# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

University of Idaho

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DATE OF FIRST EMPLOYMENT AT UI: July 2016

**DATE OF TENURE:** Untenured

DATE OF PRESENT RANK OR TITLE: July 2016

### EDUCATION BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL:

### **Degrees:**

M.L.S., 2007, Southern Connecticut State University

Specialization in special libraries

Capstone project: Guidelines for Balancing Print and Electronic Resources in Legal Collections

President, Special Libraries Association Student Chapter

J.D., 2001, Gonzaga University School of Law

Editorial staff member, Gonzaga Journal of International Law (then known as Across Borders)

B.A., 1998, California State University, Sacramento Major: Sociology with concentration in criminology

Minor: Spanish

Golden Key Honor Society

A.A., 1995, Santa Rosa Junior College Major: Business Administration

### **EXPERIENCE:**

### **Teaching, Extension and Research Appointments:**

Head of Public Services & Assistant Professor of Law, University of Idaho College of Law (2016 - Present)

Professor of Legal Research, New York Law School (2011 – 2014) (adjunct)

## **Academic Administrative Appointments:**

Head of Bench & Bar Services, University of North Dakota School of Law (2014 – 2016)

Reference Librarian, New York Law School (2008 – 2014)

## **Non-Academic Employment including Armed Forces:**

Academic Account Manager, West Group (now Thomson Reuters Legal), trained law students in Westlaw usage and served as liaison to law schools in the San Francisco Bay Area (2001 – 2002)

### **TEACHING ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** (Academic and Extension teaching)

Areas of Specialization: Legal research

### **Courses Taught:**

University of Idaho College of Law Introduction to Legal Research, Law 821, Fall 2017 & Fall 2018 Advanced Legal Research, Law 970, Spring 2019

University of North Dakota School of Law Advanced Legal Research, co-instructor, Spring 2016

New York Law School

Legal Research Practical Skills, Spring 2011 & Spring 2012 Legal Research Practical Skills: Intellectual Property, Spring 2013

## **Courses Developed:**

Introduction to Legal Research, Advanced Legal Research (Developed this course both as a team teacher at University of North Dakota and currently as a sole instructor at University of Idaho for Spring 2019). I developed both courses to be "flipped," i.e., I created and update instructional videos to be viewed before class, rather than lecture extensively in class. Class time is devoted primarily to working through research exercises, as I believe research is learned more effectively by performing it in a controlled setting with an instructor providing guidance.

## Non-credit Classes, Workshops, Seminars, Invited Lectures, etc.:

Research instruction provided as a one-time guest lecturer in: Comparative Law, Legal Research and Writing (before the course's transition to Legal Writing and Analysis), Immigration Clinic, General Practice Clinic (University of Idaho); Lawyering Skills, Solo Practice (University of North Dakota); Legal Practice (New York Law School)

Research Workshop Series (New York Law School): A series of required one-time research workshops; 1Ls were required to complete a designated number of sessions of which they were allowed to choose which ones; optional for (but frequently attended by) 2Ls and 3Ls. I developed and taught Electronic Legal Research, Legal Citation, How to Use Citators, New York Legal Research.

# SCHOLARSHIP ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

#### **Peer Reviewed/Evaluated:**

Terry Ballard and Anna Blaine, User search limiting in online catalogs: Comparing classic catalog use to search behavior in next-generation catalogs, 112(5/6) New Library World 261 (2011)

Terry Ballard and Anna Blaine, The Changing Face of Current Awareness Reporting in Law Libraries, 111 New Library World 104 (2010)

#### Other:

Book Review. Anne E. Mullins and Tammy R. Pettinato, North Dakota Legal Research. Durham, N.C.: Carolina Academic Press, 2016, 109 Law Library Journal 317 (2017)

Book Review. Ruth Colker, When Is Separate Unequal? A Disability Perspective. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2009, 101 Law Library Journal 381 (2009)

Book Review. Benjamin N. Schiff, Building the International Criminal Court, Cambridge, U.K.: Cambridge University Press, 2008, 27 Legal Information ALERT 10 (2008)

#### **Presentations and Other Creative Activities:**

Presentation: "Discover the Invisible Web" and "Finding Practice Tools," as part of NBI CLE – Find it Free and Fast on the Net: Strategies for Legal Research on the Web, Fargo, ND, 2016

Presentation with Kelly Thormodson (Library Director, Univ. of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences: "Copyright Law: What You Should Know." Northern Valley Marketing and Communications Professionals (Grand Forks, ND, September 2015) and North Dakota Professional Communicators (Grand Forks, ND, May 2015)

#### **Honors and Awards:**

American Association of Law Libraries, Academic Law Libraries Special Interest Section, Outstanding Article Award (co-recipient with Terry Ballard), The Changing Face of Current Awareness Reporting in Law Libraries, 2011

## **SERVICE:**

### **Committee Assignments:**

# College of Law & University of Idaho:

Library Committee, August 2018 – Present University Safety & Loss Control Committee, August 2018 – Present Head of Technical Services Search Committee, 2016-2017

## North Dakota Judicial Ethics Advisory Committee

Research Advisor, 2015 - 2016

# **Professional Organizations:**

American Association of Law Libraries (AALL)

- Conference of Newer Law Librarians (CONELL) Committee, 2017 Present
- Scholarship Awards Jury, 2016 2017
- Bylaws and Resolutions Committee, 2012 2016
  - o Vice Chair, 2014 2015
  - o Chair, 2015 2016

AALL Academic Law Libraries Special Interest Section (ALL-SIS)

- Awards Committee, 2016 2018
  - o Chair, 2017 2018
- Continuing Education Committee, 2010 2011

• Bylaws Committee, 2008 – 2009

North Dakota Library Association (NDLA)

• Constitution, Bylaws, & Policies Committee, Chair, 2014 – 2015

Mid-America Association of Law Libraries (MAALL)

• Elections Committee, 2015 – 2016

Law Library Association of Greater New York (LLAGNY)

• Advertising Committee, Chair, 2009 – 2011

### **General Service to College of Law:**

Served as judge for Legal Writing and Analysis oral arguments, Spring 2017 and Spring 2018

Coordinated Faculty Colloquium regarding library services, Fall 2017

### **Professional and Scholarly Organizations**

American Association of Law Libraries (AALL), 2005-Present

- Academic Law Libraries Special Interest Section (ALL-SIS), 2008 Present
- Research, Instruction, and Patron Services Special Interest Section (RIPS-SIS), 2008 Present
- Social Responsibilities Special Interest Section (SR-SIS), 2008 Present
- Government Law Libraries Special Interest Section (GLL-SIS), 2014 2016

Western Pacific Chapter (WestPac), AALL, 2016 - Present

Idaho Library Association (ILA), 2016 - Present

Mid-America Association of Law Libraries (MAALL), 2014 – 2016

North Dakota Library Association (NDLA), 2014 – 2016

Law Library Association of Greater New York (LLAGNY), 2008 - 2014

# **Outreach Service:**

Panelist, SLA SkillShare Fair, Pratt School of Information and Library Science, Brooklyn NY, 2011

## **Honors and Awards:**

Grant: WestPac award to attend the WestPac Annual Meeting, 2016

North Dakota Library Association President's Recognition Award, 2015

Grant: LexisNexis award to attend the AALL Annual Meeting, 2009

Grant: LLAGNY award to attend the AALL Annual Meeting, 2009

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

Attended American Association of Law Libraries Annual Meetings - July 2009, 2011, 2012 - 2015, 2017 - 2018

• Features educational programming on all aspects of law librarianship, including instruction, faculty services, emerging trends and technologies, subject specific research, management/administration and soft skills.

Attended WestPac Annual Meetings - October 2016 and 2017

Attended Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting – January 2017

AALL Management Institute - Specialized management training for law librarians, scheduled March 2018