

**Robin Wright Westbrook**  
Practitioner-in-Residence  
American University Washington College of Law

**Education**

**Yale University, J.D., 1974**

- Independent work with Profs. Boris Bittker and John Simon

**Smith College, B.A. magna cum laude, 1971**

**Georgetown University, Masters in Taxation program participant**

- CALI Excellence for the Future Award, Corporate Income Tax, 2003

**Publications and works in progress**

“All on the Same Page: Using PowerPoint in the Tax Classroom,”  
*The Law Teacher*, Spring 2006

“Contingent Liability Shelters and §351: Fundamentally Incompatible”  
(work in progress)

**Presentations**

AALS Workshop on Clinical Legal Education, May 2007, “Time to Think, Time to Grow”

ABA Tax Section Annual Meeting, May 2005, Panelist, “Teaching Tax”

**Reference**

Leandra Lederman, William W. Oliver Professor of Tax Law,  
Indiana University School of Law – Bloomington, 211 S. Indiana Ave.,  
Bloomington, Indiana 47405; [llederma@indiana.edu](mailto:llederma@indiana.edu)

**Employment**

**Washington College of Law, American University** from July 1, 2006

- Practitioner in Residence, Clinical Program

**Washington and Lee University Law School** August 2004 –May 2006

- Adjunct Professor, Corporate Taxation and Partnership Taxation.

**Individual practice, Great Falls, VA** June, 1984 – present

- Remunerative and pro bono work in estate planning, zoning, incorporations and tax work with non-profits.

**Hogan & Hartson, Washington, DC** June 1974 – June 1984

- Participated in planning and in controversy work in corporate reorganizations, employee benefits, employment taxes, U.S. taxation of foreign income, estate taxation and private foundation excise taxes. Provided advice in criminal tax proceedings.

**Community**

**Leadership Activities and other pursuits** to present

- President and Director, TJHSST Partnership Fund, Inc., 2000 – 2002. Created and developed fundraising and endowment organization which raised \$300,000 and secured major business organization endorsements.
- Four-time Hawaii Ironman Triathlon World Championship finisher.