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EDUCATION

J.D., May 1998, William and Mary School of Law, Williamsburg, Virginia
3.4 G.P.A. (Top 12% of class), Topics & Research Editor, *William & Mary Law Review*

B.A., cum laude, May 1991, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, Virginia
Political Science major, History minor

EMPLOYMENT

University of Tennessee College of Law, Knoxville, Tennessee

Associate Professor of Law, August 2007-present

Classes Taught: Torts I & II; Legal Profession (Professional Responsibility); Employment Law Seminar

Law School Service: Academic Standards & Curriculum; Faculty Development; Law Review Advisory Committee

Oklahoma City University School of Law, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Assistant Professor of Law, August 2002-05

Associate Professor of Law, Fall 2005-Spring 2007

Classes Taught: Torts; Employment Law; Employment Discrimination; Disability Law
Legal Profession (Professional Responsibility); Legal Analysis

University Service: Admissions, Financial Aid, and Disability Concerns Committee (Chair 2005-06);
Disability Concerns Subcommittee (Chair 2004-05)

Law School Service: ABA Self-Study Committee; Strategic Initiatives Review Committee;
Special Accommodations Committee; Petitions and Retentions Committee
Curriculum Committee

West Virginia University College of Law, Morgantown, West Virginia

Lecturer and Director, Academic Support Program, August 1999-Fall 2002

Awards: Posten Significant Scholarship Award, 2001

Classes Taught: Contracts II; Disability Law Seminar; Legal Research and Writing;
Director, Academic Support Program

Steptoe & Johnson, Clarksburg, West Virginia
Associate, Labor & Employment Section, 1998-99

Flippin, Densmore, Morse, Rutherford & Jessee, Roanoke, Virginia
Summer Associate, Summer 1997

Professor Neal Devins, William and Mary School of Law
Research Assistant, Summer 1996

Central Virginia Legal Aid Society, Richmond, Virginia
Summer Intern, Summer 1996

PUBLICATIONS

Attorney-Client Fee Agreements That Offend Public Policy, 61 *South Carolina Law Review* __ (forthcoming 2009).

Viva State Employment Law!: State Law Retaliation Claims in a Post-Crawford/Burlington Northern World, 77 *Tennessee Law Review* __ (forthcoming 2009).

Whistleblowing Attorneys and Ethical Infrastructures, 68 *Maryland Law Review* 786 (2009).

Retaliatory Discharge and the Ethical Rules Governing Attorneys, 79 *University of Colorado Law Review* 1043 (2008).

Introducing the New and Improved Americans with Disabilities Act: Assessing the ADA Amendments Act of 2008, 103 *Northwestern University Law Review Colloquy* 217 (2008).

The Troublemaker's Friend: Retaliation Against Third Parties and the Right of Association in the Workplace, republished in PROCEEDINGS OF THE 60TH ANNUAL NYU LAW CONFERENCE ON LABOR: RETALIATION AND WHISTLEBLOWERS (2008).

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[Insert Song Lyrics Here]: *The Uses And Misuses Of Popular Music Lyrics In Legal Writing*, 64 *Washington & Lee Law Review* 531 (2007).

(Whatever Happened To) The ADA's "Record of" Prong(?), 81 *Washington Law Review* 669 (2006).

"If the Train Should Jump the Track ...": Divergent Interpretations of State and Federal Employment Discrimination Statutes, 40 *Georgia Law Review* 469 (2006).

Attorney Liability for Tortious Interference: Interference with Contractual Relations or Interference with the Practice of Law?, 18 *Georgetown Journal of Legal Ethics* 471 (2005).

Tortious Interference and the Business of Law, 36 *St. Mary's Law Journal* 925 (2005) (invited contribution to symposium).

State Anti-Discrimination Law as a Model for Amending the Americans with Disabilities Act, 65 *University of Pittsburgh Law Review* 597 (2004).

"Stop Me Before I Vote for this Judge Again": Judicial Conduct Organizations, Judicial Accountability, and the Disciplining of Elected Judges, 106 *West Virginia Law Review* 1 (2003).

The ADA's Reasonable Accommodation Requirement and "Innocent Third Parties," 68 *Missouri Law Review* 863 (2003).

An Historical Perspective on Judicial Selection Methods in Virginia and West Virginia, 18 *Journal of Law & Politics* 691 (2002).

The Disconnect Between At-Will Employment and Tortious Interference with Business Relations: Rethinking Tortious Interference Claims in the Employment Context, 33 *Arizona State Law Journal* 491 (2001).

Tortious Interference With Contractual Relations: The Other White Meat of Employment Law, 84 *Minnesota Law Review* 863 (2000).

A Good Walk Spoiled: Casey Martin and the ADA's Reasonable Accommodation Requirement in Competitive Settings, 77 *Oregon Law Review* 1337 (1998).

Note, Addressing the Cloud Over Employee References: A Survey of Recently Enacted State Legislation, 39 *William & Mary Law Review* 177 (1997).

AWARDS, PRESENTATIONS, & PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Member, Virginia and West Virginia State bars.

W. Allen Separk Faculty Scholarship Award, 2007, University of Tennessee College of Law.

Colloquium on Current Scholarship in Labor & Employment Law, Seton Hall Law School, Panelist, *ALI Restatement of Employment Law's* Chapter on "Other Torts," September 25-26, 2009.

Colloquium on Current Scholarship in Labor & Employment Law, Seton Hall Law School, *Viva State Employment Law!: State Law Retaliation Claims in a Post-Crawford/Burlington Northern World*, September 25-26, 2009.

Southeastern Association of Law Schools, *Retaliation and Whistleblowers in the Workplace after Crawford v. Metropolitan Government of Nashville*, Palm Beach, Florida, August 6, 2009.

American University Washington College of Law, *Assisting Law Students with Disabilities in the 21st Century*, Moderator, *What the ADA Amendments and Higher Education Acts Mean for Law Schools*, March 12, 2009.

Lorman Education Services, Legal Ethics in Tennessee, CLE, Representing the Corrupt Organization & Rights and Responsibilities in a Modern Law Office, November 19, 2008.

Colloquium on Current Scholarship in Labor & Employment Law, California Western School of Law, Thomas Jefferson School of Law, and the University of San Diego School of Law, Whistleblowing Attorneys and Ethical Infrastructures, October 24-25, 2008.

University of Denver College of Law/University of Colorado School of Law Colloquium on Current Scholarship in Labor & Employment Law, "Retaliatory Discharge and the Ethical Rules Governing Attorneys," September 28-29, 2007.

Oklahoma County Bar Association, CLE, "Advising the Corrupt Corporation: Some Preliminary Lessons from the Hewlett-Packard Scandal," December 5, 2006.

Oklahoma Bar Association, CLE, Work Life Conflicts: A Look at Best Practices for the Individual, for the Workplace, for the Profession, "Employment Law and Work-Life Balance," December 3, 2006.

Oklahoma Employment Lawyers Association, "The Troublemaker's Friend: Preventing Retaliation Against Third Parties, Protecting the Right of Association in the Workplace, and Combating Workplace Discrimination," November 14, 2006.

Marquette University Law School, Colloquium on Current Scholarship in Labor & Employment Law, "The Troublemaker's Friend: Preventing Retaliation Against Third Parties, Protecting the Right of Association in the Workplace, and Combating Workplace Discrimination," October 27-28 2006.

Conference on Consumer Finance Law, Employment Law Program 2005, "The ADA's Definition of Disability," Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, December 2005.

Organizer, "Assessing the Future of the Legal Profession," Oklahoma City University School of Law, September 2005.

Expert Reviewer, National Conference of Board Examiners, 2005.

Organizer, Conference, "Judicial Ethics in the Spotlight: Judicial Independence and Judicial Selection After *Republican Party of Minnesota v. White*," Oklahoma City University School of Law, February 2005.

Symposium: Legal Malpractice and Professional Responsibility, St. Mary's University School of Law, "Tortious Interference and the Business of Law," San Antonio, Texas, February 2005.

Member, Subcommittee of the Oklahoma Bench & Bar Committee Addressing the Ramifications, if Any, of *Minnesota v. White* On Judicial Campaign Speech in Oklahoma, 2003-05.

Conference on Consumer Finance Law, Employment Law Program 2004, "Employee References and Background Checks," Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, December 2004.

Conference on Consumer Finance Law, Employment Law Program 2003, "Update on the Americans with Disabilities Act and Litigation," Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, November 2003.

Conference on Consumer Finance Law, Employment Law Program 2002, "'The Disabilities Act Term': A Review of Recent Supreme Court Decisions Concerning the Americans with Disabilities Act," Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, November 2002.

"Workshop on Ethics," Legal Assistants of West Virginia, WVU College of Law, Summer 2002.

Posten Significant Scholarship Award, 2001, WVU College of Law.

"United States Federalism and Dual Judicial System," Visiting Students from the University of Guanajuato (Mexico), WVU College of Law, October 31, 2000.

"Workshop on Legal Writing," Legal Assistants of West Virginia, WVU College of Law, Summer 2000.

"Workshop on Legal Research," Legal Assistants of West Virginia, WVU College of Law, Summer 1999.

"The United States Judicial System and Legal Culture," Center for International Programs, West Virginia University (1999-2001).

Short Course on Negotiation, WVU College of Law, Spring 1999.

MEDIA INTERVIEWS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Fluoride Opponents Cite Law: Claim South Blount Utility Customers Not Notified of Risks, The Daily Times (Maryville, TN), April 25, 2008.

Employee's Fiancé Can Sue for Retaliation, Lawyers USA, April 21, 2008.

One Judge's Opinion is Another Man's Song, Case In Point, The National Judicial College, Spring/Summer 2007.

Some Preliminary Lessons From the Hewlett-Packard Scandal, The Briefcase: A Publication of the Oklahoma County Bar Association, December 2006 and January 2007.

Oh, The Legal Cites They Are A-Changin' A Law Professor Finds Out Which Musicians Lawyers, Judges Cite Most Often The National Law Journal, October 30, 2006.

Soundcheck, WNYC radio program, Oct. 19, 2006 (available at <http://www.wnyc.org/shows/soundcheck/episodes/2006/10/19#segment67508>).

On the Media, NPR radio program, Oct. 13, 2006 (available at <http://www.onthemedial.org/otm101306.html>).

Legal Community Looking At Judicial Selection Options, *The State Journal*, Dec. 9, 2004.