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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

The University of Iowa College of Law

Charlotte and Frederick Hubbell Professor of Environmental and Natural Resources Law, July 2022 – present; *Faculty Director, Hubbell Environmental Law Initiative*, January 2022 – present; *Professor of Law*, July 2021 – June 2022

Current courses: Environmental Law, Energy Law, Administrative Law, Climate Change and Land Use Seminar, Property, Wildlife and Habitat Conservation Law (one-week field course)

Oklahoma City University School of Law

Robert S. Kerr, Jr. Professor of Natural Resources and Environmental Law, July 2017 – June 2021; *Professor of Law*, August 2014 – June 2021; *Associate Professor of Law*, August 2011 – August 2014; *Assistant Professor of Law*, August 2008 – August 2011

Courses taught: Environmental Law, Legislation and Regulation, Property, Torts, Land Use, Climate Change Law and Policy Seminar

Awards:

Outstanding Faculty Award, Spring 2019 (an annual university-wide award recognizing a faculty member whose teaching, scholarship, and service to the university and professional community are deemed to be exemplary).

Outstanding Faculty Assistance Award, Spring 2011 & Spring 2020 (from the *Oklahoma City University Law Review*).

WORKS IN PROGRESS

ADAPTING TO HIGH-LEVEL WARMING: EQUITY, GOVERNANCE, AND LAW (ELI Press, forthcoming 2023) (co-editor with Katrina Fischer Kuh).

CHRISTINE KLEIN & SHANNON ROESLER, PROPERTY: CASES, PROBLEMS AND SKILLS (joining as co-author on third edition).

PUBLICATIONS (https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/cf_dev/AbsByAuth.cfm?per_id=1133136)

Journal Articles

Constitutional Resilience, 80 WASH. & LEE L. REV. __ (forthcoming 2023).

State-Created Environmental Dangers and Substantive Due Process, 73 FLA. L. REV. 685 (2021).

Agency Reasons at the Intersection of Expertise and Presidential Preferences, 71 ADMIN. L. REV. 491 (2019).

Evaluating Corporate Speech About Science, 106 GEO. L.J. 447 (2018).

State Standing to Challenge Federal Authority in the Modern Administrative State, 91 WASH. L. REV. 637 (2016).

Federalism and Local Environmental Regulation, 48 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 1111 (2015).

The Nature of the Environmental Right to Know, 39 ECOLOGY L.Q. 989 (2012).

Addressing Environmental Injustices: A Capability Approach to Rulemaking, 114 W. VA. L. REV. 49 (2011).

The Ethics of Global Justice Lawyering, 13 YALE HUM. RTS. & DEV. L.J. 185 (2010).

Permutations of Judicial Power: The New Constitutionalism and the Expansion of Judicial Authority, 32 LAW & SOC. INQUIRY 545 (2007).

Modern Legal Reform in Egypt: Shifting Claims to Legal Authority, 14 CARDOZO J. INT'L & COMP. L. 393 (2006).

Who Are "We the People?": The Legal Response to Twentieth Century Migration in Germany and the United States, 1 CHI.-KENT J. INT'L & COMP. L. 92 (2001).

Comment, *The Kansas Remedy by Due Course of Law Provision: Defining a Right to a Remedy*, 47 U. KAN. L. REV. 655 (1999), reprinted in part in RANDY J. HOLLAND ET AL., STATE CONSTITUTIONAL LAW: THE MODERN EXPERIENCE (2010).

Book Chapters

Landscapes of Inequality: Residential Segregation and Environmental Injustice, in ENVIRONMENTAL LAW. DISRUPTED (Keith Hirokawa & Jessica Owley eds., ELI Press, 2021), featured in 51 ENVIRONMENTAL LAW REPORTER 10773 (2021).

Competitive Federalism: Environmental Governance as a Zero-Sum Game, in BEYOND ZERO-SUM ENVIRONMENTALISM (Sarah Krakoff et al. eds., ELI Press, 2019), reprinted in 49 ENVTL. L. REP. NEWS & ANALYSIS 10858 (2019) (selected as a feature article for the issue).

Responding to Climate-Related Harms: A Role for the Courts?, in CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN CLIMATE CHANGE LAW AND POLICY: ESSAYS INSPIRED BY THE IPCC (Robin Kundis Craig & Stephen R. Miller eds., ELI Press, 2016).

Deciding What Equity Means in the Context of Global Climate Change, in RETHINKING SUSTAINABILITY TO MEET THE CLIMATE CHANGE CHALLENGE (Keith Hirokawa & Jessica Owley eds., ELI Press, 2015).

Challenging What Appears “Natural”: The Environmental Justice Movement’s Impact on the Environmental Agenda, in ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND CONTRASTING IDEAS OF NATURE: A CONSTRUCTIVIST APPROACH (Keith Hirokawa ed., Cambridge Univ. Press, 2014).

Women’s Human Rights Abuses in the Name of Religion, in THE HANDBOOK OF WOMEN, PSYCHOLOGY, AND THE LAW 280 (Andrea Barnes ed., 2005).

Shorter Pieces

What the Many Meanings of Shelter Share, [Environmental Law Prof Blog](#) (Oct. 23, 2023) (contribution to *Living the Good Life in the Anthropocene: Essays from the Environmental Collaborative*).

Adapting to a 4°C World, contribution, 52 ELR 10211 (2022) (contribution posted on the Environmental Law Prof Blog and GreenLaw Blog on Oct. 1, 2021).

Environmental Law. Disrupted, contribution (with Sarah Krakoff), 49 ENVTL. L. REP. NEWS & ANALYSIS 10038 (2019) (contribution posted on the Environmental Law Prof Blog on Nov. 10, 2018, and the CPRBlog on Nov. 14, 2018).

Beyond Zero-Sum Environmentalism, contribution, 47 ENVTL. L. REP. NEWS & ANALYSIS 10328 (2017) (contribution posted on the Environmental Law Prof Blog on Dec. 8, 2016).

A Response to the IPCC Fifth Assessment, contribution, 45 ENVTL. L. REP. NEWS & ANALYSIS 10027 (2015) (contribution posted on the Environmental Law Prof Blog on Nov. 7, 2014).

Rethinking Sustainability to Meet the Climate Change Challenge, contribution, 43 ENVTL. L. REP. NEWS & ANALYSIS 10342 (2013) (contribution posted on the Environmental Law Prof Blog on Dec. 12, 2012).

Book Review: Towards Juristocracy: The Origins and Consequences of the New Constitutionalism, 38 COMP. POL. STUD. 728 (2005).

GRANTS

Co-PI, Co-LEARN, [Central Midwest Climate Adaptation Partnership Team](#) (part of NOAA's Climate Adaptation Partnerships (CAP) / Regional Integrated Sciences and Assessments (RISA) network).

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AND UNPUBLISHED PAPERS

Lecture, *Protecting Wetlands after Sackett v. EPA*, Environmental Law CLE Seminar, University of Iowa College of Law, November 2023.

Lecture, *How Resilient is the U.S. Constitution? Lessons from Recent Environmental Cases*, Clyde Kohn Colloquium Speaker Series, Geographical and Sustainability Sciences, University of Iowa, September 2023.

Paper Presentation, *Constitutional Resilience*, Eighth Annual SRP Sustainability Conference of American Legal Educators, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University, May 2023.

Panel Presentation, *Understanding the Changing Landscape of Disaster Legal Issues*, Iowa Legal Aid Virtual CLE Conference, December 2022.

Moderator and Presenter, *Carbon Pipelines Across Iowa*, Hubbell Environmental Law Initiative, University of Iowa College of Law, November 2022.

Panel Participant, *Siting Decisions for Animal Feeding Operations, Solar, and Wind*, Iowa Ideas 2022 Virtual Conference, The Gazette, October 2022.

Panel Moderator, *Land Use Considerations: Is Utility-Scale Solar Compatible with Current Land Uses?*, Solar Energy in Iowa: Policies and Practices at the Municipal, County, and State Levels, Hubbell Environmental Law Initiative, University of Iowa College of Law, October 2022.

Panel Presentation, *Obstacles to Developing Local Ecosystem Governance*, Sustainability Conference of American Legal Educators, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University, May 2021.

Paper Presentation, *State-Created Environmental Dangers and Substantive Due Process*, Fall Colloquium on Environmental Scholarship at Vermont Law School, September 2020.

Commencement Address, *The Spark of Imagination*, Graduate Commencement, Oklahoma City University, May 2019.

Panel Presentation, *Integrating Climate Change Adaptation into Disaster Risk Management*, American College of Environmental Lawyers Environmental Disaster Conference, Oklahoma City University School of Law, April 2019.

Paper Presentation, *Agency Reasons at the Intersection of Expertise and Presidential Preferences*, Inaugural Environmental Works-in-Progress Roundtable Co-sponsored by the University of Houston's Environment, Energy, & Natural Resources Center and the University of Calgary Faculty of Law, Houston, December 2018.

Paper Presentation, *Agency Reasons at the Intersection of Expertise and Presidential Preferences*, ABA SEER First Annual Law Professors Workshop, San Diego, October 2018.

Panel Presentation, *Standing After Scalia*, Environmental Law in the Administrative State, Center for the Study of the Administrative State, Antonin Scalia Law School, George Mason University, September 2016.

Panel Presentation, *Rhetoric, Narrative, and Environmental Advocacy*, Public Interest Environmental Law Conference, Eugene, Oregon, March 2012.

Invited Presenter, *Rule of Law Course*, a course for international rule-of-law practitioners, sponsored by the Folke Bernadotte Academy (a Swedish governmental agency), Berlin, Germany, October 2011.

Paper Presentation, *The Nature of the Environmental Right to Know*, Fall Colloquium on Environmental Scholarship at Vermont Law School, September 2011.

Roundtable Participant, *Responsive Rule of Law: Expert, Effective, and Accountable Practice in Rule of Law Assistance*, Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, June 2011.

Moderator, *Fireside Chat with Justice Sandra Day O'Connor*, Oklahoma City University School of Law, April 2011.

Moderator, *Current Events in Egypt: A Roundtable Discussion*, Oklahoma City University School of Law, February 2011.

CLE Presentation, *Lawyer-Client Decision Making: Are There Any Limits to Client Autonomy?*, Oklahoma County Bar Association, December 2010.

Paper Presentation, *A Capability Approach to Environmental Rulemaking*, Fall Colloquium on Environmental Scholarship at Vermont Law School, October 2010.

Paper Presentation, *The Ethics of Global Justice Lawyering*, Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association, Chicago, May 2010.

Constitutionalism and Islamic Legal Theory: Preliminary Questions, a short working paper submitted for the IALS Conference on Constitutional Law in Washington, D.C., September 2009.

EDUCATION

Georgetown University Law Center
LL.M., Advocacy, October 2004

University of Kansas School of Law
J.D., May 2000, *Order of the Coif*

Editor in Chief, University of Kansas Law Review, 1999 – 2000
Rice Foundation Scholar (merit-based scholarship)

University of Wisconsin-Madison
M.A., Political Science, May 2006

NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program, Honorable Mention Recipient, 2005 & 2006
FLAS Graduate Fellowship (for the study of Arabic), 2005 – 2006
Edward and Virginia Mill Fellowship (first-year graduate fellowship), 2004 – 2005

University of Chicago
M.A., English Language and Literature, June 1996

University Fellowship, 1995 – 1996

University of Kansas
B.A., English Language and Literature, *with Highest Distinction*, May 1995

Phi Beta Kappa
Graduated from the KU Honors Program and with Honors in English

PAST EMPLOYMENT

The Hon. Deanell Reece Tacha, Judge (retired)
United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit
Judicial Clerk, September 2006 – August 2008; September 2000 – August 2001

University of Kansas School of Law, Lawrence, Kansas
Adjunct Faculty Member, Spring 2007

Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, D.C.
Georgetown Teaching Fellow, July 2002 – June 2004
Women's Law and Public Policy Fellow, August 2002 – August 2003

Yeditepe University, Istanbul, Turkey
Visiting Assistant Professor, Spring 2002

University of Kansas School of Law, Lawrence, Kansas
Visiting Assistant Professor, Fall 2001

Latham & Watkins, Chicago, Illinois
Summer Associate, June – August 1999

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Advisory Board Member, University of Iowa Center for Human Rights

Board Member and Treasurer, Environmental Law Collaborative

Member of the Bar, Kansas (inactive)

Member of the Bar, Washington, D.C. (inactive)