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#### **EDUCATION:**

THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA, Washington, DC Master of Science in Library Science, 1995

WASHINGTON & LEE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, Lexington, VA Juris Doctor

Honors ! Best Brief, Burkes Moot Court Competition

! Quarter finalist, Burkes Moot Court Competition

Activities ! Member, International Moot Court Team

! Washington & Lee University Law Review staff

AGNES SCOTT COLLEGE, Decatur, GA Bachelor of Arts

### **EMPLOYMENT:**

University of South Carolina School of Law, Coleman Karesh Law Library, **Associate Director for Administration**, 2004 - present

University of South Carolina School of Law, Coleman Karesh Law Library, **Reference Librarian**, 1998 - 2004

McKenna & Cuneo, L.L.P., Washington, DC - Reference Librarian, 1996 -1997

McGuire Woods Battle & Boothe, L.L.P., McLean, VA - Reference Librarian, 1995 -1996

WILMER, CUTLER & PICKERING, Washington, DC - Interlibrary Loan & Special Projects Librarian (Part-time) 1994 - 1995

LEGAL SERVICES OF NORTHERN VIRGINIA, Fairfax, VA - Managing Attorney (Route One Branch Office), 1983 - 1985

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REGULATORY UTILITY COMMISSIONERS, Washington, DC Assistant General Counsel, 1979 - 1981

United States Senate Judiciary Committee, Washington, DC - Staff Attorney, 1978 - 1979

# **TEACHING:**

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW

LAWS 534 - Legal Research, Analysis & Writing, Spring 2012 TO PRESENT

LAWS 595– Legal Research for Practice Workshop, 2015 & 2016

Laws 533 - Legal Research, Analysis & Writing, Fall 2011

LAWS 537 - Legal Research, 1998 - 2010

LAWS 562 - Advanced Legal Research, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005 (co-taught), 2010, 2014

Laws 570 - Supervised Legal Research, 2001, 2003, 2006,

LAWS 635 - Tax Problems (taught classes on online tax research), 2001-04

LAWS 532 - Legal Writing I - lecture on citation format, 1999

#### **PUBLICATIONS:**

South Carolina Practice Materials: A Selective Annotated Bibliography, in STATE PRACTICE MATERIALS: ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHIES (Frank Houdek, ed.)(2d ed. 2012).

"Click to Refresh: Audience Response Systems in the Legal Research Classroom," 17 Perspectives 175 (Spring 2009).

Cited in: Cassandra L. Hill, *Peer Editing: A Comprehensive Pedagogical Approach to Maximize Assessment Opportunities, Integrate Collaborative Learning, and Achieve Desired Outcomes*, 11 Nev. L. J. 667 (2011).

With Christine Sellers, *South Carolina Practice Materials: A Selective Annotated Bibliography*, in STATE PRACTICE MATERIALS: ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHIES (Frank Houdek, ed.)(2008).

South Carolina Law Digest on CD (reviser)(Martindale-Hubbell 2007).

Handbook of Children, Culture, and Violence (book review), 16 J. CHILD & FAM. STUDIES 133 (February 2007).

Let's Do Lunch: University of South Carolina Law School Library Recruits New Law Librarians with a Series of Lunches, 11 AALL Spectrum 14 (November 2006).

South Carolina Law Digest (reviser)(Martindale-Hubbell 2006).

With Prof. Robin F. Wilson, *Investigation and Prosecution of Child Abuse Cases (3rd Edition)* (book review), 14(1) J. CHILD & FAM. STUD. 155 (March 2005).

South Carolina Law Digest (reviser)(Martindale-Hubbell 2005).

An Open Access Electronic Journal Comes to Bioethics: A Review of BMC Biomedical Ethics, 32 J. L. Med. & Ethics 770 (Winter 2004).

Let Me "Edutain" You: Games in the Classroom, 2 ESOURCE FOR COLLEGE TRANSITIONS 3 (December 2004).

A Lesson in Exam-Building: One Law Librarian = s Mission to Create a Practical Legal Research Exam, 8 AALL Spectrum 10 (February 2004).

Cited in: Stephen R. Probst and Michael J Bushbaum, "They're Practically Learning": Pointers on Practical Legal Research Exams, 15 Perspectives 105 (Winter 2007); and Nancy Armstrong, "Tell Me More About That...": Using an Oral Exam As A Final Assessment Tool, 25 Legal Reference Services Quarterly 117 (2006).

South Carolina Law Digest (reviser) (Martindale-Hubbell 2004).

Adventures in Citationland, 22(4) LEGAL REFERENCE SERVICES QUARTERLY 47 (2003).

The Right Against Self-Incrimination in Civil Litigation (book review), 21 LEGAL INFORMATION ALERT 17 (June 2002).

Cited in BIMONTHLY REVIEW OF LEGAL PERIODICALS (September/October 2002)

With Lawrence C. Melton, A Practitioner's Guide to Construction Law (book review), 20 LEGAL INFORMATION ALERT 8 (April 2001).

The Amicus Brief: How to Write It and Use It Effectively (book review) in Legal Reference Books of 1998, Part One, 91 LAW LIB. J. 486 (Summer 1999).

AALL Afterglow (program review), 24 SOUTHEASTERN LAW LIBRARIAN 7 (Fall 1999).

Harvard Law Review on CD-ROM (software review), 17 LEGAL INFORMATION ALERT 14 (October 1998).

Summer Associate Blitz - Academic & Firm Librarians Unite, (program review), 23 SOUTHEASTERN LAW LIBRARIAN 30 (Spring 1998).

Editor & contributor, *Library Incites*, the monthly newsletter of McKenna & Cuneo=s DC library (1996 -97).

Regular contributor, *Shelf Life*, the monthly library newsletter at McGuire, Woods, Battle & Boothe (1994 - 96).

Note, *Elrod v. Burns: Chipping at the Iceberg of Political Patronage*, 34 WASH. & LEE L. REV. 225 (1977).

Cited in: Ronald N. Johnson & Gary D. Libecap, Courts, A Protected Bureaucracy, and Reinventing Government, 37 ARIZ. L. REV. 791 (1995);

Thomas G. Dagger, *Political Patronage in Public Contracting*, 51 U. CHI. L. REV. 518 (1984);

Roy E. Hoffinger, Comment, First Amendment Limitations on Patronage Employment Practices, 49 U. CHI. L. REV. 181 (1982); and

Leah M. Bishop, Note, *Patronage and the First Amendment After Elrod v. Burns*, 78 COLUM. L. REV. 468 (1978).

#### PROGRAMS PRESENTED AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS:

**SOUTH EASTERN CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES** (SEAALL) 2015 Annual Meeting, Lexington, KY

**Moderator & Speaker**, "Connecting the Dots: Using Creative Assessment to Improve Legal Research Training and Instruction." (forthcoming April, 2015)

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (AALL) 2015 Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA Coordinator, Moderator & Speaker, "Creative Assessment: Connecting Legal Research Training and Instruction to Results." (forthcoming July 2015)

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES** (AALL) 2013 Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA **Coordinator & Moderator**, "What's My (Bottom) Line: Managing Law Firms Through the Great Recession," July 14, 2013.

**SOUTH EASTERN CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (SEAALL)** 2011 Annual Meeting, Columbia, SC

**Moderator**, "Main Libraries and Law Libraries: Communicate, Collaborate, and Create a Cross Campus Collection." April 16, 2011.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES** (AALL) 2009 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC **Speaker**, "So You Think You Can Teach: Five Lessons in 50 Minutes," July 28, 2009.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (AALL) 2008 Annual Meeting, Portland, OR Speaker, ADirect Results: Interactive Learning Techniques, July 14, 2008.

SOUTH EASTERN CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (SEAALL) 2008 Annual Meeting, Alexandria, VA

Speaker, "So You Think You Can Teach: Five Lessons in 50 Minutes," March, 2008.

**SOUTH EASTERN CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES** (SEAALL) 2007 Annual Meeting, Baton Rouge, LA

**Speaker**, "Clickers in the Classroom: Using Audience Response Systems to Enhance Instruction," April, 2007.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (AALL) 2006 Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO Program Coordinator, Moderator, and Speaker, AMarketing Your Library Through CLEs, Uly 11, 2006.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (AALL) 2004 Annual Meeting, Boston, MA Program Coordinator and Speaker, ALet Me >Edutain= You,@ July 10, 2004.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (AALL) 2003 Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA **Program Coordinator and Speaker**, **A**A Legal Research Survey: Maximize Legal Research Instruction Relevance, **Q** July 16, 2003.

INTERNATIONAL UNION OF ANTHROPOLOGICAL AND ETHNOLOGICAL SCIENCES, XV ICAES, Florence, Italy

Speaker, AMaking Child Abuse Research Work to Protect Kids, July 8, 2003.

**2003** CONFERENCE ON LAW SCHOOL COMPUTING (CALI) Duke University School of Law, Durham, NC

Speaker, ALet Me Edutain You: Games Shows in the Classroom, June 20, 2003.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (AALL) 2002 Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL **Program Coordinator**, **A**Practical Legal Research Exams: Making the Connection between Theory and Practice, July 21, 2002.

Cited in Stephen R. Probst and Michael J Bushbaum, "They're Practically Learning": Pointers on Practical Legal Research Exams, 15 Perspectives 105 (Winter 2007).

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (AALL) 2001 Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN **Program Coordinator and Moderator**, **A**Two to Tango: The Following Part of Leading in Library Partnerships, July 18, 2001.

#### **SEMINARS:**

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW (Research Assistant Training) Columbia, SC Presenter, A Crafting Citations for Obscure Sources, Spring, 2013

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW (Research Assistant Training) Columbia, SC Presenter, ACitation in a Nutshell, Spring, 2011

SOUTH CAROLINA BAR CLE, UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW, Columbia, SC Presenter, "Lawyers on the Loose: Roving the Free Web for Practice Treasures," December, 2010.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW (Research Assistant Training) Columbia, SC Presenter, ACitation in a Nutshell, Spring, 2010

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW (Research Assistant Training) Columbia, SC Presenter, ACitation in a Nutshell, Spring, 2009

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW (Research Assistant Training) Columbia, SC Presenter, **A**Citation in a Nutshell, **@** Spring, 2008

**CIRCUIT RIDERS PRESENTATION,** RICHLAND COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY, Columbia, SC **Presenter,** "What the Heck is That?" (Legal Citation for Public Librarians), Summer, 2007

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW (Research Assistant Training) Columbia, SC **Presenter, A**Citation in a Nutshell, Spring, 2006

LORMAN EDUCATIONAL SERVICES, Columbia, SC

Speaker, ALegal Research on the Free Web, with Rebekah Maxwell, May 29, 2003

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY (Physical Education - Legal Issues in Sports class) Columbia, SC

**Presenter, A**Introduction to Legal Research, © February, 2002

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA, AIKEN (Reference Librarians) Columbia, SC Coordinator and Presenter, "Legal Resources on the World Wide Web," November, 2001

SOUTH CAROLINA APPLESEED LEGAL JUSTICE CENTER Columbia, SC

Presenter, ALegal Research and Library Resources: A Training for Non-Lawyers, Usly 28, 2000

THE CITADEL (Pre-Law class) Columbia, SC

Presenter, AIntroduction to Legal Research, Spring 1998, 1999, 2000

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW Columbia, SC

Presenter, ACitation Survival Guide - An Introduction to Legal Citation, September, 1999

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE Columbia, SC

**Presenter**, **A**Federal Legal Research on the Internet" - a continuing education program, Fall, 1999.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF LAW Columbia, SC

Presenter, AIntroduction to Internet Research, with Robert Jacoby, 1999

### **EXHIBITS CURATED:**

"Memory Hold The Door," First floor of library. law.sc.edu/memory/. Annually.

"Melvin Purvis ('25L): American Tragic Hero," SC Legal History Room. Fall 2016 – Spring 2017.

"Magna Carta: A Legacy 800 Years in the Making," SC Legal History Room. Spring 2015.

"South Carolina Signers of the U.S. Constitution," SC Legal History Room. Fall 2013 – Spring 2015.

"James F. Byrnes: A South Carolinian on the World Stage," SC Legal History Room. Spring 2012 – Spring 2015.

"Architectural History of the Law School," Law Center Lobby. Fall 2011 – Spring 2015.

"The Development of Legal Encyclopedias," SC Legal History Room. Fall 2011 – Fall 2013.

"A Nineteenth Century Law Library: The Colcock-Hutson Collection," 25th Anniversary Exhibit, South Carolina Legal History Room and companion website: <a href="mailto:law.sc.edu/colcock-hutson/">law.sc.edu/colcock-hutson/</a>

May 2009 – May 2012.

### PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES, 1998 - Present
SOUTH EASTERN CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES, 1998 - Present
SOUTH CAROLINA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, 2002 - Present
AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, 2002 - Present
LAW LIBRARIANS= SOCIETY OF D.C., 1995 - 1997
VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES, 1996 - 1997

### **BAR MEMBERSHIPS:**

VIRGINIA STATE BAR, 1978 - 2016
BAR ASSOCIATION OF THE FOURTH CIRCUIT, 1982 - Present
U.S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA, 1983 - Present
U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA, 1983 - Present
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BAR ASSOCIATION, 1980 - 2001

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (AALL)

Research & Publications Committee, 2008-2009

Chair, 2009

Vice-Chair, 2008

Research Committee, 2007-08

Research Instruction & Patron Services Special Interest Section

Legal Research Competencies Task Force – 2014 to Present

Representative to the AALL Education Summit, Chicago, IL - September, 2006

Immediate Past Chair, 2006

Chair, 2005

Vice-Chair, Chair Elect, 2004

Secretary/Treasurer, 2001 - 2003

Webmaster, 2000 - 2001

Academic Law Libraries Special Interest Section, 1999 to Present

Annual meeting volunteer in 1999, 2000, 2008

SOUTH EASTERN CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW LIBRARIES (SEAALL)

Recipient of the 2016 Service to SEAALL Award

Service to SEAALL Committee, 2016-17

Immediate Past President, 2014-15

President, 2013-14

Vice-President/President-Elect, 2012-13

Chair, Local Arrangements Committee, 2011 Annual Meeting, Columbia, SC Consortium of South Eastern Law Libraries Board Member, 2000 – 2002 Education Committee, 1999 – 2001

LAW LIBRARIANS = SOCIETY OF D.C. (LLSDC)

Education Committee Co-ordinating Committee, LLSDC Career Day, 1997

#### LAW SCHOOL SERVICE:

SELF-STUDY WORKING GROUP 2 – Jan. 2015 to May 2015
FIRST YEAR SECTION - Faculty Advisor, 1999 to Present
HEALTH LAW SOCIETY - Faculty Advisor, 2004
STUDENTS ASSISTING SENIORS PROJECT - Webmaster, 2002 - 2004
JOHNSON & JOHNSON LECTURE SERIES - Research & Support, 2000 - 2004
SCHOOL OF LAW NATIONAL MOOT COURT TEAM - Judge, Practice Round, Spring, 2002

### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE:**

COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT - 2015 - 2018

FACULTY GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE, 2011 - 2014

University Athletics Advisory Committee, 2009 - 2011

FACULTY GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE, 2007 – 2008 (APPOINTED TO FILL ONE YEAR VACANCY)

SPECIAL ISSUES SUB-COMMITTEE ON FACULTY MANUAL REVISION, 2008

University Athletics Advisory Committee, 2004 - 2007

CAMPUS LIBRARIES ELECTRONIC RESOURCES FORUM, 2002 - 2006

COMMITTEE ON LIBRARIES, 2002

CAROLINA BALLROOM CLUB & TEAM - Faculty Advisor, 1999 - Present

Alpha Lambda Delta Freshman Honor Society=s USC Academic Challenge

QUIZ BOWL Moderator, 1999 - Present

DANCING WITH THE DEANS, Choreographer, 2010, 2011.

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICE:**

RICHLAND COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES, Columbia, SC

**Chair of Succession Planning Committee**, 2008

Vice-chair, 2006 - 2008

**Secretary, 2004 - 2006** 

Trustee, 2001 - present

CHURCH OF THE APOSTLES, Columbia, SC,

Head, Altar Guild, 2005 - present

Capital Campaign Manager, 2008

Vestry (Junior Warden) - 2003 - 2005

GREATER COLUMBIA CHAPTER, UNITED STATES BALLROOM DANCE ASSOCIATION, Columbia, SC

Newsletter Editor, 2003 - 2004 Secretary, 2000 - 2002

ALEXANDRIA COMMISSION FOR THE ARTS, Alexandria, VA, Commissioner for Dance, 1988 - 1990 NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL ON EXTENSION & CONTINUING EDUCATION - Member, 1975 - 1978 AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION TOUR DE CURE - Team Melton, 1998 - 2000, 2002, 2008, 2009

#### **GRANTS:**

\$125 grant from SEAALL to partially fund travel to 2009 AALL Annual meeting. \$5000 grant from AALL to fund survey of the research habits of the South Carolina Bar. \$850 grant from West Group to fund production of video for AALL program - 2002

### **SCHOLARSHIPS:**

\$425 grant from the South Eastern Chapter of the American Association of Law Libraries for travel to a professional conference - 2000

\$395 Lucille Elliott Scholarship from the South Eastern Chapter of the American Association of Law Libraries for travel to a professional conference -1999

### **GRANT SUPPORT:**

10% of salary underwritten by grant from USAID awarded to Professor David Linnan - 2000 - 01.

Salary supplement in \$15,000 grant from the Borchard Foundation Center on Law & Aging (Students Assisting Seniors) awarded to Professor Robin Wilson - 2002.