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EDUCATION

Emory University School of Law
Juris Doctor, with honors

May 2006

Yale University
Bachelor of Arts, English and Sociology

May 1999

SIGNIFICANT ADMINISTRATIVE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Doubled donor contributions to the College year over year.
- Supported successful student effort to rename the street where the College is located “FAMU Law Lane.”
- Improved the College’s relationships with key constituencies by hosting lunches with community leaders, student townhalls, alumni townhalls, and, along with the College’s Community Engagement team, planning and executing twenty events to celebrate the College of Law’s 20th Anniversary, as well as interfacing regularly with the University’s Board of Trustees and the Board of Governors.
- Advanced the College’s priority of ensuring student success by working with the faculty and staff to hire five full-time faculty to meet needs in the core curriculum with an emphasis on skills instruction and increase the credentials of the incoming cohort year-over-year from a median LSAT of 147 to a 151 and from a median GPA of 3.1 to 3.5, while maintaining the College’s commitment to its legislative mandate and mission of diversifying the legal profession.

PUBLICATIONS

[A Primer on Critical Race IP](#), with Anjali Vats, eds. Lateef Mtima and Steven Jamar, [IP and Social Justice](#) (Cambridge University Press 2024)

[What to the Marginalized Person is the American Dream?](#), 17 Fl. Agric. & Mechanical U. Law Review 11 (2023)

Critical Race Theory as Intellectual Property Methodology, with Anjali Vats, Eds. Irene Calboli & Maria Lillà Montagnani, [Handbook of IP Research](#) (Oxford University Press 2021)

Learning from the Best: Reflections on Nancy Sabol as a Teacher, Scholar, Mentor and Friend, 46 Ohio N.U. L. Rev. 533 (2020) (in memoriam, with Melissa Kidder)

Florida A&M Law School Leaders: Healing Racial Divide Starts Now, Orlando Sentinel, June 8, 2020, also published in the Black News Network, Black News Channel and the Florida Courier (w. Nicky Boothe-Perry)

Treatment of Migrant of Children Goes Beyond Rule of Law, Columbus Dispatch, July 26, 2019 (w. Karen Hall)

Limiting Lessons from Property: Re-imagining the Public Domain in the Image of the Public Trust Doctrine, 107 KY. L.J. 629 (2019) (invited)

Critical Race IP, 36 CARDOZO ARTS & ENT. L.J. 735 (2018) (with Anjali Vats)

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Copyright to the Rescue?: Should Copyright Protect Privacy?, 20 UCLA J.L. & TECH (2016),
reprinted in Intellectual Property Law Review (West 2017)

Centering Education in the Next Great Copyright Act: A Response to Professor Jaszi, 54 DUQUESNE
L. REV. 173 (2016) (with Anjali Vats) (invited)

“What He Said...”: The Transformative Potential of the Use of Copyrighted Content in Political
Campaigns, or, How a Win for Mitt Romney Might Have Been a Victory for Free Speech, 16
VAND. J. ENT. & TECH. L. 497 (2014)

Recognizing the Derivative Works Right as a Moral Right: A Case Comparison and Proposal,
63 CASE WES. RES. L. REV. 511 (2013)

The Supreme Court’s Decision in *Kirtsaeng v. John Wiley & Sons, Inc.*: A copy made abroad may be
“lawfully made under” the Copyright Act, Ohio State Bar Assn. Intellectual Property Law Section
Newsl. (Spring 2013)

The Supreme Court's Decision in *Golan v. Holder*: A Repudiation of the Inviolable Nature of the
Public Domain, Ohio State Bar Assn. Intellectual Property Law Section Newsl. (Spring 2012)

Scientific Evidence Review: Admissibility and Use of Expert Evidence in the Courtroom, Monograph
No. 8. Ed. Cynthia H. Cwik et al. American Bar Association (August 2008), contributor

Chapter three, “Trade Dress.” Model Jury Instructions: Copyright, Trademark and Trade Dress
Litigation. Ed. American Bar Association (May 2008) 221-259, contributor

Reviewing the Past Year’s Top Ten Trademark Trends and an Analysis of their Impact on
2008, Intellectual Property and Technology Law Journal (February, 2008), co-author

In Focus: Intellectual Property: 2007 Stands for Crucial Year for Trademark Law, The National
Law Journal (January 2008), co-author

Works-in-Progress

Book: *Critical Race + IP: Writings for an Intellectual Property Revolution* (w. Lateef Mtima and
Rich Schur)

Law Review Articles:

*Bridging Race + I.P.: The Challenges and Potential of Utilizing Transdisciplinary Methods to
Undo the Unbearable Whiteness of Intellectual Property* (w. Anjali Vats)

Book Chapters:

Will I be the Next Hashtag: Black Death Spectacle or Catalyst for Change

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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Florida A & M University College of Law, Orlando, Florida

Dean

Professor of Law

Teaching:

Property (Fall 2021)

Contracts (Spring 2024)

July 2020 – Present

July 2020 – January 2024

July 2020 – Present

University and Other Professional Service:

Advisory Leadership Committee on Compensation Benchmarking

Hiring Committee, Vice President for Advancement

Ad Hoc Committee on Administration and Faculty Collaboration

Hiring Committee, Associate Vice Provost and Dean - School of Graduate Studies and Research

Organizing Committee, Race + IP (FAMU/Virtual, April 2021; University of Pittsburgh Law, April 2023), <http://raceipconference.org/>

Community Service:

Executive Committee Member, Parramore Community Engagement Council

Board of Trustees, Orlando Science Center

Ohio Northern University, Claude W. Pettit College of Law, Ada, Ohio June 2010 – June 2020

Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

August 2018 – June 2020

Professor of Law (with tenure)

August 2016 – June 2020

Associate Professor of Law

August 2013 – August 2016

Assistant Professor of Law

August 2010 – August 2013

Teaching:

- Recipient of the Excellence in Classroom Teaching Award (2014-2015)
- Estates, Wills and Trusts (Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2020)
- The Legal History of Montgomery, Alabama (January Term 2020)
- Property I (Fall 2010, Fall 2011, Fall 2012, Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2018)
- Property II (Spring 2011, Spring 2012, Spring 2013, Spring 2014, Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Spring 2018, Spring 2019)
- Law and Literature Seminar (Fall 2010, Fall 2011, Fall 2012, Fall 2013, Summer 2014, Spring 2015, Summer 2017, Summer 2018)
- Intellectual Property Seminar (Spring 2016, Spring 2018)
- Estates, Wills and Trusts (Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2020)
- Intellectual Property Survey (Spring 2013, Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Fall 2015)
- Legal Problem Solving & Analysis (January Term 2012)
- Internet Law (Spring 2011) - developed to supplement existing intellectual property offerings

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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE (continued)

Law College Service:

- Chair, Examination Accommodations Committee (2018-2020)
- Admissions & Readmissions Committee (2016-2020), Chair (2019-2020)
- Outcomes and Assessment Committee (2016-2019)
- Tenure Committee (2016-2020)
- Fowler Harper Committee (Spring 2018)
- Personnel Committee (2011-2012; 2014-2015; 2015-2016)
- Welcome Committee (2014-2015; 2015-2016)
- Strategic Planning Committee (Spring 2014-Spring 2015)
- Legal Research and Writing Committee (2014-2016), Chair (2015-2016)
- Communications and Marketing Liaison (2013-2014)
- Web Advisor (2013-2014)
- ABA Inspection / Self-Study Committee (2012-2013)
- Placement Committee (2012-2013; 2016-2018)
- Coordinated speaker (Joseph Singer, Harvard) for Kormendy Lecture Series (April 2015)
- Coordinated speakers (Madhavi Sunder, UC Davis and Jon Garon, Northern Kentucky) for Fred L. Carhart Memorial Program in Legal Ethics (October 2013)
- Faculty Advisor for LAMBDA Law Students Association (2011-2020)
- Faculty Coach for Giles Sutherland Rich Memorial Moot Court Competition (2015-2016)
- PreLaw Undergraduate Scholars Intellectual Property Survey (Summer 2011, 2012, 2013)
 - Sponsored by grant from the Law School Admissions Council and DiscoverLaw.org (Summer 2011, 2012)

University Service:

- Co-Chair, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee (2019-2020)
- Budget and Appropriations Committee (2017-2020), Secretary (2017-2018), Vice-Chair (2019-2020)
- MLK Committee (2014-2018)
- Dean Search Committee (2017-2018)
- University Faculty Parliamentarian (2015-2017)
- Provost Search Committee (Fall 2015-Fall 2016)

Other Professional Service:

- Planning Committee, The First and Second Annual Mosaic Conference: Diverse Voices in IP Scholarship (Marquette, November 2014 and March 2016)
- Organizing Committee, Race + IP (Boston College, April 2017), <http://raceipconference.org/>

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LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Seyfarth Shaw LLP, Atlanta, Georgia

May 2008 – May 2010

Associate

- Research on topics such as protectability of trademarks, scope of rights, jurisdiction as conferred by internet presence, theories of recovery, and copyright infringement.
- Counsel clients regarding strategy for protecting and enforcing copyrights and trademark rights.
- Review trademark search reports and draft legal opinions regarding availability.
- Prosecution of trademark applications including preparation of Office Action Responses to Refusal on a wide range of issues including likelihood of confusion, mere descriptiveness and unacceptable specimens.
- Take depositions and manage discovery in state court suit.
- Perform intellectual property due diligence in connection with corporate transactions.

Sutherland Asbill & Brennan LLP, Atlanta, Georgia

May 2005 – May 2008

Associate

August 2006 – May 2008

- Research regarding copyright liability including willfulness, statutory damages, and misuse.
- Draft pleadings and discovery in matters before various courts and administrative bodies.
- Legal research on parent / subsidiary liability and claim construction.
- Manage document production in various litigation matters.
- Counsel clients regarding trademark strategy.
- Review trademark search reports and draft legal opinions regarding availability.
- Prosecution of trademark applications including preparation of Office Action Responses to Refusal on issues including whether a tagline serves as a mark, whether a product design mark is functional, merely ornamental or has acquired distinctiveness, and whether product packaging design functions as a mark.
- Draft client advisories on developments including the circuit split on whether metatag use constitutes “use in commerce” and the TTAB’s treatment of marks registered under the Pan-American Convention.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Represented a copyright owner in a conversion suit filed in the State Court of Fulton County to obtain her copyrighted materials.
- Managed an international portfolio of registered trademarks and pending applications for a publicly-traded scientific research company.
- Obtained a favorable result for a national grocery chain in a matter before the Georgia Department of Agriculture concerning the VIDALIA ONION® trademark.
- Performed various research projects and managed the document production process on the team representing a publicly-traded generics company in a patent infringement matter in the District of New Jersey.
- Represented privately-held company in trademark infringement suit against a UK enterprise.

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PRESENTATIONS / APPEARANCES / MEDIA

[Central Florida Spotlight](#), January 2024

Panelist, Online Legal Education: Advancing Inclusive Pedagogies, AALS 2024 Annual Meeting, January 2024

Facilitator, Navigating Politics, Red States and Blue States, AALS 2024 Deans' Forum, January 2024

Exploring the Aftermath: SCOTUS Decision on Affirmative Action and its Resonance in Law School Admissions and Beyond, Wiley A. Branton Symposium, October 2023

Featured, Orlando Sentinel, Scott Maxwell, [Ten People Who Make Orlando a Better Place to Live](#), September 2023

Panelist, HBCU Law Schools Deans Showcase, 10th Annual HBCU Prelaw Summit, September 2023

Panelist, Old Challenges and New Victories, African American Chamber Empowerment Business Conference, August 2023

Facilitator, Mission, Vision & Impact, National Law Deans' Retreat and Conference, August 2023

Panelist, Inclusive Pedagogy in Law Schools and the Future of Online Learning, SEALS, July 2023

Moderator, Workshop on Law Teaching - Reassessing Assessment, SEALS, July 2023

[FAMU Law Dean Attends Florida Bar Convention](#), Legal Connections, July 2023

Featured Speaker, IP for the County Attorney, Florida Association of County Attorneys Annual Continuing Legal Education Seminar, June 2023

Moderator, The Imperial Scholar as Lens for Intellectual Property, Race + IP 2023, April 2023

Featured, The Orlando Times, Celebrating Women's History Month, March 30 – April 5, 2023

What Do Lawyers Owe Democracy, Kormendy Endowed Lecture, Ohio Northern University, March 10, 2023

Quoted, New York Times, Anemona Hartocollis, [Defending its Rankings, U.S. News Takes Aim at Top Law Schools](#), March 3, 2023

Quoted, Jo B. Lemann and Neil H. Shah, [U.S. Secretary of Education Miguel Cardona Criticizes U.S. News Rankings at Harvard Law School Conference](#), March 3, 2023

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Panelist, [Framing the Issue: Data, Consumers, and Incentives](#), Conference on Best Practices for Law School Data, March 1, 2023

Guest, [Education Can Change Everything](#), Never Contemplated Podcast, March 2023

[FAMU Law Economic Justice Clinic](#), Legal Connections, March 2023

Panelist, Second Annual HBCU Law School Showcase, February 24, 2023

Closing Keynote, The American Dream is for Everyone, FAMU Law Review Symposium, February 24, 2023

Fireside Chat, A Discussion on HBCU Law Schools, the ABA & the Importance of Networking, February 23, 2023

Guest Speaker, Orange County Bar Association, February 23, 2023

Invited Guest Speaker, Attorney Benjamin F. Lampkin Jr., FAMU NAA Scholarship Luncheon, February 18, 2023

Invited Guest Speaker, Advent Health DEI Council, February 2023

Panelist, Recorded Classrooms, AALS, January 2023

Quoted, Florida Bar News, [Ben Crump Donates \\$50,000 to the Arthenia L. Joyner Endowed Scholarship at FAMU Law](#), November 2022

Quoted, Tarah Jean, [Florida Shut Down FAMU's Original Law School. These 57 Trailblazers Graduated, Made Their Mark](#), Tallahassee Democrat, September 2022

Panelist, HBCU Law Schools Deans Showcase, 9th Annual HBCU Prelaw Summit, September 2022

Guest, [Crossman Conversations](#), August 2022

Panelist, [The Erosion of Human Rights: From the Holocaust to the Present](#), July 2022, featured in the Orlando Sentinel article, "Could Our Rights be Slipping Away?," August 5, 2022

Interviewer, [Copyright for Churches](#), Orange TV, July 2022

Quoted, [HBCU Law Schools Face Severe Underfunding: 'Do We Have a Belt' Left to Tighten?](#), law.com, June 2022

Panelist, Working Together with Higher Education, CCIM Central Florida, June 2022

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Panelist, INVEST: [Orlando for All: Leveraging a growing economy to enhance equity](#), June 2022

Florida Bar Association Young Lawyers' Division Law School Deans Summit, June 2022

Faculty, 2022 DRI IP Litigation Seminar, March 2022

Panelist, [Best Law Schools for Diversity](#), Prelaw Symposium, March 2022

Panelist, Inaugural HBCU Law School Showcase, February 2022

Interview, [Emmett Till](#), Legal Connections, recorded February 2022

Quoted, Liann Herder, [A Black Woman on the Bench, "Long Overdue,"](#) Diverse Issues in Higher Education, February 2022

Interviewed, Joe Byrnes, [Dean of FAMU College of Law Explains What Critical Race Theory and Equity Training Actually Are](#), WMFE/NPR, December 2021

Quoted, [The State of FAMU Law is Strong](#), The Florida Star, November 2021

Quoted, [FAMU Law, Wells Fargo Bank Team Up to Help Black and Minority-Owned Businesses](#), West Orlando News, November 2021

Quoted, Joe Byrnes, [FAMU College of Law will begin initiative to support minority-owned businesses with grant from Wells Fargo](#), WMFE 90.7, November 2021

Judge, American Moot Court Association Intercollegiate Moot Court Regional Tournament, November 2021

Panelist, True to Me Empowerment Workshop, Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Florida, November 2021

[Exploring Critical Race IP with Dean Keller and Kimberly Tignor](#), UCLA Law Review's Dialectic Podcast, November 2021

Interview, [The Role of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in Racial Justice](#), Legal Connections, recorded October 2021

Panelist, "Connecting Through Inclusion: Critical Race Theory," Ohio State University, September 2021

Panelist, "Doing the Job: Setting your Research Agenda & What to Teach," [Transforming the Legal Academy](#), September 2021

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Moderator, Intellectual Property Law, Culture, and Race, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, July 2021

Moderator, Prospective Law Teachers Workshop, Mock Job Talk, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, July 2021

Discussant, Deans Only Roundtable, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, July 2021

Discussant, Advice for Newer Law Professors from Law School Deans, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, July 2021

Quoted, Victoria Hudgins, Law Schools Tried Remote Courses and Liked It, But Don't Expect All-Online Programs, Law.com, July 2021

Panelist, Celebrating Black Women's Brilliance, sponsored by UCF Downtown, Juneteenth, June 2021

Interview, Juneteenth, CBS Radio, June 2021

Keynote, The Future of (Diversity and Inclusion in) Intellectual Property, 30th Annual Program in Intellectual Property and Technology, University of Dayton, June 2021

Interview, [The Future of Diversity and Inclusion in Intellectual Property](#), WVXU, Cincinnati, June 2021

Mildred Graham, FAMU College of Law Dean Aims for 'Sustained Success,' A&M, Spring 2021

Quoted, Stephanie Francis Ward, [Despite the COVID-19 crisis, some law schools see increases in jobs for new graduates](#), ABA Journal, May 12, 2021

A Conversation with Deidré Keller and Anjali Vats: Race + Copyright, Copyright Society of Florida, May 2021

Panelist, [The Color of Creatorship](#), New England Law Review Symposium, March 2021

Panelist, Postpone the Party, co-sponsored by FAMU College of Law ACLU and SBA Social, Cultural, and Justice Committee, March 2021

Panelist, The Impact of Covid on Women, Town Hall co-sponsored by The African American Chamber of Commerce of Central Florida, March 2021

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Guest, WLI Celebrates Black History Month, ULI Central Florida: Coffee Conversation, February 2021

Co-Facilitator, When Should Deans Speak Out, Deans Forum, AALS Annual Meeting, January 2021

Interview, [The Legal Ramifications of the Ocoee Massacre](#), Legal Connections, December 2020, recipient of the Silver Telly Award

Featured, Denise Hicks, [Dean Deidré Keller Wants to Ensure the Success of Central Florida's Only HBCU. Here's How She Plans to Do It](#), Orlando Business Journal, November 2020

[Advancing Inclusion in Copyright & Register Barbara Ringer's Legacy](#), U.S. Copyright Office, November 2020

Guest, Women of the Boardroom Breakfast, Greenberg Traurig, October 2020

Panelist, [The Role of Historically Black Law Schools](#), Black Lawyers Matter, October 2020

Author Interview, [The Color of Creatorship: Intellectual Property, Race, and the Making of Americans](#), MOSAIC, October 2020

[Dean Deidré Keller: Casting Vision for FAMU Law](#), ONYX Magazine Cover, September / October 2020

[RBG: Statement from FAMU Law Dean Deidré A. Keller, Esq.](#), West Orlando News, September 2020

Interview, [The Community Paper](#), September 2020

Interview, [No Justice for Emmett Till](#), Court Junkie Podcast, September 2020

Guest, The Impact of Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg, Black News Channel, September 2020

Guest, [Open 9th Podcast](#), September 2020

Guest, [Legal Connections](#), September 2020

Moderator, The Pandemic and Civil Society: Civic Engagement in the IP System, IP, Technology, and Social Justice in the Age of Coronavirus, September 2020

Panelist, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in CRE and Beyond, CREW Orlando, September 2020

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Quoted, Fletcher Keel, [FAMU Law classes to be conducted online for fall 2020 semester](#), WCTV, July 2020

Participant, Antiracism Leadership Roundtable, July 2020

Invited Discussant, Philosophical Approaches to IP Colloquium, July 2020

Quoted, [Florida Changes Bar Exam Date, Moves Online](#), July 2020

Quoted, CD Davidson-Hiers Tallahassee Democrat, [Florida bar exam canceled for in-person testing, moves to online](#), The Walton Sun, July 2020

CRT-icizing Copyright, Boston University, March 2020, invited

The Legal History of Montgomery Alabama, BLSA Diversity Forum, February 2020

The Below, The Sunken Place, The Upside Down: Representations of Vulnerability in 21st Century America and the Potential for Imagining Liberated Futures, Georgia State, February 2020

Inclusive Intellectual Property Pedagogies, AALS, January 2020

The Below, The Sunken Place, The Upside Down: Representations of Vulnerability in 21st Century America and the Potential for Imagining Liberated Futures, Oregon State University, November 2019

Free Speech Was Never “FUCT”: The Impact of *Brunetti* on Trademark Registration and Possibilities for a Statutory Provision That is Constitutional, University of New Hampshire, October 2019, invited

Critical Race IP: A Primer, Howard University, October 2019, invited

Invited Discussant, Philosophical Approaches to IP Colloquium, May 2019

Moderator, “Doing ‘Justice’ to IP”, Second Biennial Race + IP Conference, NYU, April 2019
Guest, [Ipse Dixit](#), November 2018

Limiting Lessons from Property: Reimagining the Public Domain in the Image of the Public Trust Doctrine, University of Kentucky Symposium, October 2018, invited

Moderator, Intellectual Property and Entrepreneurship, SEALS, August 2018

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Invited Discussant, Philosophical Approaches to IP Colloquium, May 2018

[Will I Be the Next Hashtag](#): Can the Right of Publicity and / or Privacy Protect Victims of Extralegal Killings from Internet Infamy?, University of New Hampshire, March 2018, invited

“Legal Pedagogy for the (Foreseeable) Future,” ONU, November 2017

Will I Be the Next Hashtag: Can the Right of Publicity and / or Privacy Protect Victims of Extralegal Killings from Internet Infamy?, Law & Society Annual Meeting, June 2017

Panelist, Roundtable Discussion on Recent Books in the Race + IP Space, Boston College, April 2017

“CRT-icizing Copyright,” Michigan State University School of Law, October 2016
Invited presenter, Faculty Copyright Workshop, Heterick Memorial Library, ONU, October 2016

Invited participant, 3rd Annual David & Ann Brennan IP Scholars Forum, University of Akron, September 2016

Commentator, Works-In-Progress, The Second Annual Mosaic Conference: Diverse Voices in IP, March 2016

Panelist, Academic Freedom, ONU Federalist Society, March 2016

Interview for Lima FOX 25 regarding DOJ v. Apple privacy case, aired March 2016

“Copyright to the Rescue: Should Copyright Protect Privacy?,” Ohio Northern University Law Review Symposium, October 2015, invited

“Whiteness as Intellectual Property,” Ninth Annual Lutie Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Writing Workshop, July 2015

“Recent Copyright Developments,” Dayton IP Section Continuing Legal Education, June 2015

“Demanding Recognition of Educational Exceptionalism in the Next Great Copyright Act: A Response to Professor Jaszi,” Duquesne, April 2015, invited

The Copyright Act in the Service of Privacy,” St. John’s University School of Law, April 2015, invited

Moderator, “Teaching IP From a Progressive Perspective,” The First Annual Mosaic Conference: Diverse Voices in IP, November 2014

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“Whiteness as Intellectual Property: Authorship and Transformativeness as Possession,” Seventh Annual UCLA CRS Symposium, October 2014

Panelist, “What do Lawyers do?,” Midwest BLSA Academic Retreat, September 2014
Guest, This Week in Law on TWiT.tv, July 2014

“Alienation, Over Investment, and Fetish: Narratives of Ownership in Selected Works of Toni Morrison,” Eighth Annual Lutie Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Writing Workshop, June 2014

Moderator, “Getting to Tenure / Mapping a Scholarly Agenda,” Eighth Annual Lutie Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Writing Workshop, June 2014

Quoted, Tamlin H. Bason, “Petrella Again Exposes Ginsburg-Breyer Rift on Copyright; Will Aereo Do the Same?,” BNA's Patent, Trademark, and Copyright Journal, May 2014

“Property and Persons: Some Preliminary Thoughts on Inherent Inalienability,” Association for Law, Property, and Society Annual Meeting, May 2014

Panelist, “Perceptions: Considering Implicit Biases in Everyday Life and the Media,” ONU Cultural Conversation Hour, April 2014

Invited presenter, Shelley Cavalieri, “Grounding Land Reform,” Regional Faculty Workshop, Valparaiso University Law School, March 2014

“Image Lessons: Navigating Fair Use as Education Migrates Online,” IP Scholars Roundtable March 2014

“The Ill-Conceived ‘Right’ to Abandon,” Ohio Legal Scholarship Workshop, February 2014

Interview for Lima FOX 25 regarding pending cyberstalking legislation, aired December 2013

“Media Law 101,” Ohio State Bar Association Media Law Conference, October 2013

“Libel and Privacy in the Internet Age,” Ohio State Bar Association Media Law Conference, October 2013

“Persons and Property: Containing the Property Concept,” Central States Law Schools Association Conference, October 2013

“Why Intellectual Property Needs Property: In Defense of the Qualified Right to Exclude and Other Long-Standing Property Principles,” IP Scholars Roundtable, April 2013

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“‘What He Said...’: The Transformative Potential of the Use of Copyrighted Content in Political Campaigns,” Faculty Development Session, University of Kentucky College of Law, March 2013

Invited presenter, “Copyright Infringement by Scholars,” Art Law Society, University of Kentucky College of Law, March 2013

“Copyright and Campaigns: What Mitt Romney Can Teach Us About Fair Use and the First Amendment,” Regional Faculty Workshop, February 2013

“Challenging Journalistic Boundaries: Access to Information in the Internet Age,” Ohio State Bar Association Media Law Conference, October 2012

“Copyright and Campaigns: What Mitt Romney Can Teach Us About Fair Use and the First Amendment,” Central States Law Schools Association Conference, October 2012

Interview for Lima FOX 25 regarding requests for social media credentials in the context of hiring, aired May 2012

“Recognizing the Derivative Works Right as a Moral Right: A Case Comparison and Proposal,” Ohio Legal Scholarship Workshop, May 2012

Interview for Lima FOX 25 regarding the Stop Online Piracy Act (SOPA) and the Protect IP Act (PIPA) pending before Congress, aired January 2012

“Copyright for Journalists,” Ohio State Bar Association Media Law Conference, October 2011

Select Awards / Recognitions

[Onyx Magazine’s Women on the Move](#) (2021)

REFERENCES

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