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Legal Education:

J.D. Cum Laude, June, 1978, Boston University School of Law (third year of degree work taken at the University of Iowa College of Law).

Pre-legal Education:

B.A. Cum Laude, May, 1971, Rice University
Houston, Texas - Major: English.

M.A. in English, April, 1973, Tufts University,
Medford, Mass.

Employment:

Clinical Professor of Law Emerita, University of Iowa College of Law, June 2019;
Clinical Professor of Law, University of Iowa College of Law, January, 1992 to June, 2019;
University Ombudsperson, University of Iowa, August, 1997 to July, 1999; February, 2008 to
December, 2009;

Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, University of Iowa College of Law, July, 1990 to August,
1996;

Associate Clinical Professor, University of Iowa College of Law, May, 1987 to December, 1991;
Visiting Associate Clinical Professor, University of Iowa College of Law, August, 1986 to May,
1987;

Staff attorney, Iowa City Regional Office, Legal Services Corp. of Iowa. Concentration in
employment and public benefits law, November, 1978 to August, 1986.

Teaching:

Clinical:

Domestic violence, employment

Non-clinical:

Notable American Trials of the Twentieth Century – taught both as a law school seminar and as a first year seminar to undergraduates

Bar Admissions:

Admitted to practice before the Iowa Supreme Court, United States Federal District Courts for the Northern and Southern Districts of Iowa, the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit, and the United States Supreme Court

Bar Association Memberships:

Iowa State Bar Association
Johnson County Bar Association
Iowa Organization of Women Attorneys

Professional Memberships:

AALS Section on Clinical Legal Education
Clinical Legal Education Association
Society of American Law Teachers

Honors and Awards

Gold Seal Award, presented by the Iowa Coalition Against Domestic Violence, 2000
Michael J. Brody Award for Faculty Excellence in Service – University of Iowa, 2005

Service:

State:

Board of Directors, Iowa Civil Liberties Union, 1994-1997
Member, Committee A, Iowa Conference of the American Association of University Professors, 2005-2007, 2010-present

University:

Member, Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship Selection Committee, 1994-1999
Host, WSUI, KSUI radio broadcast “Law at Iowa”, 1994-2000
Chair, Committee to Review the Office of the Ombudsperson, 1996
Member, Search Committee, Faculty Judicial Commission Investigating Officer, 1997

Member, Search Committee, Labor Center, 1998-1999
Mediator, University Mediation Services, 1999-2007
Member, Search Committee, Director of the Office of Affirmative Action (now Office of Equal Opportunity and Diversity) (two searches), 2001-2002
Member, University of Iowa Chapter, American Association of University Professors, Executive Committee, 2003-2007, 2010-present
Vice President, 2003-2007
Newsletter Editor, 2003-2007, 2010-present
Member, Committee A on Academic Freedom and Tenure, 2003-2007, 2010-present
Chair, 2010-present
Member, Committee to Review the Office of the General Counsel, 2004
Member, Search Committee, Director of Broadcasting Services, 2004
Member, Research Misconduct Investigative Committee, Office of the Vice President for Research, 2004-2005
Member, Search Committee, General Counsel, 2005
Member, Faculty Development Advisory Council, ex officio, 2009
Member, Conflict Management Advisory Group (formerly Dispute Resolution Committee), 2008-2009
Member, Committee on Competition with Private Enterprise and Community Concerns, 2010-2019
Member, Faculty Policies and Compensation Committee, 2011-2017
Chair, Faculty Policies and Compensation Committee, 2014-2017
Member, Faculty Judicial Commission, 2013-2019
Member, Academic Values Committee, 2017-2019

Law College:

Member, Career Services Committee (formerly Placement Committee), 1987-2004
Chairperson, 1996-1997
Member, Student Awards Committee, 1991-1999, 2010-2011
Chairperson, 1991-1995
Member, Academic Rules Committee, 1999-2001
Member, Student Recruitment and Academic Support Committee, 1999-2001
Member, Search Committee, Associate Director of Career Services (two searches), 1999, 2001
Co-chair, Speakers Committee, 2000-2004
Member, Student Services Committee, 2004-2006
Chairperson, 2005-2009
Member, Academic Standards and Review Committee, 2004-2009
Chair, Student Misconduct Subcommittee, 2009
Member, Peer Review Committee, 2005-2006
Member, Search Committee, Associate Dean for Student Affairs, 2007
Member, Search Committee, Director, Academic Achievement Program (2 searches), 2008-2009

Faculty Advisor, Organization of Women Law Students and Staff, 2008-2019
Member, Search Committee, Career Services Academic Advisor, 2009
Member, Admissions Committee, 2006-2008, 2010-2014
Sexual Harassment Officer, 2010-2013
Member, Ad Hoc Committee on the Future of the Legal Clinic and Experiential Learning,
2011-2012
Member, Enrollment Management Committee, 2014-2019
Chair, 2015-2019
Member, Student Misconduct Panel, 2017-2019
Member, Student Advising and Career Planning Committee, 2014-2015
Member, Internal Procedures Committee, 2018-2019
Member, Promotion Review Committee for Clinical Professor Bram Elias, 2018-2019

Community:

Board of Trustees, Iowa City Public Library, 1986-1991
Board of Directors, Domestic Violence Intervention Program, 2000-2006
Co-chair, 2002-2004
President, Johnson County Bar Association, 2002-2003
Johnson County Courthouse Security Committee, 2003-2009
Riverside Theatre Board of Directors, 2018-present
Governance Committee, 2018-present
Strategic Planning Committee, co-chair, 2019

Profession:

Member, Iowa Accountability Program Judicial Training Institute, Education Advisory
Board, 2014
Member, Various teams of accreditation visitors, American Bar Association Section of
Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar, 2005-present