

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education:

JD Juris Doctor, Boston University School of Law, 1992

Stone Appellate Moot Court, 1990-91
Civil Practice Clinic, 1991-92

A.B. Sociology, Princeton University, 1988, with High Honors

Honor Committee, 1987-88
Varsity Women's Crew, 1985-88
Resident Adviser, Mathey College, 1986-87

Professional Experience:

January 2017-Present. Legal Skills Professor and Director of Externships; Prosecution Clinic
Director, **University of Florida Fredric G. Levin College of Law**

June 2015-Present. **McIntosh Town Attorney**

January 1996-2014, 2020. **Stanford Law School**. Instructor, Intensive Advocacy Skills
Workshop; Prosecution Team Coordinator, 2004-06, 2010, 2013

May 2000-January 2014. **San Francisco Law School**. Professor of Evidence, Evidence
Advocacy, Education Law; Recipient of the Marvin E. Lewis Award for Excellence in
Teaching, 2007 and 2009; Professor of the Year, 2012

January 2013- June 2014. **City College of San Francisco**. Professor, Administration of Justice

August 2011-July 2012. **Alliant International University**. Adjunct Instructor, Hufstedler School
of Education

1992-2000 and 2001-2005. **Alameda County District Attorney's Office**. Deputy District
Attorney. Successfully prosecuted nearly 100 trials; conducted over 75 preliminary
hearings; handled over 60 felony and misdemeanor motions to suppress evidence;
instructor on cross examination in the Law Clerk Training Program; handled PC 1538.5
motions, statutory motions to dismiss, charging, remittitur, habeas corpus petitions and
felony probation revocation hearings while working in felony law and motion division.

2000-2001. **United States Attorney's Office, Northern District of California**. Assistant United
States Attorney. Successfully prosecuted one felony jury trial involving large-scale
distribution of firearms and narcotics; handled 22 co-defendant conspiracy to

manufacture methamphetamine case resulting in 18 guilty pleas; the other 4 cases were set for trial; wrote six appellate briefs; hired by Robert Mueller to spearhead “Project Exile” in Richmond, CA, a task force created to reduce the number of firearms in the community.

February 24-28 2003. **San Jose State University**. ICI Robbery Investigation School, Instructor.

March 20-25 1998. **National Institute for Trial Advocacy (NITA)**. Program Instructor, *Training the Woman Advocate*, at Berkeley Law, co-taught with California Supreme Court Justice Carol A. Corrigan.

May 1997. **University of San Francisco School of Law**. Instructor, Intensive Advocacy Program.

1988-1989. **Keker & Van Nest**, Paralegal.

Areas of Specialization:

Prosecution; Criminal Justice Policy; Restorative Justice; Trial Advocacy; Experiential Education; City, County and Local Government Law

Honors, Awards and Recognitions:

San Francisco Law School

Recipient of the Marvin E. Lewis Award for Excellence in Teaching, 2007 and 2009

Professor of the Year, 2012

Professional Workshops and Conferences Attended:

AALS Annual Conference, 2018-

San Diego, CA

New Orleans, LA

Washington, D.C.

AALS Clinical Conference, San Francisco, CA May, 2019

Women in Legal Academia, University of Virginia School of Law, July, 2019

Southern Clinical Conference, October, 2019

Professional Workshops and Conferences Organized:

Rethinking Crime & Punishment: Criminal Justice Reform in the ‘20s (Scheduled for March 20, 2020 and canceled because of COVID-19)

Panel 1: moderated by Professor Lea Johnston

- Neil Volz, Deputy Director, Florida Rights Restoration Coalition
- Melba Pearson, former Deputy Director of the ACLU of Florida, candidate for State Attorney
- Gretchen Casey, President, Florida Restorative Justice Association
- Mae Quinn, Visiting Professor of Law, University of Florida Levin College of Law
- Greg Newburn, Director of state policy, Families Against Mandatory Minimums

Panel 2: moderated by Professor Katheryn Russell-Brown

- Mark Inch, Secretary, Florida Department of Corrections
- Melissa Nelson, State Attorney, 4th Judicial Circuit of Florida
- Jay Reeve, President and CEO, The Apalachee Center
- Valena Beety, Professor of Law, Arizona State University Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law
- Jhody Polk, Founder, Legal Empowerment & Advocacy Hub and 2018 Soros Justice Fellow

Luncheon Keynote: Shon Hopwood, Associate Professor of Law, Georgetown Law School

Publications:

Brodsky, Stanley L. & Brodsky, Carroll M. & Wolking, Sarah Horn Wolking (2004). "Why People Don't Sue: A Conceptual and Applied Exploration of Decisions not to Pursue Litigation." The Journal of Psychiatry and Law. (Fall 2004)

Invited Presentations:

Wolking, Sarah. "When They See Us: A Discussion of Race, Crime and Justice." Panelist at event sponsored by the W. George Allen Chapter of the Black Law Students Association, UF Levin College of Law, Gainesville, FL, October 22, 2019.

Wolking, Sarah. "Can a Broken System be Fixed? Race, Policing, and Black Lives Matter." Panelist at Zoom event featuring Professor Paul Butler, sponsored by the Center for the Study of Race and Race Relations, UF Levin College of Law, June 17, 2020.

Courses Taught:

University of Florida

Law School Courses

- Prosecution Clinic
- Defense Clinic
- Criminal Procedure-Adversary Systems
- Bridge to Practice
- Externships
- Wrongful Convictions and Factual Innocence: Conviction Integrity Review

Courses in which I've taught as a guest lecturer

- International Law (Baldwin)
- Mental Health Law (Johnston)
- Undergraduate Honors (Black)
- Undergraduate Sociology (Brooke)

Stanford Law School

- Intensive Advocacy Skills Workshop

San Francisco Law School

- Evidence
- Evidence Advocacy
- Criminal Law & Procedure
- Education Law
- Trial Advocacy

Law School Committees:

Curriculum (2020)

Clinic Operations (2020)

Future of Student Employment (Summer 2020)

Admissions Committee (2019)

Facilities & Sustainability (2019)

University of Florida Committees:

Faculty Senate Representative, 2019-Present

Law School Advisory Roles:

Trial Team Faculty Advisor (2020-21)

Faculty Advisor for the UF Chapter of Alpha Phi Sigma National Criminal Justice Honor Society (2019-20)

Faculty Advisor for the Criminal Law Association at UF Law (2020-21)

Mentoring Experience:

Involve Me and I Learn, Belmont, CA. Geography Course co-created with Sofia Raptis, 2008-2014

Menlo Park 4-H, Co-Club Leader, 2012-14

Micanopy Friendship 4-H, Co-Club Leader, 2014-Present

National Ocean Sciences Bowl Marine Ecology Team Co-Coach with Emily An, 2019-Present

Professional Memberships, Service, and Interests:

Member of the Florida Bar, 1994-

Instructor, Prosecutor/Public Defender Training Program, 2019

Member of the Criminal Law section

Member of the Government Law section

Member of the California Bar, 1992-

Eighth Judicial Bar Association, 2014-

Clinical Legal Education Association (CLEA) Advocacy Committee, 2018-
ABA Council Meeting attendee, Austin, TX November 22, 2019

American Association of Law Schools (AALS) Women in Legal Education Oral History Project, 2019
Interviewer, 2019-present

AALS Criminal Clinic Working Group
Member, 2019-

Alpha Phi Sigma Criminal Justice Honor Society
Member
Faculty Advisor for UF Chapter, 2019-

Florida Historical Society
Member, 2019-

Earl Warren American Inn of Court, 1996-2004
Associate Member of Inn founded by Hon. D. Lowell Jensen

United States National Rowing Team, 1987
Olympic Festival, Raleigh, NC