

Curriculum Vitae

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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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

Professor of Practice | Aug 2024 – Present

- Teach Pathway to Bar Success (3L bar preparation course).
- Design and deliver school-wide programming on bar exam readiness, including the Early Bird Bar Prep Workshop Series (Planning for Success on the Bar Exam, Tackling Bar Exam Performance Tests, Tackling Bar Exam Essays, Tackling Bar Exam Multiple Choice).
- Lead bar exam information sessions for each class year, including specialized sessions on navigating accommodations applications.
- Collaborate with faculty to integrate bar skills into the broader curriculum.

Saint Louis University School of Law, St. Louis, MO

Professor | Jul 2019 – Jul 2024

Associate Professor | Jul 2016 – Jun 2019

Instructor | Aug 2011 – Jun 2016

- Taught foundational and advanced skills courses including Introduction to Legal Studies (with Teaching Fellows), Legal Methods, Advanced Legal Methodology, and Advanced Legal Analysis and Strategies.
- Directed co-curricular academic success initiatives, including Gateway to 1L and the First Generation Program.
- Developed and led bar preparation programming: SLU Law Early Bird Bar Prep Workshop Series, Bar Prep Essay Writing Workshops, Nuts and Bolts of the MPRE, Planning for the Bar Exam: The Year Ahead.

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

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

Director, Bar Exam Success | Aug 2024 – Present

- Lead comprehensive bar success strategy, emphasizing data-driven programming, jurisdiction-specific support, and equity-focused interventions.
- Lead development of academic and bar success program for new Online JD program, launching January 2026
- Awarded AccessLex | AASE Faculty Scholarship Grant to support scholarship, *Stop Moving the Bar: How State Practices Undermine Disability Rights in Legal Licensure*
- Developed Criminal Law/Torts/Evidence Multi-subject Module for AccessLex's Building Bar Skills Initiative.

Saint Louis University School of Law, St. Louis, MO

Director, Academic and Bar Exam Success (Co-Director 2016–2017) | Jul 2016 – Jul 2024

Director, Bar Exam Preparation | Aug 2011 – Jun 2016

- Designed and executed bar success initiatives that ranked SLU Law 7th nationally for value-added ultimate bar passage rates (2017–2019) per J.L. & Educ. study.
- Achieved highest first-time Missouri bar passage rate in over a decade (94.6%, July 2023) and reduced racial pass rate gap by 15.5% between 2018–2023.
- Elevated Missouri first-time bar pass rates into the 90th percentile for both white students and students of color.
- Secured \$29,295 AccessLex grant for MBE Strategies Course; co-developed Civil Procedure Module for national Building Bar Skills Initiative.
- Partnered with Development to create the SLU Law Academic Resource Services Support Fund, adopted by the Young Alumni Society as its fundraising priority.
- Directed the Academic Resource Center team (2 FT faculty, 4 adjuncts), managed budgets, secured grants, and oversaw vendor collaborations and campus access.
- Maintained bar passage database, led internal analytics and completed annual ABA Bar Passage Questionnaire, and presented regularly to leadership, faculty, and staff on bar exam trends and pedagogy.

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

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

Provide strategic input on academic planning, online JD program development, and student success initiatives

- **Student and Academic Planning Committee**, Member (Aug 2024 – Present)
- **JD Online Working Group**, Member (Nov 2024 – Present)
- **Search Committee**, Online JD Student Success Director, Member (Jul 2025 – Aug 2025)
- **Arizona State University AI Innovation Challenge**, Awardee for *Practice Makes Progress: Using ChatGPT to Create Integrated Question Sets for Student Success on the NextGen Bar Exam* (September 2024 – January 2025)

Saint Louis University

Contributed to university-wide research funding allocation and graduate academic policy review.

- **Scholarship Research Committee**, Member & Beaumont Grant Award Reviewer (Jan 2024 – July 2024)
- **Graduate Academic Affairs Committee**, Member (Jan 2016 – May 2016)

Saint Louis University School of Law

Led and participated in key committees and working groups shaping curriculum, bar passage strategy, diversity initiatives, and student support services.

- **Curriculum Committee**, Member (Fall 2022 – July 2024; Fall 2012 – Spring 2017)
- **Pipeline Programs Working Group**, Chair (Fall 2020 – Spring 2022)
- **Ad Hoc COVID-19 Planning & Response Committee**, Member (May 2020 – Jun 2021)

- **Search Committees:**
 - Chair, Assistant Director of Academic Support & Bar Exam Prep (Fall 2019 – Spring 2020)
 - Member, Director of Inclusion & Diversity Education (Fall 2017 – Spring 2018)
- **Bar Examination & Bar Qualification Committee, Chair** (Fall 2017 – Fall 2019)
- **Working Groups:**
 - Mental Health (Fall 2017 – Spring 2018)
 - Bar Passage, Co-Chair (Fall 2015 – Spring 2017)
 - Promotion (Fall 2014 – Spring 2016)
- **Faculty Advising Guidelines, Author** (Spring 2015)
- **Move Captain, New Building Transition** (Summer 2013)
- **Progress Committee on Bar Passage, Member** (Fall 2011 – Spring 2012)

PROFESSIONAL AWARDS

Enhancements in ASP Award, Association of Academic Support Educators (May 2022)

- National recognition for innovative, high-impact contributions to the academic and bar success profession.

Legal Scholar Award, Missouri Lawyers Weekly Women's Justice Awards (April 2017)

- Honored for excellence in legal education and scholarship in the State of Missouri.

GRANTS

AccessLex Barriers and Interventions Grant – \$29,295 (Aug 2023 – Jan 2025)

- Funded Fall 2023 MBE Strategies Course to improve MBE performance and percentile rankings for SLU Law first-time Missouri bar exam takers in the Class of 2024.

PUBLICATIONS

Law Review & Journal Articles

- **Antonia Miceli**, *Accommodating Justice: The Fragmented Path to Legal Licensure for Students with Disabilities* (In Preparation).
- **Antonia Miceli**, *Stop Moving the Bar: How State Practices Undermine Disability Rights in Legal Licensure* (In Preparation).
- **Antonia Miceli**, *Teaching Dobbs as a Contemporary Case Study of Federalism in Action and an Introduction to the Cross-Disciplinary Nature of the Law*, 17(2) ST. LOUIS U.L.J. HEALTH L. & POL'Y (2024).
- **Antonia Miceli**, *From a Distance: Providing Online Academic Support and Bar Exam Preparation to Law Students and Alumni During the COVID-19 Pandemic*, 65 ST. LOUIS U.L.J. (2021).
- **Antonia Miceli**, Pamela Xaverius, and Leigh Tenkku, *The Effect of Paternal Involvement During Pregnancy on Adverse Birth Outcomes in Infants Born to Missouri Mothers With Sexually Transmitted Infections (2010 – 2012)*. (In Preparation).

- **Antonia Badway**, *Controlling the Export of Dual-Use Technology in a Post-9/11 World*, 18 TRANSNAT'L LAW 431 (2005).
- Joseph Fitzgerald and **Antonia Badway**, *Government Secrecy in the Age of Information*, BIODENSE QUARTERLY, Summer 2003, at 1, 1-2, 7.

Books

- MELISSA HALE, **ANTONIA MICELI**, TANIA SHAH, *THE ULTIMATE GUIDE TO THE UNIFORM BAR EXAMINATION REDESIGNED* (Wolters Kluwer 2022).
- MELISSA HALE, **ANTONIA MICELI**, TANIA SHAH, *THE ULTIMATE GUIDE TO THE UNIFORM BAR EXAMINATION* (Wolters Kluwer 2021).

Book Chapters

- **Antonia Miceli**, *Transforming Your Physical Space into an Online Space*, in *LAW TEACHING STRATEGIES FOR A NEW ERA: BEYOND THE PHYSICAL CLASSROOM* (Tessa Dysart and Tracy Norton, eds., Carolina Academic Press, 2021).

Scholarly Presentations and Activities

Licensure Reform, Discussion Group Panelist, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2025 Conference, Amelia Island, FL, July 31, 2025.

Developing a Strategic Approach to Integrated Question Sets, Speaker, AccessLex Spring Sync Workshop, Online, May 14, 2025.

Modifying Assessments to Expose Students to NextGen Style Questions, Speaker, Association of Academic Support Educators Webinar, March 28, 2025.

Deeds, Title, and the Gap Between Law School and Real Life, Guest Lecturer, Prof. Marsha Griggs' Property Course, St. Louis, MO, March 25, 2025.

A Need to Know: The NextGen Bar Exam and Other Important Changes in Bar Licensure, Speaker, ABA Law Student Division and ABA Young Lawyers Division Midyear Meeting, Phoenix, AZ, January 31, 2025.

Supporting Neurodiverse Law Students, Plenary Speaker, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, Boise, ID, May 21, 2024.

Meet the Module Building Teams: Civil Procedure Breakout Session, Speaker, AccessLex Building Bar Skills Conference, Philadelphia, PA, Apr. 16, 2024.

Supporting Students on the Way to the NextGen Bar Exam, Moderator, AccessLex Building Bar Skills Conference, Philadelphia, PA, Apr. 16, 2024.

Accommodating Our Students: How to Advocate for Our Accommodated Students with the State Bar Examiners, Speaker, Southwestern and Midwestern Consortiums of Academic Support

Professionals One-Day Workshop, St. Louis, MO, March 8, 2024.

Southwestern and Midwestern Consortiums of Academic Support Professionals One-Day Workshop, Planning Committee Member and Host, St. Louis, MO, March 8, 2024.

Embracing Alternatively Scheduled Students: Unexpected Benefits for Faculty & the Legal Profession, Panel Speaker, Association of American Law Schools 2024 Annual Meeting, Part-Time Division Section Program, Washington, D.C., Jan 3, 2024.

Preparing for the NextGen Bar Exam? Let's Talk!, Panel Speaker, AccessLex Institute Lex Con '23, Chicago, IL, Nov 9, 2023

Integrating NextGen Bar Exam Skills into the Doctrinal Classroom, Panel Speaker, AccessLex Institute Lex Con '23, Chicago, IL, Nov 9, 2023

Planning and Preparing to Submit a Grant Application, Speaker, AccessLex Institute Legal Education Research Symposium '23, Professional Development Workshop, Chicago, IL, Nov 7, 2023

AccessLex Institute Legal Education Research Symposium '23, Planning Committee Member, Chicago, IL, Nov 7, 2023

When Strong Performers Struggle: Interventions and Insights, Panel Speaker, Law School Admission Council Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, June 2, 2023

Summer Bridge Programs: What Does the Data Tell Us About Them?, Panel Speaker, Law School Admission Council Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, June 1, 2023

Bridging the Gap: Creating Successful Bridge Programs for Incoming 1Ls, Speaker, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, Santa Clara, CA, May 23, 2023

Proactive Planning Across the Curriculum for the NextGen Bar Exam, Panel Speaker, Association of American Law Schools 2023 Annual Meeting, Academic Support Section Program, San Diego, CA., Jan 6, 2023

Next Steps for the NextGen Bar Exam, Panel Speaker, AccessLex Institute Lex Con '22, Nashville, TN, November 8, 2022

Growing Pains: Leveraging Your Resources to Grow Your Department's Impact (Even When You are a Department of One), Speaker, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX, May 24, 2022

So, Your State Adopted the UBE..., Speaker, Wayne State University School of Law Faculty Meeting, Online via Wayne State University School of Law, Mar. 8, 2022.

Designing the Law Courses of the Future, Speaker, *Law Teaching Strategies for a New Era: Beyond the Physical Classroom*, Online via University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law, July 22, 2021.

So, Your State Adopted the UBE... How to Transition Your Academic and Bar Prep Programs to the UBE, Speaker, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, Online via American University Washington College of Law, May 25, 2021.

Preparing for the Bar Exam During a Pandemic, Speaker, Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis Program for Law Students, Online – St. Louis, MO, Apr. 20, 2021.

Open Forum with National Uniform Bar Examination (UBE) Experts, Speaker, Duquesne University School of Law Bar Studies Department Open Forum, Online via Duquesne University School of Law, Mar. 26, 2021.

Lessons Learned from Pre-COVID Online Teaching, Organizer and Moderator, ASP Virtual Webinar, Online via Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law, May 1, 2020.

ASP Virtual Webinar Featuring CALI Academic Success Fellowship, Moderator, ASP Virtual Webinar, Online via CALI, Apr. 1, 2020.

Integrating the Multistate Performance Test from Day One, Speaker, 8th Annual Southwestern Consortium of Academic Success Professionals, Lubbock, TX, Mar. 6, 2020.

Integrating the Multistate Performance Test from Day One, Speaker, New England Consortium of Academic Success Professionals, Royalton, VT, Dec. 13, 2019.

How Can We Work Together to Build Successful Lawyers?, Panel Speaker, National Conference of Bar Examiner's *Unpacking the Bar Exam: A Conference for Academic Support Professionals*, Madison, WI, Sept. 18, 2019.

Planting Seeds: Using Academic Support Skill Building and Language Across the Curriculum, Speaker, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, Seattle, WA, May 22, 2019.

Tales From Our Village, Speaker, 7th Annual Southwestern Consortium of Academic Support Professionals, San Antonio, TX, Mar. 8, 2019.

Preparing Your Academic Support Department for the UBE, Speaker, St. Mary's School of Law UBE Transition Boot Camp, San Antonio, TX, Mar. 7, 2019.

Change Ahead: A UBE Survival Guide from an Early Adopter, Speaker, Midwestern Academic Success and Bar Preparation Conference, Chicago, IL, Oct. 12, 2018.

Strategies for Bar Preparation and Success, Panel Speaker, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Conference, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Aug. 6, 2018.

2018 Association of Academic Support Educators National Conference, Host School Representative, St. Louis, MO, May 22–24, 2018.

Does Glucose Gel Reduce NICU Admissions for Neonatal Hypoglycemia?, Poster Co-Presenter with T. Huy and D. Halloran, Academic Pediatric Association Southern Regional Meeting Joint Plenary Poster Session, New Orleans, LA, Feb. 22, 2018.

Opt-Out: A New Model for Academic Support to Increase Participation and Reduce Stigma, Speaker, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, Fort Worth, TX, May 23, 2017.

Free to Be You and Me: Helping Law Students Identify and Embrace Their Personal Learning Styles for Success in Law School and On the Bar Exam, Speaker, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, May 24, 2016.

Building Up to the Bar, Speaker, Central States Legal Writing Conference, St. Louis, MO, Sept. 26, 2015.

Crossing the Bar: Current Character and Fitness Issues in Admission to the Profession, Panel Speaker, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Conference, Amelia Island, FL, Aug. 2, 2014.

The Bar Exam Today, Speaker, Saint Louis University School of Law Faculty Teaching Workshop, St. Louis, MO, Nov. 2013.

LEGAL EDUCATION CONSULTING

Integrated Question Set Modules, Script Writer, Helix Bar Review by AccessLex, February 2025.

- Developed scripts for innovative NextGen-style bar exam modules used by law graduates nationwide.

Tackling the Multistate Performance Test, Instructor, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law, St. Louis, MO, April 5, 2024.

- Led intensive skills-based workshop preparing 3L students for the performance test component of the bar exam.

Study Guides and Practice Questions (Ultimate Law School Prep 2: Law School Jumpstart Module) and *Outlining: Putting It All Together (Ultimate Law School Prep 4: What You Really Need to Know Module)*, Instructor, Law School Admission Council – *Law School Unmasked* Online Course, initially presented online Summer 2022.

- Created foundational learning materials for incoming law students, reaching a national audience through LSAC's online platform.

MEDIA INTERVIEWS

Dolores Tropiano, *Tested tips for taking exams: ASU professor of practice and test-taking expert offers tips for studying for those final exams*, ASU News (April 14, 2025), <https://news.asu.edu/20250414-sun-devil-community-tested-tips-taking-exams>

Jorgensen, R., *Big improvements for Missouri bar takers*, Missouri Lawyers Weekly (Sept. 14, 2023, 1:08 PM), <https://molawyersmedia.com/2023/09/14/big-improvements-for-missouri-bar-takers-list-of-bar-passers/>

Lauck, S., *Pandemic casts long shadow over February bar exam*, Missouri Lawyers Weekly (Apr. 13, 2023, 1:25 PM), <https://molawyersmedia.com/2023/04/13/pandemic-casts-long-shadow-over-february-bar-exam-list-of-bar-passers/>

Lauck, S., *Downward trend: Bar pass rate hits new low*, Missouri Lawyers Weekly (Sept. 17, 2021, 11:19 AM), <https://molawyersmedia.com/2021/09/17/downward-trend-bar-pass-rate-hits-new-low-see-list-of-bar-passers/>

Lewis, C., *Will the competitive nature of law school increase even more?* prelaw (Fall 2021), https://mydigitalpublication.com/publication/frame.php?i=723359&p=&pn=&ver=html5&view=articleBrowser&article_id=4135611

Shumaker, J., *February bar pass rates improve, but remain historically low*, Missouri Lawyers Weekly (Apr. 14, 2021, 2:46 PM), <https://molawyersmedia.com/2021/04/14/february-bar-pass-rates-improve-but-remain-historically-low/>

Stark, C., *Missouri Supreme Court won't allow alternatives to in person bar exam despite coronavirus concerns*, KMOV 10PM Newscast (July 9, 2020)

Breslin, J., *Illinois' adoption of uniform bar exam welcomed by law faculties, students, alumni*, Madison – St. Clair Record (June 15, 2018), <https://madisonrecord.com/stories/511457534-illinois-adoption-of-uniform-bar-exam-welcomed-by-law-faculties-students-alumni>

Martin, C., *Bar passer rate increases*, Missouri Lawyers Weekly (Sept. 14, 2017, 10:06 AM), <https://molawyersmedia.com/2017/09/14/bar-passer-rate-increases/>

Lauck, S., *Breckenridge named Woman of the Year*, Missouri Lawyers Weekly (Mar. 10, 2017, 1:50 PM), <https://molawyersmedia.com/2017/03/10/breckenridge-named-woman-of-the-year/>

Martin, C., *Low bar: A drop in bar scores raises concern*, Missouri Lawyers Weekly (Nov. 24, 2014, 9:38 AM), <https://molawyersmedia.com/2014/11/24/low-bar-a-drop-in-bar-scores-raises-concern/>

LEGAL WORKING GROUPS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, AND BOARDS

Provide national expertise on bar exam preparation, legal education innovation, and technology-enhanced learning.

- **Helix Bar Review by AccessLex** – Advisory Committee, Member (2021 – Present)
- **Center for Computer-Assisted Legal Instruction (CALI)** – Editorial Board, Member (2019 – Present)
- **Law School Admission Council** – Strategic Legal Education Working Group, Member (2022 – 2024)

LICENSES, BAR ADMISSIONS, & PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Law Licenses and Bar Admissions

- Licensed: California, Missouri, District of Columbia (Inactive), Illinois (Inactive)
- Admitted: United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri

Professional Affiliations

- Association of American Law Schools (Academic Support Section; Part-Time Division Programs Section)
- Association of Academic Support Educators (AASE)
- Midwestern Consortium of Academic Support Professionals
- Southwestern Consortium of Academic Support Professionals
- State Bar of California
- State Bar of Missouri

Leadership Roles

Association of American Law Schools

- Part-Time Division Programs Section: Chair (2024); Chair-Elect (2023)

Association of Academic Support Educators (AASE)

- Membership Engagement Committee (formerly Mentoring Committee): Member (2023 – present)
- Programming Committee: Co-Chair (2023–2024; 2016–2017); Member (2022–2023)
- Executive Board: Past President (2020–2021); President (2019–2020); President-Elect (2018–2019); Host School Representative (2017–2018); Host School Representative-Elect (2016–2017)
- AASE National Conference: Host, May 22–24, 2018
- Bar Exam and Advocacy Committee: Member (2013–2016)

Midwestern & Southwestern Consortiums of Academic Support Professionals

- Joint One-Day Workshop: Host and Planning Committee Member (Mar. 8, 2024)

PROFESSIONAL LEGAL EXPERIENCE

United States District Court, Eastern District of Missouri, St. Louis, MO

- Law Clerk, Hon. Audrey G. Fleissig (Jun. 2010 – Jul. 2011)
- Law Clerk, Hon. Rodney W. Sippel (Aug. 2006 – Aug. 2008)

Thompson Coburn LLP, St. Louis, MO

- Associate, Business Litigation (Oct. 2008 – May 2010)

United States Department of State, Office of War Crimes Issues, Washington, DC

- Legal Intern for Ambassador-at-Large Pierre-Richard Prosper (Summer 2005)

EDUCATION

Saint Louis University, St. Louis, MO

- *Master of Public Health, Epidemiology Concentration* (2019)
 - Award for Academic Achievement in Public Health (May 2019)
 - Award for Highest GPA of MPH & MSPH Students (May 2019)
 - Alpha Sigma Nu Honor Society, Inducted Feb. 2018

University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law, Sacramento, CA

- *Juris Doctor, with Distinction* (2006)
 - Chief Managing Editor, *McGeorge Law Review* (2005–2006)
 - Dean's Scholarship for Academic Excellence (2003–2006)
 - Dean's Honor List (Spring 2006)
 - Witkin Awards for Highest Grade in: Health Law; Elder Law and Social Policy; Immigration and Nationality Law

Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD

- *Bachelor of Arts, Natural Sciences Public Health* (2003)
 - Dean's List (Spring 2001, Fall 2002)

COMMUNITY SERVICE AND FUNDRAISING

Vision for Children at Risk, St. Louis, MO

- Board Member (2019 – 2024)

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Memphis, TN

- *St. Jude Magic Under the Stars Gala*, Committee Member, St. Louis, MO (Jun. 18, 2018) — Raised over \$300,000
- *Annual St. Jude Cosmic Rock n' Bowl*, Committee Member, St. Louis, MO (2014 – 2018) — Raised over \$100,000
- *Friends of St. Jude*, Events Chair, St. Louis, MO (2009 – 2013) — Raised over \$25,000
 - Annual Trivia Night (2010 – 2013)
 - Magic of Youth Signature Event (2009 & 2010)
 - Cold Ice, Warm Hearts Family Event (2009)

Phi Alpha Delta, John L. Sullivan Chapter, St. Louis, MO

- Faculty Member (2018 – 2024)

