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Education

Northwestern School of Law at Lewis & Clark College

Portland, OR

J.D, *cum laude*, December 2005, Environmental and Natural Resources Certificate

Honors: Dean's Scholar List
Cornelius Honor Society
Dean's Scholarship

Davidson College

Davidson, NC

B.A. Sociology

Honors: Phi Beta Delta
Academic Scholarships

Professional Experience

Lewis & Clark Law School, Clinical Professor of Law & Staff Attorney, International Environmental Law Project (IELP), Portland, OR, August 2005-Present

Maintain a full-time legal practice for IELP, including managing an active docket of international environmental issues with an emphasis on wildlife law and climate change. Practice includes providing legal advice, legal trainings, and policy consultation to NGOs, governments, and international institutions.

Teach the classroom component of IELP each semester, International Environmental Legal Practicum: Ecuador (Summer 2015), International Wildlife Law (biennial summer course), International Environmental Law (2006).

Lewis and Clark Law School, Acting Director, International Environmental Law Project, Portland, OR.
August 2007 – May 2008

Performed managerial and director duties of the clinic, including fundraising, curriculum developing, teaching all classroom components, and client development.

International Environmental Law Project, Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, OR.
August 2004 – May 2005

Participated in meeting of the COP in Bangkok, Thailand as IELP delegate; drafted compliance and enforcement white paper and negotiated new compliance rules for wildlife trade with the European Commission; worked with other law clerks to draft a treaty: World Heritage Species.

Research Fellow, Lewis & Clark Law School, Professor Michael Blumm, Portland, OR.
April 2004 – May 2005

Drafted *amicus curiae* brief on Oregon takings case; assisted in writing a chapter for a

treatise, *Water and Water Rights*, on salmon and the Columbia River Basin; co-authored an article on salmon recovery under the Endangered Species Act.

Research Fellow, Lewis & Clark Law School, Professor Chris Wold, Portland, OR.
May 2005 – August 2005

Supported editing efforts of trade and environment textbook.

Conservation Law Foundation, Intern, Brunswick, Maine.
June 2004 – August 2004

Participated in preparatory work for litigation on application of the Magnuson-Stevens Act to Georges Bank groundfish; drafted memorandum on national bycatch standards, which was used in directly in brief; drafted memorandum on the doctrine of public trust as it applied to aquatic commercial use of Maine's coastline.

Legal Writing Program, Lewis & Clark Law School, Teaching Assistant, Portland, OR. Aug. 2004 – May 2004

Provided peer guidance to first-year law students; edited papers and outlines; helped students develop and improve legal writing and research skills; created hypothetical problems for writing assignments; prepped students for moot court; judged moot court

Judicial Clerk, Washington State Appellate Court, Spokane, WA.
May 2003 – August 2003

Drafted opinions and memoranda.

Publications

Rethinking International Environmental Linkages: A Functional Cohesion Agenda for Species Conservation in a Time of Climate Change, ___ Fordham Envtl. L. Rev. ___ (forthcoming Fall/Winter 2015)

The Green Climate Fund: Achieving Complementarity and Coherence among the UNFCCC Financial Institutions, 13 ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND POLICY (Kangwon University) 124 (2014).

International Environmental Law Committee Report, ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY, AND RESOURCE LAW: YEAR IN REVIEW 2013 (2014) (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

International Environmental Law (Year in Review) (Spring 2014) (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

International Environmental Law Committee Report, ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY, AND RESOURCE LAW: YEAR IN REVIEW 2012 (2013) (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

International Environmental Law (Year in Review) (Spring 2013) (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

International Environmental Law Committee Report, ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY, AND RESOURCE LAW: YEAR IN REVIEW 2011 (2012) (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

International Environmental Law (Year in Review) (Spring 2012) (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

International Environmental Law (Year in Review), 45 INTL. LAW. 409 (Spring 2011) (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

International Environmental Law Committee Report, ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY, AND RESOURCE LAW: YEAR IN REVIEW 2010 (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

International Environmental Law (Year in Review), 44 INTL. LAW. 503 (Spring 2010) (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

International Environmental Law (Year in Review), 43 INTL. LAW. 837 (Summer 2009) (author of Biological Resources and Wildlife section).

Sharing the Himalayan Glaciers: The Role of Territorial Sovereignty, 19 DUKE JOURNAL OF COMP. & INTL. LAW 487 (Spring 2009).

The World Heritage Convention and Climate Change: The Case for a Climate-Change Mitigation Strategy Beyond the Kyoto Protocol, in ADJUDICATING CLIMATE CHANGE: STATE, NATIONAL, AND INTERNATIONAL APPROACHES (ed. William C.G. Burns & Hari M. Osofsky) (2009).

On Thin Ice: The Failure of the United States and the World Heritage Committee to Take Climate Change Mitigation Pursuant to the World Heritage Convention Seriously, 38 ENVTL. LAW. 139 (Spring 2008).

Practiced at the Art of Deception: The Failure of Columbia River Basin Salmon under the Endangered Species Act, 36 ENVTL. LAW 709 (Summer 2006) (co-authored with Michael C. Blumm and Joshua D. Smith).

Legal Opinion on SANPark's Use of the Precautionary Principle, in Elephant Management in South Africa: The Need to Think Big (Care for the Wild, 2005) (co-authored with Chris Wold).

Presentations

Call of the Wild: Legal Responses to Wildlife Conservation in the 21st Century, Fordham Law School (invited speaker) (January 2015).

Environmental Clinics: A Global Perspective, Yerevan State University, Armenia (invited speaker) (2013).

The Ivory Trade and CITES, Kenya Wildlife Service/CEE-WEB Symposium, Nairobi, Kenya (2012).

Reflections on Law, Governance, and Science in the Himalayas, Toward a Sustainable 21st Century: Glacier Melt, Early Snowmelt, and Sea Level Rise, Presented by University of California – Irvine and the Newkirk Center for Science and Society (invited speaker) (2011).

The Effectiveness of Multilateral Environmental Regimes: Getting CITES “Back to Basics,” International Wildlife Law Conference, Granada, Spain (June 2010).

“Animal Agriculture and Climate Change,” Environmental Law Conference, Eugene, Oregon (2009) (presented on role of agricultural activities under the Clean Development Mechanism).

Listing Tuvalu as a World Heritage Site, Lewis and Clark, Faculty Colloquium (2009).

Using Morocco’s Customs Legislation to Enforce Wildlife Trade Laws, Capacity-Building Workshop for members of Moroccan customs team and members of the Environmental Ministry, Ifrane, Morocco (October 2009).

Getting to Know your Environmental Clinic, Environmental Law Conference, Eugene, Oregon (March 2008) (panelist with other clinicians).

At Odds?: Animal and Human Welfare Juxtaposed,” Environmental Law Conference, Eugene, Oregon (organizer and panelist; presented on the “sustainable use” concept and human/wildlife political conflict in international negotiations).

Sharing the Himalayan Glaciers: The Role of Territorial Sovereignty, Duke Journal of International and Comparative Law Symposium: Global Justice and Climate Change, Raleigh, North Carolina (February 2009).

Presented Scholarship in Progress, New York University Clinical Writers Workshop, New York, New York (October 2008).

Can the Wildlife Trade Bridge the Poverty Gap?: CITES, Livelihoods, and Sustainable Use, National Animal Law Conference: Building Bridges: Strengthening the Animal Advocacy Movement (September 2007).

Public Participation within the Pacific Salmon Commission, Executive Session of the Pacific Salmon Commission, Coeur D’Alene, Idaho (2007).

Invited Workshop Participant, Workshop on the Pacific Salmon Treaty, Wood Institute for the Environment at Stanford University (2007).

The International Regulation of Trade in Endangered Species: Will the Ivory Trade Save or Endanger the African Elephant?, Lewis and Clark College, Guest Lecturer in Environmental Law and Policy (2007).

Women in International Environmental Law, Oregon Episcopal School, Portland, Oregon (March 2007).

Practicing International Environmental Law, Divine Savior Holy Angels High School, Milwaukee, Wisconsin (March 2007).

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Invited Conference Participant, Globalizing Clinical Legal Education for the Protection of the World's Health and Environment, University of Maryland, Baltimore, Maryland (2006).