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Feminist Perspectives on Bostock v. Clayton County

"How Having Law Faculty that Teach Both Writing and Doctrinal Classes Can Improve Student Learning" presentation with Prof. Julie St. John as part of Legal Writing Institute's Virtual One Day Workshop at Vermont Law & Graduate School, called "Use It or Lose It: Upper Level Writing for Skills Maintenance." December 8, 2023.

"Public Trust and Confidence in Perspective: Landmark SCOTUS Decisions and Their Adverse Impact" webinar presentation with Prof. Aman McLeod for the National Association for Court Management June 7, 2023

"Putin's Version of History and Claims of Provocation: An International Law Perspective on Russia's Justifications for the Ukraine War" presentation at Toledo Law School, as part of the Toledo Law/ Detroit Mercy Law faculty exchange program. April 3, 2023.

"Weekly Yoga at Law School," panel presentation on "Wellness Offerings" with: Jordana A. Confino, Senior Director of Professionalism & Special Projects, Fordham University School of Law; Janet Stearns, Dean of Students & Lect, University of Miami School of Law; Ron Hochbaum, Assistant Clinical Professor, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law; Bowers, Director of Wellness, North Carolina Central University; Lynn Su, Professor of Law, New York Law School; and Dena Bauman, Externship Director & Lecturer, UC Davis School of Law part of the AALS Balance & WellBeing Section's Speede Sharing Series on Zoom, July 27, 2022.

"Understanding Dobbs: Overturning of Roe v. Wade," panel presentation with Prof. Richard Broughton and Prof. Leslie Scott as part of the "Current Events in the Law Series" at Detroit Mercy Law on Zoom on June 29, 2022.

"The State of Reproductive Rights in the U.S.," panel presentation with Prof. Ederlina Co, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law and Merissa Kovach, Michigan ACLU, a collaboration by the Women's and Gender Studies Program at University of Detroit Mercy and Detroit Mercy Law, on Zoom, March 24, 2022.

Moderator for: "Current Issues in Indigenous Law," Detroit Mercy Law Diversity Committee event, on Zoom, Nov. 17, 2021, with panel presenters Matthew L. M. Fletcher, Professor of Law and Director of the Indigenous Law & Policy Center, Michigan State University; Dr. Beverly Jacobs, Associate Professor, Associate Dean (Academic), University of Windsor Faculty of Law, Indigenous Legal Orders Institute; and Valerie Waboose, Assistant Professor, University of Windsor Faculty of Law, Indigenous Legal Orders Institute.

"Understanding the Law of Reproductive Rights in the U.S. Today," panel presentation with Prof. Ederlina Co, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law and Merissa Kovach, Michigan ACLU, as part of the Constitution Day 2021 event, Detroit Mercy Law Zoom, Sept. 24, 2021.

"Bostock v. Clayton County and Sex Discrimination Claims under the Equal Protection Clause" as part of the Constitution Day 2020 Faculty Panel, Detroit Mercy Law, on Zoom, Sept. 17, 2020.

"Transgender and Intersex Sports Rights" "Trans and Queer Life in Private and Public" paper presentation session at the Law & Society Association Annual Meeting Virtual Meeting May 30, 2020.

“Harris v. EEOC: A Conversation with ACLU’s Jay Kaplan on LGBTQ+ Protections Under Title VII,” co-presentation with Jay Kaplan, staff attorney at the ACLU, for the OutLaws, Women’s Law Caucus, and the American Constitution Society at Detroit Mercy Law, November 19, 2019.

“All -Gender Restroom Unveiling Event,” presentation for the OutLaws at Detroit Mercy Law, October 15, 2019.

“Feminist Judgments: Rewritten Employment Discrimination Opinions” panel roundtable presentation at the Law & Society Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC, June 1, 2019.

“The Rewriting of Etsitty v. Utah Transit Authority (10th Cir. 2007)” presentation for the Toledo Women’s Bar Association Spring 2019 CLE: Gender, Reproductive Rights, and Sexual Misconduct, Toledo Club, Toledo, Ohio, May 23, 2019.

“Wellness at Work” panel presentation on Michigan’s Paid Medical Leave Act at the Women Lawyers Association of Michigan Wayne Region Annual Meeting, Detroit Club, Detroit, May 8, 2019.

“Policy Implementation Roundtable: Increasing the Prevalence of All-Gender Bathrooms,” presentation for the Title IX Investigation Conference at Grand Valley State University, May 2, 2019.

“Commentary and rewriting of Etsitty v. Utah Transit Authority” co-presentation with Prof. Pamela Wilkins for the 2019 Law Review Symposium, Women and the Law, March 8, 2019, Detroit Mercy Law.

“Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Discrimination under Michigan’s Elliott-Larson Civil Rights Act,” copresentation with Dr. Agustín Arbulu, the Director of the Michigan Department of Civil Rights, for the American Constitution Society at Detroit Mercy Law, November 20, 2018.

“Transgender Bathroom Rights at Detroit Mercy Law” presentation at the 2018 Fall Colleague Development Days at University of Detroit Mercy, Detroit, August 20, 2018.

“Eight Limbs and Three Branches: Yoga and Teaching Law” presentation with Prof. Aliza Milner from Syracuse Law for the Eighteenth Annual Rocky Mountain Legal Writing Conference at the University of Denver Sturm College of Law, March 23, 2018.

“The Trump Presidency’s Impact on Minorities and Women” panel presentation and discussion at University of Detroit Mercy School of Law in Detroit, April 2, 2017.

“Transgender and Intersex and Title IX: Emerging Issues” panel presentation at University of Tennessee College of Law Conference: Title IX: History, Legacy, and Controversy, March 3, 2017.

“The Current State of Transgender Bathroom Rights” presentation at University of Toledo College of Law in Toledo, Ohio, February 8, 2017.

Jan – May 2006 Legal Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit
Honorable David W. McKeague, Lansing, Michigan
x Assisted in writing opinions and preparing for hearings

EDUCATION

2006-2008 University of Ottawa Faculty of Law, Ottawa, ON, Canada
x LLB, 2008, Cum Laude
x Joint JDLLB program with Michigan State
x Editor, Ottawa Law Review
x International Law Option

2004-2007 Michigan State University College of Law East Lansing, MI
x Juris Doctor, 2007, Summa Cum Laude
x Full-tuition Merit Scholarship
x GPA: 3.87/4.00 Rank: 5/297; Top 2%
x Editor, Michigan State Law Review
x International & Environmental Law Concentrations

1996-2000 Princeton University, Princeton, NJ
x Bachelor of Arts Ecology & Evolutionary Biology
x Semester Abroad at Aberdeen University, Scotland

July-Aug. 2003 The Institute for International Mediation and Conflict
Resolution (IIMCR), The Hague, The Netherlands
x Participant, International Student Symposium

AWARDS

- x Pro Bono Award, Legal Aid Society (2011).
- x Lisa Beth Deutsch Pro Bono Award, Dewey & LeBoeuf LLP (2009).
- x ELSA WTO Moot Court North American Regional Round: Best Complainant's, Respondent's, and Overall Winner Memorials; Semifinalist in Oral Round (2008).
- x University of Ottawa Law Student Award (Cum Laude) (2007)
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BAR MEMBERSHIP

New York State Bar

OTHER INTERESTS

Piano playing, singing, running, triathlons, reading