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Academic Experience

Stetson University College of Law, Gulfport, Florida

Professor of Law (tenured), August 1, 2026-present

Visiting Research Scholar, May 31, 2026-July 31, 2026

- Courses taught: Federal Income Taxation, Federal Income Taxation II, Tax Policy, and Taxation of Business Entities.

Georgia State University College of Law, Atlanta, Georgia

Inaugural Vice Dean, July 2025-May 2026

Associate Dean for Experiential Education and Director of Clinical Programs, July 2022-July 2025

Philip C. Cook Low Income Taxpayer Clinic

- Director: January 2016-July 2025; Qualified Tax Expert, January 2016-May 2026

Mark and Evelyn Trammell Professor (conferred in August 2018),

Clinical Professor of Law (May 2021-May 2026);

Associate Clinical Professor of Law (403(c) job security) (January 2016-May 2021)

- Director of low-income taxpayer clinic responsible for approximately 130-180 active cases handled by 15-23 students per semester and three full-time clinic faculty.
- Courses taught: Tax Clinic I, Tax Clinic II, Corporate Taxation, Basic Federal Taxation, Property
- Committee work: ABA Self-Study Committee and Strategic Planning Working Group, (2022-2023); Curriculum Committee (2016-2017); Clerkship Advisement Committee (2016-2017); Clinical Programs Committee (2016-2024; Chair, 2017-2018, Fall 2019; 2022-2025; Vice-Chair, 2020-2021); Assessment Committee (2017-2022; Vice-Chair 2018-2019, Chair 2019-2020); Faculty Development/Research Committee (Vice Chair 2020-2021; 2024-2025); Dean's Advisory Committee (2021-2022); Promotion & Tenure Committee (2021-2022; 2023-2024; NTT Promotion Co-Chair: 2024-2025); Strategic Planning Committee (Co-Chair, 2023-2024); Workload Policy Committee (2022-2024); Faculty Recruitment (NTT Recruitment Chair: 2024-2025); Finance Committee (2024-2026); Policies Committee (Spring 2025-Spring 2026).
- Grants: primary administrator for the federal low-income taxpayer clinic annual grant received by Georgia State and successfully obtained the maximum annual grant award of \$100,000 authorized by statute (grant increased to \$200,000 annually for 2023-2026).
- Center for Access to Justice—Affiliated faculty.

University of Warsaw School of Law, Center for American Legal Studies

Guest Lecturer, January 2021 (online due to COVID-19)

- Course taught: Introduction to American Property Law

Ave Maria School of Law, Ann Arbor, Michigan/Naples, Florida
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, December 2012-December 2015
Associate Professor, August 2012-December 2015 (tenure granted April 2014)
Assistant Professor, July 2008-August 2012

- Courses taught: Basic Federal Income Taxation, Property I, Property II, and Partnership Taxation.
- Committee work: Academic Standards Committee (Chair, December 2012-December 2015), Admissions/Financial Aid Committee, Appointments Committee, Bar Exam Task Force, Curriculum Committee, Dean Search Committee, Faculty Development Committee (Chair, 2009-2010), Judicial Clerkship Committee, Placement Committee, and Long Range and Strategic Planning Committee, *Ave Maria Law Review* (co-faculty advisor).
- Primary drafter of ABA Self-Study for Fall 2015 site visit.

Scholarship, Presentations, and Media

Work in Progress

The Invisible Tax Court (article discussing the impact of the decline in written opinions from the U.S. Tax Court on economically vulnerable taxpayers and proposing administrative, judicial, and legislative reforms to improve the Tax Court's ability to generate written opinions on cases that impact low-income taxpayers).

Book Chapter: "Offers In Compromise," in *Effectively Representing Your Client Before the IRS: A Practical Manual for the Tax Practitioner with Sample Correspondence and Forms* 9th ed., (ABA Section of Taxation), Christine Speidel and Patrick Thomas, Co-Editors-in-Chief (forthcoming 2026).

Book Chapters

Book Chapter: "A Catholic Social Teaching Approach to Tax Administration and Enforcement," in *Justice in Taxation: Christian Perspectives* (Andrew T. Hayashi and Allen Calhoun, eds.) (Routledge) (2026).

Book Foreward: *A Matter of Trust*, by Eugene R. Milhizer (2025).

Book Chapter: "From Rerum Novarum to Modern Catholic Thought," in *Christian Perspectives on the Role of the State, Justice, and Taxation* (Robert F. van Brederode, ed.) (Springer) (2025).

Book Chapter: "Offers In Compromise," in *Effectively Representing Your Client Before the IRS: A Practical Manual for the Tax Practitioner with Sample Correspondence and Forms* 8th ed., (ABA Section of Taxation), Christine Speidel and Patrick Thomas, Co-Editors-in-Chief (co-authored with Nancy Ryan) (2021).

Book Chapter: "Handling Tax Collection Matters—Procedures and Strategies," in *Effectively Representing Your Client Before the IRS: A Practical Manual for the Tax Practitioner with Sample Correspondence and Forms*, 7th ed., (ABA Section of Taxation), Keith Fogg, Editor-in-Chief (co-authored with Tameka Lester and Willard Timm) (2018).

Journal Articles and Essays

Yesterday's Protestor May Be Tomorrow's Saint: Reimagining the Tax System Through the Work of Dorothy Day (with Bridget J. Crawford), 76 TAX LAW REVIEW 217 (2023).

Framing Tax Enforcement Against the Poor Through Catholic Social Teaching, CANOPY FORUM, October 28, 2021.

Moving Taxpayer Disputes Online Without Leaving Taxpayer Rights Behind, 74 TAX LAWYER 1 (2020).

Social Justice and the Low-Income Taxpayer, 64 VILL. L. REV. 347 (2019).

Compromising Student Loans, 69 S.C. L. REV. 81 (2017).

A Market for Tax Compliance, 62 CLEV. ST. L. REV. 315 (2014).

Winning the Crowd: Harnessing Taxpayer Choices to Improve Educational Quality, 63 CATH. U. L. REV. 297 (2014).

Getting Faith Out of the Gutters: Resolving the Debate Over Political Campaign Participation by Religious Organizations Through Fiscal Subsidiarity, 12 NEV. L. J. 83 (2011).

Dining With Tax Collectors: Reducing the Tax Gap Through Church-Government Partnerships, 7 RUTGERS BUS. L. J. 53 (2010).

Agency Activism as a New Way of LIFE: Administrative Modification of the Internal Revenue Code Through Limited Issue Focused Examinations, 7 FLA. TAX REV. 455 (2006).

Note, The New Drug Buyer: The Changing Definition of the Consumer for Antitrust Enforcement in the Pharmaceutical Industry, 2001 COLUM. BUS. L. REV. 203 (2001).

Blogs and Popular Press

“Unlocking Tax Justice: How the Taxpayer Assistance and Service Act Addresses the Critical Need for Increased Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic Funding,” *The Faculty Lounge*, February 23, 2025, available at <https://www.thefacultylounge.org/2025/02/unlocking-tax-justice-how-the-taxpayer-assistance-and-service-act-addresses-the-critical-need-for-increased-low-income-taxpa.html>.

“The Taxpayer Assistance and Service Act’s Efforts to Improve the Taxpayer Experience and to Modernize IRS Operations,” *The Faculty Lounge*, February 19, 2025, available at <https://www.thefacultylounge.org/2025/02/the-taxpayer-assistance-and-service-acts-efforts-to-improve-the-taxpayer-experience-and-to-modernize-irs-operations.html>.

“Raising the Tax Preparer Bar: How the Taxpayer Assistance and Service Act Could Transform Tax Preparer Oversight and Compliance,” *The Faculty Lounge*, February 15, 2025, available at <https://www.thefacultylounge.org/2025/02/raising-the-tax-preparer-bar-how-the-taxpayer-assistance-and-service-act-could-transform-tax-prepare.html>.

“Let’s Talk Some Tax(payer Assistance and Service Act)!,” *The Faculty Lounge*, February 12, 2025, available at <https://www.thefacultylounge.org/2025/02/lets-talk-some-taxpayer-assistance-and-service-act.html>.

“IRS Releases Update on Frequently Asked Questions Part 4: The Low-Income Taxpayer Perspective,” *Procedurally Taxing*, October 22, 2021, available at <https://www.taxnotes.com/procedurally-taxing/irs-releases-update-frequently-asked-questions-part-4-low-income-taxpayer-perspective/2021/10/22/7h5lp>.

“Reflections on Nina Olson from Ted Afield,” *Procedurally Taxing*, July 15, 2019, available at <https://www.taxnotes.com/procedurally-taxing/reflections-nina-olson-ted-afield/2019/07/15/7h5g6>.

“IRS Can File a Proof of Claim in Bankruptcy Court for the Full Amount of Tax Liability Even After an Accepted Offer in Compromise,” *Procedurally Taxing*, June 13, 2019, available at <https://www.taxnotes.com/procedurally-taxing/irs-can-file-proof-claim-bankruptcy-court-full-amount-tax-liability-even-after-accepted-offer/2019/06/13/7h507>.

“Another Tax Clinic Amicus Brief Success Story,” Georgia State Law Clinical Programs Blog, April 3, 2019, available at <https://georgiastatelawclinicalprograms.blog/2019/04/03/another-tax-clinic-amicus-brief-success-story/>.

“Nominal Qualified Offers and TEFRA,” *Procedurally Taxing* blog, February 25, 2019, available at <https://www.taxnotes.com/procedurally-taxing/nominal-qualified-offers-and-tefra/2019/02/25/7h7nq?highlight=Nominal%20Qualified%20Offers%20and%20TEFRA>.

“Tax Clinic Amicus Brief Argument Supported,” Georgia State Law Clinical Programs Blog, February 8, 2019, available at <https://georgiastatelawclinicalprograms.blog/2019/02/08/tax-clinic-amicus-brief-argument-supported/>.

“Georgia State’s Tax Clinic Gives Georgia’s Low-Income Taxpayers A Fresh Start,” by W. Edward Afield, *SaportaReport*, February 26, 2018, available at <https://saportareport.com/georgia-states-tax-clinic-gives-georgias-low-income-taxpayers-a-fresh-start/uncategorized/saportareport/>.

“How the tax package would slam higher ed,” by Ted Afield, *The Conversation*, November 8, 2017, available at <https://theconversation.com/how-the-tax-package-would-slam-higher-ed-86913> (picked up by publications including PBS and *The San Francisco Chronicle*).

2017 Mini-Symposium on Tax Enforcement and Administration, “Applying Offer-in-Compromise Principles to Student Loan Repayment,” available at The Surly Subgroup, <https://surlysubgroup.com/2017/01/27/applying-offer-in-compromise-principles-to-student-loan-repayment/> (January 27, 2017).

Selected Amicus Briefs (co-authored with T. Keith Fogg and students from the Philip C. Cook Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic and Harvard Federal Tax Clinic)

United States v. Borenstein; No. 17-3900 (2nd Cir. Ct. App.) (2018)

BASR Partnership et al. v. United States; No. 17-1925 (Fed. Cir.) (2018)

Groves v. United States; No. 17-2937 (7th Cir.) (2018)

Larson v. United States; No. 17-503 (2nd Cir. Ct. App.) (2017)

United States v. Borenstein; No. 23559-15 (U.S. Tax Ct.) (2016)

Government Reports

The IRS Advisory Council (IRSAC) 2022 Public Report (co-authored by all of the IRSAC members for calendar year 2022), available at: <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-prior/p5316--2022.pdf>.

The IRS Advisory Council (IRSAC) 2021 Public Report (co-authored by all of the IRSAC members for calendar year 2021), available at: <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-prior/p5316--2021.pdf>.

The IRS Advisory Council (IRSAC) 2020 Public Report (co-authored by all of the IRSAC members for calendar year 2020), available at : <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-prior/p5316--2020.pdf>.

Edited work

Rachel L. Partain, Esq., *Court Procedure and Practice Important Developments Report for the American Bar Association Tax Section's Committee on Court Procedure and Practice* (Spring, 2009).

Selected Presentations, Panels, and Commentary

Moderator and Presenter, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2026 Conference, (Re)Making Tax: Addressing Tax Policy Challenges from Multiple Angles, Amelia Island, Florida, July 2026.

Keynote speaker, "Tax Justice is Social Justice," as part of Stetson University College of Law's Wellness Week, April 2026.

Co-host and Presenter, "From Rerum Novarum to Modern Catholic Thought," 2025 Conference on Christian Perspectives on the Role of the State, Justice, and Taxation (Atlanta, Georgia), October 2025.

Participant, 2025 AALS Conference on Clinical Legal Education Associate Deans and Clinical Program Directors Workshop (Baltimore, Maryland), April 2025.

Panelist, Georgia State University Law Review Symposium on The Law of Shoulds, Taxing Morality (Atlanta, Georgia), March 2025.

Panelist, Equal Justice Works 2025 Disaster Resiliency Symposium, Navigating Tax Challenges in the Wake of Disaster, (Gulfport, Florida), March 2025.

Presentation: “Tax Ethics,” as part of 2025 Annual Grantee Conference for LITCs (online), November 2024.

Panelist, ABA Tax Section Virtual 2024 Fall Tax Meeting, Administrative Practice Section, Basic Bankruptcy Training for General Tax Practitioners, September 2024

Presenter, 27th Annual Critical Tax Conference, “A Catholic Social Teaching Approach to Tax Administration and Enforcement,” (Gainesville, Florida), May 2024

Working Group Participant, 2024 AALS Conference on Clinical Legal Education, Working Group for Associate Deans for Experiential Education, (St. Louis, Missouri), May 2024.

Discussant, Southern Clinical Conference, Works-in-Progress Session, (Atlanta, Georgia), October 2023.

American Bar Association, Section of Taxation, “Comments on Ways to Improve Dispute Resolution Programs,” (co-author with Mark Mesler, Maxine Aronson, Christopher Bishop, Jon Feldhammer, George Hani, Rochelle Hodes, Brandon Keim, Marissa Lenius, Kristen Martin, Ellen McElroy, Deanne Morton, Michael Resnick, and Kevin Stults), September 15, 2023, available at <https://www.americanbar.org/content/dam/aba/administrative/taxation/policy/2023/091523comments.pdf>.

Presenter, “Offsets and Bankruptcy,” Center for Taxpayer Rights Summer Tax Procedure Series, (online), July 2023.

Co-host and Presenter, “A View of Taxpayer Rights Through Catholic Social Teaching,” 2023 Southeastern Tax Conference (Atlanta, Georgia), May 2023.

Discussant, 2023 AALS Conference on Clinical Legal Education, Works in Progress Group-Workers (San Francisco, California), April 2023.

Presentation: “Offers in Compromise Issues,” as part of 2023 Annual Grantee Conference for LITCs (Phoenix, Arizona), December 2022.

Presenter, 2022 Theology and Taxation Conference, “A View of Taxpayer Rights Through Catholic Social Teaching”, University of Virginia School of Law, Charlottesville, Virginia, September 2022.

Discussant, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2022 Conference, Tax Law and Policy: Approaches to Shaping Tax Law and Administration (Workshop on Tax Law), “Yesterday’s Protestor May Be Tomorrow’s Saint”, Miramar Beach, Florida, July 2022.

Presenter, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2022 Conference, Tax Law and Policy Discussion Group (Workshop on Tax Law), Miramar Beach, Florida, July 2022.

Mock Interviewer, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2022 Conference, Prospective Law Teachers Workshop, Miramar Beach, Florida, July 2022.

Presentation: “Tax Ethics,” as part of 2022 Annual Grantee Conference for LITCs (online, due to COVID-19), November 2021.

Moderator, ABA Tax Section Virtual 2021 Fall Tax Meeting, The Service of the Service: Interacting Now and in the Future, Individual and Family Taxation Committee, September, 2021.

Moderator, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2021 Conference, Workshop on Tax Law: Tax Reform in the 21st Century, Amelia Island, Florida, July 2021.

Discussant, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2021 Conference, Workshop on Tax Law, Discussion Group: Tax Law and Policy in the 21st Century, Amelia Island, Florida, July 2021.

Presenter, Association for Mid-Career Tax Law Professors, “Advancing Subsidiarity, Solidarity, and the Preferential Option for the Poor Through Tax Enforcement,” (moved online due to COVID-19), Summer 2021.

Co-presenter (with Erin Collins, National Taxpayer Advocate), 2021 Annual Grantee Conference, Examination, Appeals, and Litigation, (online, due to COVID-19), December 2020.

Discussant, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2020 Conference, Tax Law Workshop Discussion Group: Tax Policy Discussion Group (online, due to COVID-19), August 2020.

Presenter, Association for Mid-Career Tax Law Professors, Taxpayer Rights Paternalism, (originally scheduled to be held at the University of North Carolina School of Law but moved online due to COVID-19), Summer 2020 (weekly series) (also member of organizing committee and a discussant).

Presentation: Moving Taxpayer Disputes Online Without Leaving Taxpayer Rights Behind, Wake Forest University College of Law, April 2020 (canceled because of COVID-19 pandemic).

The Second Annual UCI-A. Lavar Taylor Tax Symposium, Panel: “Risks and Rewards of AI for Tax,” University of California-Irvine, February 2020.

Moderator, Expanding the Classroom: Benefits and Challenges of Co-Teaching, AALS 2020 Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., January 2020.

Discussant, Rethinking Tax Compliance and Enforcement Panel, as part of the Privacy and Information in Tax Enforcement Panel at the National Tax Association 112th Annual Conference on Taxation, Tampa, Florida, November 2019.

Presentation: TaxpayerRights.Com: Implementing Technological Solutions to Bolster Taxpayer Access to Justice, as part of the Privacy and Information in Tax Enforcement Panel at the National Tax Association 112th Annual Conference on Taxation, Tampa, Florida, November 2019.

Discussant, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2019 Conference, Workshop on Tax Law: Tax Law at the Crossroads, Boca Raton, Florida, August 2019.

Discussant, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2019 Conference, Tax Law Workshop Discussion Group: Tax Policy Discussion Group, Boca Raton, Florida, August 2019.

Presenter, Association for Mid-Career Tax Law Professors, “TaxpayerRights.Com: Implementing Technological Solutions to Bolster Taxpayer Access to Justice,” University of San Diego School of Law, June 2019.

Panel Presenter, 22nd Annual Critical Tax Conference, “Social Justice and the Low-Income Taxpayer,” Pepperdine School of Law, April 2019.

Incubator Session Presentation, 22nd Annual Critical Tax Conference, “TaxpayerRights.Com: Implementing Technological Solutions to Bolster Taxpayer Access to Justice,” Pepperdine School of Law, April 2019.

Co-presenter (with Arthur Bartlett), 2019 Annual Grantee Conference, Case Management Systems 101, Washington, D.C., December 2018.

Co-presenter (with Karlise Grier, Seth Buchwald, Lyonette Davis, Payal Kapoor, and Phil Sandick), Professionalism for Tax Attorneys, recorded for the Southern Federal Tax Institute in conjunction with the Georgia Chief Justice’s Commission on Professionalism, Atlanta, Georgia, October 2018.

Panelist, ABA Sections of Taxation and Real Property Trust & Estate Law, Trust & Estate Division, 2018 Fall Tax Meeting, Collection Workshop: How to Represent Taxpayers in Collection Matters From the Final Notice Through Trial and Resolving Collection Issues Facing Estates, Donors, and Donees, Atlanta, Georgia, October 2018.

Panelist, ABA Sections of Taxation and Real Property Trust & Estate Law, Trust & Estate Division, 2018 Fall Tax Meeting, Ethical Pitfalls in Representing Spouses, Atlanta, Georgia, October 2018.

Panelist, ABA Sections of Taxation and Real Property Trust & Estate Law, Trust & Estate Division, 2018 Fall Tax Meeting, Tax Consequences of Student Loan Debt Cancellation, Atlanta, Georgia, October 2018.

“Social Justice and the Low-Income Taxpayer,” Workshop Presentation at Tax Justice For All: Examining Contemporary Issues in State and Federal Tax Administration, Georgia State University College of Law (co-hosted by W. Edward Afield and Tameka Lester), October, 2018.

Discussant, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2018 Conference, Workshop on Tax Law: The Future of Tax Law, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, August 2018.

Discussant, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2018 Conference, Tax Law Workshop Discussion Group: Tax Policy Discussion Group, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, August 2018.

Co-presenter (with Daniel Causey), “Advocating in Liability Cases Using IRS Innocent Spouse Provisions,” Atlanta Tax Forum, July 2018.

Speaker, Taxpayer Advocate Service Congressional Seminar, discussing the impact of the low income taxpayer clinic on the state of Georgia, Atlanta, Georgia, June 2018.

Co-presenter (with Mary Radford, Tameka Lester and William McDonald), “Taxes Under Trump: What We Know & What It Means for Lawyers and Their Clients,” Tower to the Trenches CLE Panel, Georgia State University College of Law, April 2018.

Telephonic presentation to U.S. Government Accountability Office with other Low-Income Taxpayer Clinics on issues surrounding tax-time financial products and their impact on low-income taxpayers, April 2018.

Presenter, Problem Solving Day with the Taxpayer Advocate Service, New Birth Missionary Baptist Church, Lithonia, Georgia, April 2018.

Georgia State University College of Law, Center for Access to Justice, Bridges Presentation, “Achieving Social Justice, One Taxpayer at a Time”, Atlanta, Georgia, March 2018 (inaugural Bridges event).

Discussant, AALS Discussion Group on A Unique Approach to Access to Justice: Training Lawyers Ready to Serve, San Diego, California, January, 2018.

Co-presenter (with Susan Kideckel), 2018 Annual Grantee Conference, Avoiding POA Pitfalls, Washington, D.C., December, 2017.

Co-Presenter (with Mary Ann David and Laura Daly), 2018 Annual Grantee Conference, Basic Collection Alternatives, Washington, D.C., December, 2017.

“Achieving Social Justice, One Taxpayer at a Time”, Work-In-Progress Presentation at the 2017 Southern Clinical Conference, Louisiana State University Paul M. Herbert Law Center, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, October 2017.

Discussant, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2017 Conference, Workshop on Legal Education: Discussion Group: Responding to the Needs of Evening Students: The Night Owl Clinician, Boca Raton, Florida, August 2017.

Discussant, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2017 Conference, Workshop on Tax Law: Discussion Group: Pedagogy and Assessments in Tax Courses, Boca Raton, Florida, August 2017.

Panelist, ABA Tax Section 2017 May Meeting, Ultimate Tax Collection—Can’t Pay? Compare an Offer-in-Compromise to Discharge in Bankruptcy, Baltimore, Maryland, May 2017.

Speaker: “Current Tax Reform Proposals from the National Taxpayer Advocate,” Joint Meeting of the Atlanta Bar Association Tax Section and Georgia Society of CPAs, Atlanta, Georgia, April 2017.

Discussant, AALS Discussion Group on The Future of Tax Administration and Enforcement, San Francisco, California, January, 2017.

Co-presenter (with Nancy Rossner) 2017 Annual Grantee Conference, Training Students and Volunteers: Best Practices and Potential Issues, Washington, D.C., December, 2016.

Co-presenter (with Tameka Lester), 2016 Georgia Legislative Branch CLE, discussing the impact of the low income taxpayer clinic on the state of Georgia, Atlanta, Georgia, November, 2016.

Panelist, Southeastern Association of Law Schools 2016 Conference, Workshop on Tax Law: The Federal Tax Code as a Tool of Public Policy, August 2016, Amelia Island, Florida.

Co-presenter (with Bill Timm) at IRS Congressional Liaison Meeting, discussing the impact of the low-income taxpayer clinic on the state of Georgia, Atlanta, Georgia, June 2016.

Discussant, AALS Conference on Clinical Legal Education, Tax Works In Progress, Baltimore, Maryland, May 2016.

Invited Participant, *Banking in a Free Society*, Faculty Colloquium sponsored by The Federalist Society and the John Templeton Foundation, Annapolis, Maryland, June 5-6, 2015.

Getting Faith Out of the Gutters: Resolving the Debate Over Political Campaign Participation by Religious Organizations Through Fiscal Subsidiarity, presented at:

- Southeastern Law Scholars Conference, Charleston School of Law, October 2011, Charleston, South Carolina.

Dining With Tax Collectors: Reducing the Tax Gap Through Church-Government Partnerships, presented at:

- Florida Junior Faculty Forum, Stetson College of Law, Gulfport, Florida, November, 2009.
- Atlanta's John Marshall Law School, Atlanta, Georgia, March, 2010.

Entities for Fun and Sometimes Profit: Choice of Entity, part of the Basic Tax Practice Continuing Legal Education sponsored by the Florida Bar's Young Lawyers' Division, Miami and Tampa, Florida, April 2010.

Tax Procedure, part of the 2010 Ullman Year in Review sponsored by the Florida Bar Tax Section, Amelia Island, Florida, July 2010.

Selected Media

“Three Must-Watch Litigation Issue for Tax Professionals in 2026,” by Tristan Navera, Bloomberg Tax Daily Report (December 29, 2025) (quoted in regards to ongoing litigation impacting taxpayer privacy as well as eligibility of nonprofit organizations to participate in the Public Service Loan Forgiveness program), available at <https://news.bloombergtax.com/daily-tax-report/three-must-watch-litigation-issues-for-tax-professionals-in-2026>.

“IRS Moves to Hire Attorneys After Mass Resignations,” by Benjamin Valdez, *Tax Notes Today Federal* (September 19, 2025) (quoted in regards to the challenges the IRS will face to recruit talent after restarting hiring in the wake of the federal hiring freeze), available at <https://www.taxnotes.com/tax-notes-today-federal/personnel-people-biographies/irs-moves-hire-attorneys-after-mass-resignations/2025/09/19/7t139>.

“Federal Hiring Freeze Quickly Hits Prospective IRS Attorneys,” by Benjamin Valdez, *Tax Notes Today Federal* (January 24, 2025) (quoted in regards to the impact the federal hiring freeze was having on tax students who had offers from the IRS Office of Chief Counsel rescinded), available at <https://www.taxnotes.com/tax-notes-today-federal/litigation-and-appeals/federal-hiring-freeze-quickly-hits-prospective-irs-attorneys/2025/01/24/7qnd6?highlight=%22ted%20afield%22>.

“Trump Federal Hiring Freeze Scuttles Job Offers for Law Students,” by Tatyana Monnay, *Bloomberg Law* (January 23, 2025) (quoted in regards to the impact the federal hiring freeze was having on tax students who had offers from the IRS Office of Chief Counsel rescinded), available at <https://news.bloomberglaw.com/business-and-practice/trump-federal-hiring-freeze-scuttles-job-offers-for-law-students>.

“Supreme Court’s Newest Tax Case Offers Window to Challenge IRS,” by Tristan Navera and John Woolley, *Bloomberg Tax Daily Tax Report* (January 15, 2025) (quoted in regards to the importance of the Court clarifying that the IRS cannot add to the procedural roadblocks faced by taxpayers contesting liability in a collection due process case by mooted the case through refund setoffs and forcing taxpayers to start from scratch in refund litigation), available at <https://news.bloombergtax.com/daily-tax-report/supreme-courts-newest-tax-case-offers-window-to-challenge-irs>.

“Preserving Enhanced LITC Funding Could Aid Tax System,” by David van den Berg, *Law360* (May 28, 2024) (quoted about the importance of making permanent recent increases to the grant funding cap for low-income taxpayer clinics not only to clinics and taxpayers but to the tax system as a whole), available at <https://www.law360.com/tax-authority/federal/articles/1841475/preserving-enhanced-litc-funding-could-aid-tax-system>.

“Tax Facts Infographic (2024),” by John S. Kiernan, *WalletHub*, April 2, 2024 (featured as expert commentary in regards to the changes and taxpayer burdens associated with Tax Day 2024), available at <https://wallethub.com/blog/tax-day-statistics/11835>.

“IRS Penalty Guidance Could Hurt Low-Income Taxpayers, Clinics Say,” by Naomi Jagoda, *Bloomberg Tax*, May 4, 2023 (quoted in regards to the impact that increased automation of IRS penalties with a lack of supervisory oversight would have on low-income taxpayers), available at <https://news.bloomberglaw.com/daily-tax-report/irs-penalty-guidance-could-hurt-low-income-taxpayers-clinics-say>.

“Be Wary of Tax Advice on Social Media, IRS Warns,” by Cady Stanton, *Tax Notes*, March 29, 2023 (quoted in regards to impact of fraudulent tax advice that spreads on social media), available at <https://www.taxnotes.com/tax-notes-today-federal/fraud-civil-and-criminal/be-wary-tax-advice-social-media-irs-warns/2023/03/29/7g8q6?highlight=%22cady%20stanton%22>.

“Weekly SSRN Tax Article Review and Roundup: Layser Reviews *Reimagining The Tax System Through The Work Of Dorothy Day* By Crawford & Afield,” by Michelle Layser, September 23, 2022, available at https://taxprof.typepad.com/taxprof_blog/2022/09/weekly-ssrn-tax-article-review-and-roundup-layser-reviews-reimagining-the-tax-system-through-the-wor.html (research featured and reviewed).

“Free IRS E-File Plan May Need to Focus On Simple Returns,” by David van den Berg, Law360 (August 2, 2022) (quoted about the potential benefits of the proposed IRS free e-file system that Congress has asked the IRS to report on as part of the Inflation Reduction Act), available at <https://www.law360.com/tax-authority/articles/1517468/free-irs-e-file-plan-may-need-to-focus-on-simple-returns>.

“Help coming from the IRS for low income families struggling with tax bills,” by Jerry Carnes, 11Alive News (May 4, 2022), (discussing the need for additional low-income taxpayer clinics), available at <https://www.11alive.com/article/news/local/irs-help-tax-bills-georgia/85-11c07edf-651c-42d6-bc5f-ea708667ff10>.

“Pandemic, Anemic IRS Budget Spur Need For Tax Clinic Funds,” by David van den Berg, Law360 (February 10, 2022) (quoted in regards to the need for Congress to authorize additional funding for low-income taxpayer clinics), available at <https://www.law360.com/tax-authority/articles/1463583/pandemic-anemic-irs-budget-spur-need-for-tax-clinic-funds>.

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Judicial Clerkship

The Honorable Charles R. Wilson, Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals

Judicial Law Clerk, September 2005-August 2006

- Representative cases during judicial term included large volume of cases interpreting appropriate federal sentences in light of *United States v. Booker*, 543 U.S. 220 (2005), as well as employment discrimination cases, immigration asylum requests, death penalty appeals, and ineffective assistance of counsel issues.
- Assisted Judge Wilson in his duties as a member of the American Bar Association’s Accreditation Committee.

Prior Professional Experience

Ferguson Cohen LLP, Greenwich, Connecticut/Naples, Florida

Of Counsel, March 2013-September 2014

- Practice focusing on trusts and estates, probate, and corporate law.

Barnett, Bolt, Kirkwood, Long & McBride, P.A., Tampa, Florida (n/k/a Gunster)

Associate, September 2006-May 2008

- Practice focusing on federal and state taxation (transactional and controversy work), corporate law, health care law, and estate planning.
- Representative issues include: partnership taxation, Internal Revenue Code section 1033 conversions, analysis of recent Hurricane Katrina tax relief legislation, corporate structuring and compensation planning for health care clients, asset forfeiture litigation, and compensation planning and compliance with Internal Revenue Code section 409A.

Fowler White Boggs Banker P.A., Tampa, Florida (n/k/a Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney PC)

Associate, Summer 2000; September 2001-July 2004

- Practice focusing on health care compliance, health care transactions, commercial disputes between physicians and hospitals, creditors’ rights, securities fraud litigation, and class action litigation.
- Representative issues included: compliance with federal Stark and anti-kickback regulations, physician recruitment contract litigation, medical recordkeeping requirements, and regulations governing payment of medical fees.

Office of the General Counsel to the President of the United States

White House Intern, Summer 1999

- Provided assistance in reviewing and finalizing background investigations of presidential nominees under consideration for presidential appointments to multiple government agencies.
- Provided legal and policy analysis for pending federal legislation.

Dewey Ballantine LLP, New York, N.Y.

Law Clerk, Summer 1999

- Participated in mergers, acquisitions, and securitization reviews under the direction of firm associates.

Office of the Public Defender for the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Hillsborough County, Florida

Intern, Summer 1997

- Researched case law and prepared legal memoranda for pre-trial hearings and emergency requests of assistant state public defenders on a wide variety of legal issues.

Office of Vice President Al Gore

White House Intern, Summer 1996

- Worked for the Senior Policy Advisor to Vice President Gore in his National Performance Review, a program dedicated to the Vice President's goal of reinventing government and to the production of the Vice President's annual report to the President.
- Assisted in the formation of the Gore Commission, the Vice President's commission to review aviation safety and create anti-terrorism procedures after the crash of TWA Flight 800.

Office of the Mayor, City of Tampa, Florida

Intern, Summer 1995.

Selected Leadership Positions and Professional Memberships_____

American College of Tax Counsel, Fellow (elected to membership in September, 2021)

AALS Teaching Methods Section

-Treasurer (2017); Secretary (2018); Chair (2019)

IRS Advisory Council (three-year term from January 2020-December 2022)

Center for Taxpayer Rights LITC Advisory Board (two-year term beginning in December 2019)

ABA Tax Section (current member)

- Brunswick Fellowship Committee Member (Fall 2024-Fall 2027)

Clinical Legal Education Association (current member)

Florida Bar Tax Section (current member)

National Tax Association (current member)

Russell and Penny Fortune Foundation, member, board of directors (June 2026- present)

Harvard Club of the West Coast of Florida

- Secretary/Treasurer (2003-2004); President (2004-2005)

Education

University of Florida Levin College of Law

LL.M. in Taxation 2005; Research Assistant to Professor David Richardson; Class Rank: 6th out of 66

Columbia University School of Law

J.D. 2001; Articles Editor, *Columbia Business Law Review*; Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar

Harvard College

A.B. in History, *cum laude*, 1998; Harvard College Scholarship; Dean's List; Harvard Varsity Fencing Team; Harvard University Choir

Bar Admissions

Florida

United States Tax Court

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