

ABRAMS, JAMIE R.
CURRICULUM VITAE

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American University Washington College of Law, Washington, DC

Professor of Law, July 2022 – Present

- Teach Torts, Family Law, and Legal Research & Writing courses
- Led the Legal Rhetoric Program, which delivers first-year Legal Research and Writing courses to all 1Ls, through technological modernizations, curricular revisions and credit hour expansion (2022-2024)

University of Louisville Louis D. Brandeis School of Law, Louisville, KY

Professor of Law, July 2012 – June 2022

Associate Dean for Intellectual Life, July 2018 – July 2020

Co-Founder and Co-Director of Human Rights Advocacy Program, 2014 – 2017

- Taught Torts, Family Law, Legislation, and Gender and the Law courses
- Led Human Rights Advocacy Program researching language access, educational access, health care access, and media rhetoric impacting the immigrant and refugee community
- Served on campus-wide Advisory Board of Delphi Center for Teaching and Learning

Visitor Appointments:

- **University of Baltimore School of Law**, Baltimore, MD (2020-2021). Taught Family Law, Torts/Intro to Lawyering Skills, Rules & Reasoning: State Regulation of the Family
- **Georgetown University Law Center**, Washington, DC (2017–2018). Taught Legal Practice: Writing and Analysis; Law Fellow Seminar, Family Law II: Parent, Child, and State
- **University of Turku School of Law**, Turku, Finland (November 2014, March 2020). Taught State Regulation of the Family
- **University of Leeds School of Law**, Leeds, England (June 2016). Visiting Scholar.

Teaching Awards and Recognitions:

- Blackboard Catalyst Award for Innovations in Teaching & Learning (2021)
- University of Louisville Brandeis School of Law Graduation Hooding Professor (student-selected recognition, 2022, 2021, 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015)
- “Exemplary Project” award from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation & C. Peter Magrath Community Engagement Scholarship Awards for Human Rights Advocacy Program (2017)
- Teacher of the Year Award (Louisville Law, 2016)
- Presidential Exemplary Multicultural Law Teaching Award (University of Louisville, 2014)
- LGBT Faculty Ally award nominee (University of Louisville, 2014)
- “Faculty Favorite” recognition (University of Louisville, numerous semesters)

Hofstra University, Maurice A. Deane School of Law, Hempstead, NY

Visiting Faculty, August 2010 – June 2012

- Taught Family Law, Legal Writing, and Appellate Advocacy courses

American University Washington College of Law, Washington, DC

Instructor; Research Coordinator, August 2007 – July 2010

- Taught Sex-Based Discrimination, Legal Rhetoric I, Legal Rhetoric II
- Implemented an integrated curriculum grant by designing and spearheading an experimental learning simulation for all 1L courses
- Co-Recipient of the “Innovations in Teaching Award” for integrated curriculum project

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- Designed a legal writing curriculum for Lawyer Re-Entry Program assisting experienced women attorneys returning to the job market
- Coordinated WCL's legal research curriculum and assessment materials for 400+ 1Ls

LEGAL PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP, Washington, DC

Litigation Associate, May 2004 – July 2007

- Managed nationwide class action and individual claims involving accounting malpractice and breach of contract claims in federal and state courts
- Briefed issues of implied congressional intent under the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and constitutional standing before the DC Circuit Court of Appeals
- Drafted summons responses and correspondence with state regulators, developed global legal defense strategy, monitored legislative developments, and conducted witness interviews for a large accounting firm
- Represented *pro bono* domestic violence survivors litigating civil protection orders and immigrant women seeking U visas, battered spouse waivers, VAWA relief, and asylum

Beveridge & Diamond, P.C., Washington, DC

Litigation Associate, Summer 2001, September 2002 – May 2004

- Defended clients in a corporate accounting investigation, government employees charged with misconduct, and a Fortune 100 company undergoing internal environmental compliance
- Represented corporate clients and task forces holding pesticide registrations and data rights by submitting written petitions and assisting with negotiations to defend data rights

EDUCATION

Columbia University Law School, New York, NY

LL.M., James Kent Scholar (highest academic honors), May 2011

- Course work emphasis in gender and sexuality law; writing projects focused on the tort claims of birthing women and the constitutional implications of masculinized citizenship

American University Washington College of Law, Washington, DC

J.D., *Summa Cum Laude* (top 3% of class), May 2002

- Mussey-Gillett Fellowship for academic merit and community involvement
- Dean's Highest-Grade Certificate in Torts
- *American University International Law Review* – Notes and Comments Editor
- Research assistant to Professor James Salzman and contributions acknowledged in HUNTER, SALZMAN, ZAELEKE, INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND POLICY (2d. ed. 2002)

Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

B.A. in Criminal Justice and Political Science, Cum Laude, May 1999

- Phi Beta Kappa; Golden Key National Honor Society; Blue Key National Honor Society; and Alpha Phi Sigma National Criminal Justice Honor Society
- Student Body Vice President (elected)
- Faculty Award for scholastic excellence; McKaig Stanton Award for student leadership

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LEGAL SCHOLARSHIP

BOOKS

- FAMILY LAW SIMULATIONS: BRIDGE TO PRACTICE SERIES (2026, 2d. ed. West Academic) (co-author Jessica Dixon Weaver, Keeshea Turner Roberts).
- TORTS IN A NUTSHELL (8th ed.) (forthcoming 2026 West Academic) (co-authors Angi Porter and Edward J. Kionka).
- FAMILY LAW: BLACK LETTER OUTLINES (5th ed.) (forthcoming 2027 West Academic) (co-authors Aníbal Rosario Lebrón and Shannon Roddy).
- GENDER AND THE LAW (2025 ed.) (co-editor Aníbal Rosario Lebrón).
- TORTS: BLACK LETTER OUTLINES (6th ed.) (2025 West Academic) (co-authors Angi Porter and Edward J. Kionka).
- GENDER AND THE LAW (2024 ed.) (co-editors Daniela Kraiem & Aníbal Rosario Lebrón) (2024).
- INCLUSIVE SOCRATIC TEACHING: WHY LAW SCHOOLS NEED IT AND HOW TO ACHIEVE IT (2024 Univ. of Calif. Press).
- GENDER AND THE LAW (2023 ed.) (co-editors Daniela Kraiem & Aníbal Rosario Lebrón) (2023).
- KRAUSE, ELROD, OLDHAM, AND ABRAMS, FAMILY LAW: CASES, COMMENTS, AND QUESTIONS (2023 West Academic).
- WOMEN AND THE LAW (2022 ed.) (co-editors Daniela Kraiem & Aníbal Rosario Lebrón).
- TORT LAW SIMULATIONS: BRIDGE TO PRACTICE SERIES (2020 West Academic).

BOOK CHAPTERS

- Feminist Pedagogy in Law Schools, in THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF FEMINISM AND LAW IN THE UNITED STATES (Oxford University Press, Martha Chamallas, Verna Williams, and Deborah Brakke eds. 2023).
- Liability in Reproduction and Birth, in LAWS OF MEDICINE – CORE LEGAL ASPECTS FOR THE HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL (Springer Publishing 2022).
- *Commentary on Tarasoff v. California Board of Regents*, in FEMINIST JUDGMENTS – TORTS (Martha Chamallas and Lucinda Findley eds. 2020).
- *The Deconstructed Issue-Spotting Exam*, 68 J. LEGAL EDUC. 194 (Winter 2019) *reprinted in* TAMMY PETTINATO OLTZ, ED., LAWYERING SKILLS IN THE DOCTRINAL CLASSROOM (2020).
- *Commentary on Simeone v. Simeone*, in FEMINIST JUDGMENTS – FAMILY LAW (R. Rebouché ed. 2020).
- *Is Domestic Violence Politicized Too Narrowly?* THE POLITICIZATION OF SAFETY (Jane Stoevers ed., N.Y.U. Press 2019).
- KENTUCKY TORTS PRACTICE SERIES (Supp. 2018) (Supp. 2017) (Supp. 2016) (Supp. 2015).
- *Historical Commentary on Rostker v. Goldberg*, in FEMINIST JUDGMENTS (K. Stanchi, L. Berger, and B. Crawford eds. 2016).
- *Migrating and Mutating Masculinities in Institutional Law Reforms*, in EXPLORING MASCULINITIES: FEMINIST LEGAL THEORY REFLECTIONS, 145 (M. Fineman & M. Thomson eds. 2013).

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LAW REVIEWS AND JOURNALS

- *Reining in Runaway Recruiting*, __ COLUMBIA L. REV. FORUM __ (forthcoming 2026) (co-author Cecilia Silver).
- *Legal Representation Deserts Compound a Post-Dobbs Standard of Care Crisis*, 49 NYU J. LAW & SOC. CHANGE __ (2026).
- *Situating Stillbirth Within a Reproductive Justice Methodology Amidst Perilous Politics*, 79 VAND. L. REV. EN BANC 1 (2026) (Book Review of JILL WIEBER LENS, STILLBIRTH AND THE LAW (2026)).
- *A Reflective Case Study of Leadership Models in the Fight for Abortion Access*, 16 ConLawNow 241 (2025).
- *The Rhetoric of Abortion in Amicus Briefs*, 89 MISSOURI L. REV. 399 (2024) (co-author Dr. Amanda Potts).
- *Reevaluating Regional Law Reform Strategies After Dobbs*, 14 CONLAWNOW 131 (2023).
- *Cultivating Student Voices Inclusively to Prepare More Practice-Ready Graduates*, 2022 FAM. CT. REV. 1-17.
- *Legal Education's Curricular Tipping Point*, 49 HOFSTRA L. REV. 897 (2021).
- *The Imperatives of Supporting New Scholarly Voices*, 69 J. LEGAL EDUC. 826 (2021) (reviewing ELIZABETH BERENGUER, THE LEGAL SCHOLAR'S GUIDEBOOK (Wolters Kluwer 2020)).
- *Unmasking the Nineteenth Amendment Centennial Through the Pandemic Lenses of Liberty, Loss, Masculinity, and Leadership*, 51 UNIV. BALT. L. REV. 1 (2021).
- *The Language of Harm: What the Nassar Victim Impact Statements Reveal About Abuse and Accountability*, 82 UNIV. PITTSBURGH L. REV. 1 (2020) (co-author Amanda Potts).
- *Why the Legal Strategy of Exploiting Immigrant Families Should Worry Us All*, 14 HARVARD LAW & POL'Y REV. 101 (2020).
- *The Myth of Enforcing Borders Versus Enforcing Dominant Masculinities*, 56 CAL. WESTERN L. REV. 69 (2020) (Border Myths Symposium).
- *Citizen Soldiers and the Foundational Fusion of Masculinity, Citizenship, and Military Service*, 11 CONLAWNOW 75 (2020) (co-authored with Nickole Durbin).
- *The Deconstructed Issue-Spotting Exam*, 68 J. LEGAL EDUC. 194 (Winter 2019).
- *The #MeToo Movement: A Feminist Invitation to Critique the Crisis Framing of Sexual Assault Responses*, 52 U. RICHMOND L. REV. 749 (2018).
- *Experiential Learning in the Era of Donald Trump*, 55 DUQUESNE L. REV. 75 (2017).
- *The Polarization of Reproductive Decision-Making and Parental Decision-Making*, 44 FLORIDA STATE L. REV. 1 (2017).
- *The Feminist Case for Acknowledging Women's Acts of Violence*, 27 YALE J. LAW & FEMINISM 101 (2016).
- *Debunking the Myth of Universal Male Privilege*, 49 MICHIGAN J. L. REFORM 303 (2016).
- *The Illusion of Autonomy in Women's Medical Decision-Making*, 42 FLORIDA STATE L. REV. 17 (2015).
- *Reframing the Socratic Method*, 64 J. LEGAL EDUC. 562 (2015).
- *Distorted and Diminished Tort Claims for Women*, 34 CARDOZO L. REV. 1955 (2013).
- *Enforcing Masculinities at the Borders*, 13 NEVADA L. J. 101 (2013).

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- *From Barbarity to Regularity: A Comparative Case Study of “Unnecesarean” Malpractice Claims*, 63 SOUTH CAROLINA L. REV. 191 (2011).
- *Examining Entrenched Masculinities Within the Republican Government Tradition*, 114 WEST VIRGINIA L. REV. 165 (2011).
- *The Dual Purposes of the U Visa Thwarted in a Legislative Duel*, 19 ST. LOUIS UNIV. PUB. L. REV. 373 (2010).
- *A Synergistic Pedagogical Approach to First-Year Teaching*, 48 DUQ. L. REV. 423 (2010).
- *The Collateral Consequences of Masculinizing Violence*, 16 WILLIAM & MARY J. WOMEN & L. 703 (2010).
- *Banding Together: Reflections on the Role of the Women’s Bar Association of the District of Columbia and the Washington College of Law in Promoting Women’s Rights*, 4 MOD. AMER. 2 (Fall 2008) (co-author Daniela Kraiem).
- *Legal Protections for an Invisible Population: An Eligibility and Impact Analysis of U Visa Protections for Immigrant Victims of Domestic Violence*, 4 MOD. AMER. 1 (Spring 2008).

AMICUS BRIEFS

- Co-author to “Brief of Birth Rights Bar Association as Amicus Curiae in Support of Appellants Jane Doe and John Doe, *Does v. Kachru*, No. A168669 (Cal. App. 1st) (2024).
- Signatory to “Brief of a Former Federal Judge, *Fair and Just Prosecution*, 17 Law Professors, and 4 Domestic Violence Researchers and Advocates as *Amici Curiae* in support of Petitioner” in *Andrew v. White* (U.S. Supreme Court) (amicus brief covered by the N.Y. Times [here](#)).
- Signatory to “Brief of *Amici Curiae* Biomedical Ethics and Public Health Scholars in Support of Plaintiffs-Appellees and Affirmance” in *Brandt v. Rutledge* (Eighth Circuit).
- Signatory to “*Amici Curiae* Brief of 547 Deans, Chairs, Scholars and Public Health Professionals, the American Public Health Association, the Guttmacher Institute, and the Center for U.S. Policy, in Support of Respondents” in *Dobbs v. Jackson Women’s Health Organization* (U.S. Supreme Ct.).
- Signatory to “Brief for Constitutional Law Scholars as *Amici Curiae* in Support of Plaintiffs-Appellees and Affirmance” in *Preterm-Cleveland, et. al. v. Amy Acton* (6th Cir. 2020).
- Signatory to “Brief for Amici Curiae Constitutional Law Scholars” in *Little Rock Family Planning Services, et al v. Rutledge, et al.* (8th Cir. 2020) (arguing that abortion bans in Mississippi and Arkansas are contrary to controlling Supreme Court precedent).
- Signatory to “Brief for Amici Curiae Family Law Professors in Support of Appellees” in *Dvash-Banks v. U.S. Dep’t of State* (C. Dist. CA 2019) (explaining that family law rules governing legal parentage in the United States are not solely based on biological relationships).
- Signatory to “Brief of Constitutional Law Schols as *Amici Curiae* in support of Appellees and Affirmance” in *Jackson Women’s Health Organization v. Dobbs* (5th Cir. 2019).
- Signatory to “Brief for Amici Curiae Torts Scholars in *June Medical Services LLC* (U.S. Supreme Ct. 2019) (arguing that factual causation principles were misapplied).
- Signatory to “Brief of *Amicus Curiae* by Thirty-Two Family Law Professors in Support of Petitioner” in *V.L. v. E.L.* (U.S. Supreme Court 2015) (arguing that Alabama’s refusal to recognize a Georgia adoption of a same sex couple undermines the finality of adoption judgments and jeopardizes the stability of adoptive families).

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- Signatory to “Brief of Maryland Family Law Professors and Additional Family Law Professors as *Amicus Curiae*” in *Conover v. Conover* (Md. Ct. App. 2015) (arguing for the parental status of a child born to a woman’s same sex partner from an anonymous donor).
- Co-author and supervisor of amicus brief filed in *Courier-Journal v. Cabinet for Health and Family Services* challenging the Cabinet’s compliance with child abuse fatality and near-fatality transparency requirements.
- Researching and drafting support provided in 6th Circuit marriage appeal of *Bourke v. Beshear* (KY); *DeBoer v. Snyder* (MI); *Tanco v. Haslam* (TN) (2014). Brief filed with family law scholars arguing that marriage equality is consistent with longstanding family law doctrine accepting non-biological forms of parentage and abandoning sex-based distinctions.
- Signatory to amicus brief filed in *Hollingsworth v. Perry*, 133 S. Ct. 2652 (2013) with other family law and constitutional scholars arguing that the Court should also strike down the ban on same sex marriage because marriage is a fundamental right.
- Signatory to amicus brief in *Morgan v. Getter*, Case No. 2013-SC-000196-DE (2013). Brief filed with other KY professors of family law and children’s law arguing for an advocate-as-attorney interpretation of Guardian Ad Litem roles.

WHITE PAPERS

- *Noncitizen and Refugee Services in Kentucky*, Brandeis Human Rights Advocacy Program (2015).
- *Creating Pathways to Success for All*, Chair of Reporter’s Committee for the WBA Initiative on the Advancement and Retention of Women of Color (May 2008).
- *Creating Pathways to Success*, Reporter’s Committee for the WBA Initiative on the Advancement and Retention of Women (2006), available at <http://www.wbadc.org>.

ENCYCLOPEDIAS

- *Sexual Assault in Athletics: Larry Nassar Case* IN SAGE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF CRIME AND GENDER (ed. Janet P. Stamatel (forthcoming 2025)).
- Contributor to MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE IN AMERICA: ISSUES, TRENDS, AND CONTROVERSIES, Entry on Child Support Calculations (ABC-CLIO forthcoming 2021) (co-author Nickole Durbin).
- Contributor to ENCYCLOPEDIA OF IMMIGRANT HEALTH, Entry on U Visa (Springer Science+Business Media 2012).

LEGAL NEWS PUBLICATIONS

- *Big Law’s Manufactured “Arms Race” for Talent Recruitment Harms Us All*, ABA J. (June 2025).
- “Stabilizing Legal Systems Through Teaching Foundational Legal Skills Domestically and Abroad,” AALS Section on Legal Research and Writing Newsletter (Spring 2025) (micro-essay co-authored with Elizabeth Keith in response to the theme "Impact. Excellence. Resilience. The Enduring Contributions of Legal Education").
- *The Increasing Complexity of Defamation Law in #MeToo Era Lawsuits*, LOUISVILLE BAR ASSOCIATION BAR BRIEFS (June 2021).
- *The Complexities of Effective Legal Responses to Intimate Partner Violence During Pregnancy*, LOUISVILLE BAR ASSOCIATION BAR BRIEFS (July 2018).

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- *Modern Challenges for Military Families Require New Legal Solutions*, LOUISVILLE BAR ASSOCIATION BAR BRIEFS (July 2013).
- *The Federal Employees Paid Parental Leave Act of 2009 “Benefits” Women and Families*, WBA RAISING THE BAR (Spring 2009).

SELECT MEDIA APPEARANCES

- Opinion, [*Kentucky Must Break the Haunting Silence Around Child Sexual Abuse*](#), COURIER J. Jan. 23, 2025.
- [*Pregnant Workers Fairness Act*](#), NBC News Now (April 25, 2024).
- [*Dobbs Decision One Year Later*](#), Fox 5 DC, In the Courts with Katie Barlow (June 26, 2023).
- [*What Alex Jones’ \\$50 million fine means for others profiting off disinformation*](#), NBC Nightly News with Lester Holt, August 6, 2022.
- [*Alex Jones Ordered to Pay \\$45 Million in Punitive Damages*](#), Bloomberg Law, August 5, 2022.
- [*What the end of Roe means for cancer patients like me*](#), NBC News, Opinion, July 7, 2022.
- [*The State of Abortion in KY. Here’s where things stand*](#), LEO Weekly, July 6, 2022.
- [*Kentucky doctors consider patient care following the Supreme Court’s abortion ruling*](#), N.P.R., June 27, 2022.
- [*Jury rules actors Johnny Depp and Amber Heard defamed each other*](#), WASH. POST, June 1, 2022.
- [*‘The world is watching’: Depp-Heard jury faces a difficult task*](#), WASH. POST, May 31, 2022.
- [*Depp-Heard jury will begin deliberations Tuesday*](#), WASH. POST, May 27, 2022.
- [*Inside the key allegations in the Johnny Depp-Amber Heard Trial*](#), NBC NEWS, May 26, 2022.
- [*What to know as the Depp-Heard trials wraps up this week*](#), WASH. POST, May 25, 2022.
- [*Amber Heard’s legal team to put Johnny Depp back on the stand*](#), NBC’S TODAY SHOW, May 23, 2022.
- [*Johnny Depp/Amber Heard: un risque que les procès en diffamation sapent #MeToo*](#), MEDIAPART, May 21, 2022.
- [*Social media firestorm surrounds Johnny Depp defamation trial*](#), NBC’S TODAY SHOW, May 17, 2022.
- [*The searing testimony of the Depp Heard trial and its effect on #MeToo*](#), WTOP DMV PODCAST, May 6, 2022.
- [*The Undoing of Women’s Rights: The Special Report*](#), AREVA MARTIN DIGITAL TALK SHOW, May 3, 2022.
- [*Josh Wood, Here’s What Will Happen In Kentucky if Roe v. Wade Gets Overturned*](#), LEO Weekly, May 3, 2022.
- [*Johnny Depp and Amanda Heard Face Off in Defamation Trial*](#), N.Y. TIMES, Apr. 10, 2022.
- [*Who Gets the Child*](#), WASH. POST MAG., Jan. 18, 2022 (describing the gendered critique of 50-50 parenting time).
- [*As the pandemic drags on, law professors are making changes*](#), ABA JOURNAL, Jan. 18, 2022 (suggesting that institutional values and performance metrics need to align with supporting the intensities of student-centered teaching throughout the pandemic).

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- [*Should Law Schools Reform the Socratic Method*](#), LAW360.COM, Dec. 1, 2021 (describing how the Socratic method could be more student-centered, skills-centered, client-centered, and community-centered).
- [*The male-only draft was ruled unconstitutional. What does that mean for the country?*](#) WHAS11 NEWS, Feb. 28, 2019.
- [*Former Ivy League Athlete Suspended for Sexual Assault*](#), WASH. POST, Aug. 1, 2016.
- [*'That's not what I am': Transgender person fights to change "F" to "M" on driver's license*](#), WDRB NEWS, July 14, 2015.
- [*Teen accused of killing newborn could have taken advantage of Safe Haven Law*](#), WDRB NEWS, July 24, 2015.

COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

- SALT (Society of American Law Teachers) Board of Governors (2025-present).
- Board Member of Coalition for Empowerment and Opportunity (2024-2025).
- Political Action Committee Co-Chair of Arlington Chapter NAACP (2021-2022). Recipient of the President's Award for Distinguished Service in Civil Rights and Social Justice (2021).
- Board Member of Traveling Players Ensemble Theater (2020-2022).
- Board Member of the Kentucky Equal Justice Center (2013-2017).
- Secretary of the Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia (2009-2010).
- Awarded the WBA of the District of Columbia's 2008 *Mussey-Gillett Shining Star Award* for co-authoring two white papers on the retention and advancement of women lawyers (2008).

PRESENTATIONS OF SCHOLARSHIP

Presentations of "Legal Representation Deserts"

- Law, Culture, and the Humanities Conference, June 2025 (Georgetown University).
- University of Baltimore Law Review and the Center on Applied Feminism's Symposium on "States and the Battle to Secure Reproductive Freedoms Post-Dobbs," March 2025 (University of Baltimore School of Law).
- Law & Society Annual Meeting, June 2024 (Denver, CO).
- American Society of Law & Medicine's 46th Annual Health Law Professors Conference, June 2023 (University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law).

Presentation of "Reflection and Reform: A Case Study of Leadership Models in the RR/RJ Movement"

- Symposium on Women's Leadership in Law and Politics, Center for Constitutional Law at Akron Law and the Bliss Institute of Applied Politics, February 2025 (virtual).

Presentations of "Mapping the Rhetorical Shifts in Supreme Court Amici Activity from Roe to Dobbs"

- Critical Approaches to Discourse Analysis Across Disciplines (CADAAD), Adam Mickiewicz University, July 2024 (Poznan, Poland).
- American Society of Law & Medicine's 47th Annual Health Law Professors Conference, June 2024 (Temple University School of Law, Philadelphia, PA).

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- Midwest Political Science Association, April 2024 (Chicago, IL).
- Faculty Workshop, SMU Dedman School of Law, October 2023 (Dallas, TX).
- Law & Society Annual Meeting, June 2023 (Puerto Rico).

Presentations of “*Inclusive Socratic Teaching: Why We Need it and How to Achieve it*”

- Faculty Workshop, Santa Clara University School of Law, February 2026 (virtual).
- Faculty Workshop, University of San Diego School of Law, February 2026 (San Diego, CA).
- Faculty Workshop, University of Massachusetts School of Law, February 2026 (Dartmouth, MA).
- AALS New Law Professors Workshop, June 2025 (Washington, DC).
- New Books in the Field, Law & Society Annual Meeting, May 2025 (Chicago, IL).
- Faculty Workshop, University of Louisville Brandeis School of Law, February 2025 (Louisville, KY).
- Faculty Workshop, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law, February 2025 (Philadelphia, PA).
- AALS Annual Meeting, January 2025 (San Francisco, CA).
- SALT Teaching Conference, Boston University, September 2024 (Boston, MA).
- Faculty Workshop University of Idaho School of Law, September 2024 (virtual).
- Law School 101: An Exploration of Legal Pedagogy, Detroit Mercy School of Law, March 2024 (Detroit, MI).
- Faculty Workshop, SMU Dedman School of Law, October 2023 (Dallas, TX).
- Integrating Doctrine & Diversity Series Webinar Panelist, *Can the Socratic Method Be Used in an Inclusive Classroom?* September 2023 (virtual).
- AALS New Law Professors Workshop, June 2023 (Washington, DC).
- Law & Society Annual Meeting, July 2022 (virtual participation).
- Covid Care Crisis II, June 2022 (virtual).
- Capital Family Law Workshop, March 2022 (virtual).
- Pedagogy Panel, *Introducing and Supporting Intersectionality in Pedagogy*, American Association of Law Schools, Annual Meeting, January 2022 (virtual).

Presentations of “*Cultivating More Inclusive Classrooms and Practice-Ready Graduates with Voice and Video Assignments*”

- 34th Annual Ann Ferren Teaching Conference, American University (Washington, D.C.) (2023).
- American Association of Law Schools Section on Wellness and Balance, July 12, 2022 (virtual).
- American Association of Law Schools Discussion Group on Bridges and Barriers to Educational Equity, January 2022 (virtual).
- Cali Conference for Law School Computing, June 2021 (virtual).

Presentations of “*Reevaluating Regional Law Reform Strategies After Dobbs*”

- Applied Legal Storytelling Conference, July 2023 (London, UK).
- Akron School of Law Symposium on “The Future of Reproductive Rights,” October 2022 (University of Akron School of Law).
- Law & Society Annual Meeting, May 2021 (Chicago, IL) (virtual).

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Presentation of *Unmasking the Nineteenth Amendment Centennial Through the Pandemic Lenses of Liberty, Loss, Masculinity, and Leadership*

- Eighth Applied Legal Storytelling Conference, July 2021 (virtual).

Presentations of “*Legal Education’s Curricular Tipping Point*”

- Law & Society Annual Meeting, May 2021 (Chicago, IL) (virtual).
- COVID Care Crisis Symposium, Jan. 14-15, 2021 (Indiana University, Hamilton Lugar School of Global and International Studies) (virtual).
- American Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, Women in Legal Education Panel, Jan. 2021 (virtual).
- Guest Lecture, Nov. 2020 (Kagawa University Graduate School of Law) (faculty audience).

Presentation of “*The Language of Harm: What the Nassar Victim Impact Statements Reveal About Abuse and Accountability*”

- Guest Lecture, Nov. 2020 (Kagawa University Graduate School of Law) (student audience).
- Faculty Workshop, Sept. 3, 2020 (Drexel University Kline School of Law).
- Law & Society Annual Meeting, May 2020 (Denver, CO) (virtual).
- Faculty Workshop, March 4, 2020 (University of Maryland Carey School of Law).
- Capital Area Family Law Scholars, Feb. 17, 2020 (Scholarly Workshop Hosted at Howard Law School).

Presentations of “*The #MeToo Movement: A Feminist Invitation to Critique the Crisis Framing of Sexual Assault Responses*”

- Applied Legal Storytelling Conference, July 2019 (University of Colorado).
- Law, Culture & Humanities Conference, March 2018 (Georgetown University Law Center).
- Legal Practice Scholars Workshop, Nov. 2017 (Georgetown University Law Center).

Presentations of “*Why the Legal Strategy of Exploiting Immigrant Families Should Worry Us All*”

- Law & Society Annual Meeting, May 2019 (Washington, DC).
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2019 (Chicago, IL).
- American Constitution Society Fourth Annual Constitutional Law Scholars Forum, March 2019 (Orlando, FL).
- American Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, New Voices in Immigration Law Panel, Jan. 2019 (New Orleans, LA).
- Family Law Scholars and Teachers Conference, June 2018 (Cardozo School of Law).

Presentation of *From “Remember the Alamo” to “I Stand with Planned Parenthood”*

- Detroit Mercy School of Law Symposium on “Women and the Law,” March 2019 (Detroit, MI).

Presentation of “*The Myth of Enforcing Borders Versus Enforcing Dominant Masculinities*”

- California Western Law Review Symposium on “Border Myths,” March 2019 (San Diego, CA).

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- Rochester Institute of Technology Symposium on “The Uses and Abuses of History in the Trump Era,” March 2019 (Rochester, NY).

Presentations of “*The Polarization of Reproductive and Parental Decision-Making*”

- American Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, January 2019 (New Orleans, LA).
- Family Law Scholars and Teachers Conference, June 2016 (Tulane University School of Law).
- International Society for Family Law North American Regional Conference, May 2016 (Moran, WY).

Presentations of “*Experiential Learning in the Era of Donald Trump*”

- Society of American Law Teachers Conference: Legal Education for a Changing Society, Oct. 2018 (Penn State Law).
- Duquesne University School of Law Fifth Colonial Frontier Legal Writing Conference: *Drafting Statutes and Rules: Pedagogy, Practice, and Politics*, Dec. 2016 (Pittsburgh, PA).

Presentations of “*The Feminist Case for Acknowledging Women’s Acts of Violence*”

- Law and Society Annual Meeting, June 2016 (New Orleans, LA).
- Third Annual Junior TAU Workshop for Junior Scholars in Law, Oct. 2015 (Tel Aviv University, Israel).
- From Scolds to Trolls: Social and Legal Responses to Visible and Audible Women, Sept. 2015 (University of Lancaster, UK).
- Emerging Family Law Scholars and Teachers, June 2015 (Florida A&M University, Orlando, FL).

Presentations of “*Debunking the Myth of Universal Male Privilege*”

- AALS Midyear Meeting on Next Generation Issues of Sex, Gender, and the Law, June 2015 (Orlando, FL).
- Law and Society Annual Meeting, June 2015 (Seattle, WA).
- Sixth Annual Feminist Legal Theory Conference: Applied Feminism and Families, March 8, 2013 (University of Baltimore School of Law).

Presentations of “*The Illusion of Autonomy in Women’s Medical Decision-Making*”

- Law and Society Annual Meeting, June 2014 (Minneapolis, MN).
- Emerging Family Law Scholars and Teachers, May 2014 (University of Minneapolis, MN).
- Midwest Political Science Association, April 2014 (Chicago, IL).
- Beyond Roe: Reproductive Justice in a Changing World, Oct. 2013 (Rutgers-Camden School of Law).
- SEALS New Scholars Forum, Aug. 2013 (Palm Beach, FL).
- Emerging Family Law Scholars and Teachers, June 2013 (Brooklyn Law School).
- Law and Society Annual Meeting, May 2013 (Boston, MA).

Presentations of “*Enforcing Masculinities at the Borders*”

- Lavender Law Junior Scholars Forum, Aug. 2013 (San Francisco, CA).
- Midwest Political Science Association, April 2013 (Chicago, IL).

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Presentations of “*Distorted and Diminished Tort Remedies for Birthing Women*”

- University of Kentucky Faculty Workshop, Feb. 2013 (Lexington, KY).
- London Women’s Leadership Symposium, Dec. 2012 (Oxford-Cambridge Club; London, England).
- Emerging Family Law Scholars, May 2012 (Fordham University School of Law).
- Law and Society Conference, June 2012 (Honolulu, Hawaii).
- New York Family Law Scholars, July 2011 (Cardozo Law School).
- Midwest Family Law Consortium, June 2011 (Michigan State Law School).

Presentations of “*Enlisting the Nineteenth Amendment as a Modern Weapon for Political Equality*”

- Multidimensional Masculinities Colloquium, Feb. 2011 (UNLV Boyd School of Law).

Presentations of “*From ‘Barbarity’ to Regularity: A Case Study on the Unnecesarean Epidemic*”

- Northeast Regional Junior Faculty Workshop, Feb. 2011 (Albany Law School).

Presentations of “*The Collateral Consequences of Masculinizing Violence*”

- LatCrit XIV Conference, October 2009 (American University Washington College of Law).
- Feminism, Law and Masculinity Feminist Legal Theory Workshop, Sept. 2009 (Emory University School of Law).

Presentations of “*The Dual Purposes of the U Visa Thwarted in a Legislative Duel*”

- Chapter Two: Once Upon a Legal Story, July 2009 (Lewis & Clark Law School).

Presentations About Legal Education Pedagogy

- *Using Technology in the Classroom*, AALS New Law Professors Workshop, June 2025, Washington, DC).
- *The Deconstructed Issue-Spotting*, William & Mary Faculty Workshop, November 2021 (William & Mary School of Law, virtual).
- Online Teaching Plenary, Family Law Teachers and Scholars, June 2020 (Brooklyn Law School, virtual).
- *The Deconstructed Issue-Spotting Exam*, AALS Annual Meeting, Jan. 2020 (Washington, DC).
- *The Deconstructed Issue-Spotting Exam*, LWI One-Day Workshop, Dec. 2018 (University of Louisville Brandeis School of Law).
- *The Deconstructed Issue-Spotting Exam*, Family Law Scholars and Teachers, June 2018 (Cardozo School of Law) (Teaching Plenary).
- *Reframing the Socratic Method*, AALS Mid-Year Family Law Meeting, June 2015 (Orlando, FL) (Teaching Plenary).
- *The Socratic Method Revisited*, LegalEd: Igniting Law Teaching, March 2014 (American University Washington College of Law).

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- *Back to the Future: Using Historical Client Research to Train Family Law Practitioners*, Emerging Family Law Scholars and Teachers, June 2013 (Brooklyn Law School) (Teaching Plenary).
- *Integrated Inequality*, SALT Conference on Teaching Social Justice, Expanding Access to Justice: The Role of Legal Education and the Legal Profession, Oct.2012 (University of Maryland School of Law).
- *Integrating Skills and Substance in the First-Year*, Engendering Hope in the Legal Writing Classroom: Pedagogy, Curriculum, and Attitude, Dec. 2009 (Duquesne University School of Law).
- *Shattering the Glass Wall Separating Skills and Substance*, Roundtable on Teaching Gender Inequality in Law School, Law and Society Annual Meeting, May 2009 (Denver, CO).
- *Building Coalitions to Extend and Strengthen the Bridge: The Relevance of Professional Development Diversity Initiatives to Legal Writing Instruction*, Writing and Legal Writing Teachers, Instructors, and Professors of Color and/or Progressive Orientation Conference, May 2008 (Howard University School of Law).

Select Presentations to Community Organizations

- Women & Law: Navigating Challenges & Driving Change in 2025, Rhode Island Women's Bar of D.C., May 2025 (virtual).
- D.C. Women's Bar Association Fireside Chat: Women's Issues Under the Current Administration, April 2025.
- Birnbaum Women's Leadership Center, *The Collateral Damage of Dobbs on Women's Health: Beyond Abortion Care*, March 2025 (NYU Law School).
- *Week of Abolition: Abolition Through Reproductive Justice*, WCL National Lawyers Guild, March 2025.
- *Breast Cancer Awareness Month and Reproductive Rights*, If/When/How Washington College of Law Chapter, October 2024.
- *Reproductive Justice and the 2024 Election*, If/When/How Washington College of Law Chapter, April 2024.
- *State Regulation of the Family*, virtual lecture delivered to 100 Ukrainian law professors and students as part of a global coalition of law school professors aimed at supporting Ukrainian law schools and students, February 2024.
- *Upholding the Hippocratic Oath: A Panel About Mifepristone and Standards of Care*, George Washington University Law Center, April 2023.
- An Evolving and Uncertain Medical Liability Landscape After Dobbs, Kentucky Justice Association's Women's Caucus, Nov. 2022.
- DAPP (Diverse Attorney Pipeline Program) Torts Bootcamp and Exam Workshop, Nov. 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 (virtual).
- The Political Women's Council, The Law and Politics of Reproductive Rights, Oct. 2021 (University of Louisville).
- #PrepDAPP (Diverse Attorney Pipeline Program) Exam Writing Workshop, Oct. 2021 (virtual).
- *Defamation Law in #MeToo Era Lawsuits*, Kentucky Association of Sexual Assault Providers, May 2021 (virtual).

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- *Federal Landscape of Voting Rights*, Rock Spring Congregational Church, March 2021 (virtual).
- *100 Years of Women's Suffrage and Today's Challenges*, Florida Gulf Coast University, League of Women Voters, March 2021 (virtual).
- *SCOTUS and the Future of Roe v. Wade*, Kentucky Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice, Jan. 2021 (virtual).
- DAPP (Diverse Attorney Pipeline Program) Torts Bootcamp and Exam Workshop, Nov. 2020 (virtual).
- #PrepDAPP (Diverse Attorney Pipeline Program) Exam Writing Workshop, Aug. 2020 (virtual).
- *Reproductive Healthcare Access: Local and National Threats and Opportunities*, Feb. 2020 (Planned Parenthood of Metropolitan, DC).
- "Reversing Roe" Screening Discussant, Nov. 2018 (University of Louisville, KY).
- *Back to the Future: The Impact of Obergefell on Family Law*, April 2016 (University of Louisville, KY).
- "Vessel" Screening Discussant, Jan. 2016 (Louisville, KY);
- "Vessel" Screening Discussant, March 2016 (University of Louisville, KY).
- *Cultural Competencies on Trial*, Nov. 2014 (University of Louisville; Louisville, KY).
- *Marriage Equality in Kentucky*, Kentucky Chapter of American Inn of Courts, March 2014 (Louisville, KY).
- *Masculinities at War*, Kentucky Domestic Violence Association Conference, Dec. 2013 (Louisville, KY).
- *Advancement of Women in Federal Government, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission Workgroup*, April 28, 2010 (EEOC; Washington, DC) (Co-Presenter).