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Philadelphia, PA
June, 2006-Present

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

- Teach Contracts, First Amendment, Media Law, Contract Theory, and Communicating for Success.
- Taught Virtual First Amendment in the Pennoni Honors College (Spring 2016).
- Serving as a Pennoni Honors College Faculty Fellow (2017-2018), teaching Media Law, Society and Ethics (Winter 2018) and co-teaching a Colloquium called Unpacking the Flourishing Community (Spring 2018).
- Served on multiple committees, including University-wide Emeritus Review Committee (2017 - present); Law Review Advisor (2013-Present), Admissions (2012-2013), Curriculum (2009-2011; Chair 2009-2010), Long-Range Planning (2006-2008), Appointments (2006-2008), Self-Study (2007-2008), Student Professional Development (Chair, 2006-2007), Librarian Search (Co-Chair, 2005-2006).
- Faculty advisor to Mindfulness in Law Society; ACS Student Chapter; student Philosophy Club.

PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming, 41 Seattle Univ. L. Rev. Issue 1 (2017)

Doing Deals With Aristotle (reviewing economics research showing that modern economic actors, in both business-to-business and individual transactions, often behave consistently with the Aristotelian concept of a just exchange, and proposing review of modern contract doctrine from that perspective).

Forthcoming, 42 Thurgood Marshall L. Rev.
Issue 2 (2017)

Freeing Speech and the First Amendment Value of Promoting Public Discussion (describing the First Amendment implications of a reporter's effort to obtain public records under state right to know law in Philadelphia, PA, before the 2016 Democratic National Convention).

Forthcoming, OXFORD HANDBOOK OF VIRTUE
ETHICS (Nancy Snow ed., 2017)

Virtue Jurisprudence (original chapter providing an overview and critical analysis of the current state of virtue jurisprudence legal scholarship as part of an interdisciplinary volume on Ethics).

3 Texas A&M L. Rev. 91 (2015) *The Relational Economics of Commercial Contract* (arguing in favor of broadening the methodology of modern law and economics to include the insights of transaction cost economics, which in marketing and operations literature has successfully operationalized relational contract behaviors first identified by law professor Ian Macneil in analysis of commercial contracts).

20 Wm. & Mary B. Rts. J. 533 (2011) *Campus Citizenship and Associational Freedom: An Aristotelian Approach to the Nondiscrimination Puzzle* (applying a virtue jurisprudence lens to the conflict between a public university's First Amendment right to control campus speech and the student groups' First Amendment right to expressive association).

71 U. Pitt. L. Rev. 279 (2009) *Private Law, Public Consequences, and Virtue Jurisprudence* (reviewing *Virtue Jurisprudence*, Farrelly and Solum eds, 2008).

88 Oregon L. Rev. 703 (2009) *Virtue and Contract Law* (considering how aretaic legal theory better captures parties' dual intents in contract than current theoretical approaches).

2006 BYU L. Rev. 71 (2006) *Considering Standing, Sincerity and Antidiscrimination* (analyzing the implicit requirement of sincerity in the "injury-in-fact" test of standing in reverse discrimination cases).

64 U. Chi. L. Rev. 1289 (1997) *Comment, Class-Based Preferences in Affirmative Action Programs After Miller v. Johnson: A Race-Neutral Option or Subterfuge?* (analyzing whether the Court's voting rights jurisprudence suggests that class-based affirmative action preferences are unconstitutional).

PRESENTATIONS

Boca Raton, FL
August, 2017
Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting: Adam Smith, Empathy and the Invisible Hand.

Philadelphia, PA
February, 2017
Drexel University Teach-In on Legal Issues of the Trump Administration (discussing Media Law).

Syracuse, NY
May, 2012
Fourth Annual Syracuse University College of Law Interdisciplinary Workshop: Virtue, Citizenship, and the Law, presented Aristotelian Contract Law).

Villanova, PA March, 2012	Villanova University School of Law, Symposium on Moral Foundations of Private Law: presented “Multiple Ends of Contract Law: A Convergence of Virtue Jurisprudence, Relational Theory and Marketing Literature” (by invitation).
Pittsburgh, PA September, 2011	University of Pittsburgh Law School, Faculty Colloquia Series: presented “Campus Citizenship and Associational Freedom” (by invitation).
Las Vegas, NV March, 2011	Annual Meeting of the Association of Law, Culture and Humanities: presented work-in-progress entitled “The First Amendment Goes to College.”
Providence, RI March, 2010	Annual Meeting of the Association of Law, Culture and Humanities: presented work-in-progress on panel entitled “Law and Culture: Self, Community, and the State.”
Las Vegas, NV February, 2010	Spring Contracts Conference, UNLV Law School: presented work on virtue and contract on panel entitled “Morality and Contract.”
Philadelphia, PA January, 2009	First Amendment Forum, Drexel University: panelist discussing trends in First Amendment jurisprudence.
Washington, DC March, 2007	Annual Meeting of the Association of Law, Culture and Humanities: presented work-in-progress examining the role of sincerity in contract law and theory.
Chicago, IL November, 2005	The Law School, The University of Chicago Legal Scholarship Workshop, “Taking Aim at the ‘Tempting Targets’”: presented paper on sincerity and standing in reverse discrimination cases.

EDUCATION

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, THE LAW SCHOOL

Chicago, IL
June, 1997

Juris Doctor

- **Law Review**, Staff Member
- **Graduated with Honors**

DENISON UNIVERSITY

Granville, OH
May, 1992

Bachelor of Arts

- **Magna Cum Laude**, French Area Studies and History Double Major
- **Honors Thesis**, *La Littérature Engagée: La*

Pensée Politique Française de L'Entre Guerre

- **Phi Alpha Theta**, History Honor Society, Vice President
- **Sweet Briar College**, Junior Year Abroad Program (Paris, France) (1990-1991)
- **French Honor Society**

JUDICIAL CLERKSHIPS

Philadelphia, PA
September, 1997- September, 1998

Honorable Edmund V. Ludwig
United States District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania

Pittsburgh, PA
Summer 1995

Honorable D. Brooks Smith
Internship, United States District Court, Western District of Pennsylvania (now Third Circuit Judge)

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

PEPPER HAMILTON, LLP

Philadelphia, PA
October, 1998 – October, 2000
February, 2003 – May, 2004

ASSOCIATE, COMMERCIAL LITIGATION

- Experience in antitrust, higher education, contract, white collar defense, professional responsibility, and first amendment matters.

CRAVATH SWAINE & MOORE

New York, NY
October, 1998 – October, 2000

SUMMER ASSOCIATE, LITIGATION

- Researched voting rights and equal protection issues and drafted amicus curiae brief filed in the United States Supreme Court.
- Participated in intensive discovery defending hostile takeover bid of an international corporation.
- Offer extended to join firm full-time.

BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

Wallingford, PA
2015- Present

Elected to serve on the Wallingford-Swarthmore School District Board of School Directors

AMERICAN CONSTITUTION SOCIETY PHILADELPHIA LAWYER CHAPTER

Philadelphia, PA
2003- Present

Founding Member

NEW DIRECTIONS FOR WOMEN, INC.

Philadelphia, PA
September, 2004- September, 2006

Member, Board of Directors, Fundraising Committee

WIDENER UNIVERSITY

Chester, PA
January, 2001 – December, 2002

Adjunct Instructor, Media Law and Ethics,
Communications/Government and Politics
Department

**UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA INN
OF COURT**

West Philadelphia, PA
September, 2000 – April, 2002

Associate

BARS

New York
1998
Pennsylvania
1999

Admitted to Practice in New York and Pennsylvania