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EDUCATION

University of Virginia School of Law, J.D. 2001

- Order of the Coif, 2001
- Margaret G. Hyde Award, 2001
- *Virginia Law Review*: Executive Editor, 2000-01; Editorial Board Member, 1999-2000
- *Virginia Law Weekly*: Senior Editor, 2000-01; Managing Editor, 1999-2000
- William Minor Lile Moot Court Board: Justice, 2001

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, M.S. 1996 (Math)

- Instructor of Algebra and Calculus
- Master's thesis on algorithmic proofs of theorems in graph theory, including C++ programming
- Teaching assistant in helping to develop multimedia online self-study modules

University of Virginia, B.A. 1994 (Math and Music; minor in Religious Studies)

- Graduated with Distinction (Math)
- Morrison Prize and Recognition Award (Music)
- Phi Beta Kappa
- Echols Scholar

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

University of Virginia School of Law, Charlottesville, Virginia, 2019 – Present

- Professor of Law, General Faculty
- Director of Clinical Programs

Emory University School of Law, Atlanta, Georgia, 2011 - 2019

- Professor of Practice
- Director, Externship Program
- Co-Director, Professionalism Program
- Faculty Advisor, Emory Law School Supreme Court Advocacy Program

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Amicus Award (for service in filing amicus briefs in the United States Supreme Court), International Municipal Lawyers Association, 2013, 2015-17, 2019
- Rated “Highly Recommended” for technology and e-discovery litigation in Benchmark Litigation
- Georgia “Rising Star” Super Lawyer (top 2.5 percent of those under 40) in 2006 and 2010
- One of 14 Atlanta lawyers under 40, “On the Rise,” *Fulton County Daily Report*, 2006
- Ga. Ass’n of Criminal Defense Lawyers Case of the Year Award for *Sims v. State*, 2006

PRIOR PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Bondurant, Mixson & Elmore, LLP, Atlanta, GA

- Associate (September 2002-March 2011)
- Summer Associate/Intern (July 2000-July 2001)

The Hon. Frank M. Hull, U.S. Court of Appeals, 11th Cir., Atlanta, GA

- Law Clerk (July 2001-August 2002)

Sutherland, Asbill & Brennan, Atlanta, GA

- Summer Associate (May-July 2000)

Institute of Law, Psychiatry and Public Policy (U.Va. School of Law), Charlottesville, VA.

- Research Assistant to Director Richard Bonnie and Prof. Richard Redding (May 1999-May 2001)

Snook & Haughey, P.C., Charlottesville, VA

- Paralegal (October 1996-August 1998)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Teaching

- Pretrial Litigation (Spring 2020)
- Small Firm Externship – Fall/Spring (Fall 2014-Fall 2019)
- Civil Procedure – Fall only (Fall 2018)
- Catalyzing Social Impact (with Peter Roberts and Randy Martin, Goizueta Business School) – Spring only (Spring 2016-Spring 2019)
- Summer/Remote Externship – Summer, and occasional Fall/Spring (Summer 2015-Summer 2019)
- Professionalism Program – Fall/Spring, 1 session (Fall 2011-Fall 2019)
- Values in Practice – Fall/Spring, 1 session per section of Legal Profession (Fall 2011-Fall 2019)
- Civil Litigation Externship – Fall/Spring (Fall 2013-Spring 2018)
- Directed Research/Comment Advising – Fall only (Fall 2015-Fall 2018)
- Field Placement – Fall/Spring (Fall 2011-Spring 2013)

Seminars and Presentations

- “Gun Violence and Mental Health: Statistics and Realities” (moderator) – Randolph W. Throver Symposium (Emory Law Journal, Atlanta, GA, February 2019)
- Externships Working Group (facilitator) – AALS Clinical Conference (Chicago, IL, May 2018)
- “Click Here: Externship Data Management Tools to Increase Productivity (and Promote Sanity) (panelist) – Externships 9 (Athens, GA, March 2018)
- “Working with Field Supervisors” (moderator) – Externships 9 (New Clinicians track) (Athens, GA, March 2018)
- “Technology for Remote Externship Seminars” – AALS Externships Subcommittee, Remote & International Externships Group (November 2017)
- “Technology Law Update” – State Bar of Georgia, Privacy and Technology Law Section, Privacy and Technology Law Institute (October 2017)
- “A Hybrid Social Enterprise Experience for Law Students” (poster presentation) – AALS Clinical Conference (Denver, CO, May 2017)
- “Ethical Supervision” and “Update on Georgia’s New Student Practice Rule” – Georgia Association for Legal Externships, Pathways to the Profession IV (February 2017)

- “Technology Law Update” – State Bar of Georgia, Technology Law Section, Technology Law Institute (October 2016)
- “Field Placement Program Design” (panelist with Robert Jones, Notre Dame, Helene McNanna, Fordham, and Amy Sankaran, Michigan) (New Clinicians Track) and “Rising to the Challenge: Inspiring Reflection in Summer Externships” (panelist with Jessica Tillipman, George Washington Univ.) – Externships 8 (Cleveland, OH, March 2016)
- “Technology Law Update” – State Bar of Georgia, Technology Law Section, Technology Law Institute (October 2015)
- “Conflicts of Interest for Placement Supervisors” and “Georgia’s New Student Practice Rule” – Georgia Association for Legal Externships, Pathways to the Profession III (September 2015)
- “Teaching Students to Run and Work in Small Firms” – AALS Clinical Conference (Rancho Mirage, CA, May 2015) (with Jodi Balsam, Brooklyn, Reena Parambath, Drexel, and Seth Lahn, Indiana)
- “A Dead End? The War on Drugs and Its Impact on the Minority Community” (moderator) – American Constitution Society Georgia Lawyer Chapter (March 2015)
- State Bar of Georgia, Technology Law Section, Technology Law Institute (chair) and “Technology Law Update” (October 2014)
- “Maximizing Your Resources, Maximizing the Experience: Implementing a Classroom Component for Large, Diverse Externship Programs” – Externships 7 (Denver, CO, March 2014) (with Jessica Tillipman, George Washington Univ.)
- “Cases and Trends: October Term 2014” (moderator) – Emory Law School Supreme Court Advocacy Program Colloquium, Emory Law School (February 2014)
- “Managing Expectations” – Pathways to the Profession II, Georgia Association for Legal Externships (January 2014) (with Renata Turner, Atlanta’s John Marshall Law School)
- “Technology Law Update” – State Bar of Georgia, Technology Law Section, Technology Law Institute (October 2013)
- “What’s Left of the Voting Rights Act?” (panelist) – U.S. Supreme Court Update, State Bar of Georgia (October 2013)
- “Training Extern Supervisors for Those Who Haven’t Done Much of This Before” – AALS Clinical Conference (poster presentation) (San Juan, Puerto Rico, April 2013)

(with Kendall Kerew, Georgia State Univ., and Paul Bennett and Lorraine Gin, Arizona State Univ.)

- “The Future of Affirmative Action Following *Fisher v. University of Texas*” (panelist) – Vance Forum on the Bill of Rights, Atlanta Chapter of the Federal Bar Association (April 2013)
- “Shades of Gray: The Future of Affirmative Action in Higher Education” (panelist) -- UGA Working in the Public Interest Conference (Athens, GA, March 2013)
- Professionalism in the Appellate Process (panelist) – State Bar of Georgia, Appellate Practice Seminar (March 2013)
- *Apple v. Samsung* Litigation (presentation created by Prof. Tim Holbrook) – State Bar of Georgia, Technology Law Section Winter Meeting (January 2013)
- “Technology Law Update” – State Bar of Georgia, Technology Law Section, Technology Law Institute (October 2012)
- “Ethical Issues Arising in Externships” – Pathways to the Profession, Georgia Association for Legal Externships (June 2012) (with Alex Scherr, Univ. of Ga.)
- Professionalism in the Appellate Process (moderator) –State Bar of Georgia, Appellate Practice Seminar (February 2012)
- “Using Internet-Based Evidence in the Courtroom” – Georgia Trial Lawyers Association (January 2012)
- “Externships in the 21st Century: Paperless Systems” – Externships 6 (Boston, MA, March 2012) (with Lisa Cannon, Valparaiso, Janine Zanin, UNC-Chapel Hill, and Helene Yatrakis McNanna, Fordham)
- “Technology Law Update” – State Bar of Georgia, Technology Law Section, Technology Law Institute (October 2011)
- Kessler-Eidson Program for Trial Techniques (attorney facilitator) – Emory University School of Law (Spring 2011)
- “Georgia Technology Law Update” (panelist) – State Bar of Georgia, Technology Law Section, Winter Quarterly Meeting/CLE (December 2010)
- “Running for Public Office” (moderator) – Atlanta Bar CLE (September 2010)
- “Technology Law Practice” (panelist) – Georgia State University School of Law, IP Law Society (September 2009)

- Seminar Leader/Moderator for Bondurant, Mixson & Elmore in-house Supreme Court Lunch series: *Sell v. U.S.* (2003), *Rasul/Padilla/Hamdi* (2004), *McCreary County v. ACLU/VanOrden v. Perry* (2005), *Hamdan* (2006), *Massachusetts v. EPA* (2007), *Seattle School District No.1* (2007), *Caperton* (2009), and *Iqbal/Twombly* (2009)
- “Georgia Appellate Jurisdiction” – State Bar of Georgia, Appellate Practice Seminar (February 2009 and February 2010)
- “Using Case and Document Management Software in Litigation” – Bondurant, Mixson & Elmore in-house CLE (February 2007)
- “Writing an Effective Statement of Facts” and “The Argument: Research and Writing” – Appellate Nuts and Bolts (GPDSC Public Defender training) (Mercer Univ. School of Law, Macon, GA, May 2006)
- Speaker on election rights/procedures at volunteer training sessions, citizen information panels, press conferences and media interviews on behalf of Election Protection (2004-2016)

Publications

- Writing Consultant (Ch. 3 author), Institute of Medicine Board on Health Sciences Policy, *Ethical Considerations for Research Involving Prisoners*, National Academies Press (2006)
- With Richard Redding, *The Legal Context of School Violence: Effectiveness of Federal, State & Local Law Enforcement Measures to Reduce Gun Violence in Schools*, LAW & POLICY, 23(3), 297-343 (2001)
- With Richard Redding, *Legal Liability Issues Concerning Pre-Adjudicatory Drug Testing of Detained Individuals*, U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, NCJ 183500 (1999)

Emory Law School Activities

- Chair, Skills & Experiential Learning Committee, 2017 to Fall 2019 (Member, 2011-Fall 2019)
- Adjunct Review Committee, 2018-Fall 2019
- Chair, Clerkship Committee Jan. 2013-2014 (Member, 2012-2018)
- Information Technology Strategy Committee, 2014-2016

- Secretary, Emory Law School Chapter of the Order of the Coif, 2013-Fall 2019
- Task Force on Practice-Based Education, 2013-2014
- Digital Learning Committee, 2012-2013
- Chair, Public Interest (Faculty) Committee, 2011-2013
- Faculty Advisor, Civil Rights and Liberties Moot Court Competition, 2017-Fall 2019
- Faculty Advisor, Social Enterprise at Emory Law, 2015-Fall 2019
- Faculty Advisor, Emory Law School Chapter of the American Constitution Society, 2012-Fall 2019
- Faculty Advisor, Emory Law School Supreme Court Advocacy Program, 2012-Fall 2019
- Faculty Advisor, Emory Public Interest Committee, 2011-2012

Other Professional Activities

- Chair, AALS Externships Subcommittee, Seminar Faculty Training and Development Group, 2018-present
- AALS Externships Subcommittee, Communications (Lextern Web) Group, 2018-present
- State Bar of Georgia, Committee on Professionalism, 2013-Fall 2019
- Georgia Association for Legal Externships (GALE) (founding member), 2011-Fall 2019
- Chair, 2004-2008, and Law School Chapter Liaison, 2011-Fall 2019, Executive Board of the Georgia Lawyer Chapter of the American Constitution Society (Founding Member, 2004-Fall 2019)
- Externships 9 Conference Planning Committee (2017-2018)
- Cochair, 2014 and 2016, and Chair, 2012, Georgia Legal Coordinating Committee for Election Protection (Member, 2004-2018)
- Chair, 2015- 2016, Vice-Chair, 2014-2015, Secretary, 2013-2014, and Journal Editor, 2011-2013, Executive Board of the Georgia State Bar Technology Law Section (Member, 2008-2016)

- Board of Directors of the ACLU of Georgia, 2012-2014
- Atlanta Bar Association Law School Outreach Committee, 2012-2014
- Georgia State Bar Next Generation Courts Commission, Technology Subcommittee (formerly Committee on Electronic Court Filing), 2008-2013
- Chair, 2011-2012 and Vice-Chair, 2010-2011, CLE Board of the Atlanta Bar Association (Member 2009-2012)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- State Bar of Georgia, Appellate Practice Section and Privacy & Technology Law Section
- Atlanta Bar Association, Litigation Section and Small Firm/Solo Practitioner Section
- American Constitution Society, Georgia Lawyer Chapter
- AALS Clinical Section, Externships Subcommittee
- CLEA

BAR ADMISSIONS

Admitted to practice: Dec. 2001 (Georgia) (active)

Court admissions:

- United States Supreme Court
- U.S. Courts of Appeals: 11th Circuit and Federal Circuit
- U.S. District Courts: Northern and Middle Districts of Georgia
- U.S. Court of Federal Claims
- Georgia Supreme Court and Georgia Court of Appeals