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**ACADEMIC
EMPLOYMENT**

UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING COLLEGE OF LAW, 2014-PRESENT

Professor of Law, Director of Civil Legal Services Clinic

- Supervise students representing economically marginalized clients in a variety of civil matters including property disputes, contract breach, unjust enrichment, special education, housing, family law, veterans' benefits, and other civil matters.
- Teach clinical seminar on topics related to client-centered lawyering and the lawyering process.
- Teach doctrinal courses each semester in a variety of bar-tested and required subjects including Torts, Professional Responsibility, Judicial Remedies, Alternative Dispute Resolution, and Interviewing, Counseling, & Negotiation.
- Supervise students in the development and implementation of community outreach and education programs.
- Assess student performance.
- Develop and implement clinical and doctrinal curricula.
- Investigate independent funding sources and possibilities outside College of Law operating budget. Develop and submit grant proposals & manage grant reporting. Grants awards have totaled over \$200,000 in some fiscal years.
- Developed and now implement a joint project with the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming to provide name changes for trans* students.
- Research and publish on curricular development, andragogy, clinical pedagogy, and other aspects of adult learning.

UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE SCHOOL OF LAW, 2012-2014

Visiting Assistant Professor, Bronfein Family Law Clinic

- Supervised and assessed students representing clients in protection order cases and a variety of contested and uncontested family law matters.
- Co-taught weekly seminar on topics related to family law matters, trial advocacy, and the lawyering process.
- Supervised students in the development and implementation of community education projects.
- Researched and published on program development.

STANFORD LAW SCHOOL, 2007-2009

Pro Bono Program Coordinator & Externship Coordinator, John & Terry Levin Center for Public Service and Public Interest

- Managed administrative aspects of the Student Pro Bono Program.
- Developed new programming opportunities through community

outreach and partnership building with legal services programs in the Bay Area and nationally including a mediation partnership, rural legal education opportunities, and creation of a TaxAid/VITA site.

- Developed and conducted volunteer training programs for students on substantive legal issues, client interaction, and basic lawyering skills.

**LEGAL
EMPLOYMENT**

HOMELESS PERSONS REPRESENTATION PROJECT, 2009-2012

Director of Pro Bono Programs

- Recruited, trained, and supervised attorneys, students, and paralegals in the Expungement and Veterans' Benefits Pro Bono Projects.
- Provided support to all volunteers. Increased the student and attorney volunteer pool from approximately 100 to over 300.

THE WOMEN'S LAW CENTER OF MARYLAND, 2005-2007

Legal Projects Manager & Director, Justice in Divorce Project

- Supervised, trained, and mentored attorneys in courthouse-based protection order projects.
- Supervised, trained, and mentored contract attorneys on statewide family law hotlines.
- Placed cases with private bar attorneys through the Baltimore County Reduced Fee Custody Project.
- Served as the Women's Law Center representative on coalitions and in planning sessions with Maryland Delegates and Senators during each legislative session.

WEINBERG & SCHWARTZ, LLC, 2004-2005

Associate Attorney

- Represented clients in complex family law matters.

YWCA OF ANNAPOLIS & ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, 2000-2004

Senior Staff Attorney

- Represented domestic violence victims in complex contested family law proceedings as well as in protection order initiation, contempt, and modification hearings.

HOUSE OF RUTH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LEGAL CLINIC, 1998-2000

Staff Attorney

- Represented domestic violence victims in complex contested family law proceedings as well as in protection order initiation, contempt, and modification hearings.

BAR ADMISSION

Maryland, 1998
Wyoming, Certified for Practice 2014

EDUCATION

Tulane University School of Law, 1997, Juris Doctor, *Cum Laude*
Senior Managing Editor, Tulane Maritime Law Journal
Certificate, Environmental Law

University of Maryland, 1994, Bachelor of Arts, *Magna Cum Laude*
Certificate, Women's Studies
Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society

SCHOLARSHIP

Lawyering Skills for Humans (tentatively titled, textbook work-in-progress), to be published by Carolina Academic Press.

Creating Effective Learning Environments for the Neuro-Diverse Student (tentatively titled work-in-progress).

Connecting Community College to Law School: An Exploration of Early Support and Guidance in Rural Community College Experiences to Law School Enrollment (tentatively titled work-in-progress).

Exploring Client Needs: How Context & Motivation Shape Client Decision-Making (tentatively titled work-in-progress).

Brain-wise Lawyering for Clinical Law Students, 26 *Clinical Law Review* 421 (2020).

Learning the Law through Experience & by Design, Carwina Weng, Danielle Cover, Margaret Reuter, & Chris Roberts (2019).

Of Courtrooms and Classrooms, 27 *Boston University Public Interest Law Journal* 291 (2018).

Good Grief, 22 *Clinical Law Review* 55 (2015).

Pro Bono Grievances, 12 *Cardozo Public Law, Policy, & Ethics Journal* 375 (2014).

GRANT AWARDS

- Wyoming State Bar Foundation IOLTA Grant (2017; 2018; 2019; 2020; 2021; 2022)
- Department of Justice – Bank of America National Settlement Foreclosure Prevention & Community Redevelopment Grant (2018; 2019)
- Civil Legal Services Act Grant, 2-year award (2018)

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

- *Learning Law Through Experience and by Design*, Curriculum Design Workshop, University of Baltimore School of Law, 2021
- *Learning Law Through Experience and by Design*, Association of American Law Schools Clinical Teaching Conference, 2019, 2021, 2022 Workshop Co-Facilitator
- *Landlord-Tenant 101*, Continuing Legal Education and Volunteer Attorney Training, 2021
- *Know Your Rights Through a Transgender Lens Community Education Series*, Shepard Symposium for Social Justice, 2018, Co-Presenter
- *(Re-)Designing a Clinic Using Backward Design*, Association of American

Law Schools Clinical Teaching Conference, 2015–2018, Workshop Co-Facilitator

- *Service Learning Bootcamp Speakers' Panel*, Ellbogen Center for Teaching & Learning Summer Bootcamp Series, 2017
- *Preparing a Fully Developed Veterans' Service-Connected Disability Claim*, Continuing Legal Education and Volunteer Attorney Training, 2017
- *What's Immigration Got to do with It? Exploring the Implications of Federal Immigration Courts on Wyoming State Court Processes*, Wyoming State Bar Association Annual Meeting Continuing Legal Education Presentation, 2016
- *Expungement*, Continuing Legal Education and Volunteer Attorney Training, 2016
- *Problem-Based Learning in Skills-Based Courses*, 3rd Annual John P. Ellbogen Summer Teaching Institute on Active & Engaged Learning, 2016
- *The Ethical Superhero*, The Superhero Project, Oxford University, 2015
- *Pro Bono Grievances*, Poverty Law: Cases, Teaching, & Scholarship Conference, American University Washington College of Law, 2013
- *Domestic Violence & Homelessness Speakers' Panel*, University of Baltimore School of Law, 2013

TEACHING AWARDS

University of Wyoming College of Law Extraordinary Faculty Award Nominee, 2022

University of Wyoming College of Law Extraordinary Merit Award, 2021

University of Wyoming Shepard Symposium on Social Justice Faculty Award, 2018

University of Wyoming Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Awards: Inspirational Instructor, 2017

COLLEGE OF LAW SERVICE

- University of Wyoming College of Law Faculty Appointments Committee, 2021
- University of Wyoming College of Law Tenure & Promotion Committee, 2021
- University of Wyoming College of Law ABA Self-Study Committee, 2021
- University of Wyoming College of Law, Clinic & Skills Committee, 2014–Present
- University of Wyoming College of Law, Scholarship Committee, 2014–2020
- University of Wyoming College of Law, Second Petition for Re-Admission Ad Hoc Committee, 2015, Chair

COLLEGE OF LAW ENGAGEMENT

- American Bar Association Counseling Competition, 2016–Present, Faculty Coordinator
- Wyoming Law Students for Equal Justice, 2016–Present, Faculty Advisor

- American Bar Association Negotiation Competition, 2014 – Present, Judge & Consulting Faculty Member
- University of Wyoming Law Review, *Access or Success? Wyoming Special Education and the Hope of a New Era in Appropriate Education*, Mikole Bede Soto, 2016, Faculty Reviewer
- University of Wyoming Law Review, *Case Note: When Circumstances Change but the Court Doesn't: Kappen v. Kappen*, Nick Bjorklund, 2015, Faculty Reviewer

**UNIVERSITY
SERVICE &
ENGAGEMENT**

- Shepard Symposium for Social Justice Planning Committee, 2018–2022, Co-Chair; 2015-2018, Member
- Queer Studies Program Advisory Steering Committee, 2018–Present, Member
- Black 14 High School Summer Institute Planning Committee, 2019, Member
- Master Degree Thesis Review Committee, *The Experiences of Transwomen in the Criminal Justice System: A Training for University of Wyoming Law Students*, Tara Gulistan Misra, Social Work Master's Degree, 2020-2021, Outside Member
- Tobin & Spitaleri Outstanding Graduate Awards & Commencement Speaker Selection Committee, 2017-2020, Member
- Master's Degree Thesis Review Committee, *Trauma-Informed Care in Legal Practice*, JuliAnna Kumiko Wakamatsu, Social Work Master's Degree, 2019-2020, Outside Member
- Master's Degree Thesis Review Committee, *Phenomenological Analysis of Foster Parenting Experiences in Wyoming*, Amanda Marie Barnard, Social Work Advanced Standing Program, 2017-2018, Outside Member
- University of Wyoming Honors Program Review Committee, 2015
- Daniels Fund Ethics Initiative 2015 Ethics Consortium Summit, 2015

**COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT**

- *Landlord-Tenant 101*, Training for Veterans' Housing Advocates, 2021
- *Superheroes: Ethical Considerations and Conflicts*, Comics, Commentary, & Causes, Laramie Senior High School, Guest Lecturer, 2016, 2017
- Expungement Community Workshop and Know Your Rights Program, Pro Bono Week, 2015–Present
- Pro Se Forms Committee, Access to Justice Commission, Wyoming State Bar, 2014–2015
- Wyoming Homeless Youth Initiative, 2015–2016