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Teaching

University of North Carolina School of Law: Clinical Professor since 2010

- Assistant Dean for Legal Writing & Academic Excellence since 2011
- Director of Legal Writing 2010-11
- Courses: Research, Reasoning, Writing, & Advocacy; Honors Writing Scholar Seminar & Lab

Vanderbilt University Law School: Assoc. Prof. 2004-10; Asst. Prof., 1998-2004

- Director of Legal Writing 2000-10; Coordinator of Legal Writing, 1998-2000
- Chair of the Planning Committee on an LL.M. for Foreign Law Graduates, 1999-2000
- Courses: Legal Writing; Teaching Assistance for Legal Writing; Introduction to Legal Research & Writing in the U.S. (mandatory LL.M. course); European Union Law; Comparative Constitutional Law of Germany & the U.S. (with Prof. Dr. D.C. Umbach)

Short Courses in Germany:

- Introduction to Anglo-American Law, Universität Bonn Law Faculty (2003-2006, 2008, 2011-12 with Prof. Dr. Nina Dethloff)
- Introduction to U.S. Law, Universität Bielefeld (2000)
- American Law Introductory Courses, organized by Michigan Law School & the *Deutsch-Amerikanische Juristen-Vereinigung* (1998, 1999, & 2001)

Pennsylvania State University, Dickinson School of Law: Fellow, 1996-98

- Courses: Lawyering Skills & Landlord-Tenant Law; Equal Protection & Civil Rights

Teaching & Research Assistant, Universität Potsdam (Germany) Law Faculty, 1994-95

Legal Writing Instructor (as a 3L), University of Michigan Law School, 1990-91

Education

LL.M., *magna cum laude*, Universität Potsdam, Germany, 1995

J.D., *cum laude*, University of Michigan Law School, 1991 (Law Review; 4 Merit Certificates)

B.A., College of William & Mary, 1985 (Phi Beta Kappa; German Department Distinguished Student Award; 30 credits earned on academic scholarship at Universität Münster, Germany)

Clerkship

Hon. James G. Carr, U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio, 1995-96

Practice

Associate, Pierce Atwood, Portland, Maine, 1991-93

Summer Associate, U.S. Department of State, Legal Adviser's Office, 1990

Robert Bosch Foundation Fellow, Federal Ministry of Justice & *Landgericht* (Regional Court), Bonn & Freiburg, Germany, 1993-94

Summer Associate, Hooper, Hathaway, Price, Beuche & Wallace, Ann Arbor, 1989

Service, Reports, & Presentations

ABA Section on Legal Education & Admissions to the Bar

- Curriculum Committee, helping produce the *Survey of Law School Curricula* (2d ed. 2012)
- Communication Skills Committee: Vice Chair 2008-09, Member 2001-09
  - Moderator, *Legal Writing for Business & Transactional Lawyers: A Conversation Between Practitioners & Professors*, ABA Annual Meeting, San Francisco, 2007
- Presenter at Accreditation Site Evaluation Team Chair & Evaluators Workshop, 2009
- Accreditation Site Evaluation Teams: J.D. Programs at Ave Maria, BYU, Creighton (Team Chair), John Marshall–Atlanta, Notre Dame, Pontifical Catholic of Puerto Rico, Vermont, & Widener-Harrisburg (Team Chair)
- Accreditation Site Evaluator for 4 LL.M. Programs

Association of American Law Schools

- Developer & Presenter, at the AALS Workshop for Beginning Legal Writing Teachers, 2005, 2007, 2009, & 2013

Association of Legal Writing Directors

- Leadership: President-Elect, President, & Immediate Past President, 2005-08; Executive Committee 2004-08; Board of Directors, 2001-05
- Various Committees since 1999, & Co-Liaison to the ABA Council since 2003
  - Lead Author, *Accreditation Policy & Quality Instruction in Law*, Presented at ABA Midyear Meeting, Miami, 2007
- Presentations at the Association's Biennial Conferences:
  - *Cooperative Hybrid Teaching: Collaboration Within and Beyond the Traditional Course*, 2013S
  - *ABA Accreditation Update* (Panelist), 2009 & 2011
  - *ALWD's Mission & Membership* (Membership Meeting), 2007
  - Plenary Session Panelist, *ABA Accreditation Standards & Legal Writing*, 2005
  - Breakout Session Leader, *Leadership Styles*, 2003
  - *Technology & Curricular Innovation: Beyond Technocentrism*, 2001
  - *"Leveraging" Feedback: Simple Steps to Turn Comments on Individual Papers into Classroom Learning Tools*, 1999
  - *Caught in the Middle: Surviving as a New but Interim Director*, 1999

Legal Writing Institute & Related Organizations

- Presentations at Legal Writing Institute Biennial Conferences:
  - *Curricula Now: Lessons from the ABA Curriculum Survey*, 2012
  - *Picturing a Memo: Instructional Imagery*, 2008
  - *Syllabus Drafting* (with Susan Kosse Duncan), 2006
  - *Critique Workshop*, 2006 (Group Leader)
  - *Synergy & Synthesis*, 2000
- Planning Committees for the 2006 & 2012 Conferences
- Presentations at Regional or International Conferences:
  - Legal Writing Institute Workshops: *New Opportunities in Research and Writing Instruction* (Panelist), UNC, 2012; *Epiphanies: Small Assignments to Foster Big Leaps in Learning* (Panelist), Campbell Univ., 2011; *How to Grade Papers Without Losing Your Mind*, Legal Writing Institute Workshop, Wake Forest Univ., 2010

- *Hybrid Teaching Beyond the Traditional Course*, Summer Conference of the Institute for Law Teaching and Learning, 2013
- *Comparative Legislation and Global Statutory Drafting Skills* (Panelist; Focus on German Statutory Law), *Facultad Libre de Derecho de Monterrey*, Mexico, 2010
- *Teaching Legal Writing Using Images*, UNLV Boyd School of Law, 2007
- Moderator, *Moot Court & Student Publications*, Conference on Preparing for Practice—Legal Skills Training in Central & Eastern Europe, Prague, 2005
- *Informative Course Descriptions & Syllabi*, Washington University, 2003

University Service & Presentations

- UNC Festival of Legal Learning: *Getting Started, Getting Support, and Getting a Draft*, 2013; *Persuasive Stories: Narrative Tips for Advocates*, 2012; *Top Ten Tips for Writing Powerfully*, 2011
- Vanderbilt Max Kade Center for European & German Studies Advisory Board, 2006-09

Editorial Boards

Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research & Writing, since 2001
Journal of the Legal Writing Institute, 2002-06
German Law Journal 2002-09

Publications

Chapters

Report: Bundesverwaltungsgericht (Federal Administrative Court), in 2-3 ANNUAL OF GERMAN & EUROPEAN LAW (Russell A. Miller & Peer Zumbansen eds., 2006)

Report: Bundesverwaltungsgericht (Federal Administrative Court), in 1 ANNUAL OF GERMAN & EUROPEAN LAW (Russell A. Miller & Peer Zumbansen eds., 2004)

Articles, Book Reviews, & Essays

Visions, SECOND DRAFT: BULLETIN OF THE LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE, vol. 24, No. 2, at 10-11 (Spring 2010)

Teaching Transactional Skills in First-Year Writing Courses, TRANSACTIONS: TENN. J. BUS. L. (SPECIAL REPORT, "TEACHING DRAFTING AND TRANSACTIONAL SKILLS: THE BASICS AND BEYOND") 53 (2009) (co-authors: Wayne Schiess; Pamela Wilkins; Danton Berube; Irene Segal Ayers)

Readying Ourselves to Provide Effective, Timely Feedback, SECOND DRAFT: BULLETIN OF THE LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE, vol. 22, No. 1, at 13 (Fall 2007)

Minds and Levers: Reflections on Howard Gardner's Changing Minds, 14 PERSPECTIVES: TEACHING LEGAL RESEARCH & WRITING 116 (2006)

The Uncertain Limits of the European Court of Justice's Authority: Economic Freedom Versus Human Dignity, 10 COLUMBIA JOURNAL OF EUROPEAN LAW 445 (2004) (co-author: Thomas Fetzer, Universität Mannheim, Germany; presented at the 2003 European Studies Association Conference)

Constitutional Drift: Toward the End of Federal Shop-Closing (Ladenschluss) Regulation, 5 GERMAN LAW JOURNAL, No. 9 (Sept. 1, 2004)

Teaching Students How to Learn in Your Course: The Learning-Centered Course Manual, in 12 PERSPECTIVES: TEACHING LEGAL RESEARCH & WRITING 1 (2003)

New Transatlantic Tension and the Kagan Phenomenon: A Primer, 4 GERMAN LAW JOURNAL, No. 9 (Sept. 1, 2003)

More Disagreement Over Human Dignity: The Federal Constitutional Court's Most Recent Benetton Advertising Decision, 4 GERMAN LAW JOURNAL, No. 4 (June 1, 2003)

Technology and Legal Education: Negotiating the Shoals of Technocentrism, Technophobia, and Indifference, 1 JOURNAL OF THE ASSOCIATION OF LEGAL WRITING DIRECTORS 247 (2002)

Synergy and Synthesis: Teaming Socratic Method with Computers and Data Projectors to Teach Synthesis, 7 JOURNAL OF THE LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE 113 (2001)

Teaching Synthesis in High-Tech Classrooms: Using Sophisticated Visual Tools Alongside Socratic Dialogue to Help Guide Students Through the Labyrinth, 9 PERSPECTIVES: TEACHING LEGAL RESEARCH & WRITING 110 (2001)

An American's View of the Federal Constitutional Court: Karlsruhe's Justices Speak Softly But Carry a Big Stick, 2 GERMAN LAW JOURNAL, No. 9 (June 1, 2001)

Specifics of Justice: Inga Markovits's Firsthand Account of German Unification, 11 EMORY INTERNATIONAL LAW REVIEW 757 (1997) (reviewing Markovits, IMPERFECT JUSTICE (1995))

Depositions and the Court, 32 TORT & INSURANCE LAW JOURNAL 635 (1997) (co-author: Hon. James G. Carr)

Einseitige präjudizielle Rechtskraftwirkung zugunsten Dritter im US-amerikanischen Zivilprozeßrecht, 73 DEUTSCHE RICHTERZEITUNG [GERMAN JUDGES' JOURNAL] 94 (1995) (presented at Germany's *Bundesgerichtshof* (Supreme Court), May 1994)

Book Note, 88 MICHIGAN LAW REVIEW 1963 (1990) (reviewing Council on Foreign Relations, RIGHT V. MIGHT: INTERNATIONAL LAW AND THE USE OF FORCE (1989))

Translations, German to English

Contributing Translator, DECISIONS OF THE *BUNDESVERFASSUNGSGERICHT* (FEDERAL CONSTITUTIONAL COURT OF GERMANY), Vol. 2 (Nomos 1998)

MUNICIPALITY & COUNTY CODE OF THURINGIA (Adenauer-Stiftung 1995)

References

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