

STUDENT-CENTERED
INTERACTIVE ENERGETIC
CREATIVE ENTERTAINING PRACTICAL
WELCOMING EMPOWERING INNOVATIVE

A CELEBRATION OF

Teaching

ADAPTIVE COMPASSIONATE
HANDS-ON DYNAMIC IMPACTFUL
SHARE ENCOURAGE
FOCUS ANALYSIS APPLICATION
SUPPORTIVE ORGANIZED
JUSTICE-BASED INCLUSIVE
ENGAGING CAPACITY-BUILDING
APPROACHABLE COMPASSIONATE
COLLABORATIVE PREPARED
PATIENT PRECISE JOYFUL

"GW Law is a place where faculty and students come together to learn and grow from one another—I learn as much from my students each semester as they do from me!"

"I have the opportunity to have an impact, and teach students who will have an impact, on regulatory policy."

"I am inspired by our students' future as competent, principled lawyers who will shape a better legal system."

"I feel privileged to have the opportunity to motivate future generations to advance international law, human rights, and gender issues."

I TEACH AT GW LAW BECAUSE...

"This setting affords wonderful students, engaged faculty, cutting-edge scholarship, experiential learning, wellness considerations, unique D.C. opportunities, and support for student professional development."

"It is a privilege to educate tomorrow's changemakers in addressing the inequities of our legal system and to allow them to be the most thoughtful, reflective, and effective lawyers they can be."

"I hope to inspire the next generation of law students to be passionate about advancing health justice."

"It's a privilege to be part of and represent the leading academic program in my field, at a school where I learned from and now follow in the footsteps of my predecessors (Ralph Nash and John Cibinic), and where I can bask in the reflected glory of our alumni community that plays increasingly important roles in my field and, yes, mentors and employs our current students."

"The transformative work happening here is pivotal and aligns with my commitment to developing practice-ready attorneys who are mindful of every attorney's social responsibility to our global community."

"The fantastic diversity of the student body and students' warmth, intensity, and genuine engagement makes GW Law a wonderful place to teach."

"It has top-notch students with vision and grit."

"I enjoy working with students who are exploring ideas that are new to them."

DEAR COLLEAGUES,

Our mission statement begins, “The George Washington University Law School is a global law school that exists to make an impact on the law through the leadership of our diverse faculty.” This book is evidence of the truth of that statement.

I am thrilled to present this book that recognizes and celebrates the inspiring and innovative teaching done by the GW Law faculty. It assembles the GW Law faculty’s diverse and impressive areas of expertise, well-deserved chairs and honorifics, and the breadth and depth of courses taught during the 2023-24 academic year. But the book does even more. It also captures the extraordinary impact of our faculty through the words of our students. You will see this in the breathtaking range of subjects taught.

Last year, GW Law faculty taught more than 1,000 courses and thousands of students. They ran 19 clinics and worked with 262 students to represent 312 individuals and businesses.

And the numbers only tell part of the story.

Our students tell us the rest. They decided to come to GW Law because of our faculty. They receive the best legal education and the most educational and inspirational experiential opportunities because of our faculty, and they find engaging and fulfilling careers because of what our faculty teaches them both inside and outside of the classroom.

We are GW Law because we have a faculty who are teachers, scholars, and influencers, actively engaged in law practice and in working to improve society through the law. Faculty members who think big thoughts and take bold actions.

The impact, inspiration, and influence of this faculty is unique within the legal academy.

With great gratitude and pride,



DAYNA BOWEN MATTHEW

DEAN AND HAROLD H. GREENE PROFESSOR OF LAW





RANDALL ABATE

ASSISTANT DEAN FOR ENVIRONMENTAL LAW STUDIES

AREA OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

U.S. and International Environmental Law

CLASS TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

International Environmental Law

"Dean Abate is amazing! He is an absolute powerhouse in environmental law and human rights, and this course is directly in his wheelhouse. He is a good lecturer and fosters class discussion, which I loved in the smaller seminar setting. He brings in great guests to speak about particular topics like international finance and climate change, environmental rights amendments, etc. And he is really invested in helping every student craft an excellent paper."



MICHAEL ABRAMOWICZ

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR STRATEGY AND INNOVATION;
OPPENHEIM PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Procedure, Corporations, Intellectual Property

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Corporations
Intellectual Property

"Dean Abramowicz did a phenomenal job. He is engaging, funny, and easy to understand when discussing complex topics. Most of all, you can tell he is excited by the course materials and cares about the content."



CORI ALONSO-YODER

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Fundamentals of Lawyering, Clinical Education, Civil Rights, Immigration Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering I and II
Access to Justice Clinic: Citizenship & Naturalization Division

"Professor Alonso-Yoder is an incredible professor. She has a great command of the course and deeply cares for her students. She has a flexible approach to teaching that allows students to come into their own voice without the pressure to conform to any single style of legal writing. I truly enjoyed this course because of Professor Alonso-Yoder."

JEREMY BEARER-FRIEND

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Tax Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Federal Income Tax

Selected Topics in Tax Policy: Redistribution and Reparations

"Professor Bearer-Friend is one of the best professors I have had at GW. He does an excellent job stimulating student interest in the course material and participation in class. He takes time to provide resources to students that support them in class, in their careers, and through the law school process. I am very lucky to have had the opportunity to learn from him!"



EMILY BENFER

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL LAW; DIRECTOR, HEALTH EQUITY POLICY AND ADVOCACY CLINIC

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

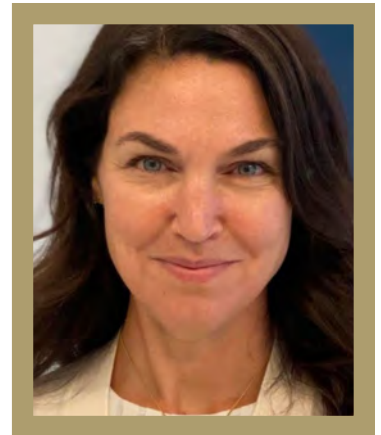
Clinical Teaching, Environmental Justice, Health Law, Housing Law, Public Interest Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Environmental Justice Clinic

Health Equity Policy and Advocacy Clinic

"Professor Benfer is exactly the type of professor every student needs in law school. I was able to participate in her clinic for two semesters, and for the entire year, she was engaged, excited, and ready to help her students help our clients. The HEPA Clinic pushes students outside of their comfort zones in the best way. Professor Benfer expects, and demands, that her students perform at their best. She is so present, and she is there every step of the way to supervise and help students when we need her."



ALBERTO BENITEZ

PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL LAW; DIRECTOR, IMMIGRATION CLINIC

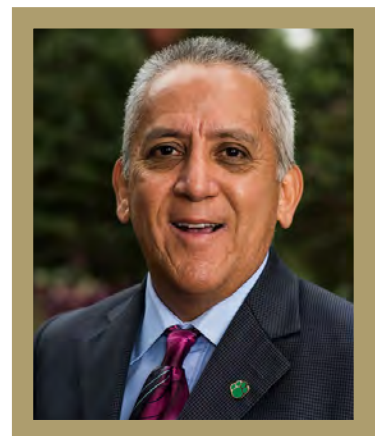
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Immigration Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Immigration Law

"Professor Benítez is such a great professor and mentor! He is very experienced and knowledgeable but most importantly he is very supportive. I loved that he was always available and would sit with you and have conversations whenever. He is really one of the best professors I have ever had. I have learned so much."





PAUL SCHIFF BERMAN

WALTER S. COX PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Administrative Law, Civil Procedure, Conflicts of Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Administrative Law
Civil Procedure
Conflicts of Law
Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Law School Classroom

"Professor Berman is one of the best professors at GW Law because he trains students to become excellent attorneys. He is always eager to help others and teaches students to think outside the box and develop creative arguments. Professor Berman is a clear, organized, and engaging professor who also mentors students to teach them life skills for success."



FRANCESCA BIGNAMI

LEROY SORENSON MERRIFIELD RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Administrative Law, Privacy Law, Law of the European Union

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Administrative Law
Comparative Law
Law of the European Union

"Professor Bignami is excellent at explaining issues, doesn't waste any time during class, and is very nice to students."



NATALIA BLINKOVA

ACTING WRITING CENTER COORDINATOR; ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Complex Legal Analysis, Professional Identity Formation, Strategic Thinking

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering
Writing Fellow Course

"Professor Blinkova is absolutely exceptional. I am beyond grateful to have had her as my legal writing professor for 1L. I truly cannot articulate enough how formative her class has been. For someone who enjoys writing but struggles with being confident in my abilities, I appreciated Professor Blinkova's academic and professional support tremendously."

DONALD BRAMAN

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

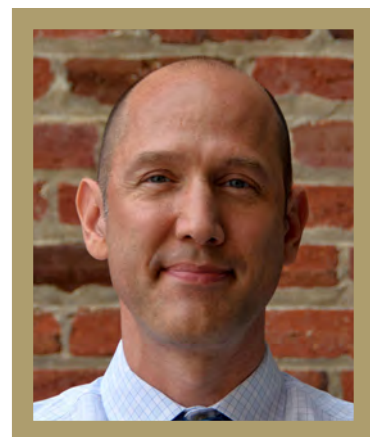
Criminal Justice Reform, Criminal Law, Data Science, Evidence

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Evidence

Justice Innovation Lab @ GW

"This was a great course. Non-traditional and not your average law school course. Covering real world, pressing topics that need to be addressed in criminal justice. The class gives you an opportunity to work on projects that help real-life prosecutors with real problems! Highly recommend."



ROBERT BRAUNEIS

MICHAEL J. MCKEON PROFESSOR OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW;
CO-DIRECTOR, GW CENTER FOR LAW AND TECHNOLOGY; CO-DIRECTOR,
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW PROGRAM

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Artificial Intelligence, Copyright, Trademark

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Copyright Law

Law in the Algorithmic Society

Trademark and Unfair Competition Law

"This was an incredibly interesting and well-structured course with a knowledgeable, passionate, and kind professor. I particularly enjoy how he interweaves current developments, news, and events in copyright law . . . it was always fascinating to have these developments play a factor in class conversations."



KAREN BROWN

THEODORE RINEHART PROFESSOR OF BUSINESS LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Corporate Taxation, Federal Income Taxation, International Taxation

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Corporate Taxation

Federal Income Taxation

International Taxation

"Professor Brown is amazing. She takes a complex subject and makes students interested in learning about it through her passion. Professor Brown cares about her students on a deeper level, both in and out of the classroom. She turns "dry" material into engaging class content and sparks conversations about real-life applications of the tax code."





LESLIE CALLAHAN

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

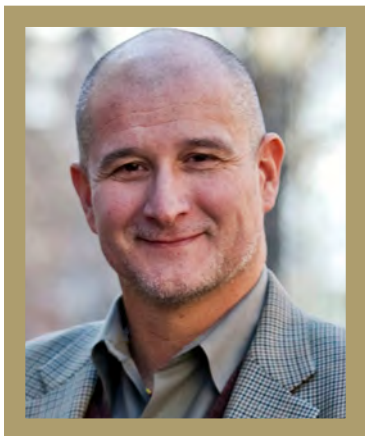
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Legal Writing and Communication

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering

"There are not enough words to communicate how much of an impact Professor Callahan has had on my experience this semester as well as the experiences of my peers. The first semester of law school can be daunting, and she has done an amazing job at acknowledging this and giving us the tools to move through law school. She not only provides great feedback on our writing and professional skills but has just been a welcoming person in general."



ARTURO CARRILLO

PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Advocacy, Civil Rights, Human Rights, International Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Civil and Human Rights Law Clinic

"Professor Carrillo puts a lot of thought into the organization and structure of the clinic, and it comes through. He has an excellent style of teaching and regularly provides helpful feedback to students."



ASHLEY CARTER

VISITING ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Clinical Teaching, Family Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Access to Justice Clinic: Criminal Appeals Division

Access to Justice Clinic: Family Law Division

"Ashley really cares about her students. She will follow up with every concern her students have and she's always willing to help and try her best to let her students learn what they want to learn. Thank you Ashley for being such a great supervisor and mentor this semester!"

CAROLINE CECOT

VISITING ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Administrative Law, Energy Law, Environmental Law, Law and Economics, Torts

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Environmental Law

Seminar in Environmental Law and Economics

Torts

"Professor Cecot's enthusiasm is infectious and keeps us engaged in class. She is extremely knowledgeable about the subject, and it was easy to ask questions. I learned SO much in one semester."



JONATHAN CEDARBAUM

PROFESSOR OF PRACTICE FOR NATIONAL SECURITY, CYBERSECURITY,
AND FOREIGN RELATIONS LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Cybersecurity, Legal Drafting, Legislation and Regulation

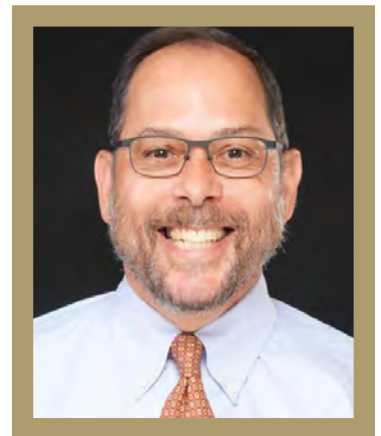
CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Cybersecurity

Legal Drafting

Legislation and Regulation

"Professor Cedarbaum is very kind and makes himself available for his students. He will leave you with a great understanding of the material."



ROSA CELORIO

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LEGAL STUDIES
AND BURNETT FAMILY DISTINGUISHED PROFESSORIAL LECTURER IN
INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LAW AND POLICY

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Climate Change, Indigenous Peoples, International Law, Human Rights (universal and regional systems), U.S. Constitutional Law, Women's Rights and Intersectional Discrimination

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

International Human Rights of Women

International Law

International Law of Human Rights

"Dean Celorio has been such a compassionate, intelligent, and insightful professor. I admire how she frequently presents multiple sides of topics and creates space for nuance and conversation on critical conversations. On a personal note, she's been one of the strongest advocates for me in my professional career, and I've learned a tremendous amount about what it takes to be a good leader, professor, and person."





STEVE CHARNOVITZ
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

International Trade, International Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Advanced International Trade Law
International Business Transactions
International Trade Law

"Professor Charnovitz was very effective at teaching private international law. He is very clearly passionate about these issues and teaches them effectively and comprehensively to students."



MARY CHEH
ELYCE ZENOFF RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Constitutional Law, Criminal Procedure

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Constitutional Law I
Criminal Procedure

"Professor Cheh is very knowledgeable and enthusiastic about constitutional law. She gives thorough explanations on each class topic and often checks to make sure students understand the material."



BRADFORD CLARK
WILLIAM CRANCH RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Procedure, Constitutional Structure, Federal Courts

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Civil Procedure

"I believe that Professor Clark is perhaps the best professor that I have ever had in undergraduate, graduate, or so far in law school. He presents often times difficult information in a way that is very digestible. He understands that our knowledge is limited and fills us in on the law in its entirety. I felt that Professor Clark brought energy every day and was genuinely excited to teach the subject."

TOM COLBY

JOHN THEODORE FEY RESEARCH PROFESSOR

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Procedure, Constitutional Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Constitutional Law I

Constitutional Law II

Constitutional Law and the Supreme Court

"Best course I've taken in law school. Professor Colby is not only a top-notch scholar in the field of constitutional law, but he is also a brilliant teacher."



J.P. COLLINS

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Client-centered Problem Solving; Legal Research, Analysis, and Writing; Persuasion and Oral Advocacy; Professional Identity Formation

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering I and II

"Professor Collins monumentally altered the course of my 1L year. The amount of care and focus he put into feedback, review, creating assignments, and his diverse techniques for conveying the subject matter is far beyond what I expected of a law school professor. Not only has he shattered my preconception of the typical law school experience, he has changed my definition of what it is to be a good lawyer."



ROBERT COTTROL

HAROLD PAUL GREEN RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

American and Comparative Legal History

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

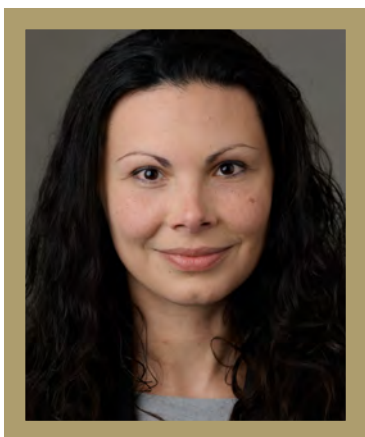
Constitutional Law Seminar

Criminal Law

U.S. Legal History

"Professor Control conveys information in a way that is stimulating and promotes critical thought."





KATYA CRONIN

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Fundamentals of Lawyering

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering I and II

"Professor Cronin was not only my favorite professor in my entire 1L year but also the professor that I think I learned the most from. Her feedback and guidance over the year helped me develop my substantive knowledge, my ability to write comprehensive legal paperwork, and my development as a professional in general."



LOLETTA DARDEN

VISITING ASSOCIATE CLINICAL PROFESSOR; DIRECTOR, INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND TECHNOLOGY CLINIC

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Intellectual Property

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Intellectual Property and Technology Clinic

"Professor Darden truly cares about the development of the clinic students and makes sure everyone has the opportunity to learn all aspects of counseling, prosecution, and litigation. I learned a lot during the clinic and am glad to have been able to participate! Professor Darden is great and very knowledgeable. I learned a lot during this course which will be very beneficial and useful to my career life. This is the most practical and my favorite class at law school."



LAURA DICKINSON

LYLE T. ALVERSON PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

National Security Law, International Human Rights Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

International Human Rights Law

National Security Law

"Professor Dickinson's amazing course on international human rights law played a key role in my decision to apply for this internship and to pursue a career in human rights. The role plays were especially helpful for me to learn how to apply the law in real-world contexts. You gave me the tools, and I am ready for a new series of legal challenges."

WILLIAM DODGE

LOBINGIER PROFESSOR OF COMPARATIVE LAW AND JURISPRUDENCE

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Contracts, International Business Transactions, International Litigation and Arbitration

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Contracts

International Business Transactions

"Professor Dodge teaches us not just how to be great lawyers but also compassionate human beings."



DAVID FONTANA

SAMUEL TYLER RESEARCH PROFESSOR

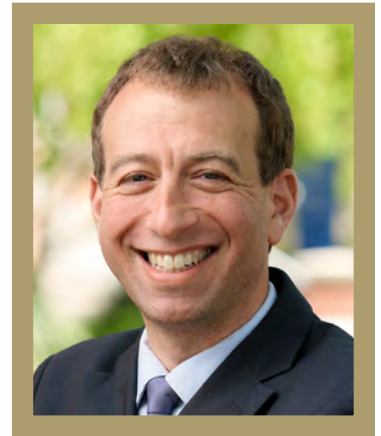
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Constitutional and Comparative Constitutional Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Constitutional Law I and II

"Professor Fontana taught beyond the law itself and brought a sense of humanity to each case that we learned. He has been a continuing support since I took his class, and he has made a significant impact on my law school experience."



MARY ANNE FRANKS

EUGENE L. AND BARBARA A. BERNARD PROFESSOR IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, TECHNOLOGY, AND CIVIL RIGHTS LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Rights Law, Intellectual Property and Technology

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Criminal Law

Family Law

"Professor Franks is amazing. She is smart, funny, and cares deeply about her students. I looked forward to every class. She has such a deep well of knowledge and easily blends current events and history into her lectures."





TERESA GABALDON

LYLE T. ALVERSON PROFESSOR OF LAW; DIRECTOR, ACADEMIC PROGRAMS AND ADMINISTRATION, C-LEAF

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Contracts, Corporations, Law and Accounting, Professional Responsibility, Securities Regulation

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Professional Responsibility
Securities Regulation

"Professor Gabaldon is a fantastic professor who is kind and very attentive to students' needs. She takes very complicated topics and makes them easier to understand and uses a variety of teaching methods to appeal to different ways of learning."



ISELIN GAMBERT

DIRECTOR, FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING PROGRAM; PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING; FACULTY CO-DIRECTOR, ANIMAL LEGAL EDUCATION INITIATIVE

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Animal Law, Feminist Legal Theory, Fundamentals of Lawyering

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering I and II
Gender, Race, Species Reading Group

"Professor Gambert was my favorite professor during my 1L time. She made me genuinely excited about legal writing, and her ability to teach the subject matter was exceptional. Professor Gambert was unique in her ability to explain topics. She also made me genuinely confident in my legal writing ability because she is so encouraging."



ARAM GAVOOR

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS; PROFESSORIAL LECTURER IN LAW; PROFESSOR (BY COURTESY), TRACHTENBERG SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Administrative Law, Constitutional Law, Federal Courts, National Security Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Administrative Law, Issues and Appeals Clinic

"Professor Gavoort is an incredible instructor. He is by far the most organized and the clearest professor I have had thus far in my law school career. He is extremely organized, deliberate in his approach, and willing to entertain varying viewpoints. He is available to students, always takes questions, entertains debate, and is liberal with sharing the materials with the class. He certainly stimulates interest in the subject matter and is a caring, enthusiastic man."

ROBERT GLICKSMAN

J.B. AND MAURICE C. SHAPIRO PROFESSOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

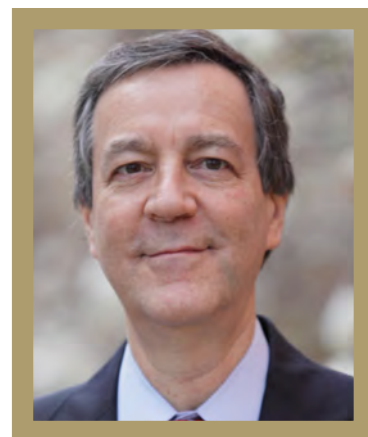
Administrative Law, Environmental Law, Natural Resources Law, Property

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Administrative Law

Regulation of Toxic Substances Risk

"Professor Glicksman is an absolute expert [on environmental law] and ensures that the course is comprehensive, up to date, and engaging. He includes current events and updates, connects the law with real life and its impact on people, and does a great job of simplifying and explaining complicated statutes."



BETHANY GULLMAN

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

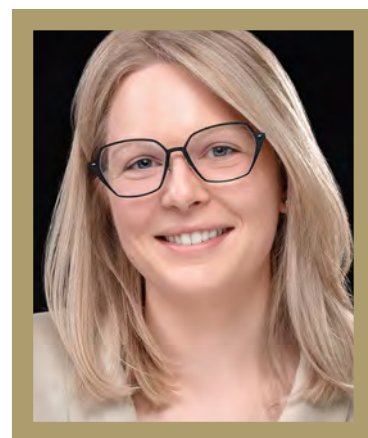
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Fundamentals of Lawyering

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering

"Professor Gullman is charming and persuasive. She is dedicated and focused on making the FL attractive to every student. She never judged me, even though at the beginning, I did not perform well. Instead, she was patient and reached out to me, encouraging me to troubleshoot. I felt comfortable visiting her during office hours, and every time, I received insightful guidance for my legal writing."



JEFFREY GUTMAN

PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL LAW; DIRECTOR, PUBLIC JUSTICE ADVOCACY CLINIC

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Clinical Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Public Justice Advocacy Clinic

"Professor Gutman is kind, understanding, and an extremely effective lawyer and mentor, and I learned a lot from his guidance as well as being able to work with him. Professor Gutman truly cares about us as people and students—he is a tough love professor, but he is trying to help us develop our lawyering skills."





DRAKE HAGNER

VISITING ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL LAW

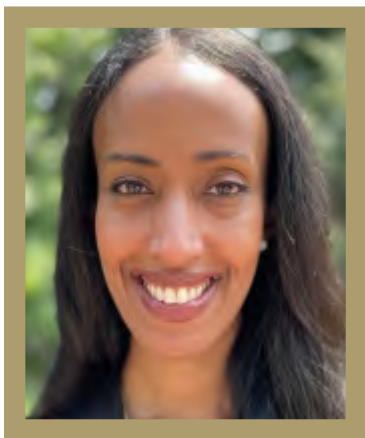
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Clinical Teaching, Health Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Health Rights Law Clinic

"Professor Hagner was the legal mentor I wanted and needed in law school, and under her supervision, I learned so much about myself as a law student, a future lawyer, and even just a person in general. I cannot recommend this legal clinic enough."



LULA HAGOS

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL LAW; DIRECTOR, CRIMINAL DEFENSE AND JUSTICE CLINIC

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Clinical Teaching, Criminal Defense

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Criminal Defense and Justice Clinic

"Professor Hagos is the absolute best! She is so kind and supportive, while also doing a great job challenging students to think for themselves on their cases. I really couldn't think of a professor with a better background and amazing teaching skills for this role than Professor Hagos. She brings so much knowledge and provides such clear instruction. I also love how Professor Hagos takes the time to talk to us about career path insights, too."



EMILY HAMMOND

GLEN EARL WESTON RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW;
FACULTY DIRECTOR, ACADEMIC SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAMS,
GW ALLIANCE FOR A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Administrative Law, Energy Law, Environmental Justice, Environmental Law, Torts

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Administrative Law
Energy Law
Protest Movements in Appalachia
Nonviolent Communication for Lawyers

"Professor Hammond is just wonderful. They make administrative law engaging and interesting (no small task), they show constant respect and empathy for students while having high expectations, and they very clearly explain often convoluted law."

KATHY HESSLER

ASSISTANT DEAN FOR ANIMAL LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Animal Law, Clinical Legal Education

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Access to Justice Clinic: Animal Law Division
Animal Law Foundations

"Dean Hessler pushes you to see animal law, and even the world, from a new perspective. She is incredibly knowledgeable and has some amazing life experiences to share, and she values her students' opinions."



ROBIN JUNI

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Environmental Law, Fundamentals of Lawyering, Mediation, Negotiations

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Environmental Negotiations
Fundamentals of Lawyering

"Professor Juni's role in this journey cannot be overstated. Her undivided attention and genuine care for her students went beyond the norm, making her not only an admirable attorney but a remarkable person. Her guidance was a beacon during times of self-doubt and uncertainty, especially after my first semester grades brought all my fears about my capabilities and intelligence to the forefront. Yet, it was through multiple visits to her office that I began to see my own growth. Skills I hadn't thought I could develop started feeling almost second nature, proving to me that perseverance and the right mentorship could indeed turn my aspirations into reality."



CHERYL KETTLER

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Legal Research, Writing, and Analysis

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering I and II

"Professor Kettler has made my 1L year. She has taught me how to be a strong legal writer and oral advocate. ... She clearly lays out how to complete her assignments, provides useful feedback, and makes herself available at every possible hour she has to help her students. She goes above and beyond by providing job and internship guidance, postings for opportunities she came across, and general life guidance."





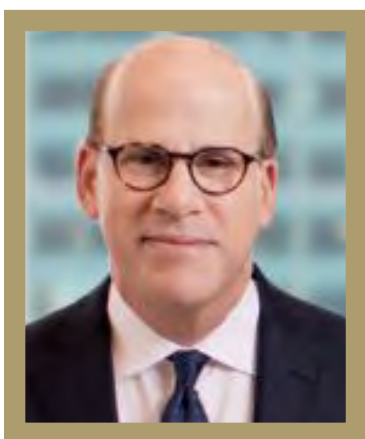
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STEVENSON BERNARD PROFESSOR OF LAW; FACULTY DIRECTOR, THE CENTER FOR LAW, ECONOMICS & FINANCE

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

"Very nice and caring professor who genuinely wants students to learn and engage with the material, Patents is very complex, and he does his best to make it as digestible as possible."



JEFFREY KOHN

PROFESSOR OF PRACTICE FOR BUSINESS AND FINANCE LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Business Lawyering (GWN), Employment Law, Labor Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Employment Law
Labor Law

"Professor Kohn is incredible. He brings his years of experience practicing in New York and his expertise to his teaching style. It is rare to find a practitioner who is also an extraordinary teacher. He is engaging, caring and incredibly clear in the way he conveys information."



LAURIE KOHN

SENIOR ASSOCIATE DEAN, ACADEMIC DEVELOPMENT, GRADUATE PROGRAMS, AND ONLINE LEARNING; JACOB BURNS FOUNDATION ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR CLINICAL AFFAIRS; ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL LAW; DIRECTOR, FAMILY JUSTICE LITIGATION AND ACCESS TO JUSTICE CLINIC

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Access to Justice, Domestic Violence, Family Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Access to Justice Clinic
Racial Equity and Social Justice in Public Interest Lawyering

"Dean Kohn is honestly amazing; she is approachable, kind, knowledgeable, and happy to help problem solve when issues do come up. I'm so happy that I joined this clinic with Dean Kohn."

WILLIAM KOVACIC

GLOBAL COMPETITION PROFESSOR OF LAW AND POLICY; PROFESSOR OF LAW;
DIRECTOR, COMPETITION LAW CENTER

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Antitrust

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Advanced Antitrust Law
Antitrust Law

"Professor Kovacic is such a great professor. Lectures are engaging and his passion for the material passes seamlessly on to the students in the lecture."



CYNTHIA LEE

EDWARD F. HOWREY PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Adjudicatory Criminal Procedure, Criminal Procedure, Professional Responsibility

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Adjudicatory Criminal Procedure
Criminal Procedure
Professional Responsibility

"I absolutely LOVE Professor Lee's style of teaching. Her ability to intellectually challenge students through exercises and posing 'think, pair, share' questions throughout the class is super helpful. She has a way about her that is warm and welcoming. I think it speaks to Professor Lee's lectures when you have students, like myself, wanting to take multiple classes she teaches."



RENEE LETTOW LERNER

DONALD PHILLIP ROTHSCHILD RESEARCH PROFESSOR

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Legal History, Comparative Law, Criminal Procedure

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Criminal Procedure
History of the Common Law

"Professor Lerner did a fabulous job of connecting the historical content with modern practices. Additionally, her real-world knowledge, expertise, and stories complemented the textbook brilliantly."





HEIDI LIU

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

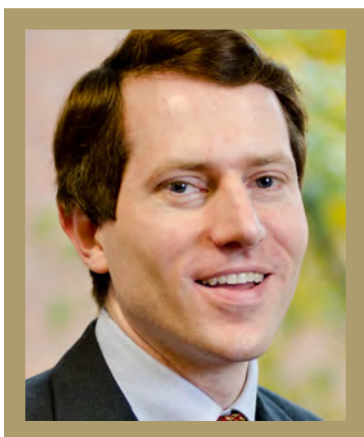
Evidence, Torts, Law and Social Science

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Evidence

Public Law Seminar: Scams

"Professor Liu is the most 'hip' professor I have had in law school and is an absolute hoot. At the same time, she is incredibly engaging and knowledgeable and is obviously a master of and fascinated by the study of evidence."



JEFFREY MANNS

ASSOCIATE DEAN, PROFESSIONAL OUTCOMES; PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Banking, Corporations, Property, Securities Regulation, Venture Capital Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Banking

Property

Securities Regulation

Venture Capital Law

"Professor Manns shines in his ability to go the extra mile to ensure that the investment in law school pays off. He devotes a lot of time to ensuring that students are employed after law school. This level of student orientation sometimes feels difficult to find at GW."



DAYNA BOWEN MATTHEW

DEAN AND HAROLD H. GREENE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Rights Law, Constitutional Law, Public Health Law,

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Public Health Law

"Dean Matthew is a fantastic professor. Coming into this course, I knew I would enjoy learning about public health as it relates to law and ethics; however, never having taken a public health class, I did not know what exactly to expect. The interdisciplinary nature of the sessions along with the wide range of subjects we covered was really fantastic, and I am very grateful for the opportunity to take this class."

BROOKE ELLINWOOD MCDONOUGH

ACTING COORDINATOR OF SCHOLARLY WRITING; ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Fundamentals of Lawyering, Scholarly Writing

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

On Leave 2024-2025

"Professor McDonough is everything you could want from a professor and then some. She is very patient with her students and understands how to convey the material in a manner students will understand. She is excellent at providing feedback to students in a very constructive manner. In my eyes, Professor McDonough crystalizes all the community principles that GW Law represents."



CATLIN MEADE

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

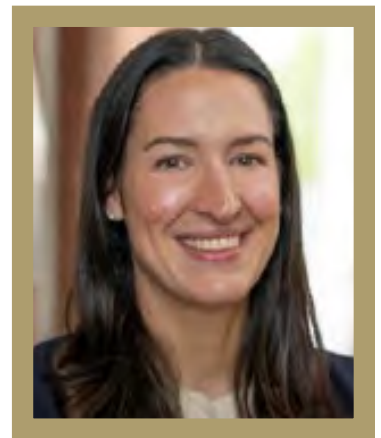
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Foundational Legal Skills

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering I and II

"[Professor Meade's] practical experiences combined with her genuine care for our progress is on full display during class. She goes out of her way during office hours and is available to offer real-world advice on the legal field along with specific advice for our assignments."



JOAN MEIER

NATIONAL FAMILY VIOLENCE LAW CENTER PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL LAW;
DIRECTOR, NATIONAL FAMILY VIOLENCE LAW CENTER, GW

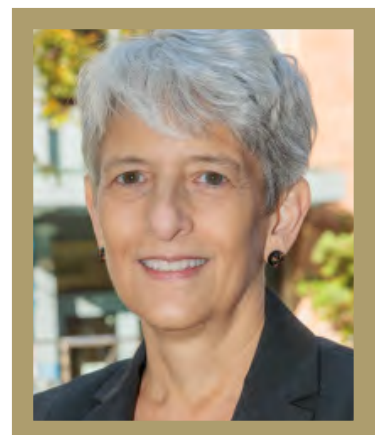
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Clinical Teaching, Domestic Violence, Family Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Domestic Violence Project

"[Professor Meier] teaches difficult topics with sensitivity and encourages students to think about things in ways they haven't before."





DALIA TSUK MITCHELL

LOUIS HARKEY MAYO RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW; PROFESSOR OF LAW AND HISTORY

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Business Bankruptcy and Reorganization, Corporations, Legal History

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Corporation Law Seminar
Corporations
Selected Topics in Constitutional Law: Law, Critique, and Social Change

"Professor Mitchell challenged me in entirely new ways. Her teaching really challenged how the law operates and expanded my view about what the law could be. I really appreciated that the course materials did not shy away from discussing social justice issues—in fact, it embraced that type of discussion."



BLAKE MORANT

ROBERT KRAMER RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW

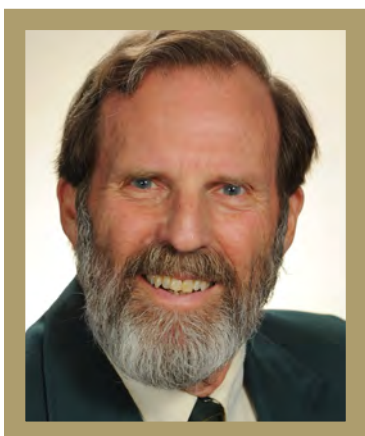
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Administrative Law, Contract Theory, Media Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Contracts
Contracts Law Seminar
Professional Responsibility and Ethics

"Professor Morant is a fascinating teacher; his classroom atmosphere is very relaxed."



ALAN MORRISON

LERNER FAMILY ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR PUBLIC INTEREST AND PUBLIC SERVICE LAW; PROFESSORIAL LECTURER IN LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Procedure, Constitutional Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Civil Procedure
Constitutional Law

"Dean Morrison's class and teaching style was exactly what I always imagined law school and learning about the law would be like and reaffirmed exactly why I wanted to attend law school in the first place. Thank you for helping the law come alive for me in the first semester; it was truly a privilege to learn from him."

SEAN D. MURPHY

MANATT/AHN PROFESSOR OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

International Law, U.S. Foreign Relations Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

International Law

U.S. Foreign Relations Law

"Professor Murphy is fantastic. He breaks down each concept in a way that makes sense to students. He also does a great job at facilitating discussion among students with differing viewpoints."



DAWN NUNZIATO

THE PEDAS FAMILY ENDOWED PROFESSORSHIP; WILLIAM WALLACE KIRKPATRICK RESEARCH PROFESSOR

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

First Amendment, Property, Social Media Regulation

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

First Amendment: Speech and Press Clauses

Property

Social Media Regulation Seminar

"Professor Nunziato is legitimately the best professor I have ever had in all my years of school. She is truly a national treasure. Her passion for the law is one thing, but her passion for inciting the students' passion is extremely unique."



SPENCER OVERTON

THE PATRICIA ROBERTS HARRIS RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Election Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Constitutional Law Seminar: The Role of Multiracial Democracy in the U.S.

"Spencer Overton is the best GW has to offer. He is incredibly knowledgeable and does a great job pulling and pushing students along. The way that he teaches is phenomenal, it is the perfect blend of the Socratic method, student debate, lecture, and in-class activities."





TODD PETERSON

CARVILLE DICKINSON BENSON RESEARCH PROFESSOR

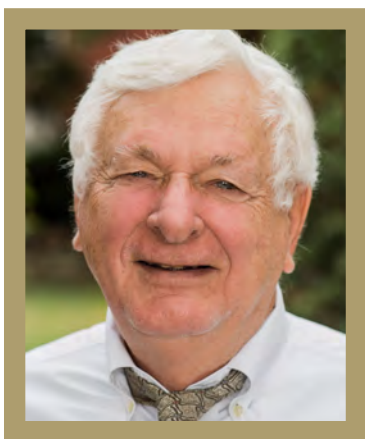
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Procedure, Professional Identity Formation, Separation of Powers

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Civil Procedure

"Professor Peterson is professionalism incarnate. He is easily the best professor I've had in my entire experience in higher education. He teaches, inspires, and leads his classes as if he is personally invested in every student's success."



RICHARD PIERCE

LYLE T. ALVERSON PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Administrative Law, Antitrust, Evidence

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Administrative Law

Antitrust

"Professor Pierce took the time to discuss with us how the rules were developed, the policy considerations behind them, and how they might actually apply in practice, including strategic concerns for litigation. All of that, as well as his clear passion and knowledge on the subject, made this course so much more interesting than I feared."



ERIKA PONT

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING PROGRAM;
COORDINATOR, DEAN'S FELLOW PROGRAM; ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF
FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Lawyering Skills; Legal Research, Writing, and Analysis; Professional Identity

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering I and II

Dean's Fellow Course

"Professor Pont is a once-in-a-lifetime professor. She is passionate, enthusiastic, loving, patient, present, intelligent, kind, communicative, and countless other positive adjectives. My life and career are better from knowing Professor Pont. My writing and analysis have improved immeasurably. I look forward to keeping Professor Pont as my mentor for the rest of my life."

JENNIFER PUSATERI

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Fundamentals of Lawyering

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering

"Professor Pusateri is an amazing professor! I am truly grateful to have such an enthusiastic professor who really cares for her students! She provides constructive feedback, but it is also reaffirming in letting you know that you are making excellent progress."



MICHAEL RAND

ASSISTANT DEAN FOR BUSINESS AND FINANCE LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Asset Pricing, Corporate Finance, Derivatives, FinTech

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Law and Accounting

Selected Topics in Corporate Law (FinTech)

"Amazing professor. Encouraging and supportive not only for the course itself but also for career development."



BARAK RICHMAN

ALEXANDER HAMILTON PROFESSOR OF BUSINESS LAW

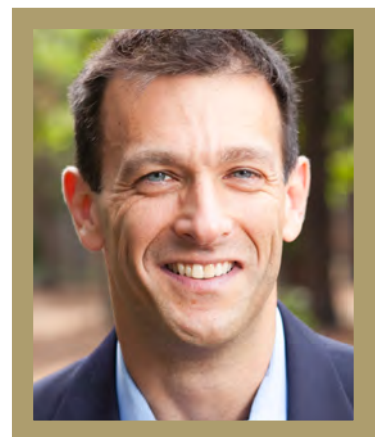
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Antitrust, Contracts, Health Law, Property, Sports Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Property

"Professor Richman's class was the most challenging but most rewarding of my first semester at GW Law. I felt pushed to think differently, and I think it made me a better student and future lawyer."





LAURA RICHMAN

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCE AND HEALTH LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Health Justice

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Health Justice

Public Health Law

"Professor Richman is very knowledgeable about health law and cares a lot about her students' perspectives and well-being. Professor Richman is not only an exceptional professor and scholar, but she is an immensely kind human. Her expertise is evident, as she is able to deliver complex social science and legal information in a simple and effective way. She knows how to get to the root of an issue quickly and fosters dialogue in the classroom that is healthy and insightful."



ALFREDA ROBINSON

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR TRIAL ADVOCACY; PROFESSORIAL LECTURER IN LAW;
CO-DIRECTOR, LITIGATION AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROGRAM

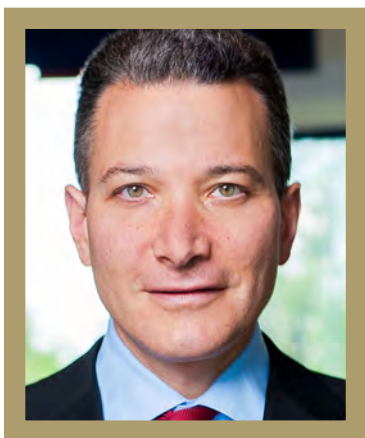
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Litigation and Dispute Resolution

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Professional Responsibility and Ethics

"I think Dean Robinson did a fantastic job this semester! I was very appreciative of the information the Dean has provided. Additionally, I think she did a great job at going through real-life examples and textbook examples."



JEFFREY ROSEN

PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Constitutional Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Constitutional Law II

"One of the best classes I've taken thus far. Professor Rosen's humility really makes this course one in which every student can participate."

MELINDA ROTH

VISITING ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Business and Finance, Sports

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Corporate Finance
Corporations
Sports and the Law

"Best professor I have ever had. Professor Roth makes complicated subjects in corporations very digestible, especially for people like me who have no business background. It is clear how much Professor Roth cares about her students both in and out of the classroom."



STEPHEN SALTZBURG

WALLACE AND BEVERLEY WOODBURY UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR OF LAW; CO-DIRECTOR, LITIGATION AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROGRAM

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Criminal Law and Procedure, Evidence, Prisoner Civil Rights Clinic, Trial Advocacy

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

College of Advocacy
Criminal Procedure
Evidence
Prisoner Civil Rights Clinic

"Professor Saltzburg is amazing. We are so lucky to be taught by a litigator as talented and experienced as him. He gives great feedback and ideas for strategy. I loved his lectures with his own personal stories to illustrate concepts."



JOAN SCHAFFNER

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW; FACULTY CO-DIRECTOR, ANIMAL LEGAL EDUCATION INITIATIVE

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Animal Law, Civil Procedure, Legislation and Regulation, Remedies, Sexuality and the Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Animal Law
Civil Procedure
Legislation and Regulation

"Professor Schaffner is patient, sharp, experienced, able to break down big chunks of rules into understandable pieces, and has many very adorable cats. Wish I could take another course of hers!"





LISA SCHENCK

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR NATIONAL SECURITY, CYBERSECURITY, AND FOREIGN RELATIONS LAW; DISTINGUISHED PROFESSORIAL LECTURER IN LAW

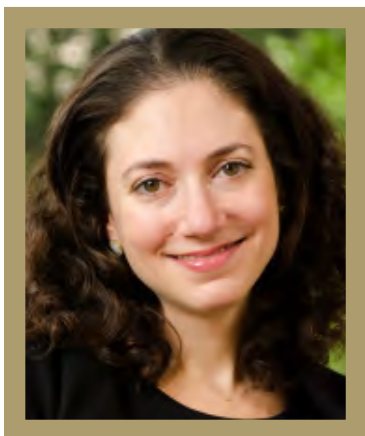
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Military Justice

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Military Justice

"Dean Schenck is a wonderful instructor. Her class was easily my favorite this semester. If you have any interest in the JAG Corps or in national security law generally, you should definitely take her course. She is a knowledgeable and dynamic speaker who makes every effort to connect interested students with other practitioners in the field."



NAOMI SCHOENBAUM

WILLIAM WALLACE KIRKPATRICK DEAN'S RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Employment Discrimination, Employment Law, Gender and the Law, Torts

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Employment Discrimination
Torts

"Professor Schoenbaum was by far the best professor I had this semester. She taught clearly, managed class time well to stick with the syllabus and stay on track, and provided us with incredible study resources. In addition to presenting the material well so that we know all the elements of tort claims and their respective defenses, Professor Schoenbaum also led great discussions about the greater significance of elements and the reasoning behind them."



STEVE SCHOONER

JEFFREY AND MARTHA KOHN SENIOR ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS; NASH AND CIBINIC PROFESSOR OF GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Contracts, Government Contracts

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Contracts
Sustainable Public Procurement (Government Contracts Seminar)

"Thanks to Professor Steven L. Schooner for his support and advice, as well as for his ongoing leadership on environmentally sustainable procurement in the government procurement law community. He truly cares about his students' education, he is motivating and encouraging and he teaches in a well structured manner."

JOSHUA SCHWARTZ

E.K. GUBIN PROFESSOR OF GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS LAW; CO-DIRECTOR,
GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT LAW PROGRAM

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Administrative Law, Government Contracts, Legislation and Regulation, Property

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Government Contracts

"Professor Schwartz is extremely available for help outside class and makes a difficult subject very accessible. Professor Schwartz is a delight. Hilariously funny, incredibly knowledgeable, and very helpful with the densest 1L course."



JONATHAN SIEGEL

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR RESEARCH AND FACULTY DEVELOPMENT; F. ELWOOD
AND ELEANOR DAVIS PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

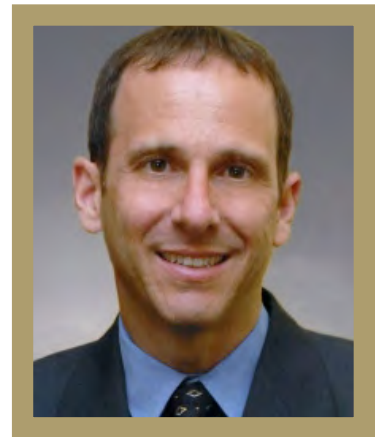
Administrative Law, Civil Procedure, Federal Courts, Legislation and Regulation

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Federal Courts

Legislation and Regulation

"Genuinely one of the best professors I have ever had. It is clear that Professor Siegel cares deeply not only about the law in general, but also (1) about Civil Procedure in particular and (2) about the act of teaching itself. His enthusiasm for the subject matter of the course is infectious. Additionally, his knowledge of the lore behind cases is exceptional and helps provide points of interest to focus learning and frame a narrative for the development of civil procedure, again reinforcing interest and drawing connections between various topics that makes the course as a whole easier to understand/more memorable."



OMARI SCOTT SIMMONS

LYLE T. ALVERSON PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Corporate Governance, Higher Education

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Contemporary Corporate Governance

Corporations

"It is clear that Professor Simmons is knowledgeable about the subject matter and cares to do a good job conveying the complex material. He cares about his students and takes time to help ensure that no one in his class is left behind."





ANITA SINGH

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING PROGRAM;
PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Leadership, Legal Research and Writing, Practice Skills

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering I and II
Lessons in Leadership

"Professor Singh is what it means to go to law school in D.C. I don't think there are many people who can say they have been taught by someone who actively worked for Biden and Obama. I love her presence in the classroom. While she is chill, she also commands the utmost respect. She is funny but keeps it serious when it needs to be. You will learn so much from her if you just listen. She expects a lot from her students but that is because she knows we can GIVE a lot."



PETER SMITH

ARTHUR SELWYN MILLER RESEARCH PROFESSOR

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Procedure, Constitutional Law, Legislation and Regulation,

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Constitutional Law II
Legislation and Regulation

"Professor Smith, you are a machine. If I can achieve, in any category of life, the level of proficiency with which you teach this subject, I will undoubtedly exceed my aspirations of success."



DANIEL SOLOVE

EUGENE L. AND BARBARA A. BERNARD PROFESSOR OF INTELLECTUAL
PROPERTY AND TECHNOLOGY LAW; FACULTY CO-DIRECTOR, GW CENTER FOR
LAW AND TECHNOLOGY

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Intellectual Property, Privacy Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Consumer Privacy and Data Protection: Regulatory Approaches
Information Privacy Law
Law and Literature

"One of my favorite professors at GW Law. Not only did he make the class interesting, but he was personable and able to simplify complex information. His passion for law and technology clearly comes across in his teaching and he is genuinely invested in supporting students through their academic journey and beyond."

ALICIA SOLOW-NIEDERMAN

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

AI Governance and Ethics, Information Privacy, Law and Technology, Legislation and Regulation

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

AI Law and Policy
Information Privacy
Legislation and Regulation

"Professor Solow-Niederman was a very kind and effective professor. She was able to teach an incredibly complex and broad subject matter course in an easily comprehensible way. She treats everyone with respect and takes time to answer questions. I would highly recommend taking courses with this professor if there is an opportunity to do so."



JESSICA STEINBERG

JOHN MARSHALL HARLAN DEAN'S RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW

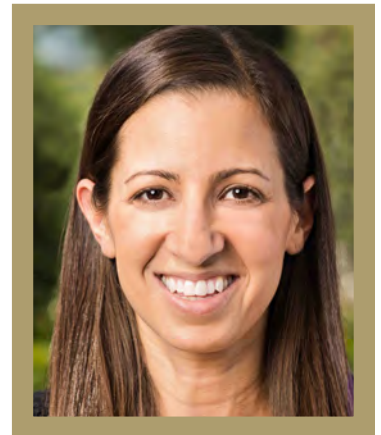
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Procedure, Criminal Procedure, Experiential Teaching

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Access to Justice Clinic
Adjudicatory Criminal Procedure
Civil Procedure

"Professor Steinberg is the epitome of what an excellent law school professor provides for their students. I took this course not only for its practical effect in the criminal law realm, but primarily because I knew Professor Steinberg would go above and beyond to make this course engaging for her students. Despite this being her first year as a doctrinal professor at GW, she exceeded all of my expectations. If you have the opportunity to take a class with Professor Steinberg, please do it. She will teach material in a clear, organized, non-intimidating way, while asking engaging and thoughtful questions that truly bring the subject material to life. Thank you, Professor Steinberg!"



SONIA SUTER

THE HENRY ST. GEORGE TUCKER III DEAN'S RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW;
THE KAHAN FAMILY RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW; FOUNDING DIRECTOR,
HEALTH LAW INITIATIVE

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Genetics and the Law, Law and Medicine, Reproductive Justice, Torts

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Genetics and the Law
Law and Medicine
Reproductive Justice
Torts

"Professor Suter is as knowledgeable as she is passionate about the subject matter of torts. What really came through in class this semester was Professor Suter's dedication to making sure we absorb the information as well as understand how to think like a lawyer should."





EDWARD T. SWAINE

CHARLES KENNEDY POE RESEARCH PROFESSOR

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Contracts, Foreign Relations Law, International Antitrust, International Law

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Contracts

U.S. Foreign Relations Law

"I adore Professor Swaine. He somehow manages to make something as dry as contracts entertaining. You can tell he really cares about his students and what he does as a professor. On top of all of this, he was aware of the difficulties in our schedules (midterms, big deadlines, etc.) and always worked to make things as streamlined as possible."



JESSICA TILLIPMAN

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT LAW STUDIES;
GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS ADVISORY COUNCIL DISTINGUISHED
PROFESSORIAL LECTURER IN GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS LAW, PRACTICE,
AND POLICY

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Anti-Corruption, Compliance, Government Procurement, White Collar Crime

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Anti-Corruption and Compliance

Formation of Government Contracts

Overview of Government Contracts

"Dean Tillipman is beyond exceptional. She creates an amazing environment where she encourages open discussion and critical thinking. Her research work, deep knowledge, and passion for the course is very evident. Being a mom, she knows how to juggle and still do her best; she's always up to date. She's very helpful and considerate. Absolutely love her!"



ROGER TRANGSRUD

JAMES F. HUMPHREYS PROFESSOR OF COMPLEX LITIGATION AND CIVIL
PROCEDURE

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Procedure, Complex Litigation, Remedies

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Civil Procedure

Complex Litigation

Remedies

"You're an amazing professor. Your ability to engage students and make the material digestible is outstanding."

JONATHAN TURLEY

J.B. AND MAURICE C. SHAPIRO PROFESSOR OF PUBLIC INTEREST LAW;
DIRECTOR, ENVIRONMENTAL LAW ADVOCACY CENTER; EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR,
PROJECT FOR OLDER PRISONERS

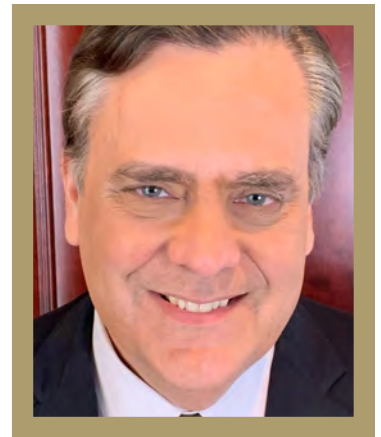
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Constitutional Law, Legal Theory, Torts

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Constitutional Law and the Supreme Court
Torts

"Professor Turley goes above and beyond in his determination to make law school enjoyable. It is a pleasure to attend his lectures, and he is able to relate dense material in real-life examples. Professor Turley has made me feel extremely welcome to be at GW Law."



ROBERT W. TUTTLE

DAVID R. AND SHERRY KIRSCHNER BERZ RESEARCH PROFESSOR OF LAW
AND RELIGION

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Legal Ethics, Real Property, Religion Clauses of the Constitution

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Professional Responsibility/Ethics
Property
Religion Clauses

"Professor Tuttle is exceptional. He does a great job in relaying the material in a clear and organized manner, all while keeping students engaged with the unexpected jokes and use of in-class practice questions. He does a great job in building the intuition in the short amount of time for a condensed course, while also explaining the details in a memorable way."



CHARLES TYLER

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

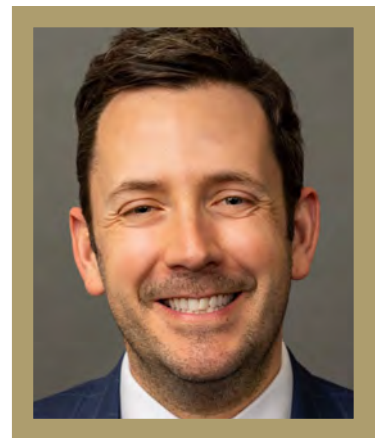
AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Civil Procedure, Constitutional Law, Federal Courts

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Civil Procedure
Public Law

"Professor Tyler consistently goes above and beyond to ensure that...as 1L students [we] not only understand the material but also grow personally and professionally. Whether it's through his thoughtful explanations, his willingness to answer questions, or the extra time he takes to provide guidance outside of class, he has been a tremendous resource and mentor."





TANIA VALDEZ

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Clinical Teaching, Immigration Law, Torts

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Access to Justice Clinic: Citizenship and Naturalization Division
Immigration Law I

"I would highly recommend Professor Valdez for any class. Her teaching style is easy to follow and accessible and is not intimidating while still being intensive and challenging."



JOHN WHEALAN

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW; DIRECTOR, GW CENTER FOR LAW AND TECHNOLOGY

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Intellectual Property

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

The Federal Circuit
Patent Law

"Dean Whealan's exceptional intelligence and innovative academic approaches made a lasting impression on me."



KAYONIA WHETSTONE

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FUNDAMENTALS OF LAWYERING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Appellate Advocacy, Fundamentals of Lawyering

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Fundamentals of Lawyering

"Professor Whetstone is my favorite professor at GW Law. Her class is not easy, but I'm glad that it isn't. I feel like the challenge forced me to improve my craft, develop my skills, and truly learn by throwing me into the fire. I will be forever thankful to her for everything she's done. I'm a more practical, hands-on learner, and Professor Whetstone's ability to give me that avenue for learning has genuinely made me into a better lawyer-to-be and a better man."

KATHRYNE YOUNG

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Evidence, Law and Society

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Criminal Law
Evidence

"Professor Young is a treasure. She is one of the best professors on campus and has successfully created one of the most welcoming and supportive classroom environments. She's always asking for feedback and listens to students in implementing it. Her style of teaching is extremely clear but still in-depth which is amazing. She knows the material extremely well and is very good at answering questions. She's also funny so class is always entertaining."



CHRISTOPHER YUKINS

LYNN DAVID RESEARCH PROFESSOR IN GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT LAW

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERTISE

Government Procurement

CLASSES TAUGHT DURING 2024-25

Comparative Public Procurement
Foreign Government Contracting
Procurement Reform

"Professor Yukins truly cares about his students and works hard to keep them engaged in class. He's very accessible and is willing to work with students on paper topics and answer any questions in class."





"In Copyright Law, I invite students to share something they have created—a song, a poem, a painting, a dance, a video—right before class starts. We get real-life examples to discuss in class, and the students get recognition from their fellow students and get to know each other."



"For the last several years, I have worked across the university to engage with Martina Efodzi (<https://arttherapy.columbian.gwu.edu/martina-efodzi>), a teacher with the Art Therapy Program of GW's Columbian College of Arts and Sciences to offer a capstone workshop on managing professional burnout in the legal profession."



"I have developed an experiential course, Nonviolent Communication for Lawyers, to be offered beginning in spring 2025. This course engages students in practice and role plays meant to foster skills including active listening, a strong client focus, understanding of the client's context, clarity in communication, integrity and honesty, resilience, and client-centered problem-solving, among others. I have incorporated my negotiations expertise into client-centered communication exercises, and my regulatory expertise into rule-commenting exercises."





"I often infuse my courses with real-life experiences, including my own participation and lessons learned in international processes and cases. Students greatly appreciate this as it exemplifies how human rights, women's rights, and international law issues are implemented in practice and ongoing advances and challenges."



"Since spring 2023, I have supervised 11 JD seminar papers and four LLM student thesis papers on a wide range of environmental law topics that have been published in academic law journals throughout the nation."



"Along with Dr. Michael Rand, we started a Financial Literacy seminar series to help our students understand how to invest and save once they graduate (or even before!)."



Economic effects of public restraints

- The main sources of distortions of competition (or market failure) derived from restrictive public procurement rules and practices are 'quasi' monopsonistic and result in:
 - Waterbed effects
 - Pro-collusive features
 - More intense effects in case of centralisation or aggregation of demand



"To help students find their meaningful path in the law, two years ago I worked with Professor Todd Peterson to develop an evolving online resource where our professors could share their wealth of knowledge about different practice areas with our students—and where our students could have a resource for delving into different practice areas, reaching out to helpful mentors, and exploring different career paths. This guide has become an invaluable resource for our students, thanks to the generous contributions of our colleagues."

"In my national security law class, I have developed a wide variety of 'asynchronous' activities that the students can participate in. (For my in-person class, these are optional, and for my on-line class, they are required). I've crafted multiple types of activities, including interactive exercises interpreting treaty text and statutory text, interactive visual representations of key doctrine, and short answer questions that students can respond to through text or uploaded video. The students love having these alternative modalities for learning the material, and they give me another great way to evaluate students beyond exam grades (and to provide recommendations to employers)."



"I teach a seminar that partners students with prosecutors' offices for real-world and highly impactful reform in jurisdictions across the country. Students and professionals work together to make systemic change in furtherance of racial justice and public safety, learn how to work effectively in teams, learn about design thinking, and learn how to make a big impact in a community."

"Each class session I require a few students to speak at the podium for one minute about a random topic provided by their Dean's Fellow. The practice generates confidence to speak publicly and helps them grow in flexibility. The silly topics also help bond them together as a group."

"The College of Advocacy involves two dozen distinguished lawyers and judges who teach alongside me and enable GW law students to benefit from their experiences and insights."



"I enjoy training the next generation of environmental law leaders."

"The students are always engaged and interested in probing what the law is and why it is that way."

"Our students are eager to retain a connection to the dreams and ideals that motivated them to come to this institution."

"The future of U.S. tax law will be written by our graduates."

"We prepare students to make a lasting impact on the law and the world."

I TEACH AT GW LAW BECAUSE...

"I can make a real-world impact through my teaching and scholarship."

"I love being in a city that makes policy in my fields and others, with colleagues who feel the same way."

"I am always learning how to become a better teacher!"

"I love playing a role in the legal education of such a large group of talented students from diverse backgrounds."

"Our students are engaged, excited, and enthusiastic about practicing law in the nation's capital."

"Law teaching is my calling, and GW is a welcoming, dynamic, and thriving environment."

"Our curriculum and the faculty that teaches it puts our students in the best position to succeed as future lawyers and leaders."

"I get to be a part of an incredibly innovative program, teach at the cutting-edge of my field, work alongside supportive and talented colleagues, and mentor passionate and motivated students."

"I love helping students pursue careers in national security and human rights, and I have mentored many students over the years who have flourished in these fields."

"GW is uniquely situated to help students become outstanding practical problem solvers. I enjoy working with our future graduates to give them the skills they need to just that in a way that will make them most happy and successful. "

"It places a premium on hands-on, practical teaching that aims to equip students to be prepared and confident to enter the legal profession."



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