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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

American University Washington College of Law, Washington, DC

Professor of Law

August 2001 - Present

Courses: property law, inheritance law, reproduction and the law, property interests in people

Cornell Law School, Ithaca, NY.

Dorothea S. Clarke Visiting Scholar in Residence

Spring 2001

Northeastern University School of Law, Boston, MA.

Associate Professor of Law

August 1997 - January 2001

Courses: property law, family law, inheritance law

Boston College Law School, Newton, MA.

Visiting Professor

Fall 1999

Courses: inheritance law

University of Wisconsin Law School, Madison, WI.

William H. Hastie Fellow and Lecturer

August 1995 - July 1997

Courses: property law, reproduction and the law

Fourth Judicial Circuit of Florida, Jacksonville, FL.

Judicial Law Clerk

April 1995 - August 1995

Supreme Court of Florida, Tallahassee, FL.

Judicial Extern, Chief Justice Gerald Kogan

August 1994 - January 1995

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EDUCATION

University of Wisconsin Law School, Madison, WI.

LL.M.

Legal History, Constitutional Jurisprudence, Feminist Legal Theory

Florida State University College of Law, Tallahassee, FL.

JD

Public Interest Law Fellow

Florida A & M University, Tallahassee, FL.

BS

Economics and Business Administration

SCHOLARSHIP

PUBLICATIONS

Book, *BREEDING A NATION: REPRODUCTIVE SLAVERY AND THE PURSUIT OF FREEDOM*. (South End Press 2008).

Article, *Reconstructing Rationality: Critical Economic Theory and Reproductive Utilitarianism*, *Emory Law Review* (Summer 2007).

Essay, *Splitting the Difference: A Reaction to Janet Halley's 'Split Decisions: How and Why to Take a Break from Feminism'*, *Yale Journal of Law and Feminism* (Fall 2007).

Article, *Ain't I A Slave: Slavery, Reparations and Reproductive Abuses*, 14 *UCLA Women's Law Journal* 89 (Fall 2005).

Essay, *"Exploring Abortion Through a Personal, Political and Pedagogical Prism"*. *CRITICAL RACE FEMINISM: A READER* Vol. 2 (Adrien K. Wing, ed. 2003)

Article, *Un/Re/Dis Covering Slave Breeding in Thirteenth Amendment Jurisprudence*, *WASHINGTON AND LEE RACE AND ETHNIC ANCESTRY LAW JOURNAL* (Fall 2001).

Article, *Reproductive Rights and Civil Freedom: The Thirteenth Amendment's Role in the Struggle for Reproductive Freedom*, 3 *J. GENDER, RACE AND JUSTICE* 401 (2000).

Article, *Connectedness and Closeted Questions: The Use of History In Developing Feminist Legal Theory*, 11 *WISC. WOMEN'S L.J.* 351 (1997).

MONOGRAPHS, REPRINTS AND REFERENCE PUBLICATIONS

- Entries Encyclopedia of Supreme Court of the United States Supreme (McGraw Hill)(forthcoming 2008)(describing notable cases in reproductive rights and their impact on constitutional jurisprudence).
- Entries Encyclopedia of Slavery (Facts) (forthcoming 2008) (describing reproduction during the American slavery era).
- Essay *Reproductive Rights Theory: The Fact, Fiction and Function of Legal Storytelling*, Emory University's Across the Academe Series (Spring 2007).
- Reprint *Reproductive Rights and Civil Freedom: The Thirteenth Amendment's Role in the Struggle for Reproductive Freedom*, in Adalberto, Jr. Aguirre and David V. Baker, SOURCES: NOTABLE SELECTIONS IN RACE AND ETHNICITY, 3rd Edition McGraw Hill 2002.
- Transcript “*New Approaches to Roe and Reproductive Rights*”, *Movements in the Legal Academy*, 5 *Geo. J. Gender and Sexuality* 817 (Fall 2004).

PAPERS, SYMPOSIA and PRESENTATIONS

- “From Slavery to Reconstruction to Black Power”, African American Legal History Panel at the Southeastern Law School Association Annual Conference (July 2007).
- “Reading Gentleman: Race and Gender in Legal Academy”, University of Iowa College of Law (July 2007).
- “Scholarly Voices: Women of Color in Legal Scholarship”, SE/SW People of Color Scholarship Conference, Florida A&M University College of Law (March 2007).
- “Emerging Issues in Family Law”, Symposium Moderator, *Journal of Gender, Social Policy and the Law*, Washington College of Law (February 2007).
- “Black Women and the Legal Profession”, Holland and Knight (June 2007)
- “Narratives in Critical Legal Feminist Theory”, Feminism and Legal Theory Workshop, Emory University Law School, Atlanta, GA (October 2007).
- “Emerging Issues in Property Rights and Redevelopment”, Northeast People of Color Scholarship Conference Nassau, Bahamas (Jul 2006).

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“Critical Economic Theory and the Rational Reproductive Actor”, Columbia Law School New York (Mar 2006).

“Hurricane Katrina and *Kelo*: Implications for the Poor”, National Lawyers Guild National Conference Washington DC (Mar 2006).

“Constitutionalism and Reproductive Rights” University of Kwa Zulu Natal (Durban) South Africa (Dec 2005).

“Reproduction and Feminism”, Hampshire College (Apr 2005).

“Reproduction and Feminist Legal History”, Socialist Scholars Conference New York (Mar 2005).

“‘Of Slight Relevance’: Reproductive Decision Making and Free Trade in the Americas”. Feminism and Legal Theory Workshop (Feb 2005).

“Reproductive Slavery and Reparations: The New Tool in the Fight for Reproductive Freedom, St. Louis University School of Law Faculty Colloquium (Sep 2004).

“Tending the Ties That Bind: The Inescapable Interdependence of Lawyers, Activists, Academics, Historians and Journalists”, Kopkind Colony Summer Retreat (Aug 2004).

“Racialized Reproduction: Sexual and Reproductive Exploitation as a Modality of Subordination”, AALS Mid Year Conference on Race (Jun 2004).

“Integrating Gender into Legal Education”, Law and Society Annual Meeting (May 2004).

“Reproduction and Free Trade in the Americas”, LATCRIT Colloquium/Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina (Aug 2003).

“The History of Reproductive Rights in America”, Gloria Steighnam Institution Lecture Series (Jul 2003).

“Globalization and Reproduction: An Feminist Legal Theory Activist Project”, Feminism and Legal Theory Workshop/University of Wisconsin Law School (Jun 2003).

“The Prism of Race and Sexuality”, Law School Admissions Council Annual Meeting (May 2003).

“Strange Bedfellows: Political Activism and the Reproductive Rights Doctrine, Hampshire College (Apr 2003).

“Getting Real: Exploring the Symbolic Importance of *Roe v. Wade*”, WCL Symposium (Apr 2003).

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“Narratives in Legal Pedagogy, Georgetown Law Center (Mar 2003).

“Reparations and the Female Slave Experience”, Depaul University Symposium (Mar 2003).

“Reproductive Freedom and the Role of Midwives”, WCL Symposium (Mar 2003).

“Sexual Identity and Race in the Legal Profession, WCL Symposium (Feb 2003).

“Women and Estate Planning”, Women of Washington, Inc. (Jan 003).

“The Other Thirty Years’ War: *Roe v. Wade* and the Fight to Protect Reproductive Freedom”, Feminist Majority Foundation, Annual Meeting, Washington DC (Jan 2003).

“Reproduction in the Americas”, Encuentro Feminista 9, San Jose, Costa Rica (Dec 2002).

“Multidimensionality in Law School Admissions”, NLGLA/Lavender Law, Philadelphia, PA (Oct 2001).

“Reproduction, Slavery and Feminist Theory”, Hampshire College, Amherst, MA (Oct 2001).

“Abortion and Same-Sex Marriage: The Pitfalls of Single Issue Organizing”, Association of American Law Schools Conference, San Francisco (Jan 2001).

“A Singular Silence: The Constitution on Matters of Sexual and Reproductive Abuses” Faculty Colloquium Cornell University Apr 2001).

“Erasing the Alter: A Primal Analysis of Transgender and Same-Sex Marriages”, Feminism and Legal Theory Workshop, Cornell Law School (Nov 2000).

“Prisms, Space and Margins: Critical Queer Legal Theory”, Critical Legal Studies Conference Univ. of Helsinki, Finland (Sep 2000).

“‘Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell’ and the Increase of Violence Against Women in the Military”, Association of American of Law Schools, Washington, D.C. (Jan 2000).

“Narratology and Doctrine in American Legal History”, Critical Legal Studies Conference, Univ. of London (Sep 1999).

“History, Identity and Narrative: The Pursuit of Reproductive Freedom”, Critical Race Feminism Conference, Univ. of Iowa (Nov1998).

“Calling All Queers!: Sexual Orientation and the Legal Academician”, NLGLA/Lavender Law Conference, Boston (Oct 1998).

“The Norplant Crisis and the Thirteenth Amendment: Toward a Content Based Remedy for Reproductive Abuse”, Critical Race Theory Conference, Yale Law School (Nov 1997).

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“The Globalization of the Reproductive Rights Discourse”, Distinguished Scholar Lecture Series Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo MI (Mar 1997).

“Toward a Feminist Lesbian Legal and Political Theory”, National Women Law Students Association, Long Beach, CA (Feb 1997).

“The Global Pursuit of Reproductive Freedom”, Law and Society Association Annual Conference Univ. of Strathclyde, Glasgow, Scotland (Jul 1996).

“Deviance and Feminist Theory: Learning from the Margins”, National Women Law Students’ Association, Univ. of Wisconsin-Madison (Mar 1996).

PRO BONO, INSTITUTIONAL and COMMUNITY SERVICE

Member, Committee on Gay, Lesbian, BiSexual and Transgender Issues, American University
Advisory Board, Boston Women’s Health Book Collective.

Executive Board/Consultant, Kopkind Colony for Journalists and Activists.

Member/Consultant, Abortion Clinic Legal Defense Network.

Founding Member, Estate Planning Law Collective for People Living with AIDS

Member, Society of American Law Teachers

Member, National Lawyers’ Guild

Member, Editorial Board for WAGADU: A Journal of Multiculturalisms at SUNY Cortland.

Faculty Advisor, Journal Gender, Law and Social Policy, Washington College of Law.

Faculty Advisor, National Lawyers’ Guild Student Chapter, Washington College of Law.

Chair, Law and Society Association, Student Scholarly Paper Prize Committee (2004-2005)

Member, Law and Society Association, Program Committee (2002-2003)

Member, Law School Admissions Council SubCommittee on Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Issues (2000-2002)

HONORS and AWARDS

Visiting Scholar University of Buffalo Law School (Fall 2007).

Visiting Scholar University of Cincinnati Law School (Fall 2007).

Visiting Scholar Florida A&M University College of Law (Fall 2007).

Visiting Scholar in Residence, Emory University Law School (Invited).

Recipient, Lannan Prize (2006).

Scholar in Residence, Cornell University (2001).