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## **EMPLOYMENT**

**8/93-present**

### **NORTHWESTERN PRITZKER SCHOOL OF LAW, Chicago, IL.**

Clinical Professor of Law. Harry B. Reese Teaching Clinical Professor of Law, 2019 – 20. Teaching communication and legal reasoning to first year law students and common law reasoning to International LLM students. Taught Introduction to American Law to international students in LLM-Kellogg program, annual lectures, 1998 - 2001.

Act as mentor to newer CLR faculty members. Developed research and writing projects concerning legal ethics, cleric-congregant privilege, holographic wills, the necessity defense, adverse possession, the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, the Indian Child Welfare Act, the federal murder for hire statute, and the Foreign Sovereign Immunities Act. Drafted CLR Handbook to introduce new CLR faculty members to the school's CLR program and to provide guidance about their roles in the school's CLR program.

Member, Curriculum Development Committee, Fall 2005 – 2007. Member, Faculty Petitions Committee, Fall 2007 – Summer 2008; Fall 2012 – 14. Member of CLR Faculty Search Committees 2009, 2010, 2011 (chair), 2012 (chair). Member of Faculty Senate, 2010 – 16; member of Faculty Senate Faculty Handbook Committee, 2010 – 16; member of Faculty Senate Non-Tenure Eligible Committee, 2012-16. Member of Provost's Advisory Council on Women Faculty, August 2016 – present. Member of University Faculty Excellence Advisory Committee, January 2016 – present. Member of law school's JD-LLM Relations Committee, July 2016 – present.

Dean's Teaching Award, Honorable Mention, 2004, 2005, 2007. Dean's Teaching Award, recipient, 2006.

Host of weekly English language conversation group with LLM and MSL students, 2011 - present. Volunteer in law school's Chicago Youth Programs tutoring program for Chicago Public School Middle School students, January 2016 – present.

**1988-1/93**

### **OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, Environment Department, State of Connecticut, Hartford, CT.**

Assistant Attorney General. Litigated on behalf of the Department of Environmental Protection. Substantial trial court and administrative caseload involving enforcement of Connecticut hazardous waste, water pollution, solid waste, inland wetland, and air pollution control laws. Managed substantial portion of Connecticut Native American matters. Represented the Connecticut Indian Affairs Council and the Native American Heritage Advisory Council. Advised the Department of Agriculture and represented it in administrative hearings. Advised the State Entomologist.

Briefed and argued cases before the Connecticut Supreme Court. Outstanding managerial performance award, 1990.

**1987-88**

**CONNECTICUT WOMEN'S EDUCATIONAL AND LEGAL FUND, Harvard Law School Fellowship in Public Interest Law, Hartford, CT.**

Staff Attorney. Researched and wrote about sex discrimination, family law, and related topics. Addressed legal concerns of the organization and individuals. Represented individual in divorce proceeding, pro bono, through New Haven Legal Aid Office.

**Summer 1986**

**UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, New Haven, CT.**

Summer Associate. Researched and wrote legal memoranda on civil and criminal law issues. Harvard Student Funded Fellowship.

**Summer 1985**

**TONKIN, TORP, GALEN, MARMADUKE & BOOTH, Portland, OR.**

Summer Associate. Researched and wrote legal memoranda on corporate law topics.

**EDUCATION**

**HARVARD LAW SCHOOL**, Cambridge, MA. J.D., 1987. Courses as required with electives including placement at Jamaica Plain Legal Services Center. Prison Legal Assistance Project (1984-85); Moot Court Advisor, La Alianza Alternative Ames (1986); Harvard Women's Law Journal, article editor (1985-86), general editor (1986-87); Student Funded Fellowship, board member (1987).

**BARNARD COLLEGE**, Columbia University, New York, NY. A.B., Political Science, magna cum laude, 1982.

**PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY**, Portland, OR. Concentration: English and Political Science, 1978-80.

**BAR ADMISSIONS**

Illinois Bar. Admitted, July 1995.

United States District Court, District of Connecticut. Admitted, January 1989.

Connecticut Bar. Admitted, November 1987.

**PUBLICATION**

Martha D. Kanter & Grace M. Dodier, Discarding the Fiction of the Practice Ready Law Graduate to Reclaim Law as a Profession, 17 W. Mich. Univ. Cooley J. of Prac. & Clinical L. 265 (2016).