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EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF LAW, Seattle, Washington

Professor of Law 2017 – present

Associate Professor of Law (with tenure), September 2013 – 2017

Assistant Professor of Law (tenure track), July 2012 – present

Courses: International Tax I, Graduate Tax Program
International Tax II, Graduate Tax Program
Individual Income Tax, J.D. Program
Tax Policy Seminar, J.D. and Graduate Tax Programs

Awards: Jack MacDonald Distinguished Scholar 2015 – 2016
Garvey Schubert & Barer Professor of Law, 2016 – present
UW Law Teacher of the Year, Excellence in Graduate Education, 2015 – 2016

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS, SCHOOL OF LAW, Davis, California

Acting Professor of Law, July 2008 – July 2012

Courses: Federal Income Taxation
International Aspects of U.S. Taxation

Martin Luther King, Jr. Hall Research Scholar 2011 – 2012, 2010 – 2011

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Cambridge, Massachusetts

Climenko Fellow and Lecturer on Law, June 2006 – 2008

Course: First Year Legal Research and Writing

UNITED STATES TAX COURT, Washington, District of Columbia

Law Clerk/Attorney Advisor to the Honorable Joseph H. Gale, September 2004 – August 2005

DAVIS POLK & WARDWELL, New York, New York

Associate, Tax Department, November 2003 – September 2004

Summer Associate, Corporate Department, Summer 2002

BAKER BOTTS, LLP, New York, New York

Summer Associate, Corporate Department, Summer 2001, Summer 2002

SULLIVAN & CROMWELL, LLP, New York, New York

Intern, Summer 2000

EDUCATION

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER

Master of Laws in Taxation with Distinction, May 2006

Honors: Graduate Tax Scholars Fellowship
CALI Excellence Award, Estate and Gift Taxation
CALI Excellence Award, Tax Lawyering & Professional Responsibility in
Federal Tax Practice

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL

Juris Doctor, June 2003

Honors: Cum laude

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

Bachelor of Arts with Distinction, Major in Mathematics, May 2000

Honors: Phi Beta Kappa Society
Echols Scholar
National Merit Scholarship
Intermediate Honors
Golden Key National Honor Society
Pi Mu Epsilon National Honorary Mathematics Society
Phi Eta Sigma National Honor Society
Raven Society (UVA Honorary Society)

ACADEMIC WORKS

Tax Shelters and Statutory Interpretation: A Much Needed Purposive Approach
2009 U. Ill. L. Rev. 697 (2009)

Taking the Good with the Bad: Recognizing the Negative Externalities Created by Charities and Their Implications for the Charitable Deduction
52 Ariz. L. Rev. 977 (2010)

Too Close to Home: Limiting the Organizations Subsidized by the Charitable Deduction to Those in Economic Need
63 Fla. L. Rev. 857 (2011)

Tax Abuse According to Whom?
15 Fla. Tax Rev. 1 (2013)

Over-Taxing the Working Family: Uncle Sam and the Childcare Squeeze
114 Mich. L. Rev. 559 (2016)

Postpartum Taxation and the Squeezed Out Mom
105 Georgetown Law Journal 1323 (2017)

Taxing Parents Equitably, Harvard Law Review Blog (inaugural launch, October 2017)

Book Review, Bridget Crawford & Anthony Infanti, *Feminist Judgments: Rewritten Tax Opinions*, Journal of Accountancy (2018)

America's (D)evolving Childcare Tax Laws, Georgia Law Review (2019)

Theorizing the Taxation of Parenting Models ((in progress))

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS, WORKSHOPS AND CONFERENCES

America's (D)evolving Childcare Tax Laws, University of Washington School of Law, Invited Presenter, Faculty Speaker Series, Seattle, WA April 2018

America's (D)evolving Childcare Tax Laws, Seattle Law School, Invited Presenter, Faculty Speaker Series, Seattle, WA March 2018

America's (D)evolving Childcare Tax Laws, Duke University School of Law, Invited Presenter, Duke Tax Policy Seminar, Durham, North Carolina, February 2018

University of Virginia School of Law, 2017 Autumn Invitational Tax Conference, Invited Commenter, Charlottesville, VA, November 2017

University of Washington School of Law Tax Conference, *Taxpayer Rights*, Moderator, University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA, October 2016

Postpartum Taxation and the Squeezed Out Mom, Invited Speaker, Davis Polk & Wardwell Tax Policy Colloquium, Columbia Law School, New York, NY October 2016

Over-Taxing the Working Family: Uncle Sam and the Childcare Squeeze, Invited Speaker, Loyola Tax Policy Colloquium, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles, November 2015.

University of Washington School of Law Tax Conference, *Administrating and Enforcing the Tax Laws*, Moderator, University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA, October 2015

Over-Taxing the Working Family: Uncle Sam and the Childcare Squeeze, Presenter, Law & Society Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, May 2015

Over-Taxing the Working Family: Uncle Sam and the Childcare Squeeze, Presenter, University of Washington School of Law Tax Conference, *The Future of the Tax System*, University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA, October 2014

University of Washington School of Law Diversity Week Panel, Speaker, University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA, March 2014.

University of Washington School of Law Tax Conference, *Duties to the Tax System*, Moderator, University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA, October 2013

Tax Abuse According to Whom? Invited Speaker, Pittsburgh Tax Conference, University of Pittsburgh Law School, Pittsburgh PA, March 2013.

Tax Abuse According to Whom? Guest Speaker, Washington Women in Tax Workshop Series, Seattle, WA, February 2013.

Tax Abuse According to Whom? Presenter, University of Washington Critical Tax Workshop, University of Washington School of Law, September 2012.

LL.M. Tax Panel, sponsored by University of California, Davis School of Law Tax Law Society, Panel Participant, October 2011

In Search of a Standard: Determining the Transactions to be Judged Under the Newly Codified Economic Substance Doctrine, Presenter, Junior Tax Scholars Conference, University of California, Irvine School of Law, June 2011

Critical Tax Theory Conference, Participant, Santa Clara Law School, April 2011

Attaining an LL.M. Degree in Taxation, sponsored by University of California, Davis School of Law, Tax Law Society, Guest Speaker, November 2010

Too Close to Home: Limiting the Organizations Subsidized by the Charitable Deduction to Those in Economic Need, Presenter, Northern California Tax Roundtable, University of California, Hastings College of the Law, December 2010

Deconstructing the Charitable Deduction: Devising a Workable Framework to Analyze Charitable Transfers, Presenter, Law & Society Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, May 2010

Taking the Good with the Bad: Recognizing the Negative Externalities Created by Charities and Their Implications for the Charitable Deduction, Presenter, University of California, Davis, School of Law, April 2010

California International Law Center's Program on LL.Ms and Advanced Degrees, Panel Participant, October 2009

Northern California Tax Roundtable, Participant, Stanford Law School, November 2009

Taxation Law Talk, sponsored by University of California, Davis School of Law Business Journal, Guest Speaker, March 2009

Northern California Tax Roundtable, Participant, University of California, Hastings College of the Law, April 2009

"Gimme Shelter": A Primer on Complex Tax-Motivated Transactions, Moderator, American Bar Association, Teaching Taxation Committee Panel on Complex Tax Shelters, Washington, D.C., May 2009

Deconstructing the Charitable Deduction: Devising a Workable Framework to Analyze Charitable Transfers, Presenter, Junior Tax Scholars Conference, Brooklyn Law School, June 2009

Tax Shelters and Statutory Interpretation: A Much Needed Purposive Approach, Presenter, Northern California Tax Roundtable, Santa Clara Law School, October 2008

Tax Shelters and Statutory Interpretation: A Much Needed Purposive Approach, Presenter, Harvard Law School, November 2007

General Aspects of Group Taxation: Conditions and Consequences, Presenter, EUCOTAX wintercourse, Tilburg University, The Netherlands, April 2006

LAW SCHOOL AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Faculty Council on Benefits & Retirement, Ad Hoc Sub-Committee on Parental Leave, 2017-2018

Law School Strategy Task Force on Budget, 2017-2018

Ad Hoc Working Group, Calendar System, Summer 2017

Executive Committee (elected), Chair 2016-2018

Teaching and Learning Committee, Chair 2014-2016

Appointments Committee, Member 2013-2014

Curriculum Innovation Committee, Member 2013-2014

Admissions Committee, Member 2010 – 2011

Academic Senate, Alternate Representative 2009 – present

California International Law Center Council, Member 2008 – present

Academic Appeals Committee, Member 2009 – 2010

Library Advisory Committee, Member 2009 – 2010

Loan Repayment Assistance Program Oversight Committee, Member 2009 – 2010

UC Davis Law Review, Faculty Advisor 2008 – 2009

BAR ADMISSION

New York

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Bar Association Section of Taxation

Association of American Law Schools

American Association of International Law