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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Touro University, Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center, Central Islip, NY

Assistant Professor of Law (2022-present)

Courses: Business Organizations, Selected Topics in Corporate Law, Health Care Law, Public Health Law, modules in Aging: Health, Law, and Policy and Structural Barriers and the Pursuit of Equity (asynchronous)

New York University School of Law, New York, NY

Adjunct Professor, Graduate Lawyering Program (2021)

Associate Director, Lawyering Program (2016-2017)

Acting Assistant Professor of Lawyering (2014-2017)

Courses: Lawyering, Graduate Lawyering I

St. John's University School of Law, Queens, NY

Assistant Professor of Legal Writing (2017-2018)

Courses: Legal Writing I, Legal Writing II, Public Health Law

EDUCATION

Columbia University, Ph.D. in Political Science (2014), M.Phil (2011), M.A. (2008)

Dissertation: *Governing by Fiduciary: How the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 Delegated Control over Pension Policy to Private Actors*

Faculty Fellowship and Katerina Alevizaki Dracopoulos Summer Fellowship

Teaching Assistant for Introduction to American Politics, American Urban Politics, American Politics and Social Welfare Policy, and Voting and American Politics

Harvard Law School, J.D. (2004)

Harvard Journal of Law and Gender, Primary Editor and Student Articles Editor

The George Washington University, B.A. in Political Science, *summa cum laude* (2001)

Secondary Field in Business Administration

Completed degree in three years

University Honors Program and University Presidential Scholar

PUBLICATIONS

The Fiduciary Game (work-in-progress)

Invited [post](#) on *The CLS Blue Sky Blog* (Sept. 3, 2024)

Extensive write up in *The Chancery Daily, The Long Form* (Aug. 28, 2024)

Selected by University of Michigan Law School's 2024 Junior Scholars Conference

Cause of Death?—It's probably not what's reported on the death certificate, forthcoming in *LEWIS & CLARK L. REV.* (2025).

Selected by Saint Louis University's 2023 Health Law Scholars Workshop

Invited to Marquette University Law School's Junior Scholars Works-in-Progress Event

Abandoning Fiduciaries in Health Care, chapter forthcoming in *HEALTH LAW AS PRIVATE LAW: PATHOLOGY OR PATHWAY* (Cambridge University Press, I. Glenn Cohen, Wendy Netter Epstein, Christopher Robertson & Carmel Shachar, eds., 2024).

Selected by Harvard Law School's 2023 Harvard Petrie-Flom Center Annual Conference

Sanitation: Reducing the Administrative State's Control over Public Health, 75 *RUTGERS L. REV.* 777 (2023).

Managing Cumulative Risk, 44 *MITCHELL HAMLINE L. REV.* 1283 (2018) (symposium contribution).

Redefining "Medical Care", 27 *CORNELL J. L. & PUB. POL'Y* 65 (2017).

Discussed on invited panel broadcast on C-Span in July 2017

Reproductive Selection Bias, 27 *HEALTH MATRIX* 263 (2017).

The Collective Fiduciary, 94 *NEB. L. REV.* 511 (2015).

Discussed in Kathryn J. Kennedy & Melissa Travis, *Notable Employee Benefits Articles of 2016*, 155 *TAX NOTES* 829, 832-33 (2017).

Overvaluing Employer-Sponsored Health Insurance, 63 *U. KAN. L. REV.* 633 (2015).

Discussed in Kathryn J. Kennedy & Melissa Travis, *Notable Employee Benefits Articles of 2015*, 151 *TAX NOTES* 225, 228-29 (2016).

A Failure to Supervise: How the Bureaucracy and the Courts Abandoned Their Intended Roles under ERISA, 34 PACE L. REV. 216 (2014).

Quoted and cited in *Nichols v. Reliance Standard Life Insurance Co.*, No. 3:17-CV-42, 2018 WL 3213618 at *1 (S.D. Miss. June 29, 2018).

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

The Fiduciary Game

Health Law Professors Conference, Temple University Beasley School of Law, Philadelphia, PA (June 2017)

Junior Scholars Conference, University of Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, MI (Apr. 2024)

Junior Scholars Conference, Northeastern University Law School, Boston, MA (Feb./Mar. 2024)

Cause of Death?

Health Law Scholars Workshop sponsored by Center for Health Law Studies at Saint Louis University and American Society of Law, Medicine and Ethics (ASLME), St. Louis, MO (Sept. 2023)

Junior Scholars Works-in-Progress Event, Marquette University Law School, Milwaukee, WI (Sept. 2023)

Faculty Colloquium, Touro Law Center, Central Islip, NY (July 2023)

Abandoning Fiduciaries in Health Care

Petrie-Flom Center Annual Conference, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA (June 2023)

Sanitation: Reducing the Administrative State's Control over Public Health

AALS Annual Meeting, Administrative Law Section New Voices Program, San Diego, CA (Jan. 2023)

Faculty Colloquium, Touro Law Center, Central Islip, NY (Aug. 2022)

Redefining "Medical Care"

American Enterprise Institute, Washington, DC (July 2017), invited panelist (broadcast on C-Span)

AALS Annual Meeting, Law, Medicine and Health Care session on Works-in-Progress for New Health Law Teachers, San Francisco, CA (Jan. 2017)

Paying for Good Health in the Pre-Medicare Population

Health Law Professors Conference, Georgia State University College of Law, Atlanta, GA (June 2017)

Reproductive Selection Bias

Health Law Professors Conference, Boston University School of Law, Boston, MA (June 2016)

Lawyering Scholarship Colloquium, New York University School of Law, New York, NY (Feb. 2016)

The Collective Fiduciary

Lawyering Scholarship Colloquium, New York University School of Law, New York, NY
(Jan. 2015)

Governing by Fiduciary: How the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 Delegated Control over Pension Policy to Private Actors

Doctoral Scholarship Conference, Yale Law School, New Haven, CT (Nov. 2014)

Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL (Apr. 2013)

ADDITIONAL LEGAL EXPERIENCE

United States District Court, Trenton, NJ

Law Clerk to Magistrate Judge Tonianne Bongiovanni (2021)

Coordinated day-to-day management of half of Judge Bongiovanni's civil docket by responding to new filings and issues presented by attorneys. Drafted opinions for Judge's review.

United States District Court, Newark, NJ

Law Clerk to then-Magistrate Judge Esther Salas (currently District Judge) (2010)

Coordinated day-to-day management of half of Judge Salas's civil docket by responding to new filings and issues presented by attorneys. Drafted opinions for Judge's review.

Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP, New York, NY

Associate (2006-2007)

Practiced general litigation, including matters involving employee benefits, theft of trade secrets, and fraudulent conveyance. Worked with small teams to manage lawsuits and arbitrations, including researching and writing briefs, motions, and legal memoranda.

Proskauer Rose LLP, New York, NY

Associate, Summer Associate (2004-2006, Summer 2003)

Advised multiemployer and single employer benefit plans regarding daily operations and regulatory compliance. Reviewed and negotiated contracts for the provision of services on behalf of benefit plans. Practiced employee benefits litigation, including claims of breach of fiduciary duty.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Committees: Admissions Committee (2024-present)
Student Affairs Committee (2023-present)
Curriculum Committee (2022-present; 2017-18 at St. John's)

Conferences: Co-organizer of *The Past & Future of Opioid Litigation: Settlements and What They Mean Going Forward for the Nation*, co-sponsored by the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health (Oct. 2023)

Peer Reviewer: *American Journal of Law & Medicine*

Bar Admissions: New York