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EXPERIENCE

Temple University Beasley School of Law

Associate Professor, July 2024 – Present

Courses Taught: Constitutional Law, Evidence, Law of the Police, Sentencing

Penn State Law School

Assistant Professor, July 2020 – June 2024

Courses Taught: Criminal Law, Evidence, Law of the Police

Awards: 2024 Student Bar Association Faculty Equity Award

Federal Community Defender Office for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania

Research & Writing Attorney, Appellate Unit, September 2016 – June 2020

Zuckerman Spaeder LLP

Associate, October 2014 – August 2016

United States District Court for the District of Columbia

Law Clerk to the Honorable James Boasberg, August 2013 – August 2014

United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit

Law Clerk to the Honorable Michael Boudin, June 2012 – June 2013

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School, J.D., *magna cum laude*, May 2012

Harvard Law Review, Notes Chair

Harvard Law and Policy Review, Senior Policy Editor

Freedom Seder Leadership Committee, Black Law Students Association and Jewish Law Students Association

Brown University, B.A., *magna cum laude*, May 2008

The Brown Daily Herald, Opinions Editor

SCHOLARSHIP

The Return of Earned Release (in progress)

Between Prison and Supervision, 78 ALABAMA LAW REVIEW ____ (forthcoming 2026)

- Selected as Runner Up in Junior Scholars Paper Competition – AALS Section on Criminal Procedure (Jan. 2026) (blind review)

Indian Country Supervision, 100 NEW YORK UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW 1148 (2025)

- Selected for Markelloquium, St. John's University School of Law (Jan. 2025)

Terminating Supervision Early, 62 AMERICAN CRIMINAL LAW REVIEW 261 (2025)

Prosecutors in Robes, 77 STANFORD LAW REVIEW 629 (2025)

- Selected for Junior Scholars Public Law Workshop, American Constitution Society, AALS Annual Meeting (Jan. 2024)

Revocation at the Founding, 122 MICHIGAN LAW REVIEW 1381 (2024)

- Selected as Winner of Young Legal Scholars Paper Competition, Federalist Society, 24th Annual Faculty Conference (Jan. 2023)
- Cited by *United States v. Carpenter*, 104 F.4th 655, 657 (7th Cir. 2024)

Criminal Violations, 108 VIRGINIA LAW REVIEW 1817 (2022)

- Cited by *United States v. Schlenker*, 767 F.Supp.3d 1121, 1127 (D.N.M. 2025)

Drug Supervision, 19 OHIO STATE JOURNAL OF CRIMINAL LAW 431 (2022) (peer-reviewed symposium)

- Cited by WAYNE A. LOGAN AND MICHAEL M. O’HEAR, SENTENCING LAW, POLICY, AND PRACTICE: 2025 SUPPLEMENT at 29-30 (2022)

Editor’s Observations: One Nation Under Supervision, 34 FEDERAL SENTENCING REPORTER 269 (2022)

The Judicial Role in Supervision and Reentry, 34 FEDERAL SENTENCING REPORTER 318 (2022)

Revocation and Retribution, 96 WASHINGTON LAW REVIEW 881 (2021)

- Cited by *United States v. Peguero*, 34 F.4th 143, 170, 173, 175 & n.6 (2d Cir. 2022) (Underhill, J., dissenting); *Can Retribution Justify the Revocation of Supervised Release? Courts Disagree*, CONGRESSIONAL RESEARCH SERVICE (Mar. 13, 2023), <https://crsreports.congress.gov/product/pdf/LSB/LSB10929>

Supervised Release Is Not Parole, 53 LOYOLA OF LOS ANGELES LAW REVIEW 587 (2020)

- Cited by *United States v. Peguero*, 34 F.4th 143, 177 (2d Cir. 2022) (Underhill, J., dissenting); *United States v. Ka*, 982 F.3d 219, 225-28 & n.4 (4th Cir. 2020) (Gregory, J., dissenting); *United States v. Schlenker*, 767 F.Supp.3d 1121, 1124 (D.N.M. 2025); *United States v. Degrade*, No. 1:23-cr-20049, 2023 WL 5385398, at *1 n.2 (E.D. Mich. Aug. 22, 2023); *United States v. Rawls*, No. 4:18-cr-49, 2022 WL 2439571, at *3 (E.D. Ark. July 5, 2022); NEIL P. COHEN, THE LAW OF PROBATION AND PAROLE, Introduction § 1:1 (2d ed. 2021); Charles Doyle, *Supervised Release (Parole): An Overview of Federal Law*, CONGRESSIONAL RESEARCH SERVICE (Sept. 28, 2021), <https://sgp.fas.org/crs/misc/RL31653.pdf>

Sentencing Rules and Standards: How We Decide Criminal Punishment, 83 TENNESSEE LAW REVIEW 1 (2015)

Probability and Punishment: How to Improve Sentencing by Taking Account of Probability, 18 NEW CRIMINAL LAW REVIEW 214 (2015) (peer reviewed)

Note, *Indian Canon Originalism*, 126 HARVARD LAW REVIEW 1100 (2013)

- Cited by *State v. Begay*, 495 P.3d 732, 740 (Or. App. 2021)

Beyond Nuremberg: A Critique of “Informed Consent” in Third World Human Subject Research, 25 JOURNAL OF LAW AND HEALTH 123 (2012)

Case Comment, *Fourth Amendment – Exigent Circumstances Exception: Kentucky v. King*, 125 HARVARD LAW REVIEW 211 (2011)

Developments in the Law, *Extraterritoriality: Part VI. Extraterritorial Law and International Norm Internalization*, 124 HARVARD LAW REVIEW 1226, 1280–92 (2011)

- Cited by *Doe v. Exxon Mobil Corp.*, 654 F.3d 11, 78 (D.C. Cir. 2011) (Kavanaugh, J., dissenting); *Sarei v. Rio Tinto, PLC*, 671 F.3d 736, 803 n.30 (9th Cir. 2011) (en banc) (Kleinfeld, J., dissenting)

COMMENTARY

Esteras v. United States Answers Half the Question Presented, SENTENCING MATTERS (June 27, 2025)

It is Time to Reform Federal Supervised Release, AMERICAN CONSTITUTION SOCIETY EXPERT FORUM (with Aliza Hochman Bloom) (Nov. 30, 2022)

- Cited by Erin D. Haney, *Public Comment on USSC Proposed Amendments to Sentencing Guidelines Concerning Supervised Release* at 9, REFORM ALLIANCE (Mar. 3, 2025), <https://www.ussc.gov/sites/default/files/pdf/amendment-process/public-hearings-and-meetings/2025031213/Haney.pdf>

The Secret Success of Federal Probationers, THE CRIME REPORT (Nov. 11, 2021)

- Cited by Paige A. Nichols, *Why your client should get probation*, KANSAS FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDER BLOG, FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDER: DISTRICT OF KANSAS (Nov. 29, 2021), <https://ks.fd.org/blog/2021/11/8508-why-your-client-should-get-probation>

Lori Loughlin, and Thousands of Others Sentenced to Supervised Release, Is Not Getting an Easy Punishment, THE PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER (Aug. 31, 2020)

America's Shadow Criminal Justice System, THE NEW REPUBLIC (May 30, 2018)

- Cited by Marissa Gerhick and Brandon Buskey, *Formal Statement of the American Civil Liberties Union for a Stakeholder Engagement Session on First Step Act Implementation, Submitted to the Department of Justice's Office for Access to Justice* at 5, AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION (Sept. 27, 2022), https://www.aclu.org/wp-content/uploads/document/ACLU_PATTERN_Public_Comment.pdf

Federal Prisons Don't Even Try to Rehabilitate the Undocumented, THE MARSHALL PROJECT (Oct. 17, 2017)

Lawful Use of Deadly Force by the Police: What's Wrong in Ferguson and Elsewhere, THE CHAMPION (May 2015) (with Steven Salky and Keisha N. Stanford)

ADVOCACY

Brief of National Association of Federal Defenders as Amicus Curiae in Support of Petitioner, Rico v. United States, No. 24-1056 (U.S.) (filed Aug. 15, 2025) (lead author)

- Cited by Transcript of Oral Argument at 17, *Rico v. United States*, No. 24-1056 (U.S.) (argued Nov. 3, 2025)

Brief of National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers as Amicus Curiae in Support of Appellant, United States v. Kerr, No. 25-1062 (2d Cir.) (filed Aug. 14, 2025) (co-author)

Public Comment to United States Sentencing Commission on Proposed Amendments to Supervised Release Guidelines (submitted Feb. 25, 2025) (sole author)

Brief of Criminal Law Scholars as Amici Curiae in Support of Petitioners, United States v. Esteras, No. 23-7483 (U.S.) (filed Dec. 16, 2024) (lead author)

Brief of Criminal Law Scholars as Amici Curiae in Support of Petitioner, Carpenter v. United States, No. 24-5594 (U.S.) (filed Sept. 24, 2024) (lead author)

Public Comment to United States Sentencing Commission Recommending Revisions to Supervised Release Sentencing Guidelines (submitted July 15, 2024) (lead author)

Brief of Criminal Law Scholars as Amici Curiae in Support of Appellant, United States v. Carpenter, No. 23-3295 (7th Cir.) (filed Jan. 12, 2024) (lead author)

Brief of Criminal Law Scholars as Amici Curiae in Support of Appellant, United States v. Bowers, No. 23-902 (9th Cir.) (filed Sept. 12, 2023) (lead author)

SERVICE

Temple University

Law School:

Disciplinary Committee (2025-present)

Judicial Clerkship Committee (2024-present)

Federal Judicial Clerkship Clinical Committee (2024-present)

Faculty Advisor to Jewish Law Students Association (2025-present)

Community

Philly Area Law School Junior Faculty Forum (co-founder/organizer, 2025-present)

Pennsylvania State University

Law School:

Faculty Works-In-Progress Committee (2020-2024, Chair 2022-2023)

Career Services Office Assistant Dean Search Committee (Summer 2022)

Faculty Advisor to Criminal Law Society and Jewish Law Students

Association (2022-2024)

College:

Criminal Justice Research Center Hiring Committee for Postdoctoral Scholar in Racial and Ethnic Disparity in Sentencing (Fall 2020)

Faculty Advisor to Penn State Mock Trial Association (2022-2024)

Community:

Inspector of Elections, Precinct 57, Harris Township-West, Centre County (elected 2021-2025 term)

SELECTED PANELS AND PRESENTATIONS

Revocation at the Founding, Applied Originalism Seminar, University of Florida Levin College of Law (Mar. 2026)

Between Prison and Supervision, Criminal Procedure Works-in-Progress Panel, AALS Annual Meeting (Jan. 2026)

Rico v. United States, A Seat at the Sitting: The November Docket, Federalist Society (Oct. 2025)

Carceral Systems, Punishment, and Justice Reform, Mid-Atlantic Law & Society

Conference, Ramapo College of New Jersey (Oct. 2025)

Indian Country Supervision, AALS Criminal Procedure Junior Scholars Virtual Conference (Sept. 2025)

Basics of Federal Community Supervision, CJA Panel Training Seminar, Federal Community Defender Office for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania (May 2025)

Preserving the Rule of Law, Making Sense of the Headlines, Temple University Beasley School of Law (Apr. 2025)

Indian Country Supervision, Markelloquium, St. John's University School of Law (Jan. 2025)

Supervised Release Roundtable, United States Sentencing Commission (Nov. 2024)

Survivor Wisdom: Arendt and Frankl, Chabad of Penn State, Pennsylvania State University (Mar. 2024)

Prosecutors in Robes, Junior Scholars Public Law Workshop, American Constitution Society, AALS Annual Meeting (Jan. 2024)

Litigation Convening, Columbia University Justice Lab, Probation & Parole Reform Project (Sept. 2023)

United States v. Medical Marijuana, Art After Hours, Palmer Museum of Art, Pennsylvania State University (Apr. 2023)

Legal Perspectives on Community Supervision, Parole Field Services Hearing Division Conference, Pennsylvania Department of Corrections (Apr. 2023)

Revocation at the Founding, Young Legal Scholars Paper Competition, Federalist Society, 24th Annual Faculty Conference (Jan. 2023)

Law School Tricks (and Treats), 2022 Academic Leadership Retreat, Mid-Atlantic Black Law Students Association, Penn State Law School (Oct. 2022)

Holocaust Remembrance Day, Jewish Law Students Association, Penn State Law School (Jan. 2022)

Drug Supervision, Understanding Drug Sentencing Symposium, Drug Enforcement and Policy Center, The Ohio State University Moritz College of Law (June 2021)

The Law of Mass Supervision, Criminology Forum, Criminal Justice Research Center, Penn State College of the Liberal Arts (Dec. 2020)

BAR ADMISSIONS

Federal: Supreme Court, Courts of Appeals for the Third, Seventh, and Ninth Circuits, District Courts for the District of Columbia and Eastern District of Pennsylvania

State: New York, Pennsylvania (inactive)