

## Curriculum Vitae

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Professor of Law (2018-present), *Touro College Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center, New York*; Acting Associate Dean of Student Services (Spring/Summer 2016); Visiting Professor of Law (2016-2018)

Professor of Law (tenured, 1995; on leave 2016-present), Valparaiso University School of Law (Indiana)

Previous positions:

- Visiting Professor of Law, *Indiana University School of Law—Indianapolis, Indiana*, Spring 2012.
- Visiting Professor of Law, *University of Kansas School of Law, Lawrence, Kansas*, Fall 2010.
- Visiting Professor of Law, *Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, Missouri*, Summer 1995.
- Visiting Associate Professor of Law, *University of Missouri--Kansas City School of Law*, Spring 1995.
- Associate Professor of Law, *Valparaiso University Law School*, 1993-1995.
- Assistant Professor of Law, *Valparaiso University Law School*, 1990-1993.
- Bigelow Teaching Fellow and Lecturer in Law, *University of Chicago Law School*, 1989- 1990.
- Judicial Clerk, the Honorable Pasco M. Bowman, *United States Court of Appeals--Eighth Circuit*, 1988-89; Judicial Clerk, the Honorable John W. Oliver, *United States District Court, Western District of*

Missouri, Kansas City, 1986-88.

- Visiting Professor, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Associate Dean for Faculty Development, Arizona Summit Law School (2012-2015)

### **Education:**

**J.D., Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, Missouri, 1986.**

*Order of the Coif*

*Charles Wendell Carnahan Prize AmJur Awards: Conflict of Laws, Commercial Paper; BNA Outstanding Student Award; Golden Quill Award (Best Brief—Wiley Rutledge Moot Court Competition)*

**B.A., English and Music, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas, 1982.**

*Phi Beta Kappa*

*Sigma Alpha Iota Outstanding Senior in Music; Mortar Board; Golden Key Honor Society; Cardinal XXX Ambassador*

### **Publications:**

- *Broadnax v. Gonzalez*, opinion rewritten for Feminist Torts Judgments (with Eileen Kaufman) (forthcoming, Cambridge University Press, 2019).
- *He Said/She Said: Integrating Torts and Civil Procedure for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Curriculum* (with Brigham Fordham and Ann Woodley), *Journal of Legal Education*, December 2017

- *Migratory Litigation* (work in progress 2019)
- *Lessons from Litigation: The Resurrection of the Jury Through the Citizens' Initiative Project* (work in progress 2019)
- *National Juries for National Cases: Preserving Citizen Participation in Large-Scale Litigation*, 83 N.Y.U. L. REV. 411 (2008)

(shorter version of NYU article also chosen for inclusion in on-line consortium of law review pieces from Stanford, NYU, Georgetown; Consortium piece posted at <http://legalworkshop.org>); cited in *Fleming v. Chicago Transit Authority*, 397 Fed App. 249 (7<sup>th</sup> Cir. 2010); *Williams v. City of Cleveland*, 848 F.Supp.2d 646 (N.D. Miss. 2012).

- *For Jack, Man of the Book*, 44 VAL. U. L. REV. 1287 (2010)
- *The Dilution Effect: Federalization, Fair Cross-sections and the Concept of Community*, 54 DEPAUL L. REV. 401 (2004)  
 --cited in *United States v. Bates*, 2009 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 117073 (E.D. Mich. Dec. 15, □2009); *United States v. Green*, 389 F. Supp. 2d 29 (D. Mass. 2005); *United States v. Young*, 376 F. Supp. 2d 787 (M.D. Tenn. 2005)
- *Unequal Racial Access to Kidney Transplantation* (with Ian Ayres and Robert Gaston), book chapter, IAN AYRES, PERVASIVE PREJUDICE: UNCONVENTIONAL EVIDENCE OF RACE AND GENDER DISCRIMINATION (University of Chicago Press, 2001)
- *Stumbling Toward Equity: The Government's Role in Kidney Transplantation*, 1998 UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS LAW REVIEW 703 (with Robert Gaston)
- *The Cult of Finality: Rethinking Collateral Estoppel in the Postmodern Age*, 31 VAL. U. LAW REV. 43 (1996) (inaugural lecture).
- *Our Juries, Our Selves: The Power, Perception and Politics of the*

*Civil Jury*, 80 CORNELL L. J. 325 (1995).

- *The Importance of Diverse Juries*, INDIANA LAWYER (op-ed, May 18, 1994).
- *The Public Conscience in the Courtroom*, INDIANAPOLIS STAR (op-ed, March 7, 1994).
- *The Cult of Rationality: A Review of Stephen Carter's THE CULTURE OF DISBELIEF*, 57 CRESSET No. 6 at 33 (April 1994).
- *Racial Equity in Renal Transplantation*, JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION (September 15, 1993) (with Ian Ayres, Robert Gaston and Arnold Diethelm) *cited in* WASHINGTON POST (September 15, 1993), BOSTON GLOBE (September 15, 1993), NEWSDAY (September 15, 1993)
- *Unequal Racial Access to Kidney Transplantation*, 46 VANDERBILT L. REV. 805 (1993)(with Ian Ayres and Robert Gaston).
- *Sounds of Silence on the Civil Jury*, 26 VAL. U. LAW. REV. 405 (1992) *cited in* WALL STREET JOURNAL (JUNE 4, 1992), CHICAGO TRIBUNE (MAY 26, 1992), INVESTORS BUSINESS DAILY (AUG. 7, 1992)
- *Equal Protection and the Procedural Bar Doctrine in Federal Habeas Corpus*, 59 FORDHAM L. REV. 737 (1991)
- *First Amendment Restrictions on Title I Programs in Private Schools*, 30 WASH. U. J. URBAN & CONTEMP. L. 295 (1986).

### **Honors:**

- Distinguished Young Alumna Award, Washington University School of Law, April 2009
- Distinguished Teaching Award, Valparaiso University Alumni

Association (campus-wide teaching award) 2009-10

- Michael & Dianne Swygert Research Fellow, 2008-2010
- Hiller Distinguished Service Award, Valparaiso University School of Law, 2007
- Michael and Dianne Swygert Teaching Fellow, 2004-06
- Class Advisor (2003, 1993) (chosen by class to speak at graduation)
- 2001-02 “Faculty Member of the Year” Valparaiso University School of Law
- Commencement “Hooder”—chosen by graduating classes to confer doctoral hoods: 1995, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2014, 2015
- First recipient, VUSL *Gromley Distinguished Teaching Award*, 1992-93.

### **Selected Presentations:**

- *Migratory Litigation*, Touro Law Center, 2017
- *He Said, She Said: Integrating Torts and Civil Procedure for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Law Classroom*, CUNY Law; Touro Law Center (Fall 2016)
- *By the People*: ASU Democracy Conference, Arizona State University School of Public Policy, Phoenix, Arizona, December 2015
- Society of American Law Teachers (SALT) Conference, *He Said, She Said: Integrating Torts and Civil Procedure for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Law Classroom*, UNLV October 2014
- *Migratory Litigation*, Scholar Exchange Program, University of Arkansas, April 2014

- Faculty Presentation, *When Litigation Migrates*, University of Kansas School of Law, January 2012
- Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, *Migratory Litigation*, Honolulu, June 2012.
- Law and Society Association, Author meets Reader: Perceptions in Litigation and Mediation, Chicago, May 2010
- *National Juries*, **Yale Law School**, February 2009
- Jury Presentation, Inns of Court, Porter County (October 2007; April 2005).
- The American Jury, Law Day Presentation, Elkhart Bar Association, May 2005.
- Review of Philip Roth's *The Human Stain*, University Books and Coffee series, February 2001.
- "Everything Old is New Again," –CLE program on Legal Ethics (April 2000).
- "Seven Deadly Sins of Law Practice" --Bridge the Gap program (May 1998).
- *University of Illinois, Is America's Health Care System in Mortal Peril?* (December 1997).
- Panelist, Plenary Session of the **Indiana Bench-Bar Conference on Civility in the Profession**, Indianapolis, IN (May 1995).
- Mothers under the Law, *Film and the Law*, Kansas City, MO (April 1995)
- *University of Missouri--Kansas City*, Juries and Women (presentation for Women's History Month, March 1995)

- *Panelist, Association of American Law Schools*, Civil Procedure panel on proposed changes to Federal Rule 26, New Orleans, LA (January 1995).
- *Stanford Law School*, Palo Alto, CA (November 1993)(presentation on women and juries to law faculty).
- *Society of American Law Teachers Conference*, Minneapolis, MN (September 1994); Santa Clara, CA (October 1993)(co-chair of Civil Procedure working group).
- *Public Choice Society*, New Orleans, LA (March 1993)(chaired session on positive political theory and the rule of law and gave presentation in session on organ transplant policy).
- *American Bar Foundation*, Chicago, IL (November 1992)(presented paper on kidney transplants and minorities).
- *Law & Society Association*, Philadelphia, PA (May 1992)(presented paper on minority access to kidneys for transplants).
- *Chicago Women Law Professors Colloquium*, University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, IL (June 1992)
- *Valparaiso University Lecture Series on Bicentennial of the Bill of Rights* (November 1991)
- *Valparaiso University Women's Law Student Association* (April 1996 & November 1992)(panel discussions on pornography and feminism).
- *Women's Studies Program at Indiana University--Northwest* (May 1993)(presentation on pornography).
- *Valparaiso University Institute for Law and Pastoral Ministries*

(January 1994).

**Courses Taught:**

- *Civil Procedure I and II*
- *Torts I and II*
- *Constitutional Law I*
- *Complex Litigation*
- *Federal Courts*
- *Conflict of Laws*
- *Law and Society*
- *Feminist Jurisprudence*
- *Legal Process*
- *Lawyering Skills: Foundations*
- *American Legal Studies Practicum*
- *The Legal Profession (Ethics)*
- *Women and the Law* (seminar)
- *Criminal Procedure: Adjudication*



**Selected University, Law School, Professional and Community Service:**

- Elected Member, *American Law Institute* (2000-present); Members Consultative Groups: Project on Aggregate Litigation; Restatement of the Law, Third, Conflict of Laws
- Contributing Editor, *AALS Civil Procedure Section Newsletter*
- Chair, Self-Study Committee, Touro Law Center
- Touro Law Academic Policy Committee, Student Affairs Committee, Honors Committee
- Director, Federal Judge Externship Program, VUSL
- Chair, *Faculty Appointments Committee* (2009-2012), VUSL
- Chair, Tenured Faculty (2006-2010), VUSL
- Advisor, *Valparaiso University Law Review* (1994-2009)
- Campus Judicial Board. Valparaiso University
- Chair, *University Honorary Degrees Committee* (Fall 2002-2010)
- University Academic Freedom and Tenure Hearing Committee (Spring 2010- 2012)
- Strategic Planning Committee (2011-2012), VUSL
- Self-Study Committee (2011- 2012), VUSL
- Chair, Task Force on Hiring Practices (2012), VUSL

- *University Gender Studies Committee (2000-2012), Valparaiso University*
- *University Faculty Grievance Committee*
- *University Judicial Board*
- *Senator, VU Faculty Senate (1996-2000)*
- *University Council member (1996-2000) -member, Executive Committee (1997-2000)*
- *Campus Community Policy Committee (1998-2000)*
- *Chair, Lectures Committee (1997-2000)*
- *Chair, Coif Committee*
- *Co-Coordinator, SALT Teaching Conferences, Minneapolis (1994) & Santa Clara (1993)*
- *Martin Luther King Day (Law School Committee Chair; Focus Session Leader for University)*
- *School of Business, Valparaiso University, Assessment program*
- *University Committee to Enhance Teaching and Learning (1991-1994)*
- *University Teaching Resource Center Leader, Faculty Lunch Seminar  
Micro-Teaching workshop Fireside discussions on teaching issues*
- *Program Director, Law School summer program (Cambridge, England, 1996)*
- *Moot Court: Coach, National Moot Court Teams, 1992; Coach, Environmental Moot Court Team, 1991; Judge, Swygert*

## Competition Semi-final Rounds

- *Law School Musicale* (arranged and performed with the help of student volunteers)
- *Law Clinic Benefit Productions*: co-wrote and produced “Heritage Tonight” (2010); appeared in and co-produced: *Pirates of Penzance*; *HMS Pinafore*; *Trial by Jury*, *Guys & Dolls*, *Bye Bye Birdie*, *Sugar Babies*, *Anything Goes*, *Kiss Me Kate*, *How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying*, *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*
- Valparaiso University Bach Institute Choir
- Camerata Vocal Ensemble (soloist)
- Board of Trustees and Musical Director, Children’s Theatre Workshop, Chicago Street Theatre
- Appeared in numerous productions in local and regional theatres in Phoenix and Indiana
- Renaissance Street Singers, NYC