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**TEACHING EXPERIENCE, SERVICE, OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT,
AND AWARDS**

BRIEF SUMMARY OF LAW SCHOOL TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Externships – summer externship Director and classroom teacher
- Pro Bono – mandatory program Director and advisor
- Contracts
- Professional Responsibility
- Remedies
- Pre-Trial Skills
- Trial Skills
- Clinic: Tax Litigation (LITC Grant-funded)
- Clinic: Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault
- Clinic: General Civil

**UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO COLLEGE OF LAW
Moscow, Idaho**

Instructor of Law & Externship/Mandatory Pro Bono Director 8/8/2010-present
(Visiting Associate Professor 2011-2012)

Instructor of Law and Supervising Attorney 5/2007 – 8/2009

Courses taught

- Externships: Direct, coordinate, and teach high-credit summer externship program, including regular classroom instruction, student counseling, extern supervisor recruitment, and program administration (current).
- Pro Bono: Direct and coordinate the mandatory pro-bono program for all students, including pro bono opportunity development, pro bono attorney supervisor recruitment, program administration, and student counseling/instruction (current).
- Contracts: Newly-formed, one-semester, 4-credit spring Contracts course for first year students, Spring 2012.

- Professional Responsibility: traditional 2-credit course, Fall 2011.
- Clinic: Low Income Taxpayer Clinic (LITC); year-round 2007-2009.
 - Supervising Attorney/Instructor – supervised students representing clients in U.S. Tax Court litigation and IRS administrative controversies.
 - Regular travel - supervised students at U.S. Tax Court calendar calls, including trial work, in Idaho, Washington, Utah, Wyoming, Nevada, and Montana.
 - Active, continuous engagement with students to develop a client-centered approach to practice and an individual professional identity.
 - Classroom instruction in procedural and selected substantive tax law.
 - Federal grant administration work – primarily responsible for renewal applications, reporting, and administration of IRS-TAS grant.
 - ESL outreach and engagement – instructed and coordinated students who traveled in Idaho and Washington to provide basic tax information presentations to persons for whom English is a second language (ESL).
- Clinic: Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault and General Clinics; summers 2007 and 2008.
 - Supervised law students representing victims of domestic violence in divorce, custody, and protection order matters.
 - Represented prisoners in civil tort litigation against corrections officials and others in state and federal courts.
- Lawyering Process; spring semesters 2008 and 2009.
 - Taught pre-trial litigation skills including professionalism and ethics, client interviews and counseling, complaints, responsive pleadings, written discovery, depositions, written and oral motions, alternative/appropriate dispute resolution, and federal courts Electronic Case Filing (“ECF”).
 - Created, coordinated, and graded written and oral assignments throughout the semester.
 - Coordinated and supervised 8-9 adjunct faculty members.
 - Class size: 60-72 students.
- Professional Responsibility; summer 2009.
- Remedies; summer 2008.
- Trial Advocacy; fall semesters 2007 and 2008 (team-taught).
- Trial Skills; fall semesters 2007 and 2008 (small group instructor).

Outreach and Engagement

- Member, Idaho State Bar/Foundation Law Related Education Committee (current).
- Member, Idaho Delivery of Legal Services Advisory Committee (current).

- Member, Idaho Pro Bono Commission.
- Clinic/Idaho Volunteer Lawyers Program/Sexual Orientation Diversity Alliance student group joint workshop on wills, living wills, and powers of attorney for same-sex couples—coordinator, presenter, supervising attorney (1/2009).
- City of Moscow Zoning Board of Adjustment/Board of Appeals Member (2010).
- Idaho State Bar Association – Member of Public Information Committee, 2005-2009.
- Idaho Second District Bar Association – Citizens’ Law Academy organizer/coordinator, 2005-2009.
- Lawyers in the Classroom project of the Idaho Law Foundation – public school classroom presenter, 2009.
- Law Day (American Bar Association) volunteer speaker—Idaho public schools, 2002–2005.
- Latah County, Idaho small claims court volunteer mediator, 2004–2007.
- “Headline News,” Idaho State Bar ethics CLE instructor, November 2008.
- Idaho bar examination grader; 2004–2007.
- Member, Idaho State Bar Business and Corporate Law Section, Real Property Section, Litigation Section, and Professionalism and Ethics Section.
- Member, American Inns of Court.

Service

- Honor Code Revision Committee member – U of I College of Law (current)
- Pro Bono Advisory Committee – ex-officio member (current)
- Mentor/advisor – approximately 18 students per year (current)
- Mentor to Sexual Orientation Diversity Alliance student group (U of I College of Law) leadership regarding same-sex wills clinic planning, coordination, and execution, 2008-2009.
- Mentor/Advisor to Federalist Society student group, 2008-2009.
- Recruiting meetings and guest lectures in pre-law course at University of Nevada-Reno, fall 2008.
- Co-created and co-presented College of Law court room technology orientation presentations for students, legal community, and news media.
- Annual participation in the College of Law’s early welcome program which was strongly populated by students of diverse backgrounds.
- Participation in Multicultural Law Caucus fundraisers.
- Participation in the “Crit,” critical legal studies, club luncheon events addressing minority legal issues.
- University of Idaho College of Law professionalism and ethics orientation program mentor, 2005 and 2006.
- University of Idaho College of Law McNichols Appellate Moot Court competition judge, 2003-2008.
- University of Idaho College of Law guest speaker—classroom and Career Development presentations, 2003-2006.
- College of Law Honor Court Faculty Justice 2008-2009.

Awards

- University of Idaho Supervisor of the Year, April 2008—university-wide award, selected from a field of over 30 nominees and nominated by my research assistant and Clinic students.
- Idaho State Bar, Denise O'Donnell-Day Pro Bono Award, 2nd District, 2007.
- Idaho State Bar, Outstanding Service Award, 2005.

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO COLLEGE OF LAW Moscow, Idaho

Juris Doctor, 2001

- Rank: 14; Dean's List, all 6 semesters.
- Northwest Institute for Dispute Resolution Arbitration Seminar (20 hours, certificate received) May 2000.
- McNichols Moot Court (appellate) competitor, 1999–2000.
- Northwest Institute for Dispute Resolution Mediation Seminar (40 hours, certificate received) summer 1999.
- University of Idaho Negotiation training/competition—(8 hours, certificate received) fall 1998.

LEWIS-CLARK STATE COLLEGE Lewiston, Idaho

B.S. Communications, Cum Laude, 1998

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

GENERAL COUNSEL & GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS DIRECTOR Phoenix RBT Solutions, LLC Grangeville, ID

10/2011 - present

Government contract solicitation bids/proposals, contract management, business development, corporate formation and compliance, general legal, and related matters.

PRIVATE CONSULTING

2/2010-present

Dealer network development and military/government contract solicitation/bid development; consolidation and brokering of precious metal mining claims and properties; legal/business consulting for attorneys.

KINGSTON COMPAINES
Idaho Falls, Idaho
In-House Counsel

8/2009-2/2010
(Downsizing layoff)

- Litigation supervision – all subject matter areas involving the companies.
- Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation contract compliance, FD CPA compliance, and transactional work for distressed asset portfolio management.
- Debt collection, UCC security agreements and instruments, real estate collateral management, business entity formation and general compliance.
- Commercial contract negotiation and original drafting, including commercial real estate leasing, real estate purchase and sale transactions, confidentiality agreements, investment memoranda of understanding, private labeling and wholesale vendor agreements.
- Real estate management and boundary issues, easement and use advice, and development advice.

LANDECK, WESTBERG, JUDGE & GRAHAM, P.A.
Moscow, Idaho
Attorney

1/2003 – 5/2007

- Highly diverse litigation and transactional practice.
- Extensive civil litigation in state and federal courts, including first-chair trial work, use of expert witnesses, and all aspects of pre-trial litigation.
- Litigation and administrative advocacy subjects included: commercial contracts, real estate boundaries and development, land use planning, construction, employment contracts, public employee constitutional rights, personal injury, other torts, landlord/tenant, bankruptcy, criminal, and appellate.
- Transactional work included commercial contracts, business formation, business advice, estate planning, and wills.

ELAM & BURKE, P.A.
Boise, Idaho
Attorney
Summer Legal Intern

7/2002 – 1/2003
Summer 2000

- Insurance defense litigation, corporate litigation, products liability defense, other civil litigation, and selected business formation work and business and transactional advice.

IDAHO SUPREME COURT
Boise, Idaho
Law Clerk to Justice Wayne L. Kidwell

2001 – 2002

- Appellate judicial law clerk.

LICENSING/ADMISSION TO PRACTICE

- Idaho Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, and trial courts.
- United States District Court and Bankruptcy Court, District of Idaho.
- United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.
- United States Tax Court.
- Internal Revenue Service.

REFERENCES

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