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## **ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE**

**Villanova University School of Law**, Villanova, PA

*Director of International Programs* September 2011 –

Same responsibilities as those stated for previous Assistant Dean position, below.\*

*Assistant Dean for International Programs* January 2009 – September 2011

Responsible for coordinating all aspects of international studies programs, including coordination with administration and faculty of partner and host institutions, development of curriculum, program schedule and activities, content development for web site, marketing, budget, ABA submissions, on-site supervision and evaluation of program. Developed and taught International Art and Cultural Heritage Law course.

### *Major activities:*

- Developed, direct and taught in Rome, Italy Summer Program (co-sponsored with University of St. Thomas School of Law)
- Developed and supervise J.D./LL.M. programs with University of Edinburgh, University of Leiden, Birkbeck College of the University of London, National University of Singapore, City University of Hong Kong, and ad hoc student study abroad in semester and year-long programs
- Develop and supervise externships abroad, in conjunction with Director of Experiential Learning
- Law School Service: Faculty Advisor – Art Law Society, Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Team, National Cultural Heritage Moot Court Team; Admissions Committee (2012 - 2016), Public Interest Committee (2015 - 2016); Faculty Advisor for Philadelphia Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts, The Barnes Foundation General Counsel, Philadelphia Museum of Art General Counsel Externships; International Programs Task Force – Chair (2017- )
- University Service: Gender & Women’s Studies Steering Committee; Strategic Partnership Subcommittee, International Leadership Team, Center for Global Leadership; Fulbright Interview Preparation Program
  
- Past Law School Service: Innovative Curriculum and Programs Strategic Planning Study Group (spring 2012); Legal Writing Advisory Committee (chair,

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\* All Law School Assistant Dean titles were administratively retitled to Director in September 2011 pursuant to University request. Title change does not reflect any change in status, responsibilities, or benefits.

spring 2004 – fall 2008), International Law Task Force, Curriculum Committee, Curriculum Task Force, Judicial Clerkship Committee, International Programs Committee, Strategic Planning Committee

***Director of International Studies Programs*** Spring 2006 – December 2008

Same responsibilities as for Assistant Dean for International Programs, above.

***Director of Montréal Programs*** Fall 2002 – Spring 2006

Was responsible for developing and administering all aspects of summer law study program at Université de Montréal.

***Assistant Dean for Legal Writing*** March 2001 – December 2008

Exercised operational control over first-year Legal Writing program. Responsibilities included hiring, training and supervision of six full-time Legal Writing faculty members and administration of academic program for approximately 240 first year law students.

***Co-Director, Legal Writing Program*** Feb. 2000 - March 2001

Same responsibilities as for Assistant Dean position described above.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### ***Villanova University School of Law, Villanova, PA***

Subjects taught:

Legal Analysis, Writing & Oral Advocacy I and II (23 years)

International Advocacy (for first year students) (22 years)

International Art and Cultural Heritage Law (Rome summer program, 2007 – 2011, 2014 - 16)

Advanced Appellate Advocacy (fall terms, 1998-2001)

International Advocacy (Montréal summer program, 2004, 2005)

Externship Advisor

Barnes Foundation General Counsel's Office (8 semesters)

Delaware Legal Services externship (1 semester)

International Externs (4 semesters)

Pennsylvania Attorney General Office of Consumer Protection (1 semester)

Philadelphia Court of Common Pleas (1 semester)

Philadelphia Museum of Art General Counsel (2 semesters)

Philadelphia Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts (23 semesters)

United States Department of Justice, E.D. Pa. (spring 2016)

Directed Research (7 semesters, including spring 2016)

***Professor of Law*** (on teaching leave AY 2016/17 and 2017/18) April 2015 -

***Professor of Legal Writing*** Nov. 2009 – April 2015

*Associate Professor of Legal Writing* Feb. 2000 – Nov. 2009

*Legal Writing Instructor* Aug. 1997 to Feb. 2000

*Visiting Instructor of Legal Writing* Aug. 1993 to Aug. 1997

Instructed approximately 40-45 students annually (20 to 25 students annually between fall 2002 and spring 2012) in various styles of objective legal analysis, predictive and persuasive legal writing and oral advocacy. Designed, administered and taught international advocacy course for first year law students; designed and taught Advanced Appellate Advocacy course. Assisted in various administrative aspects of Legal Writing Program. Advised student international law moot court teams. Worked with international students attending the Law School.

**Pericles Law Center – Center for Legal Education, Moscow, Russian Federation**

*Visiting Professor* July 2017  
Taught intensive oral argument course to 35 Russian law students.  
(one week)

**St. John's University School of Law, Rome, Italy** June 2017

*Visiting Professor*  
Taught International Art and Cultural Heritage Law in St. John's University's Summer Program in Rome (two weeks)

**European Humanities University, Vilnius, Lithuania**

*Fulbright Specialist* – Taught intensive legal analysis and writing course for two weeks during October 2009; taught intensive international advocacy course in April 2010

**Villanova University, Villanova, PA**

*Adjunct Professor, English Department* January – May 2002  
Designed and taught Legal Analysis and Writing course for undergraduates.

***Villanova University Gender and Women's Studies Program***  
Steering Committee & Curriculum Subcommittee; Submission Evaluator, Elizabeth Cady Stanton Research Award (2000 – ); Program and Director Evaluation Subcommittee (2002); Mission Subcommittee (2001-2004)

**International Law Institute, Washington, D.C.** June - July 1998, 1999  
***Lecturer, Introduction to Legal English Program***  
Instructed 40 to 50 students annually in intensive two-week Legal English program focusing on substantive legal topics, legal writing and speaking skills. Assisted in curriculum design.

**Brooklyn Law School**, Brooklyn, NY

*Adjunct Legal Writing Instructor*

Spring Terms 1984-86

**OTHER LEGAL EXPERIENCE**

Hoyle, Morris & Kerr, Philadelphia, PA  
*Associate, Litigation Department*

Oct. 1988 - July 1993

Stroock & Stroock & Lavan, New York, NY  
*Associate, Litigation Department*

Nov. 1985 - July 1988

U.S. District Judge I. Leo Glasser,  
United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York,  
Brooklyn, NY  
*Law Clerk*

Sept. 1983 - Sept. 1985

Fragomen, Del Rey & Bernsen, New York, NY  
*Summer Associate* (immigration & nationality law practice)

June - July 1982

**AWARD**

University of St. Thomas School of Law, *Living the Mission (Service and Community)*  
*Award* (with T. Berg, R. Kahn, W. Kaal) April 2013

**SKILLS PROGRAMS FOR/SUPERVISION OF INTERNATIONAL FACULTY/LAWYERS**

Keynote Speaker, Master Class Teacher, Legal Writing Conference, European Humanities University, Vilnius, Lithuania, April 2010

Legal Skills Curriculum Program for Jordanian Law Professors, at Villanova Univ. School of Law, September 2007

Conference Co-Chair, Eastern European Conference on Development of Legal Skills Programs, Prague, Czech Republic, May 17-20, 2005

Faculty Associate for Dr. Nina Hovarava, Head, Department of English, European Humanities University, Minsk, Belarus (Fulbright Scholar at Villanova University School of Law, September 2002-January 2003)

Coordinator, Distance Learning at Villanova Law School program for Dean of the Law School of Beijing University, People's Republic of China, at Villanova Univ. School of Law, May 2001

Coordinator, Legal Writing, Legal Research and Technology in the Classroom program for members of Yerevan State University Law Faculty, Republic of Armenia, at Villanova Univ. School of Law, November 2000

Lecturer, Introduction to Legal English Program (two-week intensive course), International Law Institute, Washington, D.C., June - July, 1998 and 1999

## **PUBLICATIONS**

*The Human Side of Legal Writing: Remembering Our Colleagues*, Thirtieth Anniversary Essay, 22 *Legal Writing: The Journal of the Legal Writing Institute* \_\_ (2018) (forthcoming)

*International Legal Education and Specialist Certification* chapter (with M. Moran and R. Peltz-Steele), *American Bar Association Year in Review*, 51 ABA/SIL YIR 531 (2017)

*Making It Real: Hosting an International Law Speaker Series in the Legal Writing (or Any Law School) Classroom*, 43(2) *American Bar Association, International Law News* 14 (Spring 2014)

AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION SOURCEBOOK ON INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION (Editor and Contributor) (in progress)

*A Global Approach to Legal Writing and Legal Research: An Evolutionary Process*, 5 *Drexel L. Rev.* 497 (2013)

*Educating and Qualifying Transnational Lawyers: A U.S. Perspective*, 46 *International Lawyer* 635 (2012)

Book Chapter, *More Perspectives on Academic International Lawyering – Internationalizing the Legal Writing Curriculum and Developing International Studies Programs*, in *American Bar Association, Careers in International Law* (4th ed. 2012)

*Making a Case for Legal Writing Instruction ... Worldwide*, 1(119) *Jurisprudencija* 111 (2010) [Reprinted in *Festschrift in honor of Professor Feridun Yenisey of the Bahçeşehir University Faculty of Law in Istanbul*, PROF. DR. FERIDUN YENISEY’E ARMAGAN, Cilt II (Volume II), (Beta 2014)]

*Legal Writing in an International Context: Persuasive Writing and Oral Advocacy – A Text for Legal Writing Courses and Law School Competitions* (course book) (in progress)

*Internationalizing Legal Research, Writing, and Oral Advocacy*, 24 *Penn State International Law Review* 829 (2006)

*Foreword*, Cecilie Elisabeth Schjathvet & Zakir Hafez, *The ILSA Guide to International Law Moot Court Competitions* (International Law Institute 2003)

*Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg “Pursuit of Justice” Legal Writing Award*, Newsletter of the Section of Legal Writing, Reasoning, and Research of the Association of American Law Schools (Fall 2003)

Editor, Roundtable Reports, 2001 Annual Meeting, Association of Legal Writing Directors

*It Began in Brooklyn: Expanding the Horizons of First-Year Students by Internationalizing the Legal Writing Curriculum*, 27 *Brooklyn Journal of International Law* 415 (2002)

*ALWD Manual International and Foreign Law Edition to be Published by Aspen*, 16(1) *The Second Draft* 17 (December 2001)

Book Review, *Introduction to Legal English: An Introduction to Legal Terminology, Reasoning and Writing in Plain English* by Mark E. Wojcik, 44 *Clarity* 34 (December 1999)

Book Review, *Legal Analysis and Writing* by Robin S. Wellford, 13:1 *The Second Draft* (November 1998)

*How They Write: Our Students’ Reflections on Writing*, 6:1 *Perspectives* 24 (Fall 1997)

*Overcoming Language and Legal Differences in the Global Classroom: Teaching Legal Research and Legal Writing to International Law Graduates and International Law Students* (with Mark E. Wojcik), 1996 Proceedings Issue, *Legal Writing: The Journal of the Legal Writing Institute* (1997), 3:127.

*Opening Our Doors to the World: Introducing International Law in Legal Writing and Legal Research Courses*, 5:1 *Perspectives* 1 (Fall 1996)

*From Product to Process: Evolution of a Legal Writing Program* (with J.A. Durako, K. Stanchi, B. Amdur, L. Brown and R. Connelly), 58 *Pittsburgh Law Review* 719 (1997)

*Teaching International Law in the Next Millennium: Workshop on Innovative Teaching Methods*, (editor and contributor) (on file with author), American Society of International Law Annual Meeting (March 1996)

## **PRESENTATIONS**

Moderator, “Philly’s Global Lawyers: Educating and Training International Lawyers in the Philadelphia Metropolitan Area,” Philadelphia Bar Association/Global Philadelphia Association, Philadelphia, PA (scheduled for October 2017)

Co-Moderator and Co-Chair, “New Leaders, New Laws ... and New Perspectives on Creating ‘Practice Ready’ International Lawyers – Part I: Hit the Globe Running: New Approaches to Educating Law Students and New Lawyers,” American Bar Association Section of International Law Spring Meeting, Washington, DC (April 2017)

Chair and Moderator, “Cross-Border Perspectives on Handling International Legal Issues in the United States and Abroad,” Philadelphia Bar Association – Lyon Bar Association CLE Program, Philadelphia, PA (April 2017)

Invited Discussant, “The Preservation of Art and Culture in Times of War,” Center for Rule of Law and Ethics, University of Pennsylvania (April 2017)

Panelist, “Giving Credit Where Credit is Due: U.S. Perspectives on Recognition of Academic Credit for Coursework Completed Abroad,” International Legal Education Abroad Conference, Washington, DC (February 2017)

Speaker, “‘Internationalisation’ in Legal Education Today,” University of Massachusetts School of Law – Dartmouth (February 2017)

Speaker, “Expanding the Role of Legal Writing in the Law School and Legal Community by Collaborative Internationalization of the Legal Writing Curriculum,” New England Consortium of Legal Writing Teachers Annual Conference, Boston University School of Law (October 2017)

Moderator and Chair, “It’s a Sister Act: Cultivating ‘Sister’ Bar Association Relationships in a Globalized World,” American Bar Association Section of International Law Fall Meeting, Montréal, Canada (October 2015)

Moderator, “Turning Global Educational Experience into Global Legal Practice,” Philadelphia Bar Association International Law Committee and Young Lawyers’ Division, and Global Philadelphia Organization (October 2015)

Moderator and Chair, “Externships and Clinics Abroad, They are A-Changin’: Developing Experiential Programs Abroad to Keep Up with the Times and Broaden Law School Horizons,” American Bar Association Section of International Law Spring Meeting, Washington, DC (May 2015)

Moderator, “Building Economic Bridges to Sustain Our Programs: Innovative Revenue Generating International Partnerships,” International Legal Education Abroad Conference, Washington, DC (April 2015)

Presenter, “It’s All in the Motions: Guiding Students to Awareness and Practice Readiness,” Legal Writing Institute One-Day Workshop at the University of Pennsylvania Law School (December 2014)

Moderator and Chair, “Educating the Future Transnational Lawyer: Models of Legal Education and Legal Scholarship in Latin America,” American Bar Association Section of International Law Fall Meeting, Buenos Aires, Argentina (October 2014)

Speaker, “Embracing Change in International Program Planning: Strategies for Financing International Programs in Times of Economic Turbulence,” International Legal Education Abroad Conference, Washington College of Law, American University (April 9-10, 2014)

Moderator and Chair, “Finding Your Place(s) in the World: Making Your Name in International Legal Education,” American Bar Association Section of International Law Spring Meeting, New York, NY (April 2, 2014)

Speaker, “Bringing the World of International Lawyering into the Legal Writing Classroom,” Legal Writing Institute One-Day Workshop, Earle Mack Drexel University School of Law (December 2013)

Co-Moderator and Co-Chair, “Building International Credentials and Experience,” American Bar Association Section of International Law, International Legal Education Summit, University of Law, London, England (October 2013)

Co-Moderator and Co-Chair, “Around the World in 80 Bars: A Global Review of Bar Admission Requirements for Transnational Practitioners,” American Bar Association Section of International Law Annual Meeting, London, England (October 2013)

Panelist, “A Practical Approach to Internationalizing Legal Education for All Law Students,” NAFSA: Association of International Educators Colloquium on Internationalizing Legal Education, St. Louis University School of Law (presented in May 2013 by Adelaide Ferguson)

Commentator, “Outcomes, Measures and Assessment in International Legal Exchange,” Association of American Law Schools Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA (January 2013)

Panelist, “Internationalizing Your LRW Course,” Legal Writing Institute One-Day Workshop, Villanova University School of Law (December 2012)

Moderator, “Partnering with Practice: What Practitioners Have to Say about Educating and Training International Lawyers,” American Bar Association International Law Section Annual Meeting, Miami, FL (October 2012)

Invited Panelist, “A Global Approach to Legal Writing & Legal Research: Building Global Professionalism via Legal Skills Courses,” Earle Macke Drexel University College of Law, Philadelphia, PA (October 2012)

Panelist, “Publishing Your Global Skills Text,” Legal Writing Institute Biennial Conference, Palm Desert, CA (May 2012) (via Skype)

Panelist, “Practice Readiness for the Global Corporate Environment: The Role of Law Schools in Teaching International Corporate Law and Practice,” American Bar



Association International Law Section Spring Meeting, New York, NY (April 2012)

Panelist, “Designing and Implementing JD/LLM Programs – Looking Back at the Development of an Innovative Program,” International Legal Education Abroad Conference, Washington, D.C. (April 2012)

Panelist/Session Chair, “International Programs for Graduate Students: Examining University and Program Rules, Goals, and Needs,” Council on International Educational Exchange, New Orleans, LA (November 2011)

Panelist/Moderator, “Educating and Qualifying Transnational Lawyers,” American Bar Association International Law Section Annual Meeting, Dublin, Ireland (October 2011)  
Speaker, “International Advocacy,” Summer School – IV Edizione, Università degli studi di Foggia, Pugnochiuso, Italy (July 2011)

Panelist, “Teaching the Teachers: Lessons from Around the Globe,” Global Legal Skills VI Conference, Chicago, IL (May 2011)

Panelist, “From Friendship to Partnership: Developing International Relationships Among Legal Institutions,” International JD-Dual Degree Conference, American University Washington College of Law, Washington, DC (April 2011)

Program Chair, “Regulatory and Liability Aspects of International Program Administration,” Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA (January 2011)

Panelist – “Structure in Legal writing,” Summer School -- III Edizione, Università degli studi di Foggia, Pugnochiuso, Italy (July 2010)

Instructor, EHU Legal Writing Seminar Master Class, European Humanities University, Vilnius, Lithuania (April 2010)

Keynote, Legal Writing Seminar, European Humanities University, Vilnius, Lithuania (April 2010)

Panelist, “The Challenges and Rewards of Teaching International Students,” Teaching International Law Interest Group, American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, Washington, DC (scheduled for March 2010)

Panelist, “International Externships,” Externships 5 Conference, Miami, FL (March 2010)

Panelist, “Teaching Legal Skills to International Faculty and Students,” Global Legal Skills Conference V, Monterrey, Mexico (February 2010)

Panelist, “Structure in Legal Writing,” Summer School – II Edizione Università degli studi di Foggia, Monte Sant’ Angelo, Italy (July 2009)

Panelist, “Pathways to Employment in International Law,” American Bar Association International Law Section program, Earle Mack Drexel University School of Law, Philadelphia, PA (January 2009)

Panelist, “Partnering for Success,” Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA (January 2009)

Speaker, “Teaching International Advocacy,” Istanbul Legal Skills Conference, Istanbul, Turkey (August 2008)

Panelist, “Wearing Many Hats: What are the Best Practices for Managing Multiple Jobs?” Association of Legal Writing Directors Annual Conference, Denver, CO (June 2007)

Panelist, “Teaching Legal Writing Overseas,” Association of Legal Writing Directors Annual Conference, Denver, CO (June 2007)

Panelist, “LRW Professors on the Move Across the Globe: Planning an International Conference,” Legal Writing Institute Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA (June 2006)

Panelist, “Techniques to Internationalize the First Year Curriculum: Internationalizing Legal Research, Writing & Oral Advocacy,” Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA (January 2006)

Panelist, “International Perspectives on Designing Legal Skills Program(me)s Around the World,” Association of Legal Writing Directors Annual Conference, Chicago, IL (July 2005)

Panelist, "Preparing Yourself and Your Students for the Future: A Global Approach to Legal Writing," Legal Writing Institute Conference, Seattle, WA (July 2004)

Speaker, World Affairs Council of Philadelphia International Court of Justice Competition Preparatory Session, Philadelphia, PA (February 2004)

Co-Presenter, Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg “Pursuit of Justice” Legal Writing Award, Philadelphia Bar Association Quarterly Luncheon, October 23, 2003

Panelist, “How to Succeed at Jessup,” International Law Students Association Fall Conference, New Orleans, LA, October 2003

Panelist, “The Future of International Skills Training,” in panel on “The Future of International Law,” Villanova University School of Law 50th Anniversary Academic Symposium (September 2003)

Presenter (with Jo Ellen Lewis), “Remembering Where We Come From: Being Good Leaders by Developing New Leaders,” Association of Legal Writing Directors Annual Meeting, Windsor, Ontario (July 2003)

Presenter (with Emily Zimmerman), “Internationalizing your Legal Writing Program,” Atlantic Regional Legal Writing Conference, Rutgers-The State University of New Jersey School of Law, Camden, NJ, May 2003

Presenter (with Christine Mooney), “Teaching Legal Analysis and Writing to Undergraduates,” Atlantic Regional Legal Writing Conference, Rutgers-The State University of New Jersey School of Law, Camden, NJ, May 2003

Panelist, “Legal Research for Foreign LL.M. Students,” Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. (January 2003)

Moderator, “New Approaches to International Legal Exchange,” Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA (January 2002)

Panelist, “Persuasive Writing and Oral Argument for International Law Courses and Competitions,” International Law Students Association Fall Conference, Boston, MA , November 2001

Lecturer, United States Department of Housing and Urban Development Legal Writing Program, Philadelphia, PA, August 2001

Roundtable Program Coordinator, Association of Legal Writing Directors Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, July 2001

Moderator, “The Visible College of International Law Clinicians: Making a Real Difference in Law School and in the World,” American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., April 2001

Panelist, “Researching and Constructing a Persuasive Written and Oral Argument for International Law Moot Court Students,” International Law Students Association Spring Conference, Washington, D.C., April 2001

Panelist, “Concerns of Specialty Journals” and “Benefits of Law Review After Graduation,” National Conference of Law Reviews, Baltimore, MD, March 2001

Coordinator and Moderator, “Aviation Law and the International Lawyer,” Villanova Univ. School of Law, March 2001

Coordinator and Moderator, “Making the Right Connections: Developing Contacts for International Legal Exchange,” Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, January 2001

Lecturer, Lawyering Skills course, Villanova Univ. School of Law, August 2000

Speaker at ABA Standards Review Committee Meeting regarding Standards for hiring and retention of Legal Writing faculty, Washington, D.C., May 2000

Moderator, "A New Vision for International Law Instruction: The Changing Roles/Relationships of Professors, Librarians and Students," American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., April 2000

Panelist, "Researching and Constructing a Persuasive Written and Oral Argument for International Law Moot Court Students," International Law Students Association Spring Conference, Washington, D.C., April 2000

Panelist, "Sticky Issues in Pennsylvania Appellate Advocacy," Pennsylvania Bar Institute, Philadelphia, PA (December 1999)

Panelist, "Persuasive Writing and Oral Argument for International Law Moot Court Students," International Law Students Association Spring Conference, Washington, D.C., March 1999

Moderator, "Finding Your Way After Law School," Villanova Univ. School of Law Women's Law Caucus Annual Banquet, March 1999

Moderator, New York Career Panel, Villanova Univ. School of Law, February 1999

Moderator, "Hot Issues in Immigration and Refugee Law," Villanova Law School International Law Society, February 1999

Panelist, "Internationalizing the First Year Legal Writing Curriculum" (Panel on Innovations in Teaching International Law), International Law Weekend '98, American Branch of the International Law Association, New York, NY, November 1998

Panelist, "Update on ESL Resources," Legal Writing Institute Conference, Univ. of Michigan School of Law, June 1998

Panelist, "The Nuts and Bolts of Publishing," Legal Writing Institute Conference, Univ. of Michigan School of Law, June 1998

Panelist, "Student Differences," Legal Writing Institute Conference, Univ. of Michigan School of Law, June 1998

Moderator, "Paths to Success in Law and Life," Villanova Univ. School of Law Women's Law Caucus Annual Dinner, April 1998

Moderator, "Legal Education around the World," Villanova Univ. School of Law, April 1998

Moderator, New York Career Panel, Villanova Univ. School of Law, April 1998

Panel Coordinator (with Rafael X. Zahraiddin, Chapman Univ. School of Law), “Teaching International Law to Different Audiences,” American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., April 1998

Panelist, “How to Structure a Persuasive Written and Oral Argument,” International Law Students Association Spring Conference, Washington, D.C., April 1998

Panelist, “Opportunity and Challenge in the Global Classroom: Skills Training Programs for Foreign Students,” Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, January 1998

Panelist, “What is a Legal Education All About and What Do Lawyers Do?” Philadelphia Area Law Day, Temple Univ., December 1997

Panelist, “The Nuts and Bolts of Publishing,” Atlantic Regional Legal Writing Institute Conference, Temple Univ. School of Law, May 1997

Panel Chair, “Teaching International Law for the Next Millennium: Workshop on Innovative Teaching Methods,” American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., April 1997

Panelist, “Lawyering Skills, Process Drills and Techno Thrills,” Legal Writing Institute Conference, Seattle Univ. School of Law, July 1996

Panelist, “Overcoming Language and Legal Differences in the Global Classroom: Teaching Legal Research and Writing to Foreign Law Graduates and Foreign Law Students,” Legal Writing Institute Conference, Seattle Univ. School of Law, July 1996

Panelist, “Evaluating Legal Writing Programs at Villanova Law School,” Regional Legal Writing Conference, Widener Univ. School of Law (Harrisburg), May 1996

Panelist, “Innovations in the Villanova Legal Writing Curriculum,” Faculty Colloquium, Villanova Univ. School of Law, April 1995

Panelist, “Part-Time Employment: A Win-Win Situation,” Philadelphia Bar Association, June 1992

Panelist, “Pursuing the Assets of Fleeing Dictators,” Annual Conference, American Society of International Law, Boston, MA, April 1987 (1987 Proceedings of the American Society of International Law 398)

## **EDUCATION**

***Brooklyn Law School***, Brooklyn, NY

J.D. 1983

Honors:

*Brooklyn Journal of International Law*, 1981-1983, Editor-in-Chief, 1982-1983; Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Team – 1982, Best Oralist, Eastern Region; First Runner-Up Team, Eastern Region

Alexander Mehr Memorial Prize; Oceana Publications Prize; Moot Court Honor Society; Honorable Mention, Best Brief Award, 1981

***Princeton University***, Princeton, NJ

A.B. Near Eastern Studies, 1979; Certificate in Near Eastern Studies, 1979

***Villanova University***, Villanova, PA

Course work in French, Linguistics, Education, Spanish, Literacy (ESL)

***Main Line School Night*** - Italian language courses

## **BAR ADMISSIONS**

New York, 1984 (inactive); Pennsylvania, 1987; United States District Courts, E.D.N.Y., S.D.N.Y., E.D. Pa.; United States Courts of Appeals, 2d and 3d Circuits

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

### ***Legal Writing***

*Association of Legal Writing Directors*

Board of Directors, April 2001 – 2007; Chair, Outreach Committee, August 2005 – 2007; Executive Committee, August 2005 – 2007; 2007 Conference Planning Committee Chair, Citation Manual Advisory Committee (International & Foreign Law Edition), August 2000 - July 2003; Coordinator, Roundtable Program, Annual Meeting (July 2001)

Board of Editors, *Legal Writing: The Journal of the Legal Writing Institute* -- Co-Editor-in-Chief, volume 8; Associate Editor for volume 3 (1997) and volume 4 (1998)

*Legal Writing Institute* - Legal Writing Visitorship and Exchange Committee, 2005 -

### ***International Law***

*Academic Board of the PhD Programme in Law*, University of Siena/University of Foggia  
July 2017 –

*Lawyers' Committee for Cultural Heritage Preservation*

Vice President, September 2010 – May 2011, June 2014 – July 2015

President, June 2011 - May 2014, August – October 2015

Board of Directors, October 2009 – December 2016

Co-Chair, Students and New Lawyers Committee, fall 2009 – May 2011

Brief Judge, National Cultural Heritage Moot Court Competition, 2010, 2011

*American Society of International Law*

Co-Founder, Teaching International Law Interest Group (formerly Innovations in Teaching International Law); Executive Committee (of Interest Group), 2001-2002; Vice-Chair, 1998 -2001; Chair, 1996-98; Originator and List Moderator, “ASIL-Innovations” e-mail listserv; Editor, Innovations Newsletter, 1998 – 2001

*Association of American Law Schools*

Section on International Legal Exchange, Chair, January 2010- 2011; January 2001 – January 2002; Chair-Elect, January 2000 –2001; Executive Committee, 1999 – 2003, 2011 - ; Treasurer, 2008 - 2009

Section on Graduate Education for Foreign Lawyers, Coordinator, Syllabus Bank Project; Executive Committee, January 2002 -2003; 2008 - 2009

Section on North American Cooperation, Executive Committee, January 2004 – December 2008

*International Law Students Association*

Jessup Competition, Atlantic Regional Competition Administrator, 2001-02

Jessup Competition Oral Argument Judge, National and International Rounds, 1999, 2000, 2001

***Bar Associations***

*American Bar Association, Section of International Law*

International Legal Education & Specialist Certification Committee

Co-Chair, August 2012 – July 2014, August 2015 -

Steering Committee, August 2014 --

Vice-Chair, August 2011 -- July 2012

Planning Committee, International Legal Education Summit (October 2013)

*Philadelphia Bar Association*

Co-Chair, International Law Committee, January 2015 --

Co-Chair, Ruth Bader Ginsburg Pursuit of Justice Legal Writing Competition, 2002 - 2012

Appellate Courts Committee, Steering Committee, 1999 – 2001

***Volunteer Service***

*Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law*

Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Team, Faculty Advisor, 2015 and 2016 competitions

*Princeton University*

Philadelphia Area Alumni Schools Committee, 1993 - , Chair, Book Awards, 2003 – 2015,  
Class of 1979, Co-Secretary, May 2009 – May 2014

*Philadelphia Sinfonia*, Sonata newsletter contributor, 2008 – (twenty profiles to date)

***Board Memberships/Affiliations***

Present: Theatre Horizon, Norristown, PA, Cultivation Committee

Past: Philadelphia Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts, Wayne Art Center, Trinity Nursery  
& Kindergarten, Philadelphia Area Repertory Theatre