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### *ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE*

#### **University of Tennessee College of Law, Knoxville, TN.**

*Professor of Law; Director of Clinical Programs (7/2011- 7/2015).*

Teach Civil Procedure; Civil Rights; Appellate Clinic; Human Rights Practicum; Sex, Gender, and Justice; and Child, Parent, and State. As Clinic Director, I supervise, manage, and direct ten legal clinics and five externship programs, seven full-time faculty, four adjunct faculty, and four administrative staff.

#### **West Virginia University College of Law, Morgantown, WV (2004-2011)**

*Associate Dean for Faculty Research and Development (2009-2011), Professor of Law (2007- present), Associate Professor of Law (2004 – 2007), Deputy Director of Clinical Law Program (2004-2010); Director, Child and Family Law Clinic (2010-2011).*

#### **University of Richmond School of Law, Richmond, VA**

*Visiting Professor of Law.* Family Law, Children and the Law. Fall, 2009.

#### **Open Society Institute, Network Scholarship Program, Istanbul, Turkey**

*Instructor; Social Sciences Coordinator.* Teach Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Comparative Constitutional Law in orientation program for lawyers, graduate students, and faculty scholarship recipients from Central Asia, the Middle East, and Indonesia. July 2007 – 2012. Coordinated social science program, July 2012.

#### **Western New England College School of Law, Springfield, MA**

*Associate Professor (2002-2004), Director of Antidiscrimination Law Clinic (1997-2000), and Assistant Professor (1997-2004).*

#### **University of Cape Town Law School, Cape Town, South Africa**

*Visiting Research Scholar*

#### **New York University School of Law, NY, NY. Senior Research Instructor.**

### *INTERNATIONAL CONSULTING*

**International Short-Term Expert, European Union, Seyada Project, “Empowering the Palestinian Judicial System,” 2010-2011.**

## ***HONORS AND AWARDS***

W. Allen Separk Outstanding Faculty Scholarship Award, 2014-15.

Significant Faculty Scholarship Award, WVU College of Law, 2006.

I. Goodman Cohen Annual Lecturer, Wayne State University, School of Law, 1999

Woman of Power and Influence Award Recipient, National Organization of Women for New York City, May 1997.

Dorothy Thomas Civil Rights Lecturer, Kansas State University, February 1997 (invited speaker for endowed annual lecture).

## ***EDUCATION***

New York University School of Law, J.D., 1986; Brown University, A.B. *magna cum laude*, 1982.

## ***SCHOLARSHIP***

### **Book Chapters**

*Theorizing Sexual Violence Against Men and Women in Conflict*, in Olga Jurasz and Solange Mouthaan, eds., *GENDER AND INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL LAW* (Intersentia, forthcoming).

*United States v. Virginia*, Linda Berger, Bridget Crawford, Kathryn Stanchi, eds., *FEMINIST JUDGMENTS: REWRITTEN OPINIONS OF THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT* (Cambridge University Press, forthcoming 2016).

*Islamic Covering Through a Masculinities Lens*, in *MASCULINITIES AND LAW: A MULTIDIMENSIONAL APPROACH*, Ann McGinley and Frank Rudy Cooper, ed. (NYU Press 2012).

*Domestic Violence and Gender Equality Under the U.S. and South African Constitutions*, in *LAW AND RIGHTS: GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES OF CONSTITUTIONALISM AND GOVERNANCE*, Penelope E. Andrews and Susan Bazilli, ed. (Vanderplas Publishing 2008)

*The Combat Exclusion is Unconstitutional and Should Be Struck Down*, *AT ISSUE: SHOULD WOMEN BE ALLOWED TO SERVE IN COMBAT ROLES IN THE U.S. ARMED FORCES* (Thompson Gale 2008)

### **Scholarly Articles**

*Sexual Violence Against Men and Women in War: A Masculinities Approach*, 14 NEVADA LAW JOURNAL 923 (2014).

*Politics of the Headscarf in Turkey: Masculinities, Feminism, and the Construction of Collective Identities*, 33:2 HARVARD JOURNAL OF LAW & GENDER 661 (Spring 2010)

*Conceptualizing Intimate Violence and Gender Equality: A Comparative Approach*, 31 FORDHAM INTERNATIONAL LAW JOURNAL 487 (January 2008)

*Gender-Based Abuse and Exploitation of Women by U.N. Peacekeepers*, 15 MICHIGAN JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW 157 (2007) (symposium)

*Beyond Stereotyping in Equal Protection Doctrine: Reframing the Exclusion of Women From Combat*, 57 ALABAMA L. REV. 303 (2005).

*Comments, Symposium: Women and War: A Critical Discourse, Panel Two – Women Warriors*, 20 BERKELEY J. GENDER, LAW AND JUSTICE (2005)

*Gender Outlaws: Challenging Masculinity in Traditionally Male Institutions*, 17 Berkeley Women's Law Journal 68 (2002), reprinted in Carol H. Lefcourt, WOMEN AND THE LAW (Clark Boardman Callaghan 2004), excerpted in Abrams, Cahn, Ross, and Meyer, CONTEMPORARY FAMILY LAW 2d Ed. (West 2009) at p. 196.

*The Invisibility of Gender in War*, 9 DUKE JOURNAL OF GENDER LAW & POLICY 261 (2002)

*Afterword: A Thought About Feminist Litigation Strategies*, 20 W. NEW ENGLAND L. REV. 136 (1998)

*Girls' Schools After VMI: Do They Make the Grade?*, DUKE JOURNAL OF GENDER LAW & POLICY 69 (1997)

*At War: Narrative Tactics in The Citadel and VMI Litigation*, 19 HARVARD WOMEN'S LAW JOURNAL 1 (1996)

### ***SELECTED LECTURES, PRESENTATIONS, AND WORKSHOPS***

*Trans Persons and the Law*, Roundtable Discussion, Sex Week at University of Tennessee, University of Tennessee College of Law, April 10, 2015.

TRAP Laws and Reproductive Rights, Panel Discussant, American Constitution Society Chapter, University of Tennessee College of Law, April 6, 2015.

*Sexual Violence Against Men: Using Masculinities Theory to Enrich Feminist Theories of Gender Violence*, Symposium: *Twenty Years of South African Constitutionalism*:

*Comparative Perspectives*, University of Stellenbosch, Stellenbosch, South Africa, March 13, 2015.

*Theorizing Sexual Violence Against Men and Women in War*, Women in and at War, University of Warwick, Sept. 2014.

*Sexual Violence Against Men and Women in War: Using Masculinities Theory to Enrich Feminist Theories of Gender Violence*, Keynote Speech, International Conference on Gender and “the Law”: Limits, Contestations, and Beyond, Dokuz Eylül University, Izmir, Turkey, June 4, 2014.

*Theorizing Sexual Violence Against Men and Boys*, Feminist Legal Theory at 30: Geographies of Violence: Space, Place and Time Conference, Emory Law School, Jan. 18, 2014.

*Addressing Gender and Race in Clinical Classrooms*, Global Alliance for Justice Education, New Delhi, India, December 13, 2013.

*Beyond Intersectionality: Cosmopolitanism and Gender Violence*, Cosmopolitanism and Women’s Rights Conference, Bahcesehir University, Istanbul, Turkey, March 18, 2013.

*Redressing Gender Violence Through the International Covenant on Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights*, First International Conference on Human Rights, Padjajeran University College of Law, Bandung, Indonesia, December 12, 2012.

*Advancing Women’s Equality Through Socioeconomic Rights*, First International Conference on Human Rights, Padjajeran University College of Law, Bandung, Indonesia, December 10, 2012

Participant, Discussion Group on Gender and the Law, Southeastern Law Schools Annual Conference, Amelia Island, July 31, 2012.

*Sexual Violence Against Men in War*, Law & Society Association Annual Meeting, Honolulu, HA, June 8, 2012.

*Using Masculinities Theory to Enrich Feminist Litigation Strategies*, International Conference on Feminism and Law, ILS School of Law, Pune, India, February 17, 2012.

*Sexual Violence Against Men in War: A Masculinities Approach*, Asking the ‘Man Question’: A Workshop on Contemporary Masculinities, Gainesville, FL, Nov. 18, 2011.

*Islamic Covering Through a Masculinities Lens*, presentation at Multidimensional Masculinities and Legal Theory Colloquium, University of Nevada at Las Vegas Law School, Las Vegas, NV, Feb. 18 and 19, 2011.

*Underneath the Veil: Masculinities, Identity, and the State*, presentation on panel, “Masculinity and Manliness in the Law,” at the Southeastern Law School Annual Conference, Aug. 1, 2010, Palm Beach, FL.

*Uncovering: When and How to Incorporate Our Personal Critical Perspectives and Experiences in Clinical Teaching*, Concurrent Panel Presentation, AALS Clinical Law Conference, May 2010, Baltimore, MD.

*Politics of the Headscarf in Turkey: Masculinities, Feminism, and Collective Identities*, Feminist Perspectives in Masculinities Symposium sponsored by the Harvard Journal of Law and Gender, March 26, 2010, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA.

*Recent Supreme Court and U.S. Court of Appeals Developments in Family Law*, presentation to West Virginia Family Court Judges at their annual Family Court Judicial Conference, WV, Oct. 18, 2009.

Panel discussant, *Social and Gender Rights in Mexico*, WVU College of Law, Oct. 22, 2009.

Small Group Facilitator, Midwest Clinical Law Teachers Conference, Wayne State University Law School, Oct. 9-11, 2009.

*Constitution Day Law Panel: Recent Supreme Court Decisions*, WVU College of Law, Sept. 17, 2009.

*Veiling: Just a “Piece of Cloth”?*, participant in panel discussion at OSI Network Scholarship Summer Orientation Program, Bilgi University, Istanbul, Turkey, July 22, 2009.

*Litigating for Gender Equality: VMI and The Citadel*, invited presentation at Feminist Lawyers 1963-1975, conference sponsored by the Veteran Feminists Association honoring Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg and other early feminist lawyers, Harvard Club of New York City, N.Y., N.Y. , June 9, 2008.

Small Group Facilitator, *Clinical Legal Education: Reflecting on Our Work and Vision: Risks, Mistakes, and Opportunities*, AALS 2008 Annual Clinical Law Conference.

Panel Presentation, *Cultural Competence for Clinicians: Engaging Students on Their Own Terms*, 2007 AALS Workshop on Clinical Legal Education, New Orleans, LA, May 5, 2007.

*Reconsidering Castle Rock v. Gonzales: Comparative Approaches to Domestic Violence*, presented at WVU College of Law, March, 2007.

*Gender-Based Violence against Women, Girl Refugees and Internally Displaced Persons: Focusing on the Sexual Abuse and Exploitation by UN Peacekeepers*, presented at Gender, War & Peace: Women's Status in the Wake of Conflict, Michigan State

University College of Law, Feb. 24, 2006.

*Gender, HIV, and Africa*, Association of American Law Schools Annual Conference, Section on Africa Program on Gender, Law and Africa, Jan. 4, 2006.

*Reframing the Exclusion of Women from Combat in the United States*, presented at Women in War: Law & Gender in Situations of Conflict Symposium, Harvard Law School, April 9, 2005 (sponsored by the Harvard Women's Law Journal).

*Is Domestic Violence an Issue of Gender Equality: Comparative U.S. and South African Constitutional Law*, presented at Comparative Constitutionalism and Rights Conference, co-sponsored by the Law & Society, African Renaissance Committee, the University of KwaZulu-Natal, and the University of Saskatchewan, December 10-13, 2005.  
Michigan State University College of Law,

*Challenging the Exclusion of Women at The Citadel*, Boalt Hall, School of Law, University of California -Berkeley, Conference on Gender and War, March 13, 2004.

*Masculinity and the Failure of Equal Protection Law*, Albany Law School Conference on Globalization, Family Law, and Gender, Feb. 2003.

*Transformative Justice and Gender Equality Under the New South African Constitution*. University of Texas Law School Conference on Subversive Legacies in Feminism, Nov. 1-22, 2002.

*Masculinity and Gender Inequality*, University of Cape Town, Faculty Seminar, October 4, 2002.

*The Role of Law in Transforming Gendered Social Institutions*, presentation to Cape Town magistrates on behalf of the Law, Race and Gender Unit of University of Cape Town Law School, September 29, 2002.

*Sexual Harassment in Traditionally Male Workplaces*, University of Massachusetts, Labor Center, January 10, 2003.

*How to Get Involved in Legal Work in Africa*, American Association of Law Schools, Section on Law and Africa, January, 2003.

*Re-Conceptualizing Gender as a Social Process Within The Workplace*, University of Massachusetts, School of Labor Faculty Forum, April 16, 2002.

*Sexual Harassment in the Military: Constructing Masculinity*, presented at Women and Legal Education Panel at American Association of Law School annual conference, January 2000.

*Single-Sex Education: Can Separate Be Equal?*, JUSTICE TALKING, Annenberg Center

for Public Policy, June 14, 1999. Broadcast debate with Professor Susan Estrich on the value of single-sex education for NPR radio series.

Debate on Same-Sex Education for Women, Columbia University School of Law, March, 1999.

*Storming The Citadel: Lessons From the Legal Battlefield*, I. Goodman Cohen Lecture Series, Wayne State Law School, April 19, 1999.

*Sex, Power, and the Legal System*, New York University School of Law, October 1998.

*The Battle for Gender Equity at The Citadel*, Dorothy Thompson Civil Rights Lecture Series, Kansas State University, Spring 1997.

*The Citadel Litigation and Higher Education*, Symposium on Gender and Higher Education, Duke Law School and Duke School of Public Policy, Durham, N.C. February 1996.

Harvard Law Forum, Harvard Law School, October 1996.

Guest lecturer at Columbia University School of Law, New York University School of Law, Graduate Center at CUNY (1997); University of Massachusetts at Amherst (1998).

### ***BAR ASSOCIATION AND CLE PRESENTATIONS***

*Ethics of Negotiation*, West Virginia Trial Lawyers Association Meeting, CLE Presentation, February, 2007.

*Innocence Project Overview*, Mountain State Bar Association, Morgantown, WV, May, 2006.

*Challenging Masculinity in Traditionally Masculine Institutions*, Annual Meeting of the Women's Law Section of the Maine Bar Association, May 16, 2002.

*Storming The Citadel*, Hartford Bench/Bar Association, 1997.