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EXPERIENCE:

University of Baltimore School of Law, Baltimore, MD. Professor of Law (with tenure) and Director, Civil Advocacy Clinic. 1998-present. Teach evidence, federal administrative law, and poverty law seminar, as well as courses in clinical program. Teach Comparative Human Rights at University of Aberdeen Summer Program in Summer 2009.

Honors: Outstanding Teaching by a Full-Time Faculty Member Award (2009); University System of Maryland Board of Regents' Faculty Award for Public Service (2010); Annual Honor for Outstanding Leadership from the Maryland Network Against Domestic Violence (2010).

Civil Advocacy Clinic, Director since 2004

Supervise students in handling cases for low-income clients in diverse practice areas, including consumer, housing, disability, education, and public benefits law; co-teach seminars on substantive poverty law as well as litigation skills, including interviewing, case development, negotiation, and client counseling; and teach trial advocacy simulation-based course.

Community Development Clinic; Acting Director 2000-2002

Responsibilities included supervising students in transactional and corporate practice representing nonprofit organizations, low-income neighborhood associations, and small businesses; teaching seminars on substantive areas of transactional law including the law of nonprofit organizations and business organizations; and training students in lawyering skills.

William and Mary, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, Williamsburg, VA. Visiting Associate Professor, 2005-2006. Taught evidence, administrative law, and poverty law seminar.

Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Voting Section, Washington, DC. Trial Attorney, 1997-1998. Investigated and litigated voting rights violations, monitored elections, and reviewed state voting changes for compliance with Voting Rights Act.

Arnold & Porter, Washington, DC. Associate, 1994-1996. Practice areas included products liability, employment discrimination and labor law, and federal Indian law.

Judge Frank A. Kaufman, Senior U.S. District Judge for the District of Maryland, Baltimore, MD. Law Clerk, 1993-1994.

EDUCATION:

University of Michigan Law School, J.D., *cum laude*, 1993

Michigan Law Review

- Note Editor, 1992-93
- Associate Editor, 1991-92
- Helen L. DeRoy Memorial Award for best student contribution to volume 90 of the Michigan Law Review, May 1993

Clinics: Women and the Law; Family Law; Immigration Law

Duke University, B.A., *cum laude*, 1990

BOOKS:

Becoming a Trial Lawyer, with Steven Grossman and Fredric Lederer (Carolina Academic Press 2008).

ARTICLES:

The President, Preemption, and the States, Constitutional Commentary (forthcoming 2010) (symposium).

The President As Scientist-in-Chief, 45 Willamette L. Rev. 565 (2009) (symposium).

Privacy, Feminism, and Welfare, 39 U. Balt. Law Forum 1 (2009) (symposium).

Litigating Presidential Signing Statements, 16 Wm. & Mary Bill Rights J. 131 (2007) (symposium).

Fighting Poverty With Faith: Reflections on 10 Years of Charitable Choice, 10 J. Gender, Race & Justice 395 (2007) (symposium).

If At First You Don't Succeed, Sign an Executive Order: President Bush and the Expansion of Charitable Choice, 15 Wm. & Mary Bill Rts J. 1103 (2007).

Poverty and Communitarianism: Toward a Community Based Welfare System, 66 U. Pitt. L. Rev. 721 (2005).

"Charitable Choice" and the Accountability Challenge: Reconciling the Need for Regulation with the First Amendment Religion Clauses, 55 Vand. L. Rev. 799 (2002).

Legal Accountability in an Era of Privatized Welfare, 89 Cal. L. Rev. 569 (2001).

OTHER PUBLICATIONS:

Book Review of Jo Anne Schneider, Social Capital and Welfare Reform: Organizations, Congregations, and Communities, J. Urban Affairs (2008).

Editorial, Faith-Based Initiatives: Do They Really Work?, Balt. Sun, Aug. 3, 2008, at 27A.

Commentary, Still suffering growing pains, Daily Record, November 12, 2004, at 19A.

Editorial, When will the waiting end? Daily Record, March 19, 2004, at 10A.

Editorial, The Bond Barrier, Balt. Sun, Aug. 29, 2003, at 17A.

Editorial, Do Faith Based Services Work? Balt. Sun, Aug. 11, 2002, at 1F.

Privatization, in Poverty and Social Welfare in America: An Encyclopedia (Gwendolyn Mink and Alice O'Connor, eds., 2004).

Bradfield v. Roberts, in Encyclopedia of American Civil Liberties (Paul Finkelman, ed., forthcoming).

The Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996, in Major Acts of Congress (Brian K. Landsberg, ed., forthcoming).

Note, Retroactive Application of the Civil Rights Act of 1991 to Pending Cases, 90 Mich. L. Rev. 2035 (1992).

Book Notice, Wedington: A Question of Choice, 91 Mich. L. Rev. 1618 (1993).

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS:

Moderator, "Right to Counsel and Pro Se Litigants," AALS Clinical Legal Education Conference, May 5, 2010, Baltimore, Maryland.

Speaker, "Presidents, Preemption, and the States," University of Akron School of Law, March 31, 2010, Akron, OH.

Speaker, University of Baltimore School of Law, "Opening Remarks," at *Applied Feminism and Marginalized Communities, 3rd Annual Feminist Legal Theory Conference*, March 5, 2010, Baltimore, MD.

Moderator, "Women of the Bench," University of Baltimore School of Law, February 25, 2010, Baltimore, MD.

Moderator, “Careers in Public Interest Law,” University of Baltimore School of Law, October 28, 2009, Baltimore, MD.

Symposium Speaker, American University Washington College of Law, “The Class Differential in Privacy Law,” at *Poverty and Economic Mobility*, October 26, 2009, Washington, DC.

Lecturer, “Introduction of Exhibits,” Legal Aid Bureau of Maryland, Attorney Training, October 19, 2009, Reisterstown, MD.

Moderator, AALS Conference on Clinical Legal Education, “Lawyering and Education Works-in-Progress,” May 8, 2009, Cleveland, OH.

Organizer and Moderator, University of Baltimore School of Law, *Why Fair Housing? The Modern Face of Discrimination, A Fair Housing Symposium*, April 3, 2009, Baltimore, MD.

Moderator, University of Baltimore School of Law, *Applied Feminism: How Feminist Legal Theory is Changing the Law*, March 6, 2009, Baltimore, MD.

Presenter, Global Alliance for Justice Education 5th Worldwide Conference, “Clinical Supervision: Choices and Challenges,” December 9, 2008, Manila, Philippines.

Symposium Speaker, University of Baltimore School of Law, “Welfare and Privacy,” at *Women and Poverty*, November 13, 2008, Baltimore, MD.

Moderator, “Careers in Public Interest Law,” University of Baltimore School of Law, November 5, 2008, Baltimore, MD.

Lecturer, “Introduction of Exhibits,” Legal Aid Bureau of Maryland, Attorney Training, October 14, 2008, Reisterstown, MD.

Guest Professor, “Welfare and Procedural Due Process,” George Washington School of Law, October 2, 2008, Washington, DC.

Symposium Speaker, Willamette University College of Law, “The President As Scientist-in-Chief,” at *The President in the 21st Century*, September 12, 2008, Salem, OR.

Presenter, AALS Conference on Clinical Legal Education, “Seminars That Sizzle: Enhancing Clinical Learning Through Group Interaction and Reflection,” May 5, 2008, Tucson, AZ.

Speaker, Urban Affairs Association, “Charitable Choice as an Urban Poverty Reduction Strategy,” April 24, 2008, Baltimore, MD.

Symposium Speaker, University of Baltimore School of Law, “Poor Women and the State of Surveillance,” at *Can You Hear Us Now? How New Feminist Legal Theory and Feminisms are Changing Society*, March 7, 2008, Baltimore, MD.

Symposium Speaker, William and Mary College of Law, "Litigating Presidential Signing Statements," at *The Constitutional Implications of Presidential Signing Statements*," February 3, 2007, Williamsburg, VA.

Symposium Speaker, University of Iowa School of Law, Journal of Gender, Race & Justice, "Fighting Poverty With Faith: Reflections on 10 Years of Charitable Choice," at *Symposium 2006: One Act, Ten Years and Thousands of Families: Welfare Reform in Contemporary America*, October 13, 2006, Iowa City, Iowa.

Guest Speaker, William and Mary School of Law, Institute of Bill of Rights, "President Bush and the Expansion of Charitable Choice," April 11, 2006, Williamsburg, VA.

Presentation to the Judges of the District Court of Maryland for Baltimore City, "Clinical Legal Education," June 24, 2005, Baltimore, MD.

Presenter, Domestic Violence Network of Maryland, "Housing Discrimination and Domestic Violence," May 24, 2005, Odenton, MD.

Presenter, American Association of Law Schools Conference on Clinical Legal Education, Work-in-Progress, "Communitarianism and Social Welfare," May 3, 2004, San Diego, CA.

Panelist, American Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, Section on Part-Time Division Programs, "Using Community Development Clinics to Teach Transactional Legal Skills," January 5, 2004, Atlanta, GA.

Presenter of academic paper, Mid-Atlantic Clinical Theory Workshop, "Communitarianism and Social Welfare," November 14, 2003, Baltimore, MD.

Panelist, National Association for Welfare Research and Statistics, 43rd Annual Workshop, Human Services: Innovating in Uncertain Times, "Welfare Privatization and the Impact on the Rights of the Poor," July 13-16, 2003, San Diego, CA.

Presenter, Maryland Legal Services Program Attorney Education Workshop, "Introduction of Evidence," April 2002, Baltimore, MD.

Presenter, Women Entrepreneurs of Baltimore, "Choosing a Business Form for the Small Business," July 2000, Baltimore, MD.

Presenter, Mid-Atlantic Clinical Theory Workshop, "From Warfare to Welfare, Lockheed Martin and the Privatization of Welfare," December 1999, Washington, D.C.

RECENT PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Academic Service

- Editor, Clinical Law Review, 2009-present
- Scholarship Committee of the AALS Clinical Legal Education Section, 2007-present; Co-chair since 2009
- Facilitator, Scholarship Working Group, AALS Conference on Clinical Legal Education, May 2010
- Founder, AALS Scholarship Peer Network, 2008-present

Public Service

- Vice-President, Executive Committee, Board of Directors, Public Justice Center, 2004-present
- ACLU of Maryland, Committee on Litigation and Legal Priorities, 2007-present
- Maryland State Bar Association, Section Council on Delivery of Legal Services, 2001-2008
- Safe Homes Coalition, founder, 2009-present
- Tenant and Foreclosure Workgroup, 2008-2009
- Maryland Landlord-Tenant Reform Campaign Coalition, 2004-2007
- Election Protection, 2008
- Global Alliance for Justice Education, 2008-present
- Public Benefits Taskforce, 2004-present
- Housing Taskforce, 2008-present
- Community Service Committee, Carderock Springs Elementary School, 2009-2010
- Board of Directors, Washington Council of Lawyers, 1996-1998

Service to the Law School and University 2008-present

- Co-Director, Center on Applied Feminism, 2008-present
- Self-Study Committee, Chair, 2009-present
- Admissions Committee, Chair, 2007-2008
- Curriculum Committee, 2008
- Subcommittee on Public Interest Jobs and Loan Forgiveness, 2004-present
- Faculty Advisor, Public Interest Concentration, 2008-present
- Faculty Advisor, University of Baltimore Students in the Public Interest, 2002-present
- Clinical Teaching Fellow Mentoring Program, 2006-present

BAR MEMBERSHIPS: Maryland, District of Columbia, United States District Court for the District of Maryland, United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit