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EMPLOYMENT

University of Florida Levin College of Law, Gainesville, FL (2015-present)

Dean and Levin, Mable & Levin Professor of Law

Affiliate Faculty, Center for Gender, Sexualities, and Women's Studies Research

Administrative Focus and Select Accomplishments

I work with the President, Provost, alumni, faculty, staff, and students to raise the national and international profile of UF Law. Among other accomplishments, we have increased JD applications by over 100%; enrolled four of the most accomplished and diverse classes in UF Law's 110-year history, including increasing the median LSAT from 157 to 164 and median undergraduate GPA from 3.50 to 3.80; recruited six new tenure-track and two new tenured professors to the faculty; renovated over 20,000 square feet of facilities; started a Veterans' Clinic and an Immigration Clinic; improved job placement after graduation and implemented a coaching-based approach to career and professional development; and enjoyed four of the largest fundraising years in the past decade, including raising a total of \$4.5 million for student scholarships in four months, the largest and fastest match challenge in University of Florida history, and raising \$20 million for health law programs. As a result, UF Law has achieved its highest ever ranking in *U.S. News and World Report*, rising from #48 to #31 among all law schools and from #24 to #12 among public law schools. We also continue to forge international partnerships and extend UF Law's reach around the globe, including in China, Cuba, and Latin America.

Law School Courses

Child, Parent, State; Feminist Legal Theory; Law and Leadership

State and Bar Service

I give speeches about the future of legal education at county bar associations and inns of court throughout the state of Florida. I also speak about diversity, implicit bias, gender and leadership, and sexual harassment at state judicial conferences and trainings; regional meetings of the Florida Association for Women Lawyers; ABA section and midyear meetings; and meetings of public company directors. I serve on the Florida Supreme Court Commission on Professionalism and Civility and on The Florida Bar's Special Committee on Gender Bias and participate in deans' summits and other initiatives of The Florida Bar's Young Lawyers Division and the Florida Board of Bar Examiners.

Washington University Law School, St. Louis, MO (2002-2015)

Professor of Law (2008-2015)

John S. Lehmann Research Professor (2013-2014)

Associate Professor of Law (2002-2008)

Affiliated Faculty, Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies Program (2007-2015)

Administrative Appointments

Vice Dean (2010-2012)

Interdisciplinary Advisory Committee for the Children's Studies Minor (2014-2015)

Spencer T. Olin Fellowship Program for Women in Graduate Study (2004-2007, 2014-2015)

Advisory Board, Center for the Interdisciplinary Study of Work & Social Capital (2009-2014)

Law School Courses

Children and Law; Employment Discrimination; Family Law; Feminist Legal Theory; Property; Public Law Theory; Trusts and Estates

Executive Education Courses

Leadership, Diversity & Teams; Teamwork, Strategy & Influence; Teamwork & Client Relationships; Negotiation Theory & Practice; Non-Adversarial Communication & Advocacy

Awards

David M. Becker Professor of the Year Award, 2006
Best Paper in Family Law, Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum, 2006

Semester- or Year-Long Faculty Visits

Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA (2012-2013)
Sullivan and Cromwell Visiting Professor of Law
Taught Children and Law, Feminist Legal Theory, Property

University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, IL (winter and spring 2009)
Visiting Professor of Law
Taught Family Law and Employment Discrimination

Stanford Law School, Palo Alto, CA (fall 2008)
Visiting Professor of Law
Taught Children and Law and Feminist Legal Theory

Short-Course Visits

University of Illinois College of Law, Champaign, IL (spring 2010)
Visiting Professor of Law
Taught Regulation of Intimacy

University of California, Los Angeles School of Law, Los Angeles, CA (winter 2010)
Visiting Professor of Law
Taught Relationships at Work

Adjunct Work

Fordham University School of Law, New York, NY (2001-2002)
Adjunct Associate Professor of Law
Taught Feminist Legal Theory as an evening seminar

Legal Practice and Clerkships

Davis Polk & Wardwell, New York, NY (2000-2002, 1998-1999)
Associate, Litigation Department

Judge Dennis Jacobs, U. S. Court of Appeals, 2nd Circuit, New York, NY (1999-2000)
Law Clerk to Judge Jacobs

Judge Carol Bagley Amon, U. S. District Court, E.D.N.Y., Brooklyn, NY (1997-1998)
Law Clerk to Judge Amon

PUBLICATIONS

Book

FEMINIST JURISPRUDENCE: CASES AND MATERIALS (4th ed. 2011 & 5th ed. 2018) (co-authored with Cynthia Grant Bowman, Deborah Tuerkheimer & Kimberly A. Yuracko).

Articles, Essays, and Book Chapters

Toward a New Law of Early Childhood?, 71 FLA. L. REV. FORUM 37 (2019).

The New Law of the Child, 127 YALE L.J. 1448 (2018) (co-authored with Anne Dailey).

Postmodern Feminist Legal Theory, FEMINIST JURISPRUDENCE (Cynthia Grant Bowman & Robin West, eds., 2018).

Postmodern Feminist Legal Theory: A Contingent, Contextual Account, FEMINIST LEGAL THEORY IN THE UNITED STATES AND ASIA: A DIALOGUE (Cynthia Grant Bowman, ed., 2018).

Griswold v. Connecticut Redux, FEMINIST JUDGMENTS: REWRITTEN OPINIONS OF THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT (Linda Berger, Bridget Crawford & Kathy Stanichi, eds. 2016).

Channeling Mary Joe Frug, 50 NEW ENG. L. REV. 101 (2016).

A Feminist Perspective on Children and Law: From Objectification to Relational Subjectivities, INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES AND EMPIRICAL FINDINGS ON CHILD PARTICIPATION (Benedetta Faedi & Tali Gal, eds. 2015).

Children and Law, THE INTERNATIONAL ENCYCLOPEDIA OF THE SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (2d ed. 2015).

Federal Visions of Private Family Support, 67 VAND. L. REV. 1835 (2014).

Work Wives, 36 HARV. J. L. & GENDER 345 (2013).

Marital Status and Privilege, 16 J. GENDER RACE & JUSTICE 769 (2013).

Working Relationships, 34 WASH. U. J.L. & POL'Y 117 (2011).

Sex In and Out of Intimacy, 59 EMORY L. J. 809 (2010) (co-authored with Jennifer Rothman).

Friends with Benefits?, 106 MICH. L. REV. 189 (2007).

Between Home and School, 155 U. PA. L. REV. 833 (2007).

Two Ways to End a Marriage: Divorce or Death, 2005 UTAH L. REV. 1127.

Feminist Legal Scholarship: Charting Topics and Authors, 1978-2002, 12 COLUM. J. GENDER & L. 446 (2003).

Agency, Equality, and Antidiscrimination Law, 85 CORNELL L. REV. 1194 (2000) (co-authored with Tracy E. Higgins).

Other Writings

#MeToo – How a Hashtag Can Impact Your Law Firm, HCBA LAWYER, Summer 2018, at 14 (co-authored with Judge Claudia Rickert Isom).

What Now? Three Ways to Tackle Structural Injustice, ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH, Nov. 24, 2014 (co-authored with Clarissa Hayward & Lynn Oldham).

Parenthood, Marriage, and Children, Online Symposium on WHAT IS PARENTHOOD? (Linda C. McClain & Daniel Cere, eds. 2013), Mar. 22, 2013, *available at* <http://familyscholars.org/2013/03/22/what-is-parenthood-laura-a-rosenbury/>.

Gender: Legal and Public-Policy Perspectives, THE CHILD: AN ENCYCLOPEDIA COMPANION 402–04 (Richard A. Shweder, ed. 2009).

Whose Privacy?, CRIMINAL LAW CONVERSATIONS 694–95 (Paul Robinson, Stephen Garvey & Kimberly Kessler Ferzon, eds. 2009).

Rights and Realities, 94 VA. L. REV. IN BRIEF 39 (2008).

Note, *Cheering on Women and Girls in Sports: Using Title IX to Fight Gender Role Oppression*, 110 HARV. L. REV. 1627 (1997).

Case Comment, *Restrictions on Indecent Cable Programming: Denver Area Educational Telecommunications Consortium, Inc. v. FCC*, 110 HARV. L. REV. 246 (1996).

Recent Case, *Civil Rights – Availability of Section 1983 – Ninth Circuit Holds that Section 1983 is Available to Enforce Title IV-D of the Social Security Act*, 109 HARV. L. REV. 1451 (1996).

SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

- Faculty workshops at American University Washington College of Law, Cornell Law School, DePaul University College of Law, Duke University School of Law, Emory Law School, Florida State University College of Law, George Washington University Law School, Golden Gate University School of Law, Loyola Law School in Los Angeles, Northwestern University Law School, Stanford Law School, Syracuse University College of Law, Thomas Jefferson School of Law, University of Chicago Law School, University of Connecticut School of Law, University of Florida Levin College of Law, University of Kentucky College of Law, University of Illinois College of Law, University of Maryland School of Law, University of Michigan Law School, University of Virginia School of Law, Washington University Law School, and Willamette University College of Law.
- Paper presentations at Case Western Interdisciplinary Workshop on Government Intervention into Private Domains, Cornell Law School Feminist Legal Theory in the United States and Asia Conference, Cornell Law School Law and Humanities Colloquium, Emerging Family Law Scholars Workshop, Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum, Stanford Law School Legal Theory Workshop, Stanford University Political Theory Workshop, University of California at Berkeley Institute for the Study of Social Change, Berkeley Law Junior Faculty Workshop, UCLA School of Law Legal Theory Workshop, University of Chicago Law School Regulation of Family, Sex and Gender Workshop, University of Colorado Critical Legal Theory Colloquium, University of Toronto Law School Feminism and Law Workshop, Vanderbilt Law School Symposium on The Role of Federal Law in Private Wealth Transfer, Washington University Political Theory Workshop.
- Panel presentations at AALS 2014, 2015, 2017, and 2018 Annual Meetings, Boston University School of Law What is Parenthood Symposium, Columbia Law School Why A Feminist Law Journal Conference, Emory Law School Feminism and Legal Theory Workshop, Feminist Legal Theory Collaborative Research Network Conferences, Florida State University College of Law Following Marriage Symposium, Harvard Center for Bioethics Family Matters Conference, Harvard Law School Family Law Summer Camp, International Congress on Law and Mental Health Conferences, Law Culture and the Humanities Annual Conferences, Law and Society Annual Conferences, Northeastern University School of Law Legal Scholarship 4.0 Conference, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Conferences, University of Maryland Law School Family, Privacy, Secrets & the Law Roundtable, Washington University Women and Gender Studies Colloquium, and The Williams Institute (UCLA School of Law) Sexuality and Gender Law Conference.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Member, American Law Institute (elected December, 2010)
Adviser, American Law Institute Restatement of the Law, Children and the Law (2015-present)
Fellow, American Bar Foundation (2014-present)

Board Member, Guttmacher Institute (2017-present)
Site Team Member, ABA/AALS Law School Accreditation Visits (2010-2013, 2017, 2020)
Presenter, ABA Deans Conference (2019)
Co-Chair, ABA Law School Development Conference Committee (2017-2018)
Presenter, ABA New Deans Seminar (2017)
Membership Review Committee, Association of American Law Schools (2014-2016)
Board Member, AALS Section on Trusts and Estates (2007-2013)
Board Member, Children's Healthcare Is a Legal Duty, Inc. (2005-2017)
Member, New York Bar

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School, J.D., 1997

Awarded Juris Doctor, *cum laude*, June 1997
Primary Editor, *Harvard Law Review*
Best Oralist, Upper-Level Ames Moot Court Competition Semi-Finals
Teaching Assistant, Lawyering 100

Harvard-Radcliffe College, A.B., 1992

Awarded Bachelor of Arts, *summa cum laude*, in Women's Studies, June 1992
Phi Beta Kappa
Carol K. Pforzheimer Fellowship for senior thesis: *Reasonable Women On the Job and On the Wall*
Mack Davis II Award for outstanding volunteer service in Cambridge public schools
Co-Director, Peer Contraceptive Counselors

PERSONAL

Outside of work, I enjoy gardening, reading fiction, and traveling. If at all possible, my partner and I complete the *New York Times* crossword puzzle every day.