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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

PERMANENT FACULTY POSITIONS

University of the District of Columbia, School of Law	Washington, D.C.
Professor (tenured)	From October 2024
Associate Professor	August 2023 present
University of South Dakota, School of Law	Vermillion, South Dakota
Associate Professor (tenured)	July 2021 July 2023
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs	July 2021 July 2023
Southern Illinois University, School of Law	Carbondale, Illinois
Associate Professor (tenured)	July 2016 July 2021
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs	July 2020 July 2021
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs (Interim)	August 2018 December 2019
Assistant Professor	July 2012 July 2016

VISITING/TEMPORARY FACULTY POSITIONS

University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law	Sacramento, California
Visiting Professor	AY 2024 2025
University of Kentucky, College of Law	Lexington, Kentucky
Visiting Associate Professor	Spring 2020
Southern Illinois University, School of Law	Carbondale, Illinois
Visiting Assistant Professor	August 2011 May 2012
University of Oregon, School of Law	Eugene, Oregon
Visiting Assistant Professor	August 2010 May 2011
California Western School of Law	San Diego, California
Teaching Fellow	August 2008 July 2010

COURSES TAUGHT (in order of frequency)

Constitutional Law, First Amendment, Legislative & Administrative Processes, Election Law,
Federal Courts, Privacy Law, Sexuality & the Law, Criminal Law, Torts, Legal History

EDUCATION

ED.D. (Education Policy, Organization & Leadership)	May 2025 (current student)
Diversity & Equity (primary concentration)	
Philosophy of Education (secondary concentration)	
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign	

The First Amendment as Heteronormative Socializer. Delivered at the Critical Legal Studies Conference, September 24–25, 2010, University of Idaho College of Law.

Adolescent Identity v. The First Amendment: Race, Sexuality and Hate Speech in the Public Schools.

- Delivered at LatCrit XV, October 7–10, 2010, University of Denver Sturm College of Law.
- Delivered at the Third National People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference, September 9–12, 2010, Seton Hall University School of Law.

Sexuality in the Public Schools: Overcoming the Double Standard.

- Delivered at LatCrit XIV, Junior Faculty Development Workshop, October 1–4, 2009, American University College of Law.
- Delivered at the National LGBT Bar Association Junior Scholars Forum, September 10–12, 2009, Brooklyn, NY.

Law Lectures and the Dissemination of Legal Ideas, 1800–1850. Delivered at the 31st Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, July 16–19, 2009, Springfield, IL.

Uselessness in Early American Legal Culture: The Beauty and Seriousness of Legal Science. Delivered at the Twelfth Annual Conference for the Association of the Study of Law, Culture, and the Humanities, April 3–4, 2009, Suffolk University Law School.

The Utilitarian Influence on American Legal Science, c. 1800–1850. Delivered at the Tenth Conference of the International Society for Utilitarian Studies, September 11–14, 2008, UC Berkeley School of Law & Kadish Center for Morality, Law and Public Affairs.

The Effect of Political Economy on the Science of Law in the Early Republic, 1800–1850. Delivered at the Policy History Conference, May 29–June 1, 2008, Saint Louis University.

-Century American Thought. Delivered at the John Stuart Mill Bicentennial Conference (Ninth Conference of the International Society for Utilitarian Studies), April 5–7, 2006, University College London.

MEDIA APPEARANCES

[House Bill 1012 to protect students from critical race theory](#), VOLANTE (Jan. 29, 2022) (interviewed about the potential impact of an anti-CRT bill on campus curriculum)

[Man wanted in U.S. Capitol riot arrested in Marion](#), WSIL (Jan. 28, 2021) (interviewed about the

[SIU professor gives take on impeachment proceedings](#), WSIL (Jan. 12, 2021) (interviewed about the congressional impeachment proceedings concerning Trump)

[How SCOTUS confirmation could make a local impact](#), WSIL (Oct. 12, 2020) (interviewed for a story on the Amy Coney Barrett confirmation hearings)

Lisa Donovan, [The Spin](#), CHI. TRIB. (Oct. 12, 2020) (interviewed for a story on the Amy Coney Barrett confirmation hearings)

_____, WSIL (Oct. 8, 2020) (interviewed for a

_____, WSIL (Sept. 21, 2020)
(interviewed for a story on the passing of Justice Ginsburg and the politics surrounding her replacement)

[Staff at a Franklin County school left donated Bibles in student lockers. At least one parent complained](#), THE SOUTHERN (Carbondale, IL) (May, 22, 2019) (quoted in story about locker searches and religion in public schools)

[SIUC legal experts weigh in on SCOTUS pick](#), THE SOUTHERN (Carbondale, IL) (July 11, 2018)

[Supreme Court pick s impact on abortion rights laws in the Heartland](#), KFVS (July 10, 2018)

impact on reproductive rights)

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[WSIU InFocus: "Full Slate" Court Battle Moves Forward](#), WSIU (Nov. 7, 2017) (interviewed

_____, BELLEVILLE
NEWS-DEMOCRAT (Belleville, IL) (Aug. 4, 2017) (quoted in story about First Amendment

