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LEGAL EXPERIENCE

The George Washington University Law School, Washington, D.C.

Professor of Clinical Law, July 1, 2000 to present
Associate Professor of Clinical Law, July, 1996 to June 30, 2000
Visiting Associate Professor of Law, July, 1994 to June, 1996

Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, January 1, 2003 to July 31, 2008
Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs, May, 2000 to December, 2002
Acting Assistant Dean of Students, November, 1998 to April, 1999

Course load includes teaching Civil Procedure and serving as Director, Public Justice Advocacy Clinic.

Clinic caseload has included federal, local, administrative and appellate litigation in the areas of constitutional law, civil rights, public benefits, employment law, probate and guardianship. Representative cases include:

D.L. v. District of Columbia (D.D.C.) - federal class action challenging government's failure to offer special education services to children aged three through five.

Lightfoot v. District of Columbia (D.D.C. and D.C. Cir.) - federal class action challenging government's termination of disability compensation benefits on Due Process and D.C. Administrative Procedure Act grounds.

Brown v. District of Columbia (D.D.C.) – federal civil rights action challenging inaccessibility of homeless shelters

Robinson v. Smith (D.C. Court of Appeals) – appeal of determination of non-residency for purposes of D.C. Public Schools tuition.

Shillea v. District of Columbia (D.C. Superior Court) – Due Process challenge to suspension of driver's license resulting in unemployment.

Regino v. North Dakota Farmer's Union (D.C. Superior Court) – suit for unpaid overtime wages.

Administrative responsibilities have included curriculum planning and development, recruitment, mentoring and supporting 200+ upper-level adjunct faculty, oversight of Outside Placement Program, chairing Curriculum, Journal Advisory and Enrichment Program Series Committees and completing special projects related to the academic program of the law school.

U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Division, Federal Programs Branch

November, 1987 - June, 1994

Trial Attorney

Litigation of federal constitutional and administrative law cases. Personal responsibility for developing case strategy, drafting memoranda of law, conducting pre-trial discovery, delivering oral argument and examining witnesses in federal district courts.

Representative examples include:

AAPS v. Clinton (D.D.C. and D.C. Cir.) - defended Federal Advisory Committee Act challenge to President's Task Force on National Health Care Reform.

NTEU v. United States (D.D.C., D.C. Cir. and U.S. Supreme Court) - defended constitutionality of Ethics in Government Act provision barring federal employees from receiving honoraria for speeches, articles and appearances.

Specter v. Garrett (E.D. Pa., 3d. Cir. and U.S. Supreme Court) - defended challenges to military base closures under Defense Base Closure and Realignment Act of 1990.

NRA v. Brady (D.S.C., 4th Cir.) - defended challenges to ATF regulations implementing amendments to Gun Control Act and claim for attorney's fees under the Act.

Illinois v. Cheney (C.D. Ill.) and NFFE v. Cheney (D.D.C., D.C. Cir.) - defended constitutional challenges to 1988 Base Closure and Realignment Act.

Awards

Department of Justice Special Achievement Award (1993, 1991, 1990, 1988)

Department of Justice Meritorious Award (1992, 1989)

The Hon. Earl B. Gilliam, U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of California

San Diego, California August, 1986 to August, 1987

Judicial Law Clerk

Drafted opinions, orders and bench memoranda recommending disposition of pending civil and criminal motions for federal district judge.

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School, Class of 1986
J.D., *cum laude*

Notes Editor, Harvard Civil Rights - Civil Liberties Law Review
Associate Editor, Harvard International Law Journal

Stanford University, Class of 1983
B.A. with distinction in Political Science and Economics
Phi Beta Kappa

Director, Stanford Committee on Political Education
Teaching Assistant, Seminar on Presidential Decision-making

PROFESSIONAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE

Treasurer, District of Columbia Bar, 2011-2012

Member, Board of the Washington Council of Lawyers, 2010-present.

Member, Board of the Center for Dispute Settlement, 2010-present.

Advisor to Department of Justice Transition Team, 2008.

Trustee, District of Columbia Bar Clients' Security Fund, appointed by D.C. Court of Appeals, April, 2007 – June, 2011.; Chair, June, 2010 – June, 2011.

Complaint Examiner, District of Columbia Office of Police Complaints, 2007 – 2010.

Editor-in-Chief, Federal Practice Manual for Legal Aid Attorneys (2nd edition, 2004); (3rd edition, 2006); (4th edition, 2011) available at www.povertylaw.org.

Co-Chair, Steering Committee, District of Columbia Bar Administrative Law and Agency Practice Section, 1999-2000.

Member, Steering Committee, District of Columbia Bar Administrative Law and Agency Practice Section, 1997-1999, 2000-2003.

Editor, Administrative Procedure chapter, The District of Columbia Practice Manual (6th, 7th, 8th and 12th eds.).

Chairman, Board of Directors, D.C. Law Students in Court Program, 1998-99.

Member, Board of Directors, D.C. Law Students in Court Program, 1996-98, 1999-2001.

Member, Board of Trustees, Temple Sinai, 1999-2001.

Member, Board of Directors, Sinai Assisted Housing Foundation, 1995-99.

Occasional speaking at attorney training programs, testimony before D.C. City Council and consulting.

BAR ADMISSIONS

California, 1986

District of Columbia, 1989

PERSONAL

Resided in Pozuelo de Alarcon, Madrid, Spain from August, 2005-July, 2006 while on sabbatical leave. Proficient in Spanish.

Nominated by D.C. Judicial Nomination Commission as one of three nominees to serve as an Associate Judge, District of Columbia Superior Court, July, 2003 and May, 2009.

Center for Dispute Settlement, Mediation Certification, October, 2009.

Married to Stacy L. Brustin, Associate Professor of Clinical Law, Catholic University of America, Columbus School of Law.

Two children: Benjamin, born January 12, 1996, and Julia, born June 15, 1998.