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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

to enhance classroom pedagogy and inclusivity; handled various aspects of external and internal compliance requirements; chaired committee to hire several academic advisors; served on university task forces; oversaw transition to online teaching and new grading policies during the COVID-19 pandemic; member of dean's leadership team; engaged in college-wide strategic planning; served as College of Law representative for university associate dean meetings; represented dean when she was away.)

2017 – 2022

*Professor of Law* (with tenure)

2016 – 2018

*Director, Introduction to Lawyering and the Legal Profession Program*  
(Oversaw the development and implementation of the Introduction to Lawyering and the Legal Profession Program. The program included a coordinated, required course for all 1L students designed to help them develop competencies in four primary areas: (1) client-centered lawyering; (2) essential lawyering skills

## EDUCATION

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UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA CAREY LAW SCHOOL, J.D., Philadelphia, PA, 2006

Honors: Articles Editor, *University of Pennsylvania Law Review* (2005–2006)  
Associate Editor, *University of Pennsylvania Law Review* (2004-2005)

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, Ph.D., Columbus, OH, 2002

Fields: Educational policy and administration, empirical research methods, and education law

Dissertation: The Role of Public School Administrators in the Educational Technology Policy-Making Process (Adviser: Dr. Philip T.K. Daniel)

Awards: Alumni Grant for Graduate Research and Scholarship (2002)  
E.E. Lewis Fellowship; Campbell Memorial Scholarship (2002)  
F. Dorothy Ramsey Scholarship (2001)  
Dan Eikenberry Scholarship (2000)

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, M.A., Columbus, OH, 2000

Fields: Educational policy and administration, empirical research methods, and education law

Awards: Strickland Scholarship (1999)

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY, B.A., History Teaching, Provo, UT, 1996

Honors: University Honors with Honors Thesis; *cum laude*; Dean's List

Honors Thesis: Channel One: Impacting the Classroom

Saints in Chile from 1991 to 1993, then subsequently transferred to Brigham Young University.

CLERKSHIPS

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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE THIRD CIRCUIT, Wilmington, DE (Dec. 2006–Sept. 2007)

*Law Clerk to the Honorable Kent A. Jordan*

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE, Wilmington, DE (Sept. 2006–Dec. 2007)

*Law Clerk to the Honorable Kent A. Jordan*

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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SKADDEN, ARPS, SLATE, MEAGHER & FLOM LLP, Wilmington, DE (2007–2011)



*Students, Police, and the School-to-Prison Pipeline*, 93 WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW 919 (2016).

- Quoted in *Wheat v. Florida Parish Juvenile Justice Commission*, 811 F.3d 702 (5th Cir. 2016) (Reeves, J., concurring in part and dissenting in part).

THE AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION'S JOINT TASK FORCE ON REVERSING THE SCHOOL-TO-PRISON PIPELINE PRELIMINARY REPORT (Feb. 2016) (with Sarah E. Redfield).

- Reprinted in 47 UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS LAW REVIEW 1 (2016).

*An Empirical Analysis of Diversity in the Legal Profession*, 47 CONNECTICUT LAW REVIEW 271 (2014) (with Paul E. Madsen).

- Reprinted in abbreviated form in INSTITUTE FOR INCLUSION IN THE LEGAL PROFESSION, IILP REVIEW 2017: THE STATE OF DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION IN THE LEGAL PROFESSION 112–118 (Elizabeth Chambliss et al. eds., 2017).
- Cited in *In the Matter of the Honorable David S. Keenan Superior Court Judge for King County*, 502 P.3d 1271 (Wash. 2022).

*School Surveillance and the Fourth Amendment*, 2014 WISCONSIN LAW REVIEW 79.

- Quoted in *Hawker v. Sandy City Corp.*, 774 F.3d 1243, 1245 (10th Cir. 2014) (Lucero, J., concurring).

*Students, Security, and Race*, 63 EMORY LAW JOURNAL 1 (2013).

*School Security Considerations After Newtown*, 65 STANFORD LAW REVIEW ONLINE 103 (2013).

*Normative*

*Analysis*, 84 UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO LAW REVIEW 367 (2013).

*The Law Review Article Selection Process: Results from a National Study*, 71 ALBANY LAW REVIEW 565 (2008) (with Dylan J. Steinberg).

*Curriculum and Instruction Policy in the Context of Multiple Accountabilities*, in IMPROVING SCHOOLS: STUDIES IN LEADERSHIP AND CULTURE 193–221 (Wayne K. Hoy & Michael DiPaola eds., 2008) (with Helen M. Marks).

*Protecting Students from Abuse: Public School District Liability for Student Sexual Abuse Under State Child Abuse Reporting Laws*, 36 JOURNAL OF LAW AND EDUCATION 33 (2007) (with

*Public School Administrators and Technology Policy Making*, 39 EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION QUARTERLY 434 (2003) (peer reviewed).

*The Role of the Administrator in Instructional Technology Policy*, 2002 BYU EDUCATION AND LAW JOURNAL 211 (with Philip T.K. Daniel).

OP-EDS

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*SMU Celebrates 75 Years of Pro Bono Legal Clinics in Dallas*, THE DALLAS MORNING NEWS (Oct. 4, 2023).

*We Need Better Data to Understand the Impact of Law Enforcement Officers in Schools*, THE HILL (Apr. 2, 2022).

*Teachers, SROs Must Learn to Manage Students Without Using Justice System*, JUVENILE JUSTICE INFORMATION EXCHANGE (Sept. 6, 2016).

- Also published in YOUTH TODAY (Sept. 6, 2016).

*Strategies, Tools for Educators to Dismantle School-to-Prison Pipeline*, JUVENILE JUSTICE INFORMATION EXCHANGE (Aug. 11, 2016).

- Also published in YOUTH TODAY (Aug. 11, 2016).

*ABA Task Force W MCID 40000 679es(ODAY)JTJETQaLH oen-US*



Presenter, “Surveillance of School-Issued Devices: Consequences for Privacy and Equity,” Future of Education Technology Conference, Orlando, FL (Jan. 30, 2019).

Presenter, “School Security Measures, Racial Disparities, Implicit Racial Bias, and the Fourth Amendment,” School Security: Identifying and Addressing Sources of Inequity, American University, Washington DC (Oct. 23, 2018).

Presenter, “Understanding Implicit Bias,” 2018 National Association of Administrative Law Judiciary Annual Conference, St. Petersburg, FL (Oct. 15, 2018).

Presenter, “School Police: A Legal, Empirical, and Normative Analysis,” Community and School Safety: Risk Assessment and Prevention, The Institute of Gainesville, Santa Fe College, Gainesville, FL (Oct. 12, 2018).

Presenter, “School Police: A Legal, Empirical, and Normative Analysis,” The Institute of Gainesville, Gainesville, FL (July 9, 2018).

Presenter, “School Police: A Legal, Empirical, and Normative Analysis,” 2018 Annual Meeting on Law and Society, Toronto, Canada (June 7, 2018).

Presenter, “Awareness of Implicit Bias,” Enhancing Justice, Reducing Bias: Implicit Bias Concepts and Strategies, Tampa Bay Chapter of the Federal Bar Association and the Trial & Litigation Section of the Hillsborough County Bar Association, Tampa, FL (Apr. 5, 2018) (with the Honorable Bernice B. Donald and Sarah E. Redfield).

Presenter, “Implicit Racial Bias and Students’ Fourth Amendment Rights,” Redesigning Justice: Promoting Civil Rights, Trust and Fairness, Keble College, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK (Mar. 21, 2018).

Panelist, Our New President: The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly, Democratic Women’s Club of Alachua County, Gainesville, FL (Feb. 3, 2018).

Presenter, “Implicit Bias,” Leadership Gainesville Alumni Association, Gainesville, FL (Dec. 14, 2017).

Presenter, “An Empirical Analysis of Diversity in the Legal Profession,” Symposium on the State of Diversity and Inclusion in the Legal Profession, New York, NY (Oct. 26, 2017).

Presenter, “An Empirical Analysis of Diversity in the Legal Profession,” Symposium on the State of Diversity and Inclusion in the Legal Profession, Seattle, WA (Oct. 6, 2017).

Presenter, “Implicit Racial Bias and Students’ Fourth Amendment Rights,” 2017 Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Conference, Boca Raton, FL (Aug. 2, 2017).

Presenter, “Implicit Racial Bias and Students’ Fourth Amendment Rights,” 2017 International Meeting on Law and Society, Mexico City, Mexico (June 23, 2017).



Presenter, “Race, Discipline, and the School-to-Prison Pipeline,” Race Matters in the News Series, Center for the Study of Race and Race Relations, University of Florida Levin College of Law, Gainesville, FL (Mar. 17, 2016).

Presenter, “Is Justice Blind? Recognizing Bias in the Legal Profession and Beyond,” Leadership Roundtable, Clara Gehan Association for Women Lawyers, Eighth Judicial Circuit Bar Association, Josiah T. Walls Bar Association, North Central Florida Chapter of the Federal Bar Association, University of Florida Levin College of Law, and the Bob Graham Center for Public Service, Gainesville, FL (Mar. 11, 2016) (with Sarah E. Redfield).

Presenter, “Implicit Racial Bias and Students’ Fourth Amendment Rights,” University of Tennessee College of Law Faculty Workshop Series (Mar. 8, 2016).

Presenter, “Introducing the ABA School-to-Prison Pipeline Task Force’s Preliminary Report,” The Impact of the School-to-Prison Pipeline on LGBTQ Youth and the Launching of the School-to-Prison Pipeline Preliminary Report, 2016 American Bar Association Midyear Meeting, San Diego, CA (Feb. 5, 2016).

Presenter, “Dismantling the School-to-Prison Pipeline: Tools for Change,” Clark County School District, Las Vegas, NV (Dec. 9 & 10, 2015) (with Sarah E. Redfield).

Presenter, “School Surveillance, Racial Imbalances, Implicit Bias, and the Fourth Amendment,” The Present and Future of Civil Rights Movements: Race and Reform in 21st Century America, Center on Law, Race, and Politics, Duke Law School, Durham, NC (Nov. 21, 2015).

Panelist, Paper Tigers: Film Screening and Panel Discussion, University of Florida College of Education Council, Gainesville, FL (Nov. 16, 2015).

Panelist, 2016 Allen Chair Symposium on School Inequality, University of Richmond Law Review Symposium, Richmond, VA (Oct. 23, 2015).

Presenter, “School Discipline, Racial Disparities, and Implicit Bias,” Overcoming Our Unconscious: A Conference on Implicit Bias in Policing, Employment, and Education, Northwestern University School of Law’s Office of Diversity Education and Outreach, Chicago Lawyers’ Committee for Civil Rights, and the Chicago Urban League, Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago, IL (Oct. 9, 2015).

Presenter, “Dismantling the School-to-Prison Pipeline: Tools for Change,” Shutting Down the School to Prison Pipeline, 2015 Nova Law Review Symposium, Fort Lauderdale, FL (Sept. 18, 2015).

Presenter, “Overview: The Makings of a Pipeline,” Shutting Down the School to Prison Pipeline, 2015 Nova Law Review Symposium, Fort Lauderdale, FL (Sept. 18, 2015).

Presenter, "Preventing the School-to-Prison Pipeline," Warren County Council on Juvenile Justice System Improvement and the

Presenter, “Cops, Schools, Crime Reporting, and the School-to-Prison Pipeline,” 2014 Law and Society

Presenter, “A Legal and Empirical Assessment of Suspicionless Student Searches Conducted by Public School Officials,” Florida S

*and How We Can Stop the Cycle*, MILWAUKEE JOURNAL SENTINEL, Oct. 23, 2020.

Live Radio Interview, *Top of the Mind with Julie Rose*, SIRIUSXM 143 (BYU-Radio's satellite channel), July 27, 2020, discussing police presence in schools.

*Do Police Officers in Schools Help or Hinder Teachers?*, THE ECONOMIST, July 18, 2020.

*Do #BlackLivesMatter in* , THE WASHINGTON POST, July 14, 2020.

*Role of Police Officers Questioned, Justified in Concord Schools*, CONCORD MONITOR, July 6, 2020.

*Do Officers Belong in Schools? Districts Cut Ties, Debate Best Paths to Safety*, CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR, June 18, 2020.

*Should Facial Recognition Technology Be Rolled Out in US Schools?*, IOL, Apr. 13, 2020.

*Recognition Rollout in U.S. Schools*, REUTERS, Mar. 11, 2020.



*North Carolina Video Puts Police in Schools Back in the Spotlight*, CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR, Jan. 5, 2017.

*Protecting or Policing? School-Based Police Officers Are Paid to Protect Our Kids. But Sometimes They Do More Harm Than Good*, T

, THE COMMERCIAL APPEAL, Apr. 23, 2016.

*Police Violence ... in schools? Cellphone Videos Shed New Light*, CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR, Mar. 9, 2016.

*Baltimore School Officers Charged with Assault in Wake of Viral Video*, CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR, Mar. 9, 2016.

*Rodriguez More than 40 Years Later*, RICHMOND LAW MAGAZINE, Feb. 24, 2016.

*Too Many Students Are Being Diverted from School into the Criminal Justice System, Report Says*, ABA JOURNAL, Feb. 6, 2016.

*Police Role in Schools Is Under Scrutiny*, WALL STREET JOURNAL EUROPE, Oct. 30, 2015.

*Do Cops in Schools Do More Harm Than Good?*, TIME, Oct. 29, 2015.

*Role of Police Officers Questioned*, WALL S

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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### Law School Service at the University of Florida:

Appointments Committee (2017, 2021–2022)

Chair of Bar Exam Support (2021–2022)

Chair of Faculty Development Committee (2019–2020, 2020–2021)

Chair of Ad Hoc Committee to Consider Temporary Changes to Grading Structure in Response to COVID-19 (2020)

Academic Standards Committee (2018–2019, 2019–2020, 2020–2021)

Curriculum & Strategic Planning Committee (2018–2019, 2019–2020, 2020–2021, 2021–2022)

Chair of Ad Hoc Bar Task Force (2018–2019)

Curriculum Committee (2016–2017)

Admitted Day Students Mock Law School Class Presenter (2016, 2017)

Law School Orientation Case Analysis and Briefing Session Presenter (2016, 2017, 2018, 2020)

Diversity and Community Relations Committee (2015–2016)

Faculty Development Committee (2011–2012, 2015–2016)

Strategic Planning Committee (2012–2013, 2013–2014)

Facilities and Technology Committee (2012–2013, 2013–2014)

Academic Success Program Lecturer

- Approaching Law School Exams (2012, 2013, 2014, 2019, 2020, 2021)
- Improving Exam Performance (2013, 2014, 2015)

### University Service at the University of Florida:

University of Florida Professional Curriculum Committee Task Force (2021–2022)

- Presented our proposal to various university constituencies, including the Academic Policy Council, University Curriculum Committee, University Constitution and Regulations Committee, Committee on Committees, and the Senate Steering Committee.

University of Florida Academic Continuity Workgroup in Response to COVID-19 (2020)

University of Florida Social Media Policy Task Force (2020)

University of Florida Combination, Joint, Dual Degree Task Force (2019–2020)

University of Florida Intercollegiate Athletics Committee (2017–2020)

University of Florida O’Connell Center Advisory Board (2017–2020)

Legal Academic Community Service:

Reporter, American Bar Association’s Joint Task Force on Reversing the School-to-Prison Pipeline (2015–2017)

- Presented at several ABA-sponsored town hall and other meetings around the nation, co-authored a report based on our findings, and helped draft resolutions aimed to dismantle the school-to-prison pipeline nationwide that were officially adopted by the ABA.

Executive Committee Member, Education Law Section, Association of American Law Schools (2013–2016)

Peer Reviewer

Cambridge University Press (ad hoc)

Journal of School Violence

McGraw-Hill Education (ad hoc)

Stanford Law Review (ad hoc)

Wolters & Kluwer (ad hoc)

Youth Justice

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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Delaware Bar (inactive)

Supreme Court of the United States

United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit

United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit

United States District Court for the District of Delaware

Dallas Bar Association

PERSONAL INTERESTS AND A