Summit, San Francisco, CA
January 2006	Land Use Law and Traditional Neighborhood Development Real Estate Law, Negotiations and Approvals Program, University of Miami School of Architecture
June 2005	Opportunities and Challenges for New Urbanism in Low-Growth Communities Congress for the New Urbanism annual meeting, Pasadena, CA
September 2003	Predatory Lending, Land Assembly, and Other Issues Facing First Ring Suburbs Cleveland Suburban Council Association, Cleveland, OH
November 2002	Fiduciary Responsibilities of Pension Trustees in a Post-Enron World Inst. for International Research Public Funds Board Summit, San Francisco, CA "Awesome talk. Exceptional speaker." - L. Schulman, Conference Organizer
November 2002	Asset Allocation and Alpha Opal Financial Group Searching for Alpha Conference, Las Vegas, NV
September 2002	Business Ethics in the Post-Enron World: Principles, Policies, and Paradoxes Rotary Club of Cleveland
November 2001	Discussant - Session on Commercial and Downtown Development Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning annual conference, Cleveland, OH
June 2001	A Linked Deposit Program for Housing Revitalization: Lessons for Hamilton County Hamilton County Working Session for Community Leaders, Cincinnati, OH
March 2001	Decline and Revitalization of First Ring Suburbs American Planning Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA
October 2000	Socially Responsive Investing: Can You Invest with Both Heart and Mind? Inst. for International Research Equity Markets Summit, San Diego, CA
June 2000	The Prospects for Regional Solutions to the Problems of Older Suburbs Government Finance Officers Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL Presentation was rated 3.9 out of a possible 4.0

- February 2000 The RFP Process and Cash Manager Selection
Fabozzi/IMN Cash Management 2000 Conference, New Orleans, LA
Rated as one of the top five speakers (of more than 60)
- May 1999 Privatizing Collection: Putting Together a Successful Tax Lien Sale
Fabozzi/IMN Asset-Backed Securities Conference, New York, NY

PRIOR EMPLOYMENT

- 2008-2015 Professor, Elon University School of Law, Greensboro, NC
Special Advisor to the Dean (2010-14)
Member of Self-Study Committee (for final ABA approval), chaired Faculty
Recruitment Committee 2009-11, and other committee assignments (including
curriculum committee and assessment committee)
Courses taught: Contracts I and II, Torts I and II, Constitutional Law I, Land Use
Planning
- 2007-08 Visiting Professor, Capital University Law School, Columbus, OH
- 2006-07 Associate Professor, Charlotte School of Law (on leave 2007-08)
- 2005-06 Visiting Professor, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law
- 2005 Visiting Professor, Widener Law School, Harrisburg PA
Senior Fellow, American Architectural Foundation, Washington DC
Coordinated content for the National Summit on School Design
- 1998-2004 Director of Strategic Planning and Policy, Cuyahoga County Treasurer's Office
Coordinated implementation of new treasurer's reform agenda. Acted as internal
management consultant. Oversaw half-billion dollar fixed-income investment
portfolio (recognized as best performing in Ohio by Cleveland Plain Dealer).
Helped design new programs, including delinquent tax lien sale and linked deposit
home loan program for first-ring suburbs (HELP loan program won U.S. EPA Award
for Smart Growth Achievement in 2003).
Visiting Professor, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law (2003-04)
Adjunct Faculty, Weatherhead School of Management, Case Western Reserve Univ. (1998)
Taught Business Ethics.
- 1995-98 Visiting Professor, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law
Consultant on Strategic Planning, Cuyahoga County Treasurer's Office (1997-98)
Adjunct Faculty, Baldwin-Wallace College M.B.A. Program (1996-97)
Taught Power, Ethics and Society.
- 1994-95 Visiting Professor, George Washington University School of Law
Adjunct Faculty, Howard University School of Law
- 1993-94 Visiting Associate Professor, Howard University School of Law
- Spring 1993 Visiting Associate Professor, Case Western Reserve University Law School
- 1990-93 Chief Counsel to the Cleveland City Council
Worked on legislation and special projects. Created and supervised policy
research staff.
Adjunct Faculty, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law and Case Western Reserve University
Law School
- 1989-90 Visiting Associate Professor, University of Pittsburgh School of Law
- 1988-89 Assistant Dean, University of Bridgeport School of Law
Wrote school's self-study for ABA and AALS accreditation. Served as Director
of Curriculum for University's Real Estate Institute.

1987-88 Visiting Associate Professor, Tulane University School of Law

1981-87 Assistant Professor, George Mason University School of Law

1979-81 Assistant Professor, Northern Illinois University College of Law
Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs (1980-81)

Courses taught at law schools:

Torts, Property, Constitutional Law, Contracts, Criminal Law, Land Use Planning, Managerial Law and Ethics, Real Estate Finance, Legal Analysis, Legal Research and Writing, Agency and Unincorporated Associations.

1978-79 Assistant Law Director, Cleveland, Ohio
Served as attorney to CETA program in Greater Cleveland. In addition to handling legal matters, also headed Contract and Audit Section of the Dept. of Human Resources and Economic Development, and supervised a seven-person staff.

1977-78 Assistant Professor of Law and Government, Lake Erie College
Taught Constitutional Development, Philosophy of Law, Women's Rights and the Law, Business Law. Served as Director of the Criminal Justice Studies Program.