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Academic Appointments

UNLV WILLIAM S. BOYD SCHOOL OF LAW, Las Vegas, NV

Professor of Law, 2025 – present

GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, Spokane, WA

Assistant Professor, 2019 – 2025

Clute-Holleran Scholar in Corporate Law, 2020-2025

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER, Washington, DC

Visiting Associate Professor of Law, Legal Practice, 2018 – 2019

Clinical Teaching Fellow & Staff Attorney, Communications & Technology Law Clinic, 2015 – 2017

ELON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, Greensboro, NC

Legal Method and Communication Fellow, 2017 – 2018

Education

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER, Washington, DC

LL.M. in Advocacy *with distinction*, Oct. 2017

Fellowship: Institute for Public Representation, Staff Attorney & Clinical Teaching Fellow

INDIANA UNIVERSITY MAURER SCHOOL OF LAW, Bloomington, IN

J.D., May 2012

Journal: Federal Communications Law Journal, *Articles Editor*

Research Assistantship: Sophia Goodman, Director, Legal Research and Writing Program

Study Abroad: Florence Institute on International and Comparative Law, University of San Diego (Italy)

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seattle, WA

B.A., *cum laude*, Jun. 2007

Major: Political Science

Minors: Law, Societies and Justice; Philosophy; Human Rights

Publications

Law Review Publications:

- *Re-Regulating for Globalized Legal AI* (work in progress).
- *Legal Ethics Perspectives on AI Snake Oil: Navigating the Hype, Harm, and Hope of Legal AI*, 134 MICH. L. REV. __ (2026) (forthcoming).

- *Interoperable Legal AI for Access to Justice*, 134 YALE L.J. FORUM 795 (2025), available at https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=5425095.
- *The Keynote Address to Georgia State University College of Law's 29th Annual Law Review Symposium - Access to AI Justice: A Global Response to a Global Crisis*, 40 GA. ST. U. L. REV. 1029 (2024), available at https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=4926335.
- *Technology Competence as a Compass for Helping to Close the Justice Gap*, 20 U. ST. THOMAS L.J. 129 (2024) (symposium contribution), available at https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=4926333.
- *Toward National Regulation of Legal Technology: A Path Forward for Access to Justice*, 92 FORDHAM L. REV. 1 (2023), available at <https://ssrn.com/abstract=4565341>.
- *Access to AI Justice: Avoiding an Inequitable Two-Tiered System of Legal Services*, 24 YALE J.L. & TECH 150 (2022), available at <https://ssrn.com/abstract=4090984>.
- *Ethical Issues in Robo-Lawyering: The Need for Guidance on Developing and Using Artificial Intelligence in the Practice of Law*, 70 HASTINGS L.J. 173 (2018), available at <https://ssrn.com/abstract=3308168>.
- *Title IX in the Technological Age – Challenging Rape Culture and Myths Through Fairer Use of Electronic Communications*, 6 TENN. J. RACE GENDER & SOC. JUST. 275 (2017) (symposium contribution), available at <https://ssrn.com/abstract=3135467>.
- *Regulating Healthcare Robots: Maximizing Opportunities While Minimizing Risks*, 22 RICH. J. L. & TECH. 3 (2016) (lead author, with Nicolas Terry, Dr. Kris Hauser, & Dr. M.L. Cummings), available at <https://ssrn.com/abstract=2739462>.
- *Legal Ethics and Data Security: Our Individual and Collective Obligation to Protect Client Data*, 38 AM. J. TRIAL ADVOC. 549 (2015) (symposium contribution), available at <https://ssrn.com/abstract=2668174>.
- *Consumer Cloud Robotics and the Fair Information Practice Principles: Recognizing the Challenges and Opportunities Ahead*, 16 MINN. J. L. SCI. & TECH. 145 (2015) (with Andrew Proia & Dr. Kris Hauser), available at <https://ssrn.com/abstract=2466723>.
- Note, *Survival of the Standard: Today's Public Interest Requirement in Television Broadcasting and the Return to Regulation*, 64 FED. COMM. L.J. 401 (2012), available at <https://ssrn.com/abstract=2607624>.

Book Contributions:

- Chapter, “Cybersecurity and the Legal Profession,” in *Cybersecurity in Our Digital Lives*, National Cybersecurity Institute, Hudson Whitman/Excelsior College Press, Mar. 2015, (with Andrew Proia), <http://hudsonwhitman.com/books/cybersecurity-in-our-digital-lives/>.
- “Privacy Rights in the Digital Age” (encyclopedia), contributing author, entries on the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), Fair Information Practice Principles (FIPPs), and Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), Grey House Publishing (2015, updated 2019), <http://www.greyhouse.com/privdigital.htm>.

Peer Reviewed Publications:

- Essay, *Law School Memories: Building Empathy by Connecting to One's Earlier Self*, 25 LEGAL WRITING 127 (2021).
- Micro-essay, *Artificial Intelligence and the Disappearing Faceless Audience*, PERSPECTIVES: TEACHING LEGAL RESEARCH AND WRITING, Vol. 27, No. 1, p. 40 (Spring 2019).
- Essay, *Drawing Connections Between Artificial Intelligence, Cognition, and Legal Skills*, 23 LEGAL WRITING 18 (2019), available at <http://www.legalwritingjournal.org/2019/02/13/drawing-connections-between-artificial-intelligence-cognition-and-legal-skills/>.
- *Ethical Implications of Electronic Communication and Storage of Client Information*, THE COMPUTER & INTERNET LAWYER, Vol. 33, No. 8, Aug. 2016, available at <https://ssrn.com/abstract=2814313>, originally published in RES GESTAE, *The Journal of the Indiana State Bar Association*, Dec. 2015, Vol. 59, No. 5, available at https://issuu.com/res_gestae/docs/rg-12-15.

Other Publications:

- Blog post, “Teach the students, not the course,” TEACHLAWBETTER.COM, January 15, 2019, <https://teachlawbetter.com/2019/01/15/new-year-new-perspectives/>.
- “Cybersecurity is Not One Size Fits All: Solo and Small Firm Perspective,” AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION CYBERSECURITY LEGAL TASK FORCE (with Stephen S. Wu) (2018).
- “The Role of Artificial Intelligence in Law and Discovery: Is it J.A.R.V.I.S. or Skynet?,” BLOOMBERG BNA EDISCOVERY PRACTICE CENTER, <https://www.bna.com/e-discovery/> (with Martin Tully, Herb Roiblat, & Lucy Dillon) (2018).
- “Ethics and Cybersecurity: Obligations to Protect Client Data,” 2015 AM. BAR ASS’N SECT. LAB. & EMP. LAW. 12 (2015) (for National Symposium on Technology in Labor and Employment Law, San Francisco, CA, March 15-17, 2015) (with Stephen Wu), available at http://www.americanbar.org/content/dam/aba/events/labor_law/2015/march/tech/wu_cybersecurity.authcheckdam.pdf.
- “Data Collection, Privacy, and the Role of Regulatory Agencies in Healthcare Robotics,” in *Proceedings of the 10th ACM/IEEE International Conference on Human-Robot Interaction, 2015*, Workshop: The Emerging Policy and Ethics of Human-Robot Interaction, Mar. 2, 2015, available at <http://www.openroboethics.org/hri15/wp-content/uploads/2015/02/Hf-Simshaw.pdf>.

Presentations

Conferences, Symposia, CLEs, & Webinars:

- **SEATTLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Panelist, “AI Regulation: The Role of Washington State Legal Organizations,” Eighth Annual Innovation and Technology Law Conference, Seattle, WA, June 6, 2025 (virtual).

- **ELON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Invited Faculty Presenter, “AI in Legal Education,” May. 13, 2025 (virtual).
- **GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Organizer and Moderator, Annual Clarke Prize in Legal Ethics Conference, “Truth, Technology, and Legal Ethics,” Spokane, WA, Apr. 3, 2025.
- **THOMSON REUTERS**, Invited Presenter, Webinar: “AI in Legal Education,” Mar. 7, 2025 (with Joe Regalia) (virtual).
- **2025 AALS ANNUAL MEETING**, Panel Speaker, “New Technologies: Problems and Opportunities in Practice and Education,” Section on Technology, Law and Legal Education, cosponsored by Section on Internet and Computer Law, San Francisco, CA, Jan. 10, 2025.
- **NETWORK OF ADJUDICATORY AGENCIES**, Continuing Legal Education Conference for Washington State Adjudicative Agency Staff: “Improving the Practice,” Invited Speaker, “Artificial Intelligence (AI) in the Legal Field,” Olympia, WA, Nov. 6, 2024.
- **THE BANKRUPTCY BAR ASSOCIATION OF THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**, 34th Annual Bankruptcy Seminar, Invited Speaker, “Legal AI Risks, Rewards, and Regulatory Reforms,” Spokane, WA, Oct. 12, 2024.
- **LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE 2024 BIENNIAL CONFERENCE**, Facilitator, “Continuing the Conversation – Open Discussion Group: Reflections on Generative AI and Technology,” Indiana University McKinney School of Law, Indianapolis, IN, Jul. 20, 2024.
- **LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE 2024 BIENNIAL CONFERENCE**, Discussion Group Presenter, “The Challenges and Rewards of Teaching Legal Writing to First Gen Law Students,” Indiana University McKinney School of Law, Indianapolis, IN, Jul. 17, 2024.
- **STETSON UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW INSTITUTE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF LEGAL COMMUNICATION**, GenAI & Legal Communication: Works-In-Progress Workshop, Accepted Presenter, “Interoperable Legal A.I. for Access to Justice,” Gulfport, FL, Apr. 27, 2024 (virtual).
- **STATE BAR OF WISCONSIN'S LEGAL SERVICES COMMITTEE EQUAL JUSTICE CONFERENCE**, Invited Presenter, “Legal Technology and Access to Justice,” Milwaukee, WI, Apr. 26, 2024 (virtual).
- **GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Organizer and Moderator, Annual Clarke Prize in Legal Ethics Conference, “Professional Responsibility & DEIA: The Legal Ethics of Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility,” Spokane, WA, Apr. 11, 2024.
- **GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW**, Invited Keynote Speaker, Georgia State University Law Review Symposium, “AI & the Law: Practice, Ethics, & Access,” Atlanta, GA, March 22, 2024.
- **LAW & TECHNOLOGY WORKSHOP**, Invited Discussant for “Gray Advice” by Keith Porcaro, February 14, 2024 (virtual).
- **2024 AALS ANNUAL MEETING**, Discussion Group Speaker, “Leveling the Playing Fields in Legal Education & Legal Services Through Generative AI,” Washington, DC, Jan. 5, 2024.

- **ROCKY MOUNTAIN JUNIOR SCHOLARS FORUM, BYU SCHOOL OF LAW**, Presenter and Participant, “Globally-Informed Regulation of Legal Technology,” Provo, UT, Nov. 16, 2023.
- **WASHINGTON STATE ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES ANNUAL MEETING**, Invited Panel Presenter, “AI in Law, Legal Problem-solving, and Legal Education,” Spokane, WA, Nov. 15, 2023.
- **WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION BOARD OF GOVERNORS**, Invited Presenter for November Meeting of the Board of Governors, “Regulation of Technology-Driven Legal Services” (online), Seattle, WA, Nov. 2, 2023.
- **INTERNATIONAL ACCESS TO JUSTICE FORUM 2023, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA-IRVINE SCHOOL OF LAW**, Accepted Presenter, “Globally-Informed Regulation of Legal Technology,” Irvine, CA, Oct. 12, 2023.
- **ST. MARY’S SCHOOL OF LAW**, Accepted Presenter, *Legal Education’s Next Generation: Embracing Online, ChatGPT and Technology in Pedagogy and Practice*, “Thinking Big About Legal AI: Lessons in Legal Ethics, Comparative Lawyer Regulation, and Access to Justice” (online), Sep. 22, 2023.
- **WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION**, Invited Presenter, CLE: *Innovations in Legal AI – From Practice to Policy*, “The Ethical, Regulatory, Access-to-Justice Implications of Legal AI” (online), Aug. 10, 2023.
- **INSTITUTO IOMG**, Invited Keynote Presenter and Panelist, *CEIL: Fourth International Congress on Legal Strategy*, Keynote Presentation: “Legal Structure, Ethics, and Reliability: Law, Strategy, and Ethics of Artificial Intelligence,” Panelist: “Digitalized Healthcare: Risks and Opportunities,” Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, Aug. 3-4, 2023.
- **NOTTINGHAM TRENT UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL**, Accepted Presenter, Global Legal Skills Conference, “International and Comparative Legal Technology,” Nottingham, UK, Jul. 31, 2023.
- **KING COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION APPELLATE PRACTICE SECTION**, Invited Presenter, “The Impact of Artificial Intelligence on Legal Services” (online), Jun. 21, 2023.
- **AALS SECTION ON TECHNOLOGY, LAW AND LEGAL EDUCATION SUMMER SEEDLING SCHOLARSHIP WORKSHOP**, Discussant for John Bliss, “Teaching Law in the Age of Generative AI” (online), Jun. 13, 2023.
- **UNIVERSITY OF DENVER STURM COLLEGE OF LAW**, Invited Presenter, Legal Ethics Schmooze, Denver, CO, May 26-27, 2023.
- **GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Organizer and Moderator, Annual Clarke Prize in Legal Ethics Conference, “Lawyer Wellness and Legal Ethics,” Spokane, WA, Apr. 13, 2023.
- **WASHINGTON STATE PRACTICE OF LAW BOARD**, Presenter, “Toward National Regulation of Legal Technology” (online), Jan. 18, 2023.
- **2023 AALS ANNUAL MEETING**, Selected Work-in-Progress Presentation, “Toward National Regulation of Legal Technology,” Technology, Law, & Legal Education Section, San Diego, CA, Jan. 7, 2023.

- **UNIVERSITY OF ST. THOMAS LAW JOURNAL SYMPOSIUM, *A Roadmap for Law School Modernity: Teaching Technology Competence***, Accepted Presenter, “Technological Competence as a Compass for Helping to Close the Justice Gap,” Minneapolis, MN, Nov. 4, 2022.
- **AALS SECTION ON PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY JUNIOR SCHOLARS WORKSHOP**, Accepted Presenter, “Toward National Regulation of Legal Technology” (online), Oct. 21, 2022.
- **WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION FAMILY LAW SECTION**, Invited Podcast Guest, “AI in Legal Software,” for the Washington Family Law Reporter, Aug. 18, 2022.
- **GONZAGA 2022 INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS CONFERENCE**, Panel Moderator, “Artificial Intelligence, Government, Corporation & Human Rights,” Florence, Italy, May 27, 2022.
- **GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Organizer and Moderator, Annual Clarke Prize in Legal Ethics Conference, “Legal Analytics: Ethical Issues with Data-Driven Law,” Spokane, WA, Apr. 21, 2022.
- **WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION**, Invited Presenter, “The Impact of Artificial Intelligence on Legal Services,” WSBA Legal Lunchbox Series (online, 2,400 registered attendees), Apr. 26, 2022.
- **WASHINGTON APPELLATE JUDICIAL CONFERENCE**, Invited Presenter, “The Rise of Judicial Analytics” (online), Mar. 22, 2022.
- **LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO**, Invited Participant, First Annual Legal Scholars Roundtable on Artificial Intelligence (online), Mar. 18, 2022.
- **ROCKY MOUNTAIN JUNIOR SCHOLARS FORUM**, Participant, “Datafying the Bench: Judicial Analytics’ Impact on Legal Arguments, Judicial Opinions, and the Evolution of Law” (online), Nov. 11, 2021.
- **NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Presenter, *Symposium on Artificial Intelligence and the Legal Profession*, sponsored by the Legal Writing Institute and the Journal of the Legal Writing Institute (online), Sep. 25, 2021 (with Amy Cyphert).
- **GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Organizer and Moderator, Annual Clarke Prize in Legal Ethics Conference, “Regulatory Reform as a Means to Increase Access to Justice” (online), Apr. 15, 2021.
- **UNIVERSITY OF AKRON SCHOOL OF LAW**, Invited Commenter, Law Review Symposium: COVID & The Practice of Law: Impacts of Legal Technology (online), Mar. 12, 2021.
- **WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Invited Panelist (for two panels), Law Review Symposium, Artificial Intelligence and the Law, “Artificial Intelligence and Public Interest” and “Artificial Intelligence and Legal Ethics” (online), Feb. 26, 2021.
- **INSTITUTE FOR GLOBAL UNDERSTANDING OF RULE OF LAW AT BAHÇEŞEHİR ÜNİVERSİTESİ**, Selected Presenter, Transnational Conference on the Future of Legal Education, the Practice of Law, and the Judiciary with a focus on Disruption in the Legal Sector: How Technology Can Enable Educators, Students, Lawyers, and Judges Around the Globe to Stabilize the Sector and Provide Access to Justice, “Access to AI Justice” (online), Feb. 15, 2021.

- **FIRST ANNUAL PACIFIC NORTHWEST SCHOLARS WORKSHOP**, Presenter, “Access to AI Justice” (online), Feb. 5, 2021.
- **2021 AALS ANNUAL MEETING**, Selected Presenter, “The Future Has Arrived: The Impact of Artificial Intelligence on Legal Writing and Research” (online), Jan. 6, 2021 (with Dyane O’Leary & Joe Regalia).
- **WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION**, Invited CLE Presenter, “Navigating Ethical Issues with Emerging Legal Technology” (online), Dec. 2, 2020.
- **ROCKY MOUNTAIN JUNIOR SCHOLARS CONFERENCE**, Participant, “Access to AI Justice” (online), Nov. 6, 2020.
- **WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION SOLO & SMALL FIRM CONFERENCE**, Invited Panelist, “Ethical Issues in the Age of COVID-19” (online), Aug. 24, 2020.
- **GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW SUMMER SCHOLARSHIP ROUNDTABLE**, Presenter, “Access to AI Justice” (online), Aug. 6, 2020.
- **GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW SPEAKER SERIES**, Presenter, “Regulating Online Legal Self-Help Services,” Spokane, WA, Feb. 13, 2020.
- **AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND ROBOTICS NATIONAL INSTITUTE**, Invited Panelist, Santa Clara, CA, Jan. 9, 2020.
- **2020 AALS ANNUAL MEETING**, Discussion Group Speaker, “The Multi-Generational Teaching of Legal Writing,” Washington, DC, Jan. 3, 2020.
- **LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE ONE-DAY WORKSHOP, GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Presenter, “Legal Research, Writing, and Robots: Is it time for ‘Legal AI’ to be part of the core curriculum?” Spokane, WA, Dec. 7, 2019.
- **THE AMERICAN EMPLOYMENT LAW COUNCIL 27TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE**, Invited Plenary Speaker, “Ethical Implications Regarding Use of Artificial Intelligence,” Ojai, CA, Oct. 25, 2019 (with Sandra McCandless).
- **WESTERN REGIONAL LEGAL WRITING CONFERENCE**, Presenter, “Recognizing Generational and Cultural Perspectives on Technology as Drivers in the Development of Professional Identity, Cultural Competence, and Ethical Proficiency,” Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA, Sep. 21, 2019 (with Sandra Simpson).
- **INSTITUTE FOR LAW TEACHING AND LEARNING**, Presenter, Preparing the Law Students of Today for the Legal Tech of Tomorrow, Washburn University School of Law, Topeka, KS, Jun. 3, 2019.
- **DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Presenter, Artificial Intelligence: Thinking About Law, Law Practice, and Legal Education, Pittsburgh, PA, Apr. 27, 2019.
- **GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Invited Panelist, Clarke Legal Ethics Conference, Artificial Intelligence in the Practice of Law, Spokane, WA, Apr. 25, 2019.

- **SANTA CLARA COUNTY AND AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATIONS, ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND ROBOTICS COMMITTEES**, Invited Webinar Presenter, “Ethical Considerations with Artificial Intelligence in Law Practice,” hosted by the Silicon Valley Law Group, San Jose, CA, Jan. 23, 2019.
- **2019 NORTH AMERICAN NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY 22ND ANNUAL MEETING**, Invited Presenter, “What Should Informed Consent Detail Regarding the Cybersafety of Neuromodulation Implantable Devices?” Las Vegas, NV, Jan. 18, 2019.
- **SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL LEGAL WRITING CONFERENCE**, Presenter, “Understanding the Endowment Effect in the Legal Writing Process,” Georgia State University College of Law, Atlanta, GA, Apr. 21, 2018.
- **NORTH CAROLINA TECHNOLOGY ASSOCIATION**, Invited Panelist, “NC Tech Talk Live: Ethics in Artificial Intelligence,” Raleigh, NC, Feb. 16 2018.
- **2018 AALS ANNUAL MEETING**, Discussion Group Speaker, “Access to Justice in the Age of Technology, Television & Trump,” San Diego, CA, Jan. 3, 2018.
- **LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE ONE-DAY WORKSHOP, ELON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Presenter, “When and How to Introduce Email into the First Year Legal Writing Curriculum,” Greensboro, NC, Dec. 8, 2017.
- **GEORGETOWN LAW’S 14TH ANNUAL ADVANCED EDISCOVERY INSTITUTE**, Invited Panelist, “Artificial Intelligence in Law and Discovery,” Washington, DC, Nov. 16, 2017.
- **ELON UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS, ELON UNIVERSITY**, Invited Panelist, “Technology, the Workplace, and the Future,” Elon, NC, Oct. 23, 2017.
- **2017 CENTER FOR APPLIED CYBERSECURITY RESEARCH SUMMIT, INDIANA UNIVERSITY**, Invited Panelist, “Ethical and Policy Issues Surrounding Automation,” Bloomington, IN, Oct. 19, 2017.
- **2017 NOVA LAW REVIEW SYMPOSIUM, ENTREPRENEURSHIP 2.0: LEGAL, REGULATORY, AND ECONOMIC CHALLENGES TO THE INNOVATION ECONOMY, SHEPARD BROAD COLLEGE OF LAW - NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY**, Panelist, “Lawyers’ Professional Duties as Advisors on—and Consumers and Developers of—New and Evolving Technologies,” Fort Lauderdale, FL, Oct. 6, 2017.
- **WE ROBOT 2017: SIXTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON ROBOTICS, LAW & POLICY, YALE LAW SCHOOL**, Panelist, “Robot Lawyers: Improving Access to Justice Through Ethical Design of Artificial Intelligence in the Practice of Law,” New Haven, CT, Mar. 31, 2017.
- **MID-ATLANTIC CLINICAL WRITERS’ WORKSHOP, GEORGETOWN LAW**, Presenter, “Robot Lawyers: Improving Access to Justice Through Ethical Design of Artificial Intelligence in the Practice of Law,” Washington, DC, Mar. 24, 2017.
- **TENNESSEE JOURNAL OF RACE, GENDER, & SOCIAL JUSTICE SUMMIT, TITLE IX: HISTORY, LEGACY, & CONTROVERSY, UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE COLLEGE OF LAW**, Panelist, “Title IX in the Technological Age,” Knoxville, TN, Mar. 2, 2017.

- **NORTH CAROLINA BAR ASSOCIATION 2016 PROFESSIONALISM CLE**, Invited Keynote Presenter: “Current Issues in Law Firm and Lawyer Use of Social Media and Online Technology,” Cary, NC, Dec. 9, 2016.
- **SANTA CLARA COUNTY AND AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATIONS, ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND ROBOTICS COMMITTEES**, Invited Presenter, “Artificial Intelligence in the Practice of Law,” hosted by the Silicon Valley Law Group (online), San Jose, CA, Oct. 26, 2016.
- **FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS BAR ASSOCIATION, PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY AND PRIVACY AND DATA SECURITY COMMITTEES, CLE ON ETHICS AND NEW TECHNOLOGIES**, Invited Panelist, “Cloud Computing and Other Internet Tools: Using Them Ethically and Preventing and Mitigating Their Abuse,” Washington, DC, Oct. 25, 2016.
- **INDIANA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION UTILITY LAW SECTION 2016 FALL SEMINAR**, Invited Presenter, “Hackers Targeting Lawyers: Ethical Duties to Guard Client Information,” Michigan City, IN, Sep. 15, 2016.
- **2016 DESIGN OF MEDICAL DEVICES CONFERENCE, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA**, Invited Presenter, “Regulatory Aspects of Robots in Health Care,” Minneapolis, MN, Apr. 12, 2016.
- **SOUTH CAROLINA LAW REVIEW 2016 SYMPOSIUM: CYBER ATTACKS & CIVIL LIABILITY, UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW**, Panelist, “Data Security Concerns and Consequences for Clients and Lawyers,” Columbia, SC, Feb. 5, 2016.
- **CHAPMAN LAW REVIEW SYMPOSIUM, CYBER WARS: NAVIGATING RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR, CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY FOWLER SCHOOL OF LAW**, Panelist, “Cybersecurity for the Practitioner: Client Security, Discovery, and Ethical Considerations,” Orange, CA, Jan. 29, 2016.
- **INDIANA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION CLE**, Invited Presenter and Panelist, “Ethical Obligations & Technology in Law Practice,” Lafayette, IN, Jun. 18, 2015.
- **LEGAL NETLINK ALLIANCE SPRING MEETING 2015**, Invited Presenter, “Cybersecurity Issues for Lawyers,” Indianapolis, IN, May 15, 2015.
- **WE ROBOT 2015: FOURTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON ROBOTICS, LAW & POLICY, UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF LAW**, Presenter, “Regulating Healthcare Robots in the Hospital and the Home: Considerations for Maximizing Opportunities and Minimizing Risks,” Seattle, WA, Apr. 10, 2015.
- **10TH ACM/IEEE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON HUMAN-ROBOT INTERACTION**, Panelist, “Human Robot Interaction: Law on the Home Front,” Portland, OR, Mar. 3, 2015.
- **AMERICAN JOURNAL OF TRIAL ADVOCACY SYMPOSIUM: PRACTICING LAW IN THE AGE OF SURVEILLANCE AND HACKERS: AN EXPLORATION OF PRIVACY AND DATA SECURITY, SAMFORD UNIVERSITY CUMBERLAND SCHOOL OF LAW**, Panelist, “Protecting Client Data in an Age of Uncertainty,” Birmingham, AL, Feb. 27, 2015.
- **SANTA CLARA COUNTY AND AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATIONS, ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND ROBOTICS COMMITTEES**, Invited Presenter, “Information Governance for Robot Usage in Healthcare,” hosted by the Silicon Valley Law Group (online), San Jose, CA, Feb. 25, 2015.

- **INDIANA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION LEGAL ETHICS COMMITTEE**, Invited Presenter, “Lawyers’ Heads in the Clouds: Ethics Implications of Electronic Communication & Storage of Client Information,” Indianapolis, IN, Sep. 27, 2014.
- **SANTA CLARA COUNTY AND AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATIONS, ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND ROBOTICS COMMITTEES**, Invited Presenter, “Cloud Robotics: Data Security & Privacy,” hosted by the Silicon Valley Law Group (online), San Jose, CA, Aug. 27, 2014 (with Dr. Kris Hauser).
- **WE ROBOT 2014: THIRD ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON ROBOTICS, LAW & POLICY, UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI SCHOOL OF LAW**, Panelist, “Robots and Social Justice,” Coral Gables, FL, Apr. 4, 2014.
- **2013 CYBER SECURITY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY (CS4NS) CONFERENCE**, Panelist, “IT Security Policy Design and Evaluation: How to evaluate and design a security policy for an organization,” Charleston, SC, Sep. 10, 2013.

Invited Guest Lectures:

CHARLESTON SCHOOL OF LAW, Charleston, SC

- **Legal Technology Class (Prof. Katie Brown)**, June 17, 2025
Invited guest lecture on artificial intelligence and access to justice (virtual) (with Kara Peterson and Tom Martin)

CHARLESTON SCHOOL OF LAW, Charleston, SC

- **Legal Technology Class (Prof. Katie Brown)**, June 25, 2024
Invited guest lecture on artificial intelligence, legal ethics, and access to justice (virtual)

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF LAW, Seattle, WA

- **Technology Law and Public Policy Clinic (Prof. William E. Covington)**, September 27, 2023
Invited guest lecture and discussion (online) on generative artificial intelligence and the law

HOWARD UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, Washington, DC

- **Clinic Orientation**, August 17, 2018
Invited guest lecture on “Professional responsibility in the digital age” for clinical student orientation
- **Externship Program**, June 20, 2018
Invited two-hour interactive session on “Ethics in an era of new technologies” for students in summer externship program

ELON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, Greensboro, NC

- **Professional Responsibility Courses**, summer 2017
Guest lectures on the legal ethics challenges of practicing in an age of social media online technologies

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER, Washington, DC

- **Delaney Post-Graduate Residency Program**, fall 2016
Invited workshop on “New technology, social media, & ethics”
- **Externship Program**, fall 2015 – spring 2016
Invited guest lectures on “Ethics with the backdrop of novel technologies”

INDIANA UNIVERSITY MCKINNEY SCHOOL OF LAW, Indianapolis, IN

- **Professor Nicolas Terry’s Health Information Technology Law Class**, spring 2015

Invited guest commenter addressing robotics, artificial intelligence, privacy, security, and ethics

Professional Service

- AALS Section on Law, Technology and Legal Education, Summer Webinar Committee, Chair, 2025
- Washington State Bar Association Legal Technology Task Force, Member, 2024 – 2025
 - Chair, Report Writing Workgroup
 - Co-Chair, Impact on Practice Workgroup
 - Member, Ethics and Education Workgroup
- Washington Disciplinary Advisory Round Table, Member, 2021 – 2024
- Washington State Supreme Court Practice of Law Board, Member, 2020 – 2025
- 2024 Legal Writing Institute Biennial Conference Programming Committee Member, 2022 – 2024
- *Legal Writing: The Journal of the Legal Writing Institute*, Editorial Board Member, 2020 – 2024
- AALS Section on Law, Technology and Legal Education, Scholarship Committee, 2022 – 2023
- American Bar Association, Artificial Intelligence & Legal Ethics Working Group, Member, 2019 – 2020
- Indiana State Bar Association Legal Ethics Committee, Member, 2014-2015

Awards & Honors

- Recipient, *2017 H. Latham Breunig Humanitarian Award*, awarded biennially by Telecommunications for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, Inc., in recognition of *pro bono* advocacy on behalf of people with disabilities
- Winner, *Indiana State Bar Association 2014 Legal Ethics Writing Contest*
- Exemplary Student Note, *Federal Communications Law Journal*, spring 2011

Media

- Interviewed by Dateline NBC, Season 33, Episode 29, “The Terrible Night on King Road,” May 9, 2025 (addressing legal aspects of possible capital punishment in the homicide trial of Brian Kohberger).
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Academic Service

- Ad Hoc Committee on Hybrid Legal Education Program, UNLV William S. Boyd School of Law, Member, 2025
- University Rank, Promotion, and Tenure Guidelines Review Workgroup, Member, Gonzaga University, 2023 – 2024
- Faculty Recruitment Committee, Member, Gonzaga University School of Law, 2023 – 2025
- Law School Implementation of University Faculty Handbook, Co-Coordinator, Gonzaga University School of Law, 2023 – 2025
- University Faculty Compensation Philosophy Committee Member, Gonzaga University, 2023 – 2024.
- Gonzaga Law Review, Co-Faculty Advisor, 2022 – 2025
- Organizer, Clarke Family Prize Program in Legal Ethics, 2020 – 2025
 - Organize annual CLE in legal ethics and professionalism
 - Organize annual student competition in legal ethics and professionalism
- Faculty Senate, Law School Representative, 2019 – 2025
 - Academic Committee, 2019 – 2025
- Law Library Advisory Committee, Member, 2021 – 2022
- Executive J.D. Program Advisory Committee, Member, Gonzaga University School of Law, 2020 – 2022
- Academic Affairs Committee, Member, Gonzaga University School of Law, 2020 – 2021
- Ad Hoc Curriculum Reform Committee, Member, Gonzaga University School of Law, 2020
- Communications Committee, Member, Gonzaga University School of Law, 2019 – 2020
- Ad Hoc Experiential Learning Committee, Member, Gonzaga University School of Law, 2019

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INDIANA UNIVERSITY, CENTER FOR LAW, ETHICS, AND APPLIED RESEARCH IN HEALTH INFORMATION,
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Information Security Law & Policy Analyst, Mar. 2013 – Jun. 2015

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SNOHOMISH COUNTY AMERICORPS PROGRAM, Everett, WA

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Professional Memberships

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