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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

The George Washington University Law School. Professor, Associate Professor and Visiting Associate Professor, Fundamentals of Lawyering Program (July 2019-present).

- Teach required six-credit Fundamentals of Lawyering course (three credits each in Fall & Spring) to ~40 first-year students in two sections, using problem solving approaches to develop and hone professional skills, including writing, speaking, listening, research, and client counseling. In 2024-25, supervised 65 adjunct professors and law journal notes editors to oversee the Scholarly Writing program at GW Law.
- Active involvement in problem development and lesson planning, including service on writing fellow hiring committee and on faculty teams for research memorandum exercises and on incorporation of generative artificial intelligence tools into the FL curriculum. Individual development of original active listening, clear speaking, and regulatory advocacy exercises. Serve as mentor to new FL professors.
- Advise in award-winning Inns of Court program (recognized by ABA & Holloran Center), focusing on professional identity, skills growth, wellness, and career planning. Jay Inn lead advisor and significant participant in program development since 2011 inception. Present Inn training session on negotiation skills to all 1L sections.
- Current and Recent Service: Academic Integrity Committee (2022-present) (Chair); Ad Hoc Journal Review Committee (Summer/Fall 2025) (Chair); Teaching Committee (2022-26); Journal Advisory Committee (2016-19 & 2024-25); Pre-1L Course Committee (2023-24); GWU Faculty EPT, Generative AI Subcommittee (2023-24).
- Teach Negotiations (Fall) & Environmental Negotiations (Spring), as helpful to curriculum coverage.
- Legal Writing Institute: Board of Editors, *Legal Writing: The Journal of the Legal Writing Institute* (2022-present) (initially Assistant Editor; currently Managing Editor); Global Lawyering Committee (2024-present).
- Research and Writing Agenda: My research principally focuses on the “When the Math Matters” series of articles about communication of mathematical concepts in legal decision making. I further have embraced shorter publication and speaking opportunities that contribute to thinking about professional identity formation, cultural competency, and legal decision making, and/or that draw on my environmental law expertise. For 2024-25, I was awarded a **GWU Sustainability Research Institute Innovation Fund Grant** as a co-Investigator on one of four GWU-wide competitive grants for a project entitled “Regulating the Cruise Industry to Address Climate Change Impacts and Other Environmental Harms.” That work is the subject of conference presentations and a co-authored article entitled *A Polycentric Governance Approach toward Environmental Impacts on Northern Cruise Ship Destinations*, to be published (2026 or early 2027) in the peer-reviewed Annals of Tourism Research.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

When the Math Matters: Judicial Evaluation of Fluoride Regulation in a Post-Chevron World, 28 Minn. J. L. Sci. & Tech. __ (2026).

When the Math Matters: Finding the “Glue” in Class Action Commonality Determinations, 65 Jurimetrics J. __ (2025) (peer-reviewed journal, published in conjunction with ABA Committee on Science & Technology); named SSRN top ten paper in Labor & Employment Law (October-November 2025).

When the Math Matters: Use of P-Values in Pharmaceutical Decisions, 48 Vt. L. Rev. 153 (2023).

When the Math Matters: Improving Statistical Advocacy in Gerrymandering Litigation, 100 Neb. L. Rev. 727 (2022); named SSRN top ten paper in Election Law & Voting Rights (July-August 2021).

Hormesis and Toxic Torts: Claims for Subclinical Harm, 27 Human & Experimental Tox. 109 (Feb. 2008).
The UNCC as a Model for an International Environmental Court, 7 The Env'tl. Lawyer 53 (Sept. 2000).
Has EPA Fired Up Utilities to Clear the Air?, 15 Nat. Res. & Env't (Summer 2000) (with Elliot Eder).
Ecosystem Management and Damage Recovery in International Conflict, 14 Nat. Res. & Env't 193 (Winter 2000) (with Elliot Eder).
Environmental Law Applications of Hormesis Concepts: Risk Assessment and Cost-Benefit Implications, 20 J. of Applied Toxicology 149 (March/April 2000) (with J.C. McElveen).
Court Access for Environmental Plaintiffs: Standing Doctrine in Lujan v. National Wildlife Federation, 15 Harv. Env'tl. L. Rev. 187 (1991) (with Katherine B. Steuer).

Book Chapters

Grappling with DEI Issues Through an Environmental Negotiation Case Study, in Integrating Doctrine & Diversity: Inclusion & Equity Beyond the First Year (Carolina Academic Press 2024) (volume received 2025 Joseph L. Andrews Legal Literature Award from American Association of Law Libraries).
Procedures and Standards for Review of Enforcement Actions, in Encyclopedia of Environmental Law (Edward Elgar Publishing 2017).
Strategic Use of Motions in Limine, in Drug & Device Product Liability Litig'n (Oxford U. Press 2011, 2018).
Public Access to Environmental Dispute Resolution Processes: US and UK Trends Toward a Common Approach, in Environmental Dispute Resolution (ABA 2002).
Decisionmaking Processes in Environmental Policy and Regulation, in Transparency in Public Policy: Great Britain and the United States (MacMillan Press 2000).

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS (2023-26)

July 2026: *Communicating Math & Science in Law and Small Teaching Ideas that Build a Global Mindset* (LWI Global Lawyering Comm'ee); Legal Writing Institute Biennial Conference, University of Minnesota Law School.
March 2026: *Addressing Science in a Post-Chevron World*; 24th Rocky Mountain Legal Writing Conference, University of Arizona Law School.
July 2025: *Building Narratives to Combat Climate Change*; Tenth Biennial Applied Legal Storytelling Conference, University of Michigan Law School.
May 2025: *Seeing Is Believing: Using Images to Develop Cultural Awareness and Teach Lawyering Skills* (Group Presentation) and *Preparing Students to Transition Between Civil Law and Common Law* (Moderator); Global Legal Skills Conference, Masaryk University Faculty of Law; Brno, Czechia.
July 2024: *Plagiarism in the Law and in Legal Education* (Invited Discussion Group) and *Fostering Student Self-Directedness* (Presentation); Legal Writing Institute Biennial Conference, Indiana University School of Law.
June 2024: *Preparing Students for Non-Litigation Roles in a Global Legal Career* (Group Pres'n); Global Legal Skills Conf'e, University of Bari Aldo Moro; Bari, Italy. Further served on GLS Program Committee and as moderator for a panel of European scholars discussing application of civil law theories in skills development.
April 2024 (virtual): *Communicating in Legal English*; Vasyl' Stus Donetsk National University (Ukraine), part of USAID/Global Legal Skills Conference Series.
February 2026/March 2024: Guest Lecturer for *The Persuasive Use of Data in Law and Policy*; GW Law.

October 2023 (virtual): *Environmental Regulation and Climate Change*; National University "Odesa Law Academy" (Ukraine), part of USAID/Global Legal Skills Conference Series.

August 2023: *Speaking and Listening as a Global Lawyer*; Global Legal Skills Conference, Nottingham Law School, Nottingham Trent University, UK.

July 2023: *When the Science Is the Story: Using Storytelling Techniques to Communicate Math and Science in Law*; Applied Legal Storytelling Conference, City St. George's Law School, University of London.

June 2023: *Negotiating Diversity*; Institute for Law Teaching and Learning Conference, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law.

The George Washington University Law School. Assistant Dean of Students and Professorial Lecturer in Law (October 2010-September 2019). Interim Dean of Students July-December 2014 & February-June 2016.

- ***Student Advising and Academic Programming***

Provided academic advising for ~2000 students in JD & LLM programs. Advised on course selection (including bar preparation), academic support (case briefing, outlining, exams), school policies, and medical/family issues.

Resolved student issues with law faculty and staff members and with University officials, including Title IX, conduct, housing, disability support, medical/mental health services, police department, and legal counsel.

Led/managed key programming, including week-long Orientation for multiple incoming student cohorts (FT/PT JD; JD Transfer/Visitor; and MSL/LLM - ~800 students) and commencement Academic Awards Ceremony.

- ***Teaching/Public Education***

Active as professorial lecturer in law (adjunct) at GW Law since 1995. Have taught Negotiations, Environmental Negotiations & Dispute Resolution, Environmental Lawyering, Legal Drafting (Civil Litigation), Mediation, and Environment & Energy Policy Practicum at GW Law; regularly participated in governance portion of GWU undergraduate sustainability course; presented Energy & Environmental Law programs and panels.

Coached GW Law ADR Board negotiation teams, including ABA 2019 national quarterfinalists, 2018 regional champions, 2013, 2014 & 2021 regional finalists; & 2017 runner-up in Merhige Nat'l Env't'l Negotiation Comp'n.

Trained practicing attorneys in negotiation and mediation, including Federal Mine Safety & Health Review Commission attorneys, Energy Bar Association, NOAA enforcement attorneys, and FINRA regulatory staff.

Appeared on C-SPAN *Washington Journal* to explain history of Clean Air Act as part of Great Society initiatives; lectured on climate change issues, agency administrative processes, and implementation of executive orders at Universidad del Salvador (Buenos Aires, Argentina).

- ***Committee Service***

Academic Scholarship Committee (2011-19): Recommended decision on student petitions seeking rule relief.

Academic Integrity Committee (2011-19): Investigated charges and participated in integrity hearings; communicated sanctions; counseled students on Bar disclosures.

Task Force on Curriculum Reform (2017-19): Participated in developing revisions to upper-level (course concentrations, writing) and 1L (grading curve, Fundamentals of Lawyering, Leg-Reg course) curriculum.

Upper-Level Inns/Foundations Comm'ee (2015-19); *Wellness Comm'ee* (2015-19); *Journal Comm'ee* (2014-19) *Curriculum Comm'ee* (2014-17); *Academic Success Comm'ee* (2017-18); *GWPD Hiring Comm'ee* (2016).

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School (J.D.). Editor-in-Chief, *Harvard Environmental Law Review*; Court-Annexed Mediator, Harvard Mediation Program; Humor Columnist, *Harvard Law Record*; Residence Hall Advisor. Teaching Assistant (Negotiation) for Roger Fisher; Research Assistant (Land Use/Environmental Law) for Charles Haar.

Hamline University (B.A. *magna cum laude*). Physics and Political Science majors; Psychology minor. *Phi Beta Kappa* (junior election); Editor-in-Chief, *Hamline University Oracle* (newspaper); Physics Teaching Assistant; Tutor for Mathematics, Physics and Political Science Courses; Instructor, Hamline Literacy Project.

University of Oxford, Wolfson College, Centre for Socio-Legal Studies. Atlantic Fellow in Public Policy. Eight-month research grant to attend lectures, conduct research, and present seminars at British and European universities on legal and institutional structures affecting public participation in environmental decisions.

OTHER LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Jones Day. Environmental, Health & Safety and Product Liability Lit'n Practices (1997-2010). Named "Leading Environmental Lawyer" in international PLC Which Lawyer? Yearbook for 2007, 2008, 2009.

Extensive service on *pro bono* committee, including assignment of lawyers and management of case staffing; founded annual "Jones Day of Service"; mentored new lawyers. Responsible for matters often focused on "translation" from science to law in environmental and energy disputes, including:

American Rivers v. FERC. Briefed 9th Circuit on methodology for NEPA baseline in hydropower development.

BP America – Delaware LNG Import Terminal and Alaska North Slope Pipeline. Provided counsel on NEPA, CWA, CAA, ESA and other issues. Worked closely with experts to ensure defensible analyses presented.

Center for Legal Assistance to Pollution Victims, China. Consulted with Jones Day-Beijing office to advise on development of Chinese environmental law, including causation, damages and "private attorney general" issues.

Eramet Marietta Inc. v. EPA. Challenged National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants ("NESHAPs") in D.C. Circuit, based on arbitrary statistical methodology; EPA settled and repromulgated rule.

GKN Aerospace Ltd. – Purchase of Dow-United Technologies Assets. Evaluated and negotiated documents to address environmental, health and safety issues for \$80 million purchase of aircraft business in three states.

Great Lakes Chemical Corp. v. EPA. D.C. Circuit challenge to EPA use of chemical "structure-activity relationship" method as basis for hazardous waste listing under RCRA; EPA vacated rule and paid fees & costs.

Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan – Claims to U.N. Compensation Commission. Integrated environmental and economic analyses to present international law claims for natural resource damages in Jordan re 1991 Gulf War.

IBM Endicott Site Litigation. Responsible for factual and expert development in defense of environmental exposure allegations (air/groundwater); managed document discovery efforts of approximately 25-person team.

IBM Workers Claim Litigation. Coordinated complex discovery on scientific and technical issues; took and defended more than 30 fact and expert witness depositions; wrote *Frye/Daubert* challenges; prepared experts for depositions/trial. After four-month bellweather trial, jury found for IBM and ~1000 related matters settled.

South Carolina Electric & Gas Company. Provided advice on permits, negotiated with agencies and sought review of FERC/EPA decisions. Successfully argued D.C. Circuit challenge to major Clean Air Interstate Rule.

Wyeth Pharmaceuticals – Effexor Litigation. Conducted fact and statistical expert discovery regarding allegations anti-depressants caused increased suicide risk. On trial team for first-ever Effexor defense verdict.

Individually presented at 12-15 conferences, including Environmental Law Institute Bootcamp (2000-04); Government Institutes Legislative Briefing (2002-07) & Env't Impact Analysis (2006-08); ABA-SEER Air Quality Update (2007-08); and as moderator/convenor for innovative ELI Emerging Toxic Torts series (2008).

United States Department of Justice, Environment and Natural Resources Division (1991-1996).

Trial Attorney in Attorney General's Honors Program, serving in Environmental Defense Section as lead counsel on ~50 matters. Selected for eight-person DOJ ADR Task Force; implemented Division ADR program. Ran EDS summer law intern program.

Briefed and argued dozens of jurisdictional, procedural and merits motions/petitions; conducted in-court direct and cross examinations; led negotiations and mediations; periodically reviewed proposed legislation and congressional testimony. Cases involved petitions for review of agency rules; Superfund cleanup matters; challenges to agency administrative decisions; and prosecution of entities who dredged or filled U.S. "waters".

Client agencies included the Environmental Protection Agency, as well as the Departments of Interior, Defense, Energy, Agriculture, Transportation (Coast Guard), Commerce (NOAA), & Health/Human Services (ATSDR).

Received four accelerated grade promotions, from GS-11 to GS-15 in less than five years; served on attorney hiring committee; chaired summer law intern program. Taught negotiation and mediation courses at Attorney General's Advocacy Institute.

Awarded EPA Bronze Medal – given for "significant acts or achievements which materially aid . . . the Agency mission" – for successful defeat of EPA remedy challenge brought by PRPs regarding Illinois smelter cleanup.

COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

Facilitator, America Speaks and Public Engagement Associates (2008-present). Facilitate discussion among citizens engaged in roundtable conversations to provide policy feedback to decisionmakers. Individually recognized in September 2012 for key contributions to multiple stakeholder processes, including Walter Reed campus redevelopment, D.C. City Summit, Prince George's County "Envision" process, and Metropolitan Council of Governments traffic planning studies.

Board Chair (2010-2014) & Board Member (2009 & 2015), Ten Thousand Villages-National Capital Area, a top five (of 80 U.S. stores) non-profit retail outlet providing markets for fairly-traded handicrafts from artisans in low and middle income countries. Led education efforts, fundraising, & improvements in Board processes.

D.C. Bar *Pro Bono* program. Managed all Jones Day staffing, assisted in training, and regularly advised at D.C. Bar Landlord-Tenant Resource Center from 2006-2010. Twelve-year "regular" at D.C. Bar Saturday clinic held at Bread for the City during both private section and academic careers, advising on landlord-tenant, bankruptcy/debt collection, and family law issues.

BAR ADMISSIONS AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

District of Columbia (active status); Minnesota (voluntary inactive status); numerous federal district and appellate courts (including Supreme Court and D.C., 6th, 7th & 11th Circuits); ABA Section on Environment, Energy & Resources (chaired ADR & Sponsorship committees); ABA Section on Dispute Resolution.