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EDUCATION

Columbia Law School

J.D., May 1998.

Honors: Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar, Human Rights Fellowship

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

B.S., Biology; B.S., Program in Science, Technology & Society, June 1994.

Honors: Bruchard Scholar Program

Activities: MIT Symphony, Chamber Music Society (violoncello)

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Temple University Beasley School of Law, Philadelphia, PA

Associate Professor of Law (2020 to present)

Associate Clinical Professor of Law (2018 to 2020)

Assistant Clinical Professor of Law (2013 to 2018)

Co-Legal Director of the Sheller Center for Social Justice (2013 to present)

Teach Social Justice Lawyering Seminar and Clinic. Supervise student teams who represent low-wage workers in wage theft cases and organizations engaged in labor, immigration, civil rights, and other advocacy impacting low-income individuals. The clinic focuses on teaching diverse advocacy approaches including traditional litigation, legislative reform, policy analysis, or community education. Some sample clinic projects include: addressing wage theft, language access in the court system, and family migrant detention. Supervise students in the school-designed practicums for the Employment Advocacy Project, Department of Labor, and NLG Expungement Project.

Committee Service: Clinical (2013-present); Public Interest (2013-present); Executive Committee (2020-present); Faculty Search (2020-present); Faculty Career Services (2016-17); Futures (2015-2018); Colloquium (fall 2017, 2019-2020); Sheller Center Ad-Hoc (2014-15, 2018-19); Administrative (fall 2017, 2018-2019); and Dean Search (2016-17).

Instituto de Investigaciones Jurídicas, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, México City, MX

García-Robles Fulbright Scholar (spring 2018)

Worked with Centro de los Derechos del Migrante on a project to address discrimination based on gender and age against Mexican workers coming to the US on temporary worker visa programs. Conducted a comparative law project on family detention policies and practices in the US and Mexico. Co-organized a conference bringing together scholars and advocates from the US and Mexico entitled, *El Futuro del Trabajo en Contextos de Migración: Repensando los Programas de Trabajadores Temporales desde una Perspectiva de Derechos Humanos (The Future of Work in the Context of Migration: Rethinking the Temporary Labor Programs from a Human Rights Perspective)*.

University of North Carolina School of Law, Chapel Hill, NC

Visiting Assistant Clinical Professor (2002 to 2003)

Taught students in the Civil Legal Assistance Clinic representing clients in housing, unemployment, disability, and immigration cases.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Colorado Legal Services, Migrant Farm Worker Division, Denver, CO

Managing Attorney (2006 to 2013)

Represented migrant farm workers in cases related to wages, working conditions, discrimination, housing, benefits, human trafficking, and immigration. Participated in coalitions that conduct policy advocacy on behalf of immigrants and low-wage workers. Managed projects related to human trafficking, shepherders, discrimination, and environmental justice.

American Civil Liberties Union of Colorado, Denver, CO

Staff Attorney (2005 to 2006)

Litigated cases involving free speech, immigrant, and prisoners' rights issues. Conducted community education on civil rights issues.

Legal Aid of North Carolina, Farmworker Unit, Raleigh, NC

Staff Attorney & Clifton Everett Fellow (2001 to 2002 and 2003 to 2005)

Represented migrant farm workers in cases related to wages, working conditions, housing, benefits, and discrimination. Created a specialized project serving immigrant victims of domestic violence in immigration cases.

South Brooklyn Legal Services, Brooklyn, NY

Staff Attorney, Housing Law Unit (1999 to 2001)

Represented low-income clients in eviction proceedings and participated in litigation involving Section 8 Housing Assistance. Conducted trainings on tenants' rights with community groups.

JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP

Honorable Franklin Van Antwerpen, U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania

Judicial Clerk (1998 to 1999)

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Publications

Legalizing Undocumented Work, 41 CARDOZO L. REV. (forthcoming 2021).

The Detention of Migrant Children: A Comparative Study of the United States and Mexico (with Elisa Ortega Velázquez), 32 INT'L J. REFUGEE L. 227 (2020) (peer reviewed).

Operationalizing Language Access Rights for Limited English Proficient Taxpayers, 91 TEMPLE L. REV. 775 (2019) (invited symposium essay).

Regulating Wage Theft, 94 WASH. L. REV. 759 (2019) (with Annie Smith) (reviewed in [JOTWELL](#)).

Redefining the Legality of Undocumented Work, 106 CAL. L. REV. 1617 (2018).

U.S. Workers Need Not Apply: Challenging Low-Wage Guest Worker Programs, 28 STAN. L. & POL'Y REV. 1 (2017).

Outsiders Looking In: Advancing the Immigrant Worker Movement through Strategic Mainstreaming, 2014 UTAH L. REV. 1063 (2014) (reviewed in [JOTWELL](#)).

Private Civil Remedies: A Viable Tool for Guest Worker Empowerment, 46 LOYOLA L.A. L. REV. 31 (2012).

Other Publications

La Paradoja Legal de los Trabajadores Indocumentados en los Estados Unidos in PERSPECTIVAS JURÍDICAS DE LAS MIGRACIONES INTERNACIONALES: ABORDAJES TEÓRICO Y METODOLÓGICOS CONTEMPORÁNEOS (Luiciana Gandini ed., forthcoming 2020).

Op-Ed, *Pennsylvania Can Shut Down Detention of Migrant Children at Berks*, PHILA. INQUIRER (Jul. 23, 2019).

The Shepherd Project: Devising Systemic Change for Marginalized Workers, 45 CLEARINGHOUSE REV. 472 (Mar.-Apr. 2012).

OVERWORKED AND UNDERPAID: H-2A HERDERS IN COLORADO (with K. Endres) (2010).

Letter to the Editor, *Latino Health in North Carolina*, 65 N.C. MED. J. 179 (2004).

Note, *The Internet and First Amendment Values: Reno v. ACLU and the Democratization of Speech in the Marketplace of Ideas*, 22 COLUM.-VLA J. L. & ARTS 61 (1998) (winner Santa Clara Computer & High Technology Journal student writing contest).

SELECT PRESENTATIONS

Exploring Immigrant Justice from Intersectional Perspectives, panelist, AALS Annual Meeting, Washington DC, Jan 2020.

Race and Racism in Food and Agriculture, panelist, AALS Annual Meeting, Washington DC, Jan 2020.

Immigrant Detention Centers: Family Confinement and the Law, moderator, American Constitution Society, Philadelphia, November 2019.

Teaching about Racial and Economic Justice in the Age of Trump, panelist, Fourth National People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference, American University, Washington College of Law, March 2019 and AALS Clinical Conference, San Francisco, May 2019.

Immigration Law, Trainer, Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Court's Judicial Education Program for Common Pleas Judges, Widener University Commonwealth School of Law, April 2019.

Disruptive Systems Affecting Food System Workers, panelist, Food & Our Changing Climate: A Conference Integrating Science & Law, University of Connecticut Law School, April 2019.

Bans and Barriers: The Human Toll of US immigration Policies, panelist, Liberty and Justice Conference, Kline Institute of Trial Advocacy, Drexel Law School, February 2019.

Los Programas de Trabajadores Migrantes Temporales: Antecedentes y Estructura (The Temporary Worker Programs: History and Structure), panelist, The Future of Work in the Context of Migration: Rethinking the Temporary Labor Programs from a Human Rights Perspective, Instituto de Investigaciones Jurídicas, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, June 2018.

La Paradoja Legal de los Trabajadores Indocumentados en los Estados Unidos (The Legal Paradox of Undocumented Workers in the United States), Programa de Apoyo a Proyectos de Investigación e Innovación Tecnológica (PAPIIT) on Legal Perspectives on International Migration, Instituto de Investigaciones Jurídicas, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, June 2018.

Opening Plenary for Clinical Workshop: Immigration Law Clinics in a Time of Crisis, moderator, Immigration Law Scholars and Teachers Workshop, Drexel University School of Law, May 2018.

Tax Effects of the DACA Repeal on Immigrant Families & ITIN Renewal: Due Process and Language Issues, panelist, ABA Tax Section 2018 Mid-Year Meeting, San Diego, California, February 2018.

Executive Orders and DACA: Dreamers and the Constitutional Limits on Executive Authority, panelist, the American Constitution Society, Philadelphia Chapter, October, 2017.

The Fourth Amendment (Sanctuary) City: Legal Implications, panelist, National Asian Pacific American Bar Association Northeast Regional Conference, Drexel University Kline School of Law, September, 2017.

How the U.S.-México Migration Debate Shapes the Lived Experiences of Migrants from the Global South, panelist, Law & Society Association Annual Meeting, Mexico City, Mexico, June 2017.

Legalizing Undocumented Work, Emerging Immigration Law Scholars Conference, Texas A&M University School of Law, Fort Worth, TX, May 2017.

Advocacy on Behalf of Communities in Light of Post-Election Needs, panelist, 2017 AALS Conference on Clinical Legal Education, Denver, CO, April 2017.

Rights and Resources, panelist, Statewide Teach-In: Immigrants' Rights, Penn State (simulcast at Penn Law), Pittsburgh and Philadelphia, PA, January 2017.

Teaching Movement Lawyering, panelist, Society of American Law Teachers Teaching Conference, John Marshall School of Law, September 2017.

Opening Plenary: Community Lawyering in Philadelphia: Exploring the Role of Lawyers in Building Stronger Movements for Social Change, panelist, Public Interest Law Day, Philadelphia Bar Association, Philadelphia, PA, December 2016.

The Politics of Respectability and Immigrants, roundtable panelist, Law & Society Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, June 2016.

Reimagining Advocacy: Adapting Clinical Models to Meet Community Needs, panelist, AALS Conference on Clinical Legal Education, Baltimore, MD, May 2016.

U.S. Workers Need Not Apply: Challenging the Low-Wage Guest Worker Programs, Faculty Colloquium, University of Richmond School of Law, February 2016.

Community Projects in Law School Clinics, co-panelist, Delaware Valley Clinicians, Kline School of Law, Drexel University, February 2016

On the Front Lines: The Impact of Immigration Policies on Latino/a Communities, Office of Institutional Diversity, Equity, Advocacy and Leadership (IDEAL), Temple University, September 2015.

Guest Worker Programs Transform Cultural Myth into a Self-Fulfilling Prophecy, Distinguished Faculty Lecture Series, Center for Humanities at Temple, Temple University, September 2015.

Protecting Workers' Wages, panelist, AFL-CIO Roundtable, Philadelphia, PA, July 2015.

Scholar as Activist and the Activist as Scholar: Connecting Academic Scholarship to Social Justice, panelist, 2015 CHAT Graduate Fellows Conference, Center for the Humanities at Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, March 2015.

Immigration Reform 2014: Potential Impact on Regional Agriculture, panelist, Vermont Law School, South Royalton, VT, March 2014.

New Movements and New Models in Immigration, panelist, LatCrit 2013 Biennial Conference, Chicago, IL, October 2013.

Discovery Problems Related to Trafficking Victims, panelist, National Farmworker Law Conference, National Legal Aid and Defender Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, November 2012.

LSC Act Opportunities and Constraints, panelist, National Farmworker Law Conference, National Legal Aid and Defender Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, November 2012.

Immigration Panel, panelist, Revisiting NAFTA 20 Years Later, Joseph Korbel School of International Studies, University of Denver, Denver, CO, May 2012.

Labor Trafficking of Immigrants in America, panelist, Four Corners Conference: A Multi-Disciplinary Approach to Immigration, Mesa State University, Grand Junction, CO, October 2009.

AWARDS

AALS' Minority Section Derrick Bell Award (2020)

Fulbright-García Robles Grant - U.S. Scholar (2018)

Crystal Eastman Award, Philaposh (2016)

Legislative Campaign Appreciation Award, Colorado Wage Theft Task Force (2013)

Cesar Chavez Organizational Leadership Award (Migrant Farm Worker Division), Cesar Chavez Peace & Justice Comm. of Denver (2010)

Paul & Sheila Wellstone Award (co-awardee), Freedom Network (2008)

BAR ADMISSIONS

Pennsylvania, New York, North Carolina (inactive), Colorado (resigned)

SERVICE

Board Member, Clinical Law Review (term to begin in 2020)

Advisory Board, Center on Immigration, Cabrini University (2019 to present)

Policy Comm., Marutani Fellowship Comm., PA Asian Pacific American Bar Ass'n (2017 to present)

Support Comm., Philadelphia Workers' Ass'n Cooperative (2017 to present)

Board Member, Community Justice Project (2015 to present)

President, Justice at Work (board member from 2014 to present)

Treasurer, Rights for All People/Derechos Para Todos (2010-2013)

Appointed by Governor to Advisory Comm. on Colorado's Agricultural Worker Pilot Program (2008)

Member, Legislative Comm., ACLU of Colorado (2006-2008)