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EDUCATION

North Quincy High School, Quincy, Massachusetts	1969
Bates College, Lewiston, Maine -- B.A. Sociology	1973
University of Glasgow, Glasgow, Scotland, UK Special student in Politics and Political Economy	1970 - 1971
Cornell Law School, Ithaca, New York -- JD	1976

LAW SCHOOL TEACHING

University of Arizona, James E. Rogers College of Law, Tucson, Arizona

Clinical Professor and Charles E. Ares Professor of Law	
Clinical Professor	2003 - present
Associate Clinical Professor	2001 - 2003
Assistant Clinical Professor	1996 - 2001
Director of Clinics	2015 - 2022
Director-- Child and Family Law Clinic (f/k/a Child Advocacy Clinic)	1996 - present
Interim Director -- Veteran's Advocacy Law Clinic	2011 - 2013
Director -- Hon. James Himelic Juvenile Detention Teaching Program	2020 - present
Co-Director with Prof. Kenney Hegland	2006 – 2020
Program Coordinator -- Rogers Program on Law, Philosophy and Social Inquiry	2001-2002

University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA

Part-time Lecturer – Evidence, Family Law Summer, 2010; Summer, 2011

University of Tennessee College of Law, Knoxville, TN

Sabbatical Clinical Visitor Spring, 2005
Visiting Adjunct Professor - Family Law Summer, 2006

University of San Diego Law School, San Diego, CA

Visiting Adjunct Professor - Professional Responsibility Summer, 2003

Cornell Law School, Ithaca, NY

<i>Lecturer/Staff Attorney in the Cornell Legal Aid Clinic</i>	1993 - 1996
<i>Adjunct Faculty -- Trial Advocacy, Practice Training II</i>	1990 - 1996

OTHER LEGAL EMPLOYMENT

<i>Partner</i> -- Holmberg, Galbraith, Holmberg, Orkin & Bennett, Ithaca, NY	1988 - 1993
<i>Assistant City Attorney</i> -- City of Ithaca, NY	1983 - 1987
<i>Partner</i> -- Wiggins, Holmberg, Galbraith & Holmberg, Ithaca, NY	1986 - 1988
<i>Associate</i>	1984 - 1986
<i>Staff Attorney</i> -- Chemung County Neighborhood Legal Services, Inc.	

Tompkins County Office, Ithaca, NY 1979 - 1983
Staff Attorney -- Orleans Legal Aid Bureau, Inc., Albion, NY 1976 - 1979

CERTIFICATIONS

Arizona Bar Limited Practice Clinical Professor 1997 - present
Member of the New York Bar 1977 - present
Admitted *Pro hac vice* – U.S. Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces - *U.S. v Kelly*, 72 M.J. 237 (U.S. Armed Forces, 2013) 2013

HONORS AND AWARDS

Named: Charles E. Ares Professor of Law 2022
President's Award (Group Award) -- State Bar of Arizona
For presentation at the Chris Nakamura Workshop
of the State Bar Convention 2022
Attorney of the Year, Pima County Juvenile Court, selected by
Pima County Court Appointed Special Advocates 2020
John W. Strong Co-Teacher of the Year (with Prof. Tom Mauet)
voted by students at Arizona Law 2010
Arizona Wakonse Teaching Fellow (see <http://wakonse.asu.edu>) 2007
President's Award -- State Bar of Arizona
For work Co-chairing the State Bar Task Force on Professionalism and
Co-authoring its final report 2005
Pro Bono Service Award, Tompkins County NY Bar Association and
Chemung County Neighborhood Legal Services, Inc. 1996
Lifetime Community Service Award, H.O.M.E.S., Inc. 1996
For legal work for people with developmental disabilities
Co-Recipient of the Human Rights Award, New York Public Interest Research
Group For pro-bono litigation efforts concerning voter registration 1981

RECENT PUBLICATIONS/CREATIVE ACTIVITY

A Short and Happy Guide to Being a Lawyer, 2nd Edition -- with Kenney Hegland (late), West Academic Publishing (2021)

Child and Family Law Clinic Dependency Handbook -- a primer for clinical law students and a reference work for AZ child welfare practitioners – free on-line -- *Revised Aug. 2023*

Equitable Treatment of Minority Youth, Seventh Statewide Report Card, Arizona Supreme Court, Administrative Office of the Courts, Juvenile Justice Services Division and the Arizona Supreme Court Commission on Diversity, Equality and Justice – Contributor and editorial advisor with Hon. Lisa Abrams, Hon. Joan Wagener, Prof. Patti Ferguson-Bohnee (ASU), and Dr. Catharina Johnson – 2020

Final Report of the Second Bench Diversity Project – prepared for the Arizona Commission on Minorities in the Judiciary – Arizona Supreme Court, Administrative Office of the Courts,

Commission on Minorities – *Lead author* with Michael Baumstark and Susan Pickard, AOC – May, 2019

Final Report of the 1st Bench Diversity Project – prepared for the Arizona Commission on Minorities in the Judiciary – Arizona Supreme Court, Administrative Office of the Courts, Commission on Minorities -- *Lead author* with Michael Baumstark and Susan Pickard, AOC; and Briar Martin, student James E. Rogers College of Law – May, 2017

Equitable Treatment of Minority Youth, Fifth Statewide Report Card, Arizona Supreme Court, Administrative Office of the Courts, Commission on Minorities – with David Redpath, AOC; Dr. John Vivian, AZ Dept. of Juvenile Corrections; and Hon. Maria Montano-Aviles - 2015

Family Drug Court – with law student Suzie Caughlin -- a video presenting an in depth look at the Pima County Family Drug Court – release date October 22, 2014

Domestic Violence Preliminary Intervention Plan: Assessment and Early Intervention For Alleged Abusers, Abused Persons, And Children – Summit Project of the Arizona Assoc. of Family and Conciliation Courts -- Contributor under Project Co-Chairs, Prof. Connie Beck, PhD, University of Arizona Dept. of Psychology and Hon. David Gass, Superior Court, Maricopa County, AZ – January, 2013
<http://azafcc.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/09/AzAFCC-2013-Summit.pdf>

A Short and Happy Guide to Being a Lawyer -- with Kenney Hegland, West Publishing, 2012

RECENT NATIONAL/REGIONAL LEGAL EDUCATION ACTIVITIES

Presentation to University of Arizona Diplomatic Corp, “Juvenile Delinquency”, Washington, DC, March 27, 2023

Facilitator, Clinician Crew Peer Group, Association of American Law Schools, Section on Clinical Legal Education, 2020-2021, 2022-2023

“Nurse Practitioners, but for Law Clinics?” – Association of American Law Schools (AALS) Conference on Clinical Legal Education (virtual) – presentation with Professors Diana Newmark and Kristy Clairmont, University of Arizona, James E. Rogers College of Law – May 11, 2022

Presentation to University of Arizona Diplomatic Corp, “Child Custody and Child Welfare” Washington, DC, March 28, 2022

Committee Member, Association of American Law Schools, Section on Clinical Legal Education, Interdisciplinary Committee, 2002 – present; Co-chair, 2010-2012

Discussant, Works in Progress, *Privacy and Technology Papers* – Association of American Law Schools Conference on Clinical Legal Education – San Francisco, CA – May 7, 2019

Discussant, Works in Progress, *Juvenile Justice Papers* – Association of American Law Schools Conference on Clinical Legal Education – Chicago, Ill – May 5, 2018

“Hybrid Clinics” – Externships 9, National conference on law school externships – Presentation with Amanda Bynum, University of Arizona, James E. Rogers College of Law – University of Georgia School of Law – Athens, GA – March 2018

Discussant, Works in Progress, *Domestic Violence Papers* – Association of American Law Schools Conference on Clinical Legal Education – Denver, CO – May 9, 2017

Member of the American Bar Association Site Evaluation Team for University of Minnesota School of Law School Re-accreditation Application – Minneapolis, MN -- March 25-29, 2017

Chair, Organizing Committee -- Mountain West Regional Clinical Conference, Tucson, AZ, November 4, 2016

“Teaching Cultural Intelligence in Clinics and Externships” – Moderator -- Plenary Session – Mountain West Regional Clinical Conference, Tucson, AZ -- November 4, 2016

“Clinics and Courts: Opportunities for Collaboration, Innovation and Change” – Association of American Law Schools (AALS) Conference on Clinical Legal Education – presentation with Professors Kristine Huskey, University of Arizona, James E. Rogers College of Law; Hon. John Cratsley, Harvard Law School; and Kate Devlin Joyce, Boston College Law School – Baltimore, MD – April 30, 2016

RECENT COMMUNITY/ STATE SPEAKING AND CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION (CLE) PRESENTATIONS:

“Lawyers working together with non-lawyers” – Presentation to the Pima County Office of Children’s Counsel – Tucson, AZ – August 23, 2023

19th Annual CLE by the Pool – Pima County Juvenile Court – *3-hour ethics presentation/conversation for Juvenile Court Attorneys* -- Tucson, AZ– June 25, 2023

“Pathways to the Bench: Merit Selection” – Panelist/Presenter at the Arizona State Bar Convention with Hon. David Gass, Arizona Court of Appeals; Kori Lorick, Deputy General Counsel, Office of the Governor; Hon. Jonathan Paton, Arizona Commission on Appellate Court Appointments; Hon. Nanette Warner, Pima County Commission on Trial Court Appointments – Tucson, AZ -- June 15, 2023

“Legal Futures: Making the Connection” – offered simultaneously in Phoenix, AZ, Tucson, AZ, Flagstaff, AZ, and Yuma, AZ – organizing and presenting at the annual pipeline event of the Arizona Supreme Court Commission on Diversity, Equality and Justice in which diverse high school students meet and collaborate with sitting Arizona judges in a problem-solving exercise. April 21, 2023

“Child Representation in Dependency Cases”, Santa Cruz County Juvenile Court, Virtual – April 11, 2023

“We the People” – Arizona Bar Foundation and Center for Civic Education. Judged state finals of a high school competition in which teams of students demonstrate their knowledge of US Constitution. January, 2023

Covid-19 Interprofessional Exercise – Panelist/Facilitator in a series of exercises attended by approximately 300 students from the Colleges of Medicine, Nursing, Nutrition, Pharmacy, and Public Health sponsored by the University of Arizona Center for Transformative Interprofessional Health Care – (Virtual) October 21, 2022

Ethical Considerations in Indian Child Welfare, 5th Annual Uteeka Nau Naawak ICWA & Child Welfare Conference, Hosted by Pascua Yaqui Tribe of Arizona, Tucson, AZ – October 12, 2022

“Ethics for Children’s Lawyers”, CLE for Children’s lawyers at Florence Immigration and Refugee Rights Project (virtual) Phoenix, AZ – June 28, 2022

“Do You Look Good in Black?” presenter at one of the four sessions of the *Chris Nakamura Judicial Workshop* at the Convention of the State Bar of Arizona – my topic was *Merit Selection and Diversity* – The entire workshop was selected for the President’s Award from the State Bar -- Phoenix, AZ – June 27, 2022

18th Annual CLE by the Pool – Pima County Juvenile Court – *3-hour ethics presentation/conversation for Juvenile Court Attorneys* -- Tucson, AZ– June 4, 2022

“We the People” – Arizona Bar Foundation and Center for Civic Education. Judged both state and national finals of a high school competition in which teams of students demonstrate their knowledge of US Constitution. January and April, 2022

“Legal Futures: Making the Connection” – Arizona Supreme Court – Phoenix, AZ, Tucson, AZ, and Yuma, AZ – to be presented simultaneously on April 1, 2022 – organizing and presenting at the annual pipeline event of the Arizona Supreme Court Commission on Diversity, Equality and Justice in which diverse high school students meet and collaborate with sitting Arizona judges in a problem-solving exercise.

“The Path Ahead for Racial Justice in Arizona’s Courts” -- Invited speaker/faculty at the 2021 Arizona Judicial Conference -- Paradise Valley, Arizona – June 25, 2021

“17th Annual CLE by the Pool” – Pima County Juvenile Court – *3-hour ethics presentation for Juvenile Court Attorneys* -- -- Tucson, AZ– June 12, 2021

“Legal Services by Non-Lawyers” – Presentation to the Morris K. Udall Inn of Court – Tucson, AZ (Virtual) – February 2, 2021

“Dependency Attorney Training: Trial Skills” -- Arizona Administrative Offices of the Courts, Mohave County, AZ (Virtual) – January 13, 2021

- “Racial Justice”* – invited participant in joint discussion with the Arizona Supreme Court, the Arizona Judicial Council, and the Arizona Supreme Court Commission on Minorities (Virtual) – December 17, 2020
- “Navigating Ethical Issues During a Pandemic”* – Collaborative CLE Fundraiser for Pima County Bar Foundation, Southern Arizona Legal Aid, and Step up to Justice -- Panelist with Vice Justice Ann Scott Timmer, Arizona Supreme Court; Chief Bar Counsel Maret Vessella, State Bar of Arizona; and Hon. Gregory Sakall, Arizona Superior Court in Pima County – Tucson, AZ (Virtual) -- November 18, 2020
- “A Short and Happy Guide to Being a Lawyer”* – virtual presentation to Pima County Bar, Young Lawyers Division – Tucson, AZ -- October 23, 2020
- “16th Annual CLE by the Pool”, Covid-19 edition”* – Pima County Juvenile Court -- Tucson, AZ – virtual 3-hour ethics presentation for Juvenile Court Attorneys – June 20, 2020
- “What a Lawyer Wants from Court Mediators”* – presentation at statewide court mediators meeting under the Arizona Supreme Court, Court Improvement Program – Tucson, AZ, -- October 2, 2019
- “CLE by the Pool”, Ethics 2019* – Pima County Juvenile Court -- Tucson, AZ– the target audience was juvenile court lawyers – 3-hour ethics presentation for Juvenile Court Attorneys -- June 1, 2019
- “Why Didn’t Arizona Adopt ABA Model Rule 8.4(g)?”* -- presented to St. Thomas More Society, Tucson, AZ -- May 29, 2019
- “Legal Futures: Making the Connection”* – Arizona Supreme Court– organized and presented at a (now annual) pipeline event of the Arizona Supreme Court Commission on Minorities in which diverse high school and college students met and collaborated with sitting Arizona judges in problem solving exercises – Phoenix, AZ – March 29, 2019
- “Legal Futures”* – Arizona Supreme Court – organized and presented at a pipeline event of the Arizona Supreme Court Commission on Minorities in which diverse college students met and collaborated with sitting Arizona judges in problem solving exercises -- Phoenix, AZ – April 2, 2018
- “CLE by the Pool”, Ethics 2018* – Pima County Juvenile Court -- Tucson, AZ– June 9, 2018 – 3-hour ethics presentation for Juvenile Court Attorneys
- “Too Much Information (“TMI”) –How Much Personal Information Should Lawyers and Judges Share with Clients and Litigants?”* presented to St. Thomas More Society --Tucson, AZ May, 2018
- “Too Much Information (“TMI”) –How Much Personal Information Should Lawyers and Judges Share with Clients and Litigants?”* -- plenary session -- *Through the Looking Glass:*

Bringing Complex Family Issues into Focus – 37th Annual Conference of the AZ Assoc. of Family and Conciliation Courts – Sedona, AZ – January 28, 2018

“Judicial Diversity” – Morris K. Udall Inn of Court – Tucson, AZ – November 7, 2017

“Domestic Violence and Military Families” – State Bar Convention, Section on Military Legal Assistance --Tucson, AZ -- June 16, 2017

“CLE by the Pool”, Ethics 2017 – Pima County Juvenile Court -- Tucson, AZ --3-hour ethics presentation for Juvenile Court Attorneys -- – June 10, 2017

“The Face of the Judiciary” – State Bar of Arizona, Chris Nakamura Judicial Workshop – with Hon. Maurice Portley, Court of Appeals (Ret) – Phoenix, AZ – March 31, 2017

“Professional Ethics Across Disciplines” – Plenary Session -- Responding to the Call for a Trauma-Responsive System – Moderator with Stacey Brady, JD – *Mindful Practice: Strengthening Families in Transition* – 36th Annual Conference of the Arizona Association of Family and Conciliation Courts – Sedona, AZ – January 29, 2017

RECENT ACADEMIC/SYMPOSIA PRESENTATIONS:

Book Discussion in conversation with Professor Sylvia Lett – *A Short and Happy Guide to being a Lawyer* – Tucson, AZ -- September 28, 2021

Book Discussion of Carolyn Williams’ *ALWD Guide to Legal Citations, 7th Edition* – in conversation with Prof. Carolyn Williams and Prof. Diana Simon – Tucson, AZ – September 14, 2021

“The Poverty of Reasonable Efforts”, faculty presentation, University of Arizona, James E. Rogers College of Law – Tucson, AZ -- August 2019

“Teaching Cultural Intelligence in Clinics and Externships – Moderator -- Plenary Session – 2016 Mountain West Regional Clinical Conference, Tucson, AZ -- November 4, 2016

“Family Law Courts” – 2016 Statewide Symposium in Support of Service Members, Veterans & Their Families -- Arizona Coalition for Military Families -- Panel Presentation – with Hon. Roger Hartsell, Maricopa Superior Court and Janet Sell, AZ Attorney General’s Office

“Diversity in the Arizona Judiciary: A Survey” – QuantLaw, University of Arizona, James E. Rogers College of Law – Tucson, AZ – February 13, 2016

“Don’t Make Them Shut Up: Letting Parents Speak Freely in Juvenile Court When They Face Criminal Charges” -- University of Arizona, James E. Rogers College of Law – Faculty Colloquium – April 14, 2014

“Reaching the Human Side of Being a Professional” -- Interdisciplinary Conference on Humanities, Medicine, and Wellness – University of Arizona, College of Medicine – February 27, 2014

“Veteran’s Treatment Courts” -- with Federal Magistrate Hon. Charles Pyle – Program in Criminal Law and Policy, University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law -- Tucson, AZ April 17, 2013

COMMUNITY AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE / OUTREACH

<i>Member</i> , Faculty Elections Committee, University of Arizona	2023- present
<i>Member and Co-Chair</i> , University of Arizona, Provost’s Ad Hoc Committee on Continuing Status Harmonization	2022
<i>Member</i> , Arizona Supreme Court Commission on Diversity, Equality, and Justice	2011 - 2023
<i>Member</i> , Evidence Based Practice Committee, Pima County Juvenile Court	2018 - 2022
<i>Member</i> , Board of Directors -- AZ Assoc. of Family and Conciliation Courts	2011- 2018
<i>Member</i> , University Hearing Board -- University of Arizona	2012- 2018
<i>Chair</i> , University Committee on Ethics and Commitment (UCAC) – University of Arizona	2016- 2018
<i>Member</i> , UCAC	2012- 2018