

CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

- 2017 PhD, English, University of Georgia
Dissertation: *Subaltern Fables: Posthuman Speech for a Postcolonial Era*
- 2017 JD, Lewis & Clark Law School
Certificate in Animal Law
- 2009 MFA, Creative Writing, Indiana University
MA, English, Indiana University
- 2005 BA, English, University of Texas
Minor in Journalism

TEACHING

- 2023- Assistant Professor of Law, Center for Animal Law Studies, Lewis & Clark
- Animals Law Fundamentals
 - Animal Legal Philosophy
 - Emerging Topics in Animal Law
 - Industrial Animal Agriculture
 - International Animal Law
 - Introduction to U.S. Legal Studies
- 2017-23 Visiting Professor, Center for Animal Law Studies, Lewis & Clark
- Animals Law Fundamentals
 - Animal Legal Philosophy
 - International Animal Law
 - Introduction to U.S. Legal Studies
 - Graduate Animal Law LLM Seminar
 - Emerging Topics in Animal Law
- 2019-20 Writer-In-The-Schools, Madison High School, Literary Arts
- Introduction to Creative Writing
- 2015-17 Teaching Fellow, Sr. Teaching Fellow, Lawyering Dept., Lewis & Clark
- Advanced Legal Writing Seminar
 - Legal Analysis & Writing
- 2010-12 English Teacher & Learning Center Co-Director, College Preparatory School
- American & British Literature
 - 19th Century British Novel Seminar
 - Power & Performativity Seminar
- 2009-10 Writer-In-Residence, Interlochen Center for the Arts
- Literary Imitation
 - Fiction Workshop

- 2005-09 Associate Instructor, Dept. of English, Indiana Univ.
- Ethical Animals: Animal Literature and the Human Condition
 - Introduction to Creative Writing
 - Advanced Fiction Workshop
 - Short Story Workshop: The Character-Driven Story
 - Novel-Writing Workshop
 - Elementary Composition

PUBLICATIONS: BOOKS, CHAPTERS, ARTICLES

- 2025 *International Animal Law & Policy: Cases and Materials*, Carolina Academic Press (under contract)
- 2024 The Convention on Animal Protection: The Missing Sphere in a One Health-Centered Approach, *One Health and the Law: Existing Frameworks, Intersections and Future Pathways*, (under review) Cambridge University Press.
- 2023 “Affirmative Acts of Recognition: How Codifications of Animal Sentience Are Ushering Animals into the Focus of U.S. Law,” *The Legal Recognition of Animal Sentience: Principles, Approaches and Applications*, Hart Publishing
- 2023 “International Animal Law,” in *Representing Animal Protection Organizations*, American Bar Association Press
- 2023 “Horses of a Different Color: Reckoning with Race in the March for Animal Rights,” *Animal Workers’ Rights Handbook*, Lantern Publishing
- 2022 “The Convention on Animal Protection: The Missing Link in a One Health Global Strategy for Pandemic Prevention,” *Global Journal of Animal Law* (co-author)
- 2022 “The Cry of the Wolf: Exposing the Peril of Racism Lurking in the White Sheep Complex,” *Animals and Race*, Michigan State Univ. Press
- 2021 “China’s Response to the Pandemic Amounts to an Imperfect and Impermanent Wildlife Ban,” Year in Review, *The International Lawyer*, SMU Dedman School of Law (co-author)
- 2019 “Incorporating Animals into the Community of Legal Persons in India,” Year in Review, *The International Lawyer*, SMU Dedman School of Law (co-author)
- 2017 “The Theater of Religious Violence in Saadawi’s *God Dies by the Nile*,” *Purity and Hybridity: Islam and Postcolonial Discourse*, Routledge
- 2016 “A Tail for Two Theorists: The Problem of the Female Monster in Katherine Dunn’s *Geek Love*,” *Creatural Fictions: Human-Animal Relationships in Twentieth- and Twenty-First-Century Literature*, Palgrave Macmillan

PUBLICATIONS: NEWSLETTER ARTICLES, OP-EDS, BLOGS, REVIEWS, OTHER

- 2023 “Rights of Nature,” *Elgar Concise Encyclopedia of Animal Law*, Elgar
- 2023 “Will the World in Which We Live Today Be Habitable Tomorrow?,” *Tampa Bay Times*
- 2021 “Animals Will Soon Enjoy Legal Protections in Cuba,” *ABA TIPS Animal Law Newsletter*, Spring Issue
- 2021 “Regulatory Approval for Cultured Meat Marks Shift for the Future of Meat Production,” *ABA TIPS Animal Law Newsletter*, Spring Issue
- 2021 “Milking Votes: India’s Prime Minister Announces Subsidized Dairy Technologies in Advance of State Elections,” *ABA TIPS Animal Law Newsletter*, Spring Issue
- 2021 “Mexico Makes North American History by Banning Cosmetics Tested on Animals,” *ABA TIPS Animal Law Newsletter*, Fall Issue
- 2020 “Groundbreaking Litigation Seeks to Extend Personhood Status to India’s Animal Kingdom,” Center for Animal Law Studies Blog, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2020 “Coronavirus Outbreak Leads to Imperfect Ban on Wildlife Trade in China,” *ABA TIPS Animal Law Newsletter*, Spring Issue
- 2020 “Germany’s Proposed Animal Welfare Advancements Go to the Dogs,” *ABA TIPS Animal Law Newsletter*, Fall Issue
- 2021 “Animal Law Education: A Discipline Whose Time is Now,” *Juriste International*, Issue 1
- 2019 “Banning Cruelty for Sport in Spain,” *ABA TIPS Animal Law Newsletter*, Summer Issue
- 2019 “Enshrining Animal Sentience into Law: Global Developments and Implications,” Feature, *ABA TIPS Animal Law Newsletter*, Fall Issue
- 2018 Review of “Animals in the Constitutional State” by Jessica Eisen, *International Constitutional Law Journal Blog*
- 2003 “Rodolfo Alaniz,” *Narratives*, Voces Oral History Center, Univ. of Texas
- 2003 “George Salmerón,” *Narratives*, Voces Oral History Center, Univ. of Texas

PRESENTATIONS

- 2024 “A New Lord of the Flies: Big Ag's Recent Embrace of Insect Farming,” Environmental Law Symposium, Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, OR
- 2024 “A Review of Animal Agriculture in India,” Union Internationale des Avocats (v)
- 2024 “Animal Comparisons,” Panel Discussion, Modern Language Association, Philadelphia, PA

- 2023 “Emergence,” Animal Law Conference, Los Angeles, CA
- 2023 “Animal Rights v. _____,” Canadian Animal Law Conference, Toronto, CA
- 2023 “Beyond Black and White: Color Correcting the Violence of Animal Rights Reporting,” Oxford Centre for Animal Ethics, Oxford, UK
- 2023 “Emergence,” Animal and Vegan Advocacy Summit, Los Angeles, CA
- 2023 “The Elephant in the (Court)Room,” Science Speakeasy at the Centre for Life, Newcastle, UK
- 2023 “The Long Road to Justice for Justice: How the Codification of Animal Sentience Is Paving One Horse’s Race Toward Animal Legal Personhood,” Society of Legal Scholars, Newcastle Univ., UK
- 2023 “The Convention on Animal Protection,” Loyola Law School (v)
- 2023 “The Shifting Landscape of International Animal Law,” Guest Lecture, NYU Law School (v)
- 2023 “Holding Our Horses Dear,” Introductory Remarks, 12th Annual Animal Law Symposium, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2023 “Animal Rights and Legal Personhood,” Guest Lecture, University of Mississippi (v)
- 2023 “Rewriting the Lede for Animals: How Journalism and the Law Are Reimagining Social Justice,” Reporting on Social Justice, Univ. of Texas
- 2023 “Animal Rights and Human Benefits,” Panel Discussion, St. Petersburg Conference on World Affairs, Univ. of Southern Florida and Eckerd College
- 2023 “Animal Law and Animal Studies Updates,” Panel Discussion, Animal Law Student Event, New York Univ.
- 2022 “Design Thinking in Animal Law Education: Reimagining Student Engagement in a Disconnected World,” Animal Law and Education Research Conference 2022, Univ. of Melbourne
- 2022 Keynote: “The Past, Present, and Future of Animal Law Education,” Animal Law and Education Research Conference 2022, Univ. of Melbourne
- 2022 “The Missing Link for a Reconnected World: The Prospect and Promise of an International Convention for Animal Protection,” Florida Bar Association (v)
- 2022 “The Future of Animal Law Education & Youth Advocacy,” Animal Law Conference, Portland, OR
- 2022 “Setting the Table: How the EU Stands to Raise the Bar for Farmed Animals Worldwide,” Canadian Animal Law Conference, Univ. of Toronto

- 2022 “An Assessment of Post-Colonial Carceral Logics,” International Survey of Animal Law Strategies Utilizing Alternatives to Incarceration, ABA International Animal Law Committee (v)
- 2022 “An Act of Self-Discovery: Colombia’s ‘Cocaine Hippos’ First to Witness U.S. Animal Legal Personhood,” Theory of Animal Rights Conference, Univ. of Helsinki
- 2022 “The Convention on Animal Protection for Public Health, Animal Welfare, and the Environment,” Lahore University of Management Sciences (v)
- 2022 “Collective Liberation: Racial Justice and Animal Law,” GW Black Law Students Assoc. and Animal Legal Defense Fund Student Chapter, George Washington (v)
- 2022 “Convention on Animal Protection: A Global Treaty for Animal Welfare, Public Health, and the Environment,” Animal Legal Theory Speaker Series, Yale (v)
- 2022 “Convention on Animal Protection to Prevent Future Pandemics,” Global Research Network (v)
- 2022 “How to Get Started in Animal Law,” International Law Section, American Bar Association (v)
- 2022 “Preventing the Next Pandemic: The Draft Convention on Animal Protection,” Institute for Global Understanding, Monmouth Univ.
- 2022 “Preventing Pandemics through an Animal Protection Treaty,” Universidad Federal do Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil (v)
- 2021 “Teaching International Animal Law,” Animal Law Symposium, Univ. of Conn. (v)
- 2021 “The Convention on Animal Protection,” Conn. State Bar Animal Law Section (v)
- 2021 “The Greatness of a Nation: Meat, Milk, Murder, and Moral Progress in India,” Animal Law Review Symposium, Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, OR (v)
- 2020 “Animal Cruelty and Art: Reimagining Free Speech Parameters,” Canadian Animal Law Conference (v)
- 2020 “Pumping the Brakes on U.S. Farmed Animal Transport,” Animals in Transportation, Washington State Bar (v)
- 2020 Keynote: “The Rise of Animal Law Education: A Discipline Whose Time Is Now,” Professional Legal Education Conference, Bond Univ., Melbourne (v)
- 2020 “The Greatness of a Nation: Meat, Milk, Murder, and Moral Progress in India,” Harvard, Cambridge, MA
- 2019 “Enshrining Animal Sentience into Law: Global Developments and Implications,” Animal Law Section of the ABA (v)

- 2019 “All the World’s a Stage: Raising the Curtain on Int’l Animal Advancements,”
Animal Law Conference, Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, OR
- 2019 “Coloring Outside the Lines: Reckoning with Race in the March for Animal Rights,”
Animal Law Review Symposium, Portland, OR
- 2018 “Beef, Bans, and State-Sponsored Bloodshed: The Dilemma of Animal Advocacy in
India’s Postcolonial Proxy War,” Minding Animals Conference, Mexico City
- 2018 “Animals in Art or Animal Cruelty?: Debating Depictions of Dog Fighting and Free
Speech at the Guggenheim Museum,” Oxford Centre for Animal Ethics, Oxford, UK
- 2016 “The River,” A Shimmer of Possibility: Short Fiction and the Question of Closure,
Pacific Ancient and Modern Language Association, Los Angeles, CA
- 2016 “Humanity to Legal Personhood: Evolving the Postcolonial Species,” British
Commonwealth and Postcolonial Studies Conference, Savannah, GA
- 2016 “Choosing Sides in the Pink Revolution: A Recommended Stance for Animal
Activists in India’s Beef-Ban War,” Oxford Centre for Animal Ethics, Oxford, UK

INTERVIEWS, PROFILES, MEDIA

- 2023 Quoted, “Reading, Writing and Regret; What I wish I’d Learned in Law School.”
ABA Journal, April 2023
- 2023 Quoted, “Boost On Your Career with Summer Study,” *National Jurist*, Spring 2023
- 2023 Interview, “Brooks Congress 2023 Big Questions,” Scottsdale, AZ
- 2023 Interview, *A Deeper Kindness: Animal Law & Youth Activism*, (Documentary)
Univ. of Victoria
- 2022 Profile, *Indiana Univ. Alumni Magazine*, Winter/Spring Issue
- 2022 Interview, “Animal Protection Across Borders,” *Institute for Global Understanding
Voices Podcast*, Monmouth Univ.
- 2022 Interview, *Animal Law Careers and Volunteering Guide*, Voiceless Institute
- 2021 Interview, “Could International Animal Rights Laws Prevent the Next Pandemic?
Rajesh Reddy Has a Plan,” *American Bar Association Journal*, June Issue
- 2022 Interview, “Creating International Standards for Animal Protection,” *Our Hen
House*, ep. 635
- 2021 Profile, “People in Animal Law,” Animal Legal Defense Fund
- 2018 Profile, “Where Are They Now? Spotlight on Raj Reddy,” Animal Legal Defense
Fund

AMICI, CONSULTANCY, AND OTHER

- 2023 Brief for Amici Curiae International Animal Law Scholars in *Justice, an American Quarter Horse, by and through his Guardian, Kim Mosiman, Plaintiff-Appellant, Petitioner on Review v. Gwendolyn Vercher, Defendant-Respondent, Respondent on Review* (author)
- 2022 Brief for Amici Curiae Animal Protection Organizations and Law in *National Pork Producers Council v. Ross*, Supreme Court of the United States (signatory)
- 2021 Request for discovery order on behalf of Colombia's Community of Hippos in the Magdalena River under 28 U.S.C. 1782, with order representing first recognition of animal legal personhood in U.S. (Retained by Animal Legal Defense Fund)
- 2021 Brief for Amici Curiae Law Professors in the Matter of a Proceeding under Article 70 of the CPLR for a Writ of Habeas Corpus and Order to Show Cause, *The Nonhuman Rights Project on behalf of Happy v. Breheny* (signatory)

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Current Animal Law Program Director, Center for Animal Law Studies
- Overseeing in-person and online LLM, MSL, and SJD programs
 - Coordinating existing and prospective animal law courses
 - Developing prospective Animal Law SJD offering
 - Managing Animal Law Teaching Fellow
 - Developing CALS Inside knowledge base for program faculty and staff
 - Overseeing Global Ambassador, Alumni, and Mentorship programs
- 2020-22 Adv. Degree, Global Animal Law Program Director, Center for Animal Law Studies
- Oversaw in-person and online LLM program and students
 - Developed Animal Law MSL offering
 - Created and managed Global Ambassador and Alumni programs
- 2018-20 Animal Law LLM Director, Center for Animal Law Studies
- Oversaw in-person LLM program and students

OTHER EXPERIENCE

- 2016-17 Co-Editor in Chief, Animal Law Review, Lewis & Clark Law School
- Directed production of *Animal Law* Vol. 23, journal's then-largest
 - Increased outreach to national and international animal law scholars
- 2015-16 Managing Editor, Animal Law Review, Lewis & Clark Law School
- Oversaw operations of journal staff of over twenty-five members
 - Created comprehensive knowledge base to facilitate work of staff
- 2016 Clerk, Animal Legal Defense Fund, Portland, OR
- Conducted multi-state investigations into animal cruelty cases
 - Researched avenues to improve current framework of animal welfare laws
- 2014-17 Clerk, Center for Animal Law Studies, Lewis & Clark Law School

- Edited chapters on animal constitutional and criminal law issues
 - Conducted review of multijurisdictional practice ethics regulations
- 2015 Intern, Human Rights Law Network, New Delhi, India
- Conducted research on informal trash sector for Dalit workers
 - Composed memo for public interest litigation for Supreme Court of India
- 2012-14 Graduate Research Assistant, Dept. of English, Univ. of Georgia
- Researched and edited articles in postcolonial, modernism, and postmodernism literary studies
 - Composed grants for the Islam and Postcolonial Studies Project
- 2007-08 Associate Genre Editor, *Indiana Review*, Indiana Univ.
- Read submissions and offered feedback on fiction and non-fiction works
- 2003-05 Production Assistant, *Narratives*, Voces Oral History Center, Univ. of Texas
- Conducted interviews with Latino and Latina World War II veterans
 - Composed and edited submissions for oral history project publication

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- 2022- Faculty Co-Advisor, Lewis & Clark Animal Legal Defense Fund Student Chapter
- 2021- Faculty Co-Advisor, Animal Law Review, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2022- Faculty Co-Advisor, South Asian Law Student Assoc., Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2019- Committee Member, International Law, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2019- Committee Member, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2018-21 Confidential Advocate, Lewis & Clark Law School, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2018-19 Committee Member, Equity and Inclusion, Lewis & Clark College
- 2007-08 MFA Representative, Dept. of Creative Writing, Indiana Univ.
- 2006-07 Prospective Student Liaison, Dept. of Creative Writing, Indiana Univ.

BOARD POSITIONS, MEMBERSHIPS

- 2023- Board Member, World Animal Protection
- 2023- Member, Union Internationale des Avocats
- 2022- Board Chair and President, International Coalition for Animal Protection
- 2019- Chair, Int'l Subcommittee, ABA Animal Law Section
- 2020- Steering Committee, ABA Int'l Animal Law Committee

- 2018- Board, Minding Animals International
- 2019-20 Program Chair, ABA Int'l Animal Law Committee
- 2018-20 Board Member, Treasurer, Encompass
- 2018-19 Chair, Oregon State Bar Animal Law Section
- 2017-20 Board Member, Treasurer, Humane Voters Oregon

AWARDS, HONORS, FELLOWSHIPS

- 2017 Animal Law Leadership Award, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2017 Cornelius Honor Society, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2016 Student Animal Legal Defense Fund Chapter of the Year, Animal Law Conference
- 2016 Board Member of the Year Award, Animal Law Review, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2016 Spotlight Chapter, Animal Legal Defense Fund
- 2016 Community Service Honors Award, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2015 First-Year Moot Court Outstanding Oral Advocate, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2015 First-Year Moot Court Outstanding Appellate Brief, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2015 Source-Checker of the Year Award, Animal Law Review, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2015 Community Service Honors Award, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2014 Dean's Scholar, Lewis & Clark Law School
- 2012 Graduate Education Advancement Board Fellow, Univ. of Georgia
- 2008 Booth Tarkington Thesis-Year Fellowship, Indiana Univ.
- 2007 1st-Year Teaching Portfolio Award, Dept. of English, Indiana Univ.
- 2005 Omar S. Castaneda Fellowship in Fiction, Indiana Univ.