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## EDUCATION

### **Fulbright Scholar (2016 – 2017 Academic Year)**

Kingston, Jamaica

Researched restorative justice

### **Cleveland-Marshall College of Law**

Cleveland, Ohio

Juris Doctorate, May 2005

Honors: *Cum Laude*; Cleveland State Law Review; Editor; Note published in 2005  
Urban League Achievement Award  
Dinkar Chitaleey Scholarship  
Charles W. Fleming Scholarship

### **Westminster College**

New Wilmington, Pennsylvania

B.A. in Political Science, May 2002

Honors: *Magna Cum Laude*

## LEGAL EDUCATION EXPERIENCE

### **Gonzaga University School of Law**

Spokane, Washington

Director, Externship Program and Associate Professor of Law

8/2010 – present

- Teaching multiple reflective lawyering seminar courses per semester
- Administering the Externship Program, including budgeting, publicizing, communicating with multiple constituencies and ensuring compliance with ABA Standards (the program allows students to extern in both full and part-time positions with local and distance supervising attorneys/judges for anywhere from 3 to 15 academic credits)
- Managing Externship Program staff and adjunct professors

### **Cleveland-Marshall College of Law**

Cleveland, Ohio

Manager of Student Affairs

6/2008- 8/2010

- Assisted students transition to and successfully complete law school
- Counseled students in both personal and academic matters
- Administered the Externship Program

### **Cleveland-Marshall College of Law**

Cleveland, Ohio

Academic Excellence Teaching Assistant

2003-2005

- Taught students the analytical skills and study techniques necessary for success

## LEGAL EXPERIENCE

### **Southeastern Ohio Legal Services**

Zanesville, Ohio

VAWA (Violence Against Women's Act) Attorney

11/2005 – 6/2008

- Providing a variety of holistic and civil legal services to assist victims of violence

## **PRESENTATIONS**

- AALS Clinical Conference 2018**, Chicago, IL May 2018
- Go Full Circle: Creating a Comprehensive Curriculum around Law Student Well-Being in Clinics and Externships
  - Intensive Paper Feedback Sessions: Re-envisioning Justice in Jamaica - From Retribution to Restoration
- Externship 8 Conference**, Athens, GA March 2018
- New Clinicians: Introduction
  - Plenary One: How Far We Have Come How Far We Need to Go
  - Using Broad Strokes to Paint More Meaningful Discussion in the Externship Classroom: Creating Unique Opportunities for Students to Engage with Issues of Professional and Personal Identity
- Symposium on Law, Governance and Society**, Trelawny, JA June 2017  
Opportunities and Challenges for Restorative Justice in Jamaica
- Research Days 2017 – Mona Law Lecture**, Kingston, JA February 2017  
From Retributive to Restorative Justice and Practices
- AALS Clinical Conference 2016**, Baltimore, MD April 2016  
Preparing Lawyers for Community Engagement: Using Externships to Teach Students How to Collaborate, Communicate, and Be Catalysts for Change
- Externship 8 Conference**, Cleveland, OH March 2016
- New Clinicians Breakfast – Welcome and Lay of the Land
  - The Craft of Teaching and Me: A Mini-Workshop on Facing Down our Classroom Teaching Challenges
  - Steady Work: Exploring Values in an Externship Seminar
- Peace and Economic Justice Action Conference**, Spokane, WA March 2016
- Moving Our Smart Justice vision through Smart Hiring and the Spokane Regional Law & Justice Council
  - Love & Outrage: Finding and Honoring Your Voice of Poetic Justice
  - Naming Modern Racism – Beyond Color Blindness
- Northwest Clinical Law Conference, Leavenworth, WA** October 2015  
How to Teach Reflection to Students and Practice it Ourselves
- Applied Legal Storytelling Conference**, Seattle, WA July 2015  
Feminist Judgments and Storytelling: A Round Table Discussion
- Spokane Feminist Forum**, Spokane, WA May 2015  
Reflections Unheard – Black Women in Civil Rights
- AALS Clinical Conference 2015**, Rancho Mirage, CA May 2015  
Responding to the New ABA Standard 314 – Assessment in the Law School and in the Field: What We’re Doing and How We Can Do It Better

- Peace and Economic Justice Action Conference**, Spokane, WA March 2015  
Naming Racism – Strategies to Challenge Colorblindness
- Smart Justice Community Symposium**, Spokane, WA November 2014  
Opening, Deinstitutionalizing Difference: Addressing Institutional Racism in education and Criminal Justice and Naming Racism: Strategies to Challenge Colorblindness
- AALS Clinical Conference 2014**, Chicago, IL May 2014  
Concurrent Session – Engaging Field Placement Attorneys: Building a Community of Mindful Supervisors
- Externship 7 Conference**, Denver, CO March 2014  
New Clinicians Breakfast – Welcome and Lay of the Land
- The Pursuit of Justice: Understanding Hatred, Confronting Intolerance, Eliminating Inequality Conference**, Spokane, WA April 2013  
Smart Justice, Race & Incarceration
- AALS Clinical Conference 2013**, San Juan, Puerto Rico April 2013  
Concurrent Session - When the Clinical Teacher is Not the Supervising Attorney: Pedagogical Opportunities and Challenges
- Smart Justice Symposium**, Spokane WA November 2012  
Courts That Are More Efficient and Effective
- Externship 6 Conference**, Boston, MA March 2012
- Works in Progress Presentation - Enhancing the Externship Experience: Giving Students Tools to Engage Supervisors in Effective Feedback
  - Assessing Our Externship Programs: Are We Setting and Meeting the Right Goals for Our Constituencies and Ourselves?
- LSAC Pipeline Models Conference**, Columbus, OH Oct. 2009  
Targeting Secondary School Students – The “What” of Developing Program Form and Content
- Education Law and Wingspread Conference**, Portland, ME July 2009  
Legal Pipelines: Thinking Outside the Box

### **PUBLICATIONS**

LEARNING FROM PRACTICE: A TEXT FOR EXPERIENTIAL LEGAL EDUCATION CHAPTER FIVE  
EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION AND PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition (West 2016)  
(with Susan Brooks)

Feminist Judgments: Rewritten Opinions of the United States Supreme Court – Loving v. Commonwealth of Virginia (Cambridge University Press 2016)

Promoting Opportunities for Students through Pipeline Programs, (co-authored with Dean Alyson Alber of Case-Western University), Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Journal (February 2010)

This One's for the Children: The Time Has Come to Hold Guardians Ad Litem Responsible for Negligent Injury and Death to Their Charges, 52 Clev. St. L. Rev. 655 (2005)

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

- Contributing author of Clinical Law Prof Blog 4/2014 - present
- CLEA Externship Committee Member 5/2011 – 10/2016
- Externship 8 Planning Committee 3/2015 – 3/2016
- AALS Clinical Section on Externships, Co-Chair 5/2013 – 5/2015
- AALS Clinical Section on Membership, Outreach and Training 5/2011 – 12/2012
- Externship 6 Planning Committee 6/2011 – 3/2012
- Externship 7 Site Selection Team 8/2012 – 11/2013
- Externship 7 Planning Committee 2/2013 – 3/2014
- Externship 8 Site Selection Team 2/2015 – 3/2015

### **TRAININGS/CERTIFICATES**

- Race the Power of Illusion: The Center for Social Inclusion
- Family Law Mediation Training: Pepperdine Strauss Institute for Dispute Resolution Professional Skills Program
- Virtual Campus Professional Development Workshop for Online Educators
- Intergroup Dialogue Seminar Training & Curriculum Design

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

- Solution is Hours – House of Charities Meal Service
- Spokane Regional Law and Justice Council – community representative
- Governor's Appointee to the Child Support Schedule Workgroup
- Mayor's Advisory Committee on Multicultural Affairs (MACMA)
  - Chair, Subcommittee on Police Body Camera Policy
  - Subcommittee on Police Disproportionate Minority Contact
- Executive Committee Smart Justice Spokane
  - Planning Committee for Smart Justice Symposium I and II
  - Spokane Regional Law and Justice Workgroup
  - Spokane Regional Law and Justice Racial Equity Workgroup
- Women's Hearth Family Law Clinic
- Planning Committee: Race the Power of an Illusion Workshop
- Global Neighborhood Volunteer
- NAACP Member and Voter Rights Initiative
- Unity in the Community
- Spokane County Bar Association
  - Diversity Section
- Youth and Justice Forum Planning Committee
- Educurious
- Museum of Arts and Culture BeGIn Committee