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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, Oregon

2008 – Present Assistant Dean, Animal Law Program
Executive Director, Center for Animal Law Studies.

Responsible for managing, directing and developing the school's animal law program and the Center for Animal Law Studies.¹ Specific additional duties and accomplishments include:

- Teaching animal law and advanced animal law courses
- Created the first-ever Animal Law LL.M. Degree program
- Developing animal law curricular and co-curricular offerings
- Researching and writing on cutting-edge animal law issues
- Advising the Student Animal Legal Defense Fund Chapter
- Advising student editors of *The Animal Law Review*
- Developing and managing the Animal Law Summer Program

¹ The Center for Animal Law Studies is an academic and scholarly Animal Law program created in collaboration with the Animal Legal Defense Fund and dedicated to: **1)** Training future leaders for careers in Animal Law and public policy; **2)** Conducting high-quality, independent legal research that advances the field of Animal Law; **3)** Developing innovative recommendations and legal strategies relating to Animal Law within administrative, legislative, litigation and other settings; **4)** Creating a scholarly environment where students, regardless of particular point of view, feel included and respected; and **5)** Ensuring that the interests of animals are always considered as the field develops.

- Organizing and hosting the annual Animal Law Conference (now in its 24rd year) and the National Animal Law Competitions (now in its 14th year)
- Supervising staff
- Developing and overseeing program operating budget

1998 – 2008 Adjunct Professor of Law.

Taught animal law and advanced animal law courses while maintaining full-time outside practice.

Animal Legal Defense Fund, Portland, Oregon
(National non-profit animal law organization)

2007 – 2008 General Counsel. Provided hands-on advice and counsel to executive staff and Board and worked to develop the field of animal law by creating new organizational strategies and legal programs. Responsible for protecting the organization's legal interests and maintaining its operations within the scope established by law.

2006 – 2007 Vice President, Legal Affairs. Responsible for overall development and management of the (civil) Litigation and Criminal Justice Programs. Responsible for supervising staff attorneys, support staff and outside contract attorneys.

1996 – 2006 Director, Criminal Justice Program. As a member of the senior management team, created, developed, and managed the Criminal Justice Program dedicated to assisting prosecutors and other law enforcement in the investigation and prosecution of animal abusers. Responsible for supervising staff attorneys, support staff and volunteer attorneys nationwide. To date, this program has assisted law enforcement in several thousand animal abuse and neglect cases.

1992 – 1996 Attorney, Pro-Bono. Provided volunteer legal support to the attorneys and staff on a variety of civil and criminal animal abuse cases while maintaining full-time legal practice.

Stoel Rives, LLP, Portland, Oregon

1993 – 1996 Attorney. Expertise: Employee benefits. Represented private and governmental employers in all aspects of design, administration and compliance of qualified and nonqualified retirement and compensation plans and other employee benefits.

Hanson Bridgett, Marcus, Vlahos & Rudy, San Francisco, California

1990 – 1993 Attorney. Expertise: Labor and Employment. Represented employers in wrongful discharge, harassment, discrimination, contract, tort and other employment-related claims in state and federal court. Represented both private and public sectors employers in unfair labor practice proceedings and representation hearings. Worked with employers on union election campaign planning and in the negotiation and execution of collective bargaining agreements, contract administration, arbitrations and employee strikes. Worked with, and trained, employers to develop policies and practices to prevent employment discrimination and harassment.

Pettit & Martin, San Francisco, California

1988 – 1989 Attorney. Expertise: Labor and Employment

Littler, Mendelson, San Francisco, California

1986 – 1988 Attorney. Expertise: Labor and Employment

PUBLICATIONS

1. Books

Animal Law, Cases and Materials (Carolina Academic Press, 5th Ed., 2014) (with Sonia S. Waisman and Bruce A. Wagman) (First Edition published 2000, Second Edition published 2002, Third Edition published 2006, Fourth Edition published 2010)

Animal Law in a Nutshell (Thomson West, 2011) (with Professor Kathy Hessler, Sonia S. Waisman and Sarah Kutil) (Second Edition forthcoming in 2016)

2. Book Chapters and Articles

Implementing Toxicity Testing in the 21st Century: Challenges and Opportunities, with Paul A. Locke, Margit Westphal, Joyce Tischler, Kathy Hessler, Bruce Meyers, and Daniel Krewski, *Journal of Toxicology and Environmental Health, Part B* (2015).

Animal Law – A Global Phenomenon, with Kathy Hessler and Natasha Dolezal, *Global Journal of Animal Law*, Åbo Akademi University Department of Law, Finland (2014).

The Future of Animal Law: Moving Beyond Preaching to the Choir, with Megan Senatori, in *ANIMAL LAW ANTHOLOGY*, Margot Michel, Daniela Kühne, and Julia Hänni, editors, University of Zurich, BWV Berliner, Wissenschafts-Verlag Publisher (2012).

The Future of Animal Law: Moving Beyond Preaching to the Choir, 60 J. LEGAL ED. 209 (2010) (with Megan Senatori) (also published as part of the proceedings of the *Pan-African Animal Welfare Alliance Conference*, Nairobi, September 2013)

La différence de traitement des animaux en fonction de leur espèce et de leur utilisation: un dilemme juridique et déontologique aux États-Unis, (French translation) 1 REVUE SEMESTRIELLE DE DROIT ANIMALIER – RSDA (OBSERVATOIRE DES MUTATIONS INSTITUTIONNELLES ET JURIDIQUES, LIMOGES, FR.) 257 (2010) (co-authored with Dr. Hollie Lund)

The Unequal Treatment of Animals by Species and Practice in the United States: A Moral and Legal Dilemma (with Dr. Hollie Lund), published in:

- L'ANIMAL DANS LA SPIRALE DES BESOINS DE L'HUMAIN, (in French) (M. Lachance (dir.)), Cowansville, Éditions Yvon Blais, 2010, p.15
- REVISTA BRASILEIRA DE DIREITO ANIMAL (in Portuguese) (Heron José de Santana Gordilo, Luciano Rocha Santana, Tagore Trajano de Almeida Silva, Coordenação) Ano 4, Número 5, 2010, p. 11
- CRIME, RESTORATION AND RESPONSIBILITY, RESEARCH PROJECT REPORT NO. 185, Chiba University Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (in Japanese) (From the proceedings of the Japanese Association of Legal Philosophy) (I. Shimazu, ed.) 2010, p. 45

Criminal Law, in LITIGATING ANIMAL LAW DISPUTES (ABA Publishing, J. Schaffner and J. Fershtman, eds.) (2009) (with Dana Campbell)

The Impact of Improved Anti-Cruelty Laws in the Investigation, Prosecution and Sentencing of Abusers, in THE INTERNATIONAL HANDBOOK OF THEORY, RESEARCH AND APPLICATION ON ANIMAL ABUSE AND CRUELTY (Purdue University Press, F. Ascione, ed.) (2008)

Addressing Animal Abuse: The Complementary Roles of Religion, Secular Ethics and the Law, 8 JOURNAL OF HUMAN-ANIMAL STUDIES 311 (2000)

Recognizing, Investigating and Prosecuting Animal Cruelty, in GUIDEBOOK FOR VETERINARIANS (American Humane Association (2000))

State Animal Anti-Cruelty Statutes: An Overview, 5 ANIMAL L. 69 (1999) (with Stephan K. Otto, Kristen M. Olsen, Paul A. Ernest)

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

2008 – pres. Assistant Dean, Animal Law Program and Executive Director, Center for Animal Law Studies at Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, Oregon. Teach Animal Law Fundamentals, Equine Law, Animals in Agriculture, Advanced Animal Law Seminar, and Animal Law LL.M. Graduate Seminar

- 1998 – 2008 Adjunct Professor of Law at Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, Oregon. Taught Animal Law Fundamentals and Advanced Animal Law Seminar.
- 2008 Adjunct Professor, Portland State University School of Business, Portland, Oregon. Taught Business Environments (a business ethics course required in the School of Business Administration)
- 1997 Adjunct Professor of Law at University of Oregon Law School, Eugene, Oregon. Taught Animal Law.

SIGNIFICANT LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITIES

Principal author of HB 3377, Oregon's first felony animal anti-cruelty law. Enacted into law during the 1995 Oregon legislative session.

Chief Petitioner for Measure 18 which sought to restrict bear-baiting and hound hunting of bear and cougar. Measure passed in the Oregon November 1994 election by popular vote.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Association of American Law Schools – Inaugural Recipient of the Animal Law Section's *Award for Excellence in Animal Law: Teaching, Scholarship, and Service*, 2016

Humane Society of the United States – *Legislative Achievement Award for Extraordinary Legislative Efforts on Behalf of Animals*, 1995

Oregon Humane Society – *Recognition of Outstanding Contribution in Helping to Establish Oregon's Felony Animal Abuse Statute*, 1995

BOARD MEMBERSHIPS AND ADVISORY POSITIONS

Executive Advisory Member, Oregon State Bar Section on Animal Law (2007-2009)

Board Member, Northwest Earth Institute (2002 – 2007)

Member, International Joint Advisory Committee to China on the development of anti-cruelty laws (2002)

Board Member, Center for Compassionate Living (2000 – 2002)

Member, Joint Advisory Committee comprised of the Oregon Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Industry Groups and Animal Protection Groups on establishing acceptable animal husbandry standards (1999)

Member, Oregon Department of Agriculture Advisory Committee on Compound 1080 (1998)

President, Oregon Animal Welfare Alliance (1996 - 1997)

Board Member, Juvenile Diabetes Foundation (1994-1996)

REPRESENTATIVE LECTURES AND APPEARANCES

Harvard Law School, “Workshop on Animals in Comparative Constitutional Law” (Cambridge, Massachusetts, February 2016)

The 23rd Annual Animal Law Conference at Lewis & Clark Law School, Master of Ceremonies (Portland, Oregon, October 2015)

Lewis & Clark Law School, Eat, Pray, Law: A Food Forum, “Animals in Agriculture: Challenges and Opportunities” (Portland, Oregon, March 2015)

Autonomous University of Barcelona, “Animal Law in the United States” (Barcelona, Spain, March 2015)

Fordham Law School, “Latest Developments in Animal Law” (New York, New York, February 2015)

The 22nd Annual Animal Law Conference at Lewis & Clark Law School, “How Can I Get a Job Advocating for Animal” (Portland, Oregon, October 2014)

II Global Animal Law Conference, “Animal Law Education” (Barcelona, Spain, July 2014)

Animal Law – Hot Issues, Presentation to the Thomas Lamb Society of the Oregon Humane Society (Portland, Oregon, April 2014)

Animal Law in the United States, Presentation to the International Association of Law School Deans, (Portland, Oregon, April 2014)

Animal Law, Presentation to U.S. State Department sponsored Leadership Training for African Wildlife Professionals (Portland, Oregon, May 2014)

Autonomous University of Barcelona, “Animal Law in the United States” (Barcelona, Spain, March 2014)

The 21st Annual Animal Law Conference, “Working on an International Level to Replace, Reduce, Refine the Use of Animals In Research and Testing: Where Do We Go From Here?” (Stanford Law School, October 2013)

Pan-African Animal Welfare Alliance Conference, “Animal Law Fundamentals” (Nairobi, Kenya, September 2013, via Podcast)

Master Program in Animal Law & Society, “Application of Animal Law in the U.S. through Cases and Courses” (Autonomous University of Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain, March 2013)

National Conference of the Society of Animal Welfare Administrators, “Animal Law Update” (St. Petersburg, FL, November 2012)

The Animal Law Conference, “Celebrating 20 Years of Animal Law: Looking Back and Looking Forward”, *Animal Rights Isolationism v. Practical Politics*, with Joyce Tischler, Lewis & Clark Law School (Portland, OR, October 2012)

Animal Law, Oregon Association of Paralegals (Portland, OR, September 2012)

Learning from the American Experience, Animal Law Education, Animal Law & Ethics, University of Zurich (Zurich, Switzerland, July 2012)

Why the Sustainable Ag Movement Needs More Lawyers, Sustainable Agriculture and Food System Funders’ Annual Conference (Santa Barbara, CA, June 21, 2012)

Animal Law: In the Real World, In Education, Animal Ethics Conference, Utah Valley University (Orem, UT, April 2012)

Animal Law and the First Amendment, guest lecturer, University of Chicago Law School (Chicago, IL, May 2011)

The Growth of Animal Law in American Law Schools, Second World Congress on Bioethics and Animal Rights: The Prospect for Life on a Changing Planet (Opening Plenary Session), (Salvador, Brazil, August 2010)

Animal Law, with Kathy Hessler and Teresa Candela, University of Barcelona (Federal University Bahia, Brazil, August 2010)

Animal Law, with Kathy Hessler (Liberdade University, Bahia, Brazil, August 2010)

Chemical Toxicity Testing Tomorrow (Part I): An Agency Roadmap, moderated panel with Dr. Christopher Austin, Director, NIH Chemical Genomics Center, Dr. Steven Bradbury, Director, Office of Pesticide Programs, EPA, Dr. David Jacobson-Kram, Associate Director of Pharmacology and Toxicology, USDA at “The Future of Chemical Toxicity Testing in the United States: Creating a Roadmap to Implement the NRC’s Vision and Strategy (National Press Club, Washington, D.C., June 2010)

The Future of Animal Law at Harvard Law School, Organized and moderated “The Second Wave of Animal Law” (Cambridge, MA, April 2010)

5th Annual Minnesota State Bar Animal Law Conference, “Current Status and the Future of Legal Education in Animal Law” (St. Paul, March 2010)

Japan Association of Law Philosophers, “The Unequal Treatment of Animals by Species and Practice in the United States: A Moral and Legal Dilemma All Law is Animal Law” (Osaka, Japan, November 2009)

Hitotsubashi University, featured speaker on animal law in the United States (Tokyo, Japan, November 2009)

Chiba University, featured speaker on the development of animal law (Chiba, Japan, November 2009)

The Economic Implications of the U.S. National Research Council’s Report on Toxicity Testing in the 21st Century: Can We Make the Business Case for Alternatives? organizer and moderator (Chicago, November 2009)

Cornell Law School, guest lecturer; panelist with Professor Michael Dorf and Professor Steven Schiffman at a forum analyzing the U.S. Supreme Court case of *U.S. v. Stevens* (Ithaca, October 2010)

The Science, Ethics and Law of Animal Testing in the 21st Century: Are We on the Verge of a Paradigm Shift? “Next steps in Implementing the National Academy of Sciences Vision for Toxicity Testing (Portland, September 2009)

American Association of Law Schools Conference, “All Law is Animal Law” (San Diego, January 2009)

Lewis & Clark Law School, “Animals and Standing: Constitutional Law Considerations” (Portland, November 2008)

Chinese Academy of Social Sciences and Law, “Animal Anti-Cruelty Laws in the United States” (Beijing, China April 2008)

Lewis & Clark Law School, “The Link Between Animal Abuse and Human Violence” (Portland, April 2008)

Cornell University Law School, “Animal Law Litigation” (Ithaca, October 2007)

Lewis & Clark Law School, Animal Law Conference, “Advancing Criminal Prosecutions” (Portland, September 2007)

Oregon Law Institute, “Codes and Commands: Emerging Law and Religious Traditions in the Treatment of Animals” (Portland, May 2007)

Harvard Law School, “The Future of Animal Law” (Cambridge, March 2007)

University of Victoria Law School, B.C., “The Future of Animal Law” (British Columbia, Canada, November 2005)

Washington State Bar Association, Animal Law Section Conference, “Beyond Felony Provisions, The Next Generation of Animal Protection Laws” (Seattle, April 2005)

Harvard Law School, National Animal Advocacy Competition, Moot Court Judge (Cambridge, February 2005)

Minnesota State Bar Association, Animal Law Section Conference, “Beyond Felony Provisions, The Next Generation of Animal Protection Laws” (Minneapolis, January 2005)

Yale Law School, “The Future of Animal Law” (New Haven, November 2004)

Reed College, “Animal Law” (Portland, March 2004)

Beijing University, “American Animal Protection Legislation” (Beijing, China, November 2002)

HSUS Annual Animal Care Expo for Shelter Operators, “Legal Issues for Animal Shelters, and Motivating Prosecutors to Take Your Case” (Las Vegas, February 2000)

Texas State Bar Association Animal Law Committee, “The Link between Human and Animal Violence” (Dallas, April 1999)

Arizona Peace Officer Service Training, “The Link Between Animal Cruelty and Human Violence” (Phoenix, November 1998)

Association of the Bar of the City of New York, “The Violence Connection: The Link Between Animal Cruelty and Crimes Against People” (New York, March 1998)

REPRESENTATIVE MEDIA COVERAGE

Quoted extensively in both broadcast and print media including all local Portland, OR news stations, The Chicago Tribune, The Los Angeles Times, The New Zealand Herald, The Baltimore Sun, The Boston Globe, The Oregonian, The Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, The Austin American-Statesman, The Dallas Morning News, The San Francisco Chronicle, The Village Voice, The Omaha World Herald and the DVM Newsmagazine, among others.