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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

University of Missouri School of Law (2017-present)

- Dean and Judge C.A. Leedy Professor of Law (2017-present)

Awards/Recognition:

- Co-Reporter (with Dean Emeritus Robert Post), *Restatement of Defamation & Privacy*, American Law Institute, Jan. 2019-present
- 2020 Missouri Women's Justice Awards Woman of the Year (Missouri Lawyers Media)
- 2019 Black Law Students Association Award for Faculty Support
- 2018 Women's Law Association Carey Mae Carrol Award

University of Florida Fredric G. Levin College of Law (1994-2017)

- Associate Dean for Graduate and Non-JD Programs (2016-17)
- Associate Dean for International Programs (2013-16)
- Stephen C. O'Connell Chair (2008-present)
- Associate Dean for Faculty Development (2005-06)
- University of Florida Research Foundation Professor (2001-03) (2005-07)
- Professor of Law (2000-present)
- Associate Professor of Law (1997- 2000)
- Assistant Professor of Law (1994-97)

Courses Taught: Torts, Media Law, Internet Law, Constitutional Law, Advanced Torts, Jurisprudence, Professional Responsibility, First Amendment Law, Business Torts, Introduction to Lawyering, Logical Reasoning (for undergraduates),

Teaching Awards: UF Law Teacher of the Year (2003, 2015) (awarded by students)
Faculty Graduation Speaker (2004, 2006, 2012) (selected by students)
Teacher of the Year (1996-97) (awarded by faculty committee)

Decanal Administration Highlights:

Advancement

- Set a record for highest annual total and largest single gift in law school's history in second year as dean
- Recorded second-highest fund-raising year in law school's history in fourth year as dean
- More than doubled aggregate annual fundraising for the law school
- Engaged highest number of graduates participating in university giving programs in 2018-19 despite being smallest college
- Exceeded fundraising capital campaign goal a year early
- Partnered with the College of Arts & Sciences to obtain funding to establish Michael A. Middleton Center for Race, Citizenship, and Justice
- Raised funds for student lounge renovation to improve student experience
- Raised funds for scholarships, professorships, student activities, and other needs

Admissions and Student Success

- Raised enrollment by more than 50 percent (from 92 matriculating in 2017 to 138 matriculating in 2021); simultaneously enrolled the most highly credentialed class in the law school's history with the highest percentage of women ever
- Increased projected tuition revenue by 25% between AY 2020 and AY 2021
- Raised USNWR rankings by 7 points from 2020 to 2021
- Ranked in Top 10 law schools nationally for tuition support (USNWR)
- Ranked in Top 25 law schools based on student debt burden upon graduation
- 2021 incoming class credentials = 3.68 GPA/159 LSAT at 50th percentile vs. 3.44 GPA/157 LSAT in 2017
- Dramatically increased percentage of women matriculating to 52 % from prior high of 42 % by changing admissions and recruitment strategies
- Added 3+3 Programs with Missouri State University, University of Central Missouri, and Southeast Missouri State University
- Continually focused on maintaining and developing pipeline programs to increase credentials, class size, and diversity
- Sponsored Missouri Statewide Pre-Law Diversity Conference in 2019
- Improved bar passage rates through student success program
- Established evaluation method to assess mastery of core skills after first year of law school
- Created a dedicated student wellness space
- Worked with Missouri Bar to provide monthly professional counseling for law students
- More than doubled number of clients served and students trained by MU Veterans Clinic

Curricular Innovations

- Hired faculty in conjunction with the Kinder Institute for Constitutional Democracy
- Added a semester-in-practice program
- Added legal writing instruction credits
- Added a law and technology course
- Added online LLM in Dispute Resolution and certificate program in Dispute Resolution; developing additional online program for international lawyers
- Expanded MU Veterans Clinic, which engages with 73 Missouri counties
- Added four undergraduate courses in law, including a course to allow students to receive credit while mastering the critical thinking skills required to excel on the Law School Admissions Test
- Expanded academic support programs for students
- Formed Culture and Climate Committee and established ambition agenda to improve law school climate for students from all backgrounds

Personnel and Budget Management

- Manage roughly sixty faculty and staff serving approximately 330 students
- Successfully and creatively weathered significant budget cuts in each of first four years as dean without laying off faculty or staff or cutting salaries
- Led adaptations to COVID-19 pandemic through comprehensive, collaborative planning
- Added diverse staff and administrative leaders through focusing efforts and implementing better recruiting procedures
- Prepared law school for transition to responsibility centered management budget model
- Added diversity to adjunct pool through new recruitment system
- Added inclusivity trainings for students, faculty, and staff
- Appointed and directed task force in developing agenda to address further barriers to inclusiveness; adopted a variety of measures recommended by task force
- Converted valued non-tenure-track employees to contract status from at-will status

Campus and System-Wide Leadership Roles and Strategic Partnerships

- Member, MU System's Free Expression Committee
- Co-Chair, Vice Chancellor of Advancement Search
- Member, Associate Vice Chancellor of Extension Search
- Developed new partnerships for hiring, developing or sharing courses, extending outreach or pursuing other projects with the Kinder Institute for Constitutional Democracy, MU Extension, the University of Missouri – Kansas City School of Law, the Business School, the School of Public Policy, the Truman VA Hospital, and various international universities.

EDUCATION

The University of Texas School of Law (1990-1993)

- JD with High Honors (awarded to top 3% of class)
- Order of the Coif
- Articles Editor, *Texas Law Review*
- Outstanding Torts Note Award (for *Intrusion and the Investigative Reporter*)
- Townes-Rice Scholarship recipient (full academic scholarship)
- Aggie Bar Association Scholarship recipient
- Dean's Achievement Awards in Professional Responsibility and Labor Law

Fulbright Scholar: Cambridge University, England (1989-1990)

- Awarded grant to study medieval legal history and early development of the Common Law
- Attended courses and took exams in Jurisprudence, Law & Philosophy, and Legal History

Texas A&M University (1986-1989)

- BA *summa cum laude* in English and Political Science (GPA 4.0/4.0)
- President's Endowed Scholarship (highest award for academic achievement)
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society

PRIOR LEGAL EXPERIENCE

The Honorable Judge Joseph T. Sneed, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, San Francisco, Ca., Judicial Clerk (1993/94)

Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton, New York, N.Y., Summer Associate (1993)

Shea & Gardner, Washington, D.C., Summer Associate (1992)

Cohan, Simpson, Cowlshaw, Aranza & Wulff, Dallas, Tx., Summer Associate (1991/92)

Baker & Botts, Houston, Tx., Summer Associate (1991)

Van Os & Owen (labor and employment law), Austin, Tx., Law Clerk (1992/93)

BAR ADMISSION

State of Florida (since 1994)

U.S. Supreme Court (since 2017)

PUBLICATIONS

Books

FIRST AMENDMENT LAW: CASES AND MATERIALS (Aspen)
(3d ed. 2017 with Ronald Krotoszynski, Jr, Christina E. Wells & Caroline Corbin).
(1st ed. 2008, 2d ed. 2013 with Ronald Krotoszynski, Jr, Steven Gey & Christina E. Wells).

MASS MEDIA LAW: CASES AND MATERIALS (Foundation)
(9th ed. 2016 with Marc A. Franklin, David A. Anderson & Amy Gajda).
(7th ed. 2005 & 8th ed. 2011 with Marc A. Franklin & David A. Anderson).

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, Greenwood Press Series on the Constitution
(2004 with R. George Wright).

TORTS: THE CIVIL LAW OF REPARATION FOR HARM DONE BY WRONGFUL ACT
(Matthew Bender) (2009, 2014 with Joseph W. Little & Robert Lande).

Book Chapters

Recent Developments in the Law of Social Media, in COMMUNICATIONS LAW
IN THE DIGITAL AGE 2014 (PLI) (November 2014)
(Co-author: RonNell Andersen Jones).

Recent Developments in the Law of Social Media, in COMMUNICATIONS LAW
IN THE DIGITAL AGE 2013 (PLI) (November 2013)
(Co-author: RonNell Andersen Jones).

Recent Developments in the Law of Social Media, in COMMUNICATIONS LAW
IN THE DIGITAL AGE 2012 (PLI) (November 2012)
(Co-author: RonNell Andersen Jones).


Legal Pitfalls of Social Media Usage, in SOCIAL MEDIA: USAGE & IMPACT
(Hana Noor Al-Deen & John Allen Hendricks, eds., 2011)
(Co-Author: Daniel C. Friedel).

Articles

Articles That Matter (Symposium): *Post, Robert C., The Social Foundations of Defamation Law: Reputation and the Constitution, 74 Calif. L. Rev. 691*,
25 COMM. L & POL'Y 491 (2020) (available [here](#)).

Within the Labyrinth of Law, JOTWELL (May 1, 2020)
(reviewing Robert C. Post and Jennifer E. Rothman, *The First Amendment and the Right(s) of Publicity*, 130 YALE L. J. __ (2020), available at [SSRN](#))).

Symposium Foreword: Whither the Fourth Estate? 83 MO. L. REV. 907 (2018).

#I  *U: Considering the Context of Online Threats*, 106 CAL. L. REV. 1885 (2018).
(Co-author: Linda Riedemann Norbut).

Reclaiming the Fourth Estate
(Work in progress: abstract [here](#)).

Onion DNS: A Seizure-Resistant Top-Level Domain
(Co-authors: Patrick Traynor, Rachael L. Jones et. al.)
INT. J. INF. SECUR. (2018) 17:645–660

You as a Brand: A Legal History, JOTWELL (2016)
(reviewing SAMANTHA BARBAS, LAWS OF IMAGE: PRIVACY AND PUBLICITY IN AMERICA (2015)).

U.S. Media Law Update, 20 MEDIA & ARTS L. REV. 461 (2015) (Australia)
(Co-author: Rachael L. Jones).

Privacy and the New Press, JOTWELL (March 16, 2015)
(reviewing AMY GAJDA, THE FIRST AMENDMENT BUBBLE: HOW PRIVACY AND PAPARAZZI THREATEN A FREE PRESS (2015)), <http://conlaw.jotwell.com/privacy-and-the-new-press>.

Who is the Reasonable Reader in a Networked World?, 23 VA. J. OF SOC. POL'Y & L 156
(2016) (co-author: RonNell Andersen Jones), available at <http://scholarship.law.ufl.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1771&context=facultypub>.
Reviewed by Prof. Ann Bartow for JOTWELL (2016), available at <http://cyber.jotwell.com/2016/05/>.

Not a Free Press Court? 2012 B.Y.U. L. Rev. 1819 (2012) (symposium), available at ssrn: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2161037.

How Not to Criminalize Cyberbullying, 77 MO. L. REV. 693 (2012)
(Co-author: Andrea Pinzon) (symposium), available at ssrn: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2097684.

Public Forum 2.1: Public Higher Education Institutions and Social Media, 14 FL. COASTAL L. REV. 55 (2012) (symposium) (Co-author: Robert Jerry II).

U.S. Media Law Update, MEDIA & ARTS L. REV. (2012) (Australia).

Incendiary Speech and Social Media, 44 TEX. TECH L. REV. 147 (2011) (symposium).

Public Forum 2.0, 91 BOSTON U. L. REV. 1975 (2011), available at ssrn: <http://papers.ssrn.com/abstract=1787962>.

Government Sponsored Social Media and Public Forum Doctrine: Perils and Pitfalls, 19 THE PUBLIC LAWYER 2 (Summer 2011).

U.S. Media Law Update, MEDIA & ARTS L. REV. (2010) (Australia).

Anonymity in Cyberspace: What Can We Learn from John Doe?, 50 BOSTON COLLEGE L. REV. 1373 (2009), available at ssrn: <http://ssrn.com/abstract=1481280>.

Nobody's Fools: The Rational Audience as First Amendment Ideal 2010 U. ILL. L. REV. 799 (2009), available at ssrn: <http://ssrn.com/abstract=1365979>. Reprinted in FIRST AMENDMENT LAW HANDBOOK, 2010-2011 EDITION (Rodney Smolla, ed.).

Where's the Harm?: Free Speech and the Regulation of Lies, 65 WASH. & LEE L. REV. 1091(2008), available at ssrn: <http://ssrn.com/abstract=1397611>.

The Phases and Faces of the Duke Lacrosse Controversy: A Conversation, 19 SETON HALL SPORTS & ENT. L.J. 181 (2009) (published remarks).

U.S. Media Law Update, 13 MEDIA & ARTS L. REV. 383 (2008) (Australia).

Medium-Specific Regulation of Attorney Advertising: A Critique, 18 FL. J. L. & PUBLIC POLICY 259 (Fall 2007) (Co-Author: Tera Peterson), available at <http://ssrn.com/abstract=1021278>.

U.S. Media Law Update, 12 MEDIA & ARTS L. REV. 387 (2007) (Australia).

Authorship, Audiences and Anonymous Speech, 82 NOTRE DAME L. REV. 1537 (2007) (Co-Author: Thomas F. Cotter), available at <http://ssrn.com/abstract=925736>.

Brandenburg and the United States War on Incitement Abroad: Defending a Double Standard, 37 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 1009 (2002).

Cybergossip or Securities Fraud? Some First Amendment Guidance in Drawing the Line, 5 wallstreetlawyer.com 15 (Glasser Legal Works 2001), reprinted at www.ucdavis.bizlawjournal.edu. (Co-author: Michael Pike).

Silencing John Doe: Defamation and Discourse in Cyberspace, 49 DUKE L.J. 855 (2000), available at <http://ssrn.com/abstract=1147726>.

Book Review, *The Reasonable Woman and the Warrior Code*, in Jurist: Books-on-Law (www.jurist.law.pitt.edu/lawbooks/reviews.htm) (2000).

Prying, Spying and Lying: Media Intrusions and What the Law Should Do About Them, 73 TUL. L. REV. 173 (1998), available at <http://ssrn.com/abstract=241031>.

Book Review, *SLAPPS: Getting Sued for Speaking Out*, in FREE SPEECH YEARBOOK (1997) (Co-author: Joseph Beatty).

Defensor Fidei: *Robert Summers' Post-Realist Formalism*, 47 FLA. L. REV. 815 (1995).

Maintaining Order in the Post-Strike Workplace: Employee Expression and the Scope of Section 7, 15 BERKELEY J. OF EMPLOYMENT AND LABOR LAW 87 (1994).

Intrusion and the Investigative Reporter, 71 TEX. L. REV. 433 (1992).

Selected Publication Activities

[Dean Lyrissa Lidsky on the Nicholas Sandmann Litigation](#), Reason: The Volokh Conspiracy, Aug. 8, 2020.

[Trump Can't Censor 'Disfavored Voices' on Twitter, Court Finds](#), St. Louis Today, July 17, 2019.

[Twitter as Public Forum: The Limits of the Trump Ruling](#), Law360.com., May 31, 2018.

Newsletter Article, *European Court of Human Rights Favors Privacy Over Right to Publish Truthful Information Obtained from Public Records*, Media Law Resource Center, October 2015. Republished and available at <https://facultyblogs.law.ufl.edu/author/lidskyufl-edu/>

Magazine Article, *How Not to Respond to Bad Reviews*, BUSINESS IN THE HEART OF FLA. MAG., April 2015 (co-author Rachael L. Jones).

Online Teaching: Taught law and undergraduate courses in online and hybrid formats

“Constitutional Protection for Freedom of Expression,” part of a MOOC developed by eight UF law professors (available on Coursera). The course, *The Global Student’s Introduction to US Law*, was selected from over 200 online courses to receive UF’s 2015 Quality Assurance Online Education Excellence Award.

Co-developed and co-taught, with Professor Danny Sokol, an online Advanced Sports Law course offered to graduate students at the University of Florida’s College of Health and Human Performance.

Co-developed and co-sponsored, with Professor Danny Sokol, a 2016 Spring Break course that paired law students with prominent alumni in the Miami area for unique experiential learning and networking opportunities.

Online Teaching Foundations Certification, 2020

Teaching Abroad: UF Study Abroad in France; UF Spring Break Course in Belize; UF Law Program in Warsaw, Poland

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND ASSOCIATIONS

Co-Reporter (with Dean Emeritus Robert Post), *Restatement of Defamation & Privacy*, American Law Institute, Jan. 2019-present.

Speaker, Yale Law School Information Society Project, Access & Accountability Symposium, *Defamation as an Accountability Tool*, Oct. 2021.

Moderator, Missouri Bar Annual Meeting Plenary Session, *Regulating the Internet: Big Tech, Government Power, and Free Speech*, Sept. 2021

Moderator, University of Kansas Media and the Law Conference: *All the World’s a (Public) Stage: Is a Viral Figure a Public Figure?* Apr. 2021.

Speaker, Yale Law School Information Society Project, *The Crisis of the Press and Democracy: Structural Fixes to Enhance the Press*, Apr. 2021.

Speaker, Palm Beach County Lawyers CLE, *What’s Wrong with Defamation Law?* March 2021.

Speaker (with RonNell Andersen Jones), University of Texas, *Press Freedom Now*, March 2021.

Speaker (with Akhil Amar), Yale University, [*Incitement and the First Amendment*](#), Feb. 2021.

Keynote Lecture, University of Cincinnati College of Law, [*Restating Defamation Law for the Twenty-First Century*](#), Oct. 2020.

Speaker (with Dean Erwin Chemerinsky), *The Future of Free Speech*, Washington University, Jan. 2020.

Speaker, *Danger, Drama, and Self-Defeat? Diagnosing What Faces "The Press,"* AALS Annual Meeting, Jan. 2020.

Executive Committee, AALS Section on Technology, Law and Legal Education

Moderator, *Deans' Workshop: Building Relationships with the University*, AALS Annual Meeting, Jan. 2020.

Moderator, *Gender Equity at Work*, AALS Annual Meeting, Jan. 2020.

Participant, Law Immersion Day Pipeline Program, St. Louis University Law School, Nov. 2019.

Invited Participant, *Roundtable on Law's Future*, Northwestern University Law School, Sept. 2019.

Speaker, *What You Should Know about the First Amendment*, Springfield Mini-Bar Lecture Series, Sept. 2019.

Speaker, *Strategies for the Dean Search Process*, UVA Law, July 2019.

Speaker, *The First Amendment Today*, Springfield Bar Association, May 2019.

Speaker, *First Amendment Controversies*, Missouri Bar Podcast, April 2019.

Speaker, *Social Media Ethics*, Pay-It-Forward Fundraiser to Support Public Interest Law, Boone County Bar, Feb. 2019.

Debate Participant (with Dean Emeritus Robert Post), *Free Speech on Campus*, University of Utah, Nov. 2018.

Speaker, Bartee Lecture, Missouri State University, September 2018.

Speaker, *When Protest Becomes Incitement*, Missouri Bar Civic Education Program, June 2018.

Speaker, *First Amendment Seminar*, Florida Bar Meeting, June 2018.

Speaker, *The Constitutional Dilemmas of Big Tech*, American Constitution Society, June 2018.

Speaker, *The Year of Saying Yes*, ABA New Deans Workshop, June 2018.

Keynote Speaker, *The State of Legal Education*, Missouri Bar Meeting, May 2018.

Speaker/Moderator, Hurly/Price Sloan Symposium, National Press Club, April 2018.

Speaker, *The Future of Media & Entertainment: Legal & Entrepreneurial Views*, BETR Symposium, MizzouLaw, March 2018.

Speaker, *Fake News, Alternative Facts, and the Future of Journalism*, AALS Annual Meeting, Jan. 2018.

Speaker, *What Department Chairs Should Know about the First Amendment*, Univ. of Missouri, Sept. 2017.

Speaker, *Trump and the First Amendment*, SEALS, August 2017.

Participant, *Reclaiming the Fourth Estate*, Yale Free Expression Scholars Conference, April 2016.

Speaker, *Considering the Context of Online Threats*, Fordham Law School Symposium, March 2017.

Speaker, *The Internet's Role in National Security & Privacy*, Response to Remarks of Professor Robert Turner, Federalist Society Presentation, University of Florida, February 2017.

Speaker, *Considering the Context of Online Threats*, Meitar Liquornik Geva Leshem Tal Workshop, Tel Aviv University, January 2017.

Speaker, *President Trump and Freedom of the Press*, Hot Topic Program, AALS Annual Meeting, January 2017.

Speaker, *What is Newsworthy and of Public Interest: A World View*, Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, June 2016.

Participant, *Reclaiming the Fourth Estate*, Yale Free Expression Scholars Conference, April 2016.

Chair-Elect, AALS Section on Defamation and Privacy, 2016-present.

Executive Committee Member, AALS Section on Mass Communications Law, 2016-present.

Speaker, *Summer Olympics 2016: IP, Newsgathering and Content Challenges*, Media Law Resource Center Conference on Legal Issues Concerning Hispanic and Latin American Media, March 2016.

Speaker, *Symposium on Social Media and the Law: Public, Private and Personal*, University of Virginia Journal of Social Policy & the Law and University of Virginia Journal of Law & Technology, February 2016.

Speaker, *How U.S. Drone Regulation May Affect Journalism*, Drone Journalism Conference, Pontificia Universidad Católica, Chile, October 2015.

Speaker, *Social Media and Legal Ethics*, University of Costa Rica, June 2015.

Speaker, *Journalism after Ferguson*, Law and Society Conference, May 2015.

Speaker, *The 40th Anniversary of Cox Broadcasting v. Cohn: New Challenges From the Right to Be Forgotten*, ABA Forum on Communications Law, Feb. 2015.

Speaker, *Faculty Conversation with Justice John Paul Stevens*, University of Florida, January 2015.

Dissertation Committee Member (Sandra Schmitz), University of Luxembourg, July 2014.

Speaker, *Social Media at UF*, Administrative Professionals Association, Oct. 2014.

Judge, IT-Lex Technology Law Writing Contest, May 2013.

Speaker, *Using Cyberlaw Issues and Tools to Teach Lawyering Skills*, Global Legal Skills Conference, May 2014.

Speaker, *How Social Media Cases Are Reshaping Defamation Law*, University of Melbourne (Australia) Comparative Media Law Conference, April 2014.

Attendee, *Legal Issues Concerning Hispanic and Latin American Media*, Media Law Resource Center, March 2014.

Speaker, *The Press and Constitutional Self-Help*, University of Georgia Symposium on the Fiftieth Anniversary of *New York Times v. Sullivan*, November 2013.

Speaker, *Hot Issues in Social Media Law*, Practicing Law Institute: Communications Law in the Digital Age, November 2013.

Speaker and Moderator, IT-Lex E-Discovery Conference, October 2013.

Speaker, *Cyberbullying Now*, Free Speech Discussion Forum at Luxembourg University Faculty of Law, May 2013.

Judge, IT-Lex Writing Contest, May 2013.

Commenter, Yale Free Expression Scholars Conference, May 2013.

Speaker, *Social Media, Journalism, and Free Speech*, UF Women Donors Conference, April 2012.

Speaker, *Should False Statements of Fact Be Protected Under the First Amendment?*, UF Journal of Law and Public Policy Symposium on Media Law, March 2012.

Speaker, *Social Media and Free Speech: The Good, the Bad, & the Unprotected*, UF Community Leaders Breakfast, February 2012; Eighth Judicial Circuit Bar Association, March 2012.

Speaker, *Social Media in the Workplace*, Association for Academic Women, February 2012.

Abrams Speaker, *How Not to Criminalize Cyberbullying*, Yale Information Society Project, December 2012.

Speaker, *Videotaping Police, Wiretapping Laws & the First Amendment*, ABA Teleconference, December 2012.

Speaker, *Hot Issues in Social Media Law*, Practicing Law Institute: Communications Law in the Digital Age, November 2012.

Speaker, *Not a Free Press Court?*, The Supreme Court and the Press Symposium, Brigham Young University Law School, January 2012.

Speaker, *Cyberbullying*, Missouri Law Review Symposium, University of Missouri Law School, February 2012.

Speaker, *Free Press Issues in Cyberspace*, Florida Coastal Law Review Symposium, Florida Coastal Law School, March 2012.

Speaker, *The Press Clause Today*, Southeastern Association of Law Schools, July 2011.

Speaker, Teleconference on Government Sponsored Social Media, Government and Public Sector Lawyers Division, American Bar Association, June 2011.

Speaker, *First Amendment Developments in the U.S. Supreme Court*, Florida Bar Annual First Amendment Law Symposium (2004-2009, 2011-present).

Lecturer, Themis Bar Review, *Florida Professional Responsibility*, 2011, 2012.

Speaker, *Criminal Law, The Internet, and the First Amendment*, Texas Tech Law School, April 2011.

Speaker, *Public Forum 2.0*, Florida International University Law School, Jan. 2011.

Speaker, AALS Section on Mass Communication, *The First Amendment of Chief Justice Roberts*, Jan. 2011.

Presenter, Michigan State University, Bits Without Borders: Law, Communications & Transnational Culture Flow in the Digital Age, *All the President's Tweets*, Sept. 2010.

Speaker, UF Constitution Day, *Social Media and the First Amendment*, Sept. 2010.

Distinguished Alumnus Award Recipient, Duke University Talent Identification Program, May 2010.

Speaker, Law & Society Conference, *Government-Sponsored Social Media*, May 2010.

Moderator, UF Music Law Conference, March 2010.

Panelist, *Convergences and Conversions: The Merchant of Venice Into the Twenty-First Century*, Interdisciplinary Conference at the University of Florida, March 2010.

Panelist, AALS Section on Women in Legal Education, *The First Amendment Meets Cyberstalking Meets Character and Fitness*, January 2010.

Panelist, UF Law School, *Social Media: Promises & Perils*, January 2010.

Participant and Speaker, Boston College Law Review Symposium, *Reputation and Property Meet the First Amendment*, Panel on Anonymity in Cyberspace, April 2009.

Speaker, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Conference, *Con Law Update*, July 2008, 2009.

Faculty Presentation, Wm. Mitchell Law School, *The Implied Audience of First Amendment Speech*, April 2008.

Participant and Speaker, First Amendment Discussion Forum, University of Louisville Brandeis School of Law, *Holocaust Denial*, December 2007.

Speaker, American Constitution Society Student Forum, *Avoiding Liability for Internet Speech*, March 2008.

Speaker, UF ACS-ACLU Panel, *Tasers and Free Speech*, November 2007.

Speaker, Florida Law Review Fall Symposium, *The Reporter's Privilege Today*, 2006.

Speaker, *The 2005-2006 Supreme Court Term*, Southeast Association of Law Schools Conference, Palm Beach, Florida, 2006.

Moderator, Panel Discussion, University of Florida Symposium, *Data Devolution*, 2006.

Congressional Testimony: *Oath-Taking, Truth-Telling & Remedies in the Business World*; Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection (July 26, 2002).

CITATIONS BY COURTS TO PUBLISHED ARTICLES OR BOOKS

Supreme Court of Canada:

Crookes v. Wikimedia Foundation, Inc, 2011 SCC 47 (2011).

Hong Kong Court of Final Appeal

Oriental Press Group Ltd v. Fevaworks Solutions Ltd, 2013 WL 3210032 (2013).

U.S. State Supreme Courts:

Sprague v. Spokane Valley Fire Dept., 409 P.3d 160 (Wash. 2018).

Kinney v. Barnes, 443 S.W.3d 87 (Tx. 2014).

Too Much Media, LLC v. Hale, 20 A.3d 364 (N.J. 2011).

Independent Newspapers, Inc. v. Brodie, 966 A.2d 432 (Md. 2008).

Doe v. Cahill, 884 A.2d 451 (Del. 2005).

Mathis v. Cannon, 573 S.E. 2d 376 (Ga. 2002).

Federal Courts of Appeals:

Davison v. Randall, 912 F.3d 666 (2d Cir. 2019).

U.S. v. Strandlof, 667 F.3d 1146 (10th Cir. 2012).

Michtavi v. New York Daily News et al., 587 F.3d 551 (2d Cir. 2009).

Lefkoe v. Jos. A. Bank Clothiers, Inc., 577 F.3d 240 (4th Cir. 2009).

State Intermediate Appellate Courts:

Doe. v. Mahoney, 418 P.3d 1013 (Az. Ct. App. 2018).

Mitchell v. Md. Motor Vehicle Admin., 2016 WL 6311749 (Md. Ct. App. 2016).

Roberts v. Mintz, 2016 WL 3981128 (N.J. Super. Ct. App. Div. July 26, 2016).

Eisenstein v. WTVF-TV, 2016 WL 2605752 (Tenn. App. May 3, 2016).

Hadley v. Doe, 12 N.E.3d 75 (Ill. App. 2014).

Chaker v. Mateo, 147 Cal. Rptr. 3d 496 (2012).

Davis v. Fred's Appliance, Inc., 287 P.3d 51 (Wa. Ct. App. 2012).

Summit Bank v. Rogers, 142 Cal. Rptr. 3d 40 (2012).

Krinsky v. Doe 6, 72 Cal. Rptr. 3d 231 (Cal. App. 6th 2008).

Mobilisa, Inc. v. Doe, 170 P.3d 712 (Ariz. App. Div. 2008).

Klehr Harrison et. al. v. JPA Development, Inc., 2006 WL 37020 (Pa. Com. Pl., 2006).

Polito v. AOL TimeWarner, Inc., 2004 WL 3768897 (Pa. Com. Pl. 2004).

Barrett v. Rosenthal, 9 Cal. Rptr. 3d 142 (Cal. App. 4th 2004).

Varian Medical Systems, Inc. v. Delfino, 6 Cal. Rptr. 3d 325 (Cal. App. 4th 2003).

Melvin v. Doe, 29 Media L. Rptr. 1065 (Pa. Com. Pl. 2000).

Federal Trial Courts:

Tah v. Global Witness Publ'g Inc, 2019 WL 4737116 (D. D.C. Sept, 27, 2019).

Log Creek, LLC v. Kessler, 717 F. Supp.2d 1239 (N.D. Fla. 2010).

Quixtar, Inc. v. Signature Management Team, LLC., 2008 WL 2721265 (D. Nev. 2008).

Albright v. Morton, 321 F. Supp. 2d 130 (D. Mass. 2004).

In Re Baxter, 2001 WL 34806203 (W.D. La. 2001).

Agnant v. Shakur, 30 F. Supp. 2d 420 (S.D.N.Y. 1998).

ACADEMIC AND COMMUNITY SERVICE (1994-2017)

Leadership Training

Participant, UF Advanced Leadership for Academics and Professionals Training Course (2015-2016) (selected by competitive process)

Participant, Southeastern Conference Academic Consortium (SECU) Leadership Development Program Fellow (2015-2016) (selected by competitive process)

Service to the Law School (as Faculty Member)

Liaison to Florida Alumni Tax Advisory Committee (2016-2017)

Co-organizer of an interdisciplinary conference hosted by the University of Florida and the University of Havana and held in Havana, Cuba (2016)

Recruiter of LL.M. students, N.Y. Recruiting Forum (2016)

Recruiter of LL.M. students, Education USA fairs in Ecuador and Colombia (2015)

Strategic Planning Committee (2015-16)

Distance Education Committee (2015-16)

Ex Officio Member of International Programs Committee (2013-present)

Organizer of “Foreign Enrichment” law courses, including Global Cyberlaw in 2014 and Business and Legal Environments of Latin America in 2015.

Negotiator of student and faculty exchange agreements with various international universities. (2013-present)

Recruiter of and advisor to students and faculty about international exchange and study abroad opportunities. (2013-present)

Drafter of UF Law’s Strategic Plan for International Programs (2014-2015), working in conjunction with the Committee on International Programs & Comparative Law (2013-present). Plan adopted by faculty in 2015.

Faculty Mentor (2000-present). Advisor to untenured colleagues about scholarship, teaching, and the tenure process

Director of Study Abroad Program (France) (Summer 2014)

Law School Dean Search Committee (2013-14)

MOOC Committee (2014) (involved in planning and execution of online course that reached over 19,000 students in its first offering)

Chair of Appointments Committee (2011-2013; 2006-2007)

Appointments Committee (1996-1997, 2000-2003; 2006-2007; 2008-2009; 2011-2013)

Chair of Library Director Search Committee (2010)

Promotion & Tenure Committee (Fall 2009, 2003-2005)

Journal Advisory Committee (Fall 2009)

Student Admissions Committee (2007-2008)

Women's Mentoring Program (2005-2006)

Pro Bono Committee (2003-2004)

Chair, Professionalism Committee (1999-2000)

Faculty Development Committee (Fall 1998, 2004-2006)

Professionalism Committee (Fall 1998-present)

Honor Committee (1994-96)

Externship Supervisor and Independent Study Supervisor (numerous years)

Involvement with Student Organizations

Faculty Advisor to: Law School Running Club (2016); International Law Society (2013-2017); Sports Law Symposium (2013-2015); Journal of Technology Law & Policy (2011-2012); Journal of Law and Public Policy (2006-2007); Entertainment Law Review (2006-2009); Journal of Technology Law and Policy (2005-2010); Student ATLA Chapter (2003-2004); UF College of Law Entertainment & Sports Law Society (1997-98); Law Association for Women (1996-1998)

Speaker/Moderator for various events hosted by student organizations, including the Federalist Society, the American Constitution Society, the Law Association for Women, the Florida Law Review, and OUTLAW

Organizer of Spanish Conversation Club (2014-15) and Student Running Club (2008-2014)

Service to the University

UF Brechner Center Director Search Committee, College of Journalism (2016-2017)

UF International Center Advisory Committee (2014-present)

Advisory Board, Center for European Studies (2014-present)

University Senate (1996-97, 1997-98)

Women's Mentoring Program (2008-2010)

Partner, University Center of Excellence in Developmental Disabilities (2005)

Participant, Ethics Panel Discussions (Fall 1995 & Spring 1995)

Thesis & Dissertation Committee Member, College of Journalism (Fall 1996-2017). Served as committee member for the thesis and dissertation committees of numerous graduate students.

Academic Service outside the University of Florida

Fulbright Reading Panel (2014-2015). Assisted with rating of applicants for Fulbright awards to study law in the United States.

Recognized as Distinguished Alumnus of Duke Talent Identification Program (2011). Assisted with presentations of awards to TIP students.

Editorial Board Member, *Communications Law and Policy* (peer-reviewed law journal) (2011-present). Reviewed articles for publication.

Tenure Reviewer (2003-present). Reviewed the work of numerous scholars of First Amendment Law, Media Law, and Cyberlaw.

PERSONAL

Karen Sloan, *Law Dean Takes Her Breast Cancer Fight to Twitter*, Apr. 11, 2019.

Jessica Shumaker, *"It's Changed Me as a Person": Mizzou Law Dean Lyrissa Lidsky Reflects on Experience with Breast Cancer*, MO. LAWYERS MEDIA, Oct. 14, 2019.

Bryanna Barber, *An Unlikely Force Brought MU's Law School Together: The Dean's Cancer Battle*, COLUMBIA MISSOURIAN, May, 2, 2019.