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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE:

Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University

Clinical Professor of Law, August 2012 – Present

- Courses Taught: Legal Method & Writing; Legal Advocacy; Appellate Advocacy; Intensive Legal Research & Writing; Wilderness Law & Policy.
- Research Interests: Legal Practice; Criminal Procedure; Natural Resources Law.

Seattle University School of Law

Legal Writing Professor, August 2002 to June 2005

- Courses Taught: Legal Analysis, Research & Writing; Legal Advocacy.
- Research and pro bono activities focused on juvenile justice matters.

PUBLICATIONS AND WORKS IN PROGRESS:

- *The Case for Plagiarism*, 9 U.C. IRVINE L. REV. 531 (2019).
- *The Reader's Limited Capacity: A Working Memory Theory for the Legal Writer*, 11 LEGAL COMMUNICATION & RHETORIC: JALWD 31 (2014).
- *Age Matters: The Case for a Constitutionalized Infancy Defense*, 54 U. KAN. L. REV. 687 (2006).
- *An Exclusionary Rule Success Story* (work in progress modeling utilitarian theories of the exclusionary rule).
- *The Writing Pedagogy, the Intellectual Apprenticeship, and the Perils of Reform* (work in progress counseling against displacement of legal writing as foundational component of law students' cognitive training).

RECENT PRESENTATIONS:

- *The Exclusionary Rule's Narrative Fidelity Problem*, Applied Legal Storytelling Conference, University of Colorado Law School, July 2019.

- *Write Worse? Rethinking Fluency*, Rocky Mountain Legal Writing Conference, Boyd School of Law, University Nevada, Las Vegas, March 2019.
- *The Advocate's Guide to Plagiarism, Part II*, Rocky Mountain Legal Writing Conference, Sturm College of Law, University of Denver, March 2018.
- *Old School v. Tech Cool: A (Turning) Point Counterpoint*, Legal Writing Institute One Day Workshop, Rogers College of Law, University of Arizona, December 2017.
- *The Advocate's Guide to Plagiarism*, Rocky Mountain Legal Writing Conference, O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University, March, 2017.
- *Statutory Interpretation from the Inside: Classroom Implications(panelist)*, Biannual Meeting of the Legal Writing Institute, Portland, Oregon, July 2016.
- *Structure, Coherence, and the Reader's Brain*, Rocky Mountain Legal Writing Conference, Rogers College of Law, University of Arizona, March 2016.
- *Reimagining the Curriculum to Address Student Needs and Bench and Bar Demands (panelist)*, AALS Annual Meeting, New York City, January 2016.
- *The Economics of Legal Writing: Does Main Street Pay for Elegance?*, Biannual Meeting of the Association of Legal Writing Directors, University of Memphis Law School, June 2015.
- *The Value of Elegance: First Steps Toward an Economic Analysis*, Rocky Mountain Legal Writing Conference, University of New Mexico Law School, March 2015.
- *The "Worked Example" Approach to Teaching Legal Writing*, Legal Writing Institute One Day Workshop, O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University, December 2013.
- *Managing the Reader's Load: A Cognitive Theory for Legal Writers*, Rocky Mountain Legal Writing Conference, University of Colorado School of Law, March 2013.
- *Old Faces, New Places: Assimilating Lateral Hires into Successful Legal Writing Programs (panelist)*, Biannual Meeting of the Association of Legal Writing Directors, Marquette University Law School, June 2013.

PROFESSIONAL COMMITTEES AND MEMBERSHIPS:

- Legal Writing Institute Monograph Series, Editorial Board (Current).
- Legal Writing Institute Awards Committee (Current).
- Legal Communication & Rhetoric: JALWD, Associate Editor (2015-2018).
- Rocky Mountain Legal Writing Conference, Co-Chair of programming committee (2013, 2015, 2017).
- Association of Legal Writing Directors, Member.
- Legal Writing Institute, Member.
- AALS Section on Legal Writing, Reasoning, and Research, Member.

RECENT INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE:

- Faculty Advisory Council, current.
- Dean's Designee for Honor Code Violations, current.
- University Senate, spring 2018.
- Faculty Appointments Committee, 2016-17.

JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP:

United States District Court, District of Vermont, Brattleboro, VT
Law Clerk to Honorable J. Garvan Murtha, August 1999 to August 2000.

PROFESSIONAL LEGAL EXPERIENCE:

Law Office of Andrew M. Carter/Pratt Vreeland Kennelly Martin & White, Ltd., Rutland, VT

Sole Proprietor/Of Counsel, April 2011 to July 2012

- Civil litigation practice encompassed commercial litigation, real estate disputes, personal injury claims, and construction litigation.
- Criminal defense practice ranged from misdemeanor DUI's to serious felonies.

Meub Gallivan Carter & Larson, Attorneys, P.C., Rutland, VT

Member, June 2005 to April 2011

- Tried numerous cases to verdict and negotiated dozens of settlements and plea bargains.
- Representative appellate decisions: *State v. Muntean*, 2010 VT 88; *Bischoff v. Bletz*, 2008 VT 16.

Foster Pepper & Shefelman, Seattle, WA

Litigation Associate, August 2000 to August 2002

- Played active role in antitrust lawsuit asserting price-fixing in flat-glass industry.
- Played active role in securities fraud lawsuits following “dot-com” bubble burst.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Mineral Policy Center (now “Earthworks”), Washington, D.C.

Policy Analyst, 1996

- Worked toward reform of Mining Law of 1872.

United States Antarctic Program, McMurdo Station, Antarctica

Field Technician, Austral summers 1992-1995

- Assisted National Science Foundation researchers with deep field logistics.
- Awarded Antarctic Service Medal.

EDUCATION:

Vermont Law School, JD, *magna cum laude*, May 1999

- Course of study focused on environmental law
- Member, Vermont Law Review
- Awards for top performance in Contracts, Criminal Law, Appellate Advocacy, Water Resources Law, Land Use Law, and Federal Courts

Tufts University, Medford, MA.

- BA, political science, June 1992