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EDUCATION

Michigan State University | *East Lansing, MI | Ph.D. Criminal Justice | expected 2022*

University of Chicago | *Chicago, IL | Master of Arts Program Social Sciences | Working GPA 3.6/4.0 | June 2017*

Thesis: Women, Prison, and Sexual Abuse: Law and Human Rights in the U.S. and Canada (working title)
Advisor: Gina Fedock

Michigan State University College of Law | *East Lansing, MI | Juris Doctorate | GPA: 3.76/4.0 | May 2013*
King's Scholars Thesis: "Gender, Leadership, and Addiction in the Legal Profession"

Advisor: Hannah Brenner

University of Michigan | *Ann Arbor, MI | Bachelor of Arts, English Language and Literature/Program in the Environment | GPA 3.63/4.0 | May 2009*

Oxford University, St. Peter's College | *Oxford, United Kingdom | Summer Program, Concentration in Environment and Global Security | June 2007*

RESEARCH AND WRITING EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant | *University of Chicago | August 2016-present*

- Worked with School of Social Service Administration Professor Gina Fedock to analyze data relating to suicide rates in prison; input and organize data; perform literature reviews; draft manuscripts

Research Associate/Legal Fellow | *Michigan State University | August 2014-Sept. 2016*

- *NSF Grant Award: Using an Ecological Framework to Examine Reporting of Abuse during Incarceration, Michigan State University*
- Performed data extraction for almost 200 individuals, most with multiple incidences of abuse, identifying variables and the location of the variable data
- Managed qualitative and quantitative data, took the schema that we co-created to extract qualitative information in a systematic way and identified patterns by perpetrator, victim, and assault levels
- Supervised undergraduate student research projects; performed administrative and organization tasks; drafted manuscripts

Project Director | *Michigan State University College of Law | December 2013-August 2014*

- *Oral history project of Women Judges Shortlisted but Not Nominated to the U.S. Supreme Court, Kelley Institute of Ethics at Mich. State College of Law*
- Performed interviews, and coordinated and gathered data to support an oral history project women for women judges shortlisted, but not nominated to the United States Supreme Court

Student Editor | *Michigan State University College of Law International Law Review August 2012-May 2013*

- Edited law review articles on topics of international law and drafted student article

Legal Intern | *Michigan Department of Environmental Quality | August 2012-April 2013*

- Performed legal research and writing for multiple divisions within the Department of Environmental Quality
- Involved working with numeric, scientific, as well as legal data that were contained in databases (e.g. tracking changes in laws over time to report to NOAA)

Research Assistant *Michigan State University College of Law, January 2012-May 2013*

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- Worked with Professor Hannah Brenner on project of women who were shortlisted, but not nominated, to U.S. Supreme Court
- Researched and analyzed historical newspaper content from the 1920s to 1980s for gendered barriers and themes in coverage of shortlisted women

Legal Intern | National Wildlife Federation: Great Lakes Regional Center | May 2012- August 2012

- Researched wildlife and water issues in and around the Great Lakes
- Drafted briefs and motions for multiple state cases National Wildlife Federation was involved in on multiple Clean Water Act issues with a focus on invasive species, riparian land rights, and statutory interpretation

Legal Intern | Michigan Court of Appeals: Research Division | May 2011-August 2011

- Reviewed, researched and created memos and draft opinions on cases pending before the Michigan Court of Appeals

Library Staff, University Michigan Cooperate Access Services and Interlibrary Loan, September 2009-September 2011

- Assisted faculty, undergraduate, and graduate students with research by locating and delivering sources

Recycle Ann Arbor | Community Based Research Fellow | (Ann Arbor, MI) University of Michigan Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP) Summer 2008

- Performed research on quantifiable carbon offsets and recycling, and created and implemented a program to convey offsets to the community

ADVISING, TUTORING, AND EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT EXPERIENCE

GRE Rater | Educational Testing Service | May 2016-Present

- Scored student essays by using a rubric to apply scores consistently across multiple prompts

Interim Coordinator | Michigan State University College of Law | August 2013-Dec. 2013

- *Academic Success Program, Michigan State University College of Law,*
- Advised current law students in both one-on-one and in classroom setting on academic issues, helped them develop skills for academic success, including legal writing, reading, and analysis, and exam writing
- Supervised and coordinated Teaching Assistants for first year law classes

Teaching Assistant Michigan State University College of Law | December 2011-May 2013

- *Critical Skills Program: Michigan State University College of Law*
- Assisted students with legal writing skills using doctrinal property law as a guide.

SKILLS

- Qualitatively trained in Social Science Theories, Sociological Research Methods, Criminal Justice, Gender-Based Violence, Analysis, Data Analysis/Entry, Oral Interviewing, Literature Reviews, Legal Research
 - Licensed to Practice Law in Michigan (2013-Present)
 - Skilled in Teaching/Instruction, Written and Oral Communication, Curriculum Development, Supervision, Administration, Project Development, Manuscript Drafting
 - Languages: French (Intermediate)
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PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Publications

Sexual Misconduct in Prison: What Factors Affect Whether Incarcerated Women Will Report Abuses Committed by Prison Staff? LAW AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR, with Sheryl Kubiak Ph.D, Hannah Brenner, J.D.; Deborah Bybee Ph.D; Rebecca Campbell, Ph.D.; Cristy Cummings, MSW; Gina Fedock, Ph.D. (2016).

Prison Rape Reform: Perspectives from women with life sentences in the impact of a class action lawsuit", JOURNAL OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND SOCIAL WORK, with Gina Fedock, Ph.D.; Sheryl Kubiak, Ph.D.; Rebecca Campbell, Ph.D.; Cristy Cummings, MSW (July 2016) 1-12.

Do Sexually Victimized Female Prisoners Perceive Justice in Litigation Process and Outcomes? (FORTHCOMING 2016) PSYCHOLOGY, PUBLIC POLICY, AND LAW, with Sheryl P. Kubiak, Hannah J. Brenner, Deborah Bybee, Rebecca Campbell, Cristy Cummings, Gina Fedock.

Legal Publications

Occupational Hazards and Conditions of Confinement: Rape in the Military and Prisons, with Hannah Brenner and Sheryl Kubiak. 44 PEPPERDINE LAW REVIEW 881(2016-2017).

Bars to Justice: The Impact of Rape Myths on Women in Prison, THE GEORGETOWN JOURNAL OF GENDER AND THE LAW, Volume VXII, Issue II with Hannah Brenner, Gina Fedock, and Sheryl Pimlott Kubiak (2016)

Medicalizing Gender: How the Legal and Medical Professions Shaped Women's Experiences as Lawyers, Vol 4 TENNESSEE JOURNAL OF RACE, GENDER & SOCIAL JUSTICE 31 (2015).

Pigs in a Pen: The Multi-Faceted Impact of Feral Swine on Michigan's Agricultural and Environmental Communities, 20 DRAKE JOURNAL OF AGRICULTURAL LAW 163, (Spring, 2015).

WORKING PAPERS

Exploring Rape Myths About Sexual Abuse in Prison: Insight into Creating Just Policies and Practices, with Gina Fedock, Rachael Goodman-Williams, Sheryl Kubiak.

Examining Dynamics of Sexual Abuse on Parole, with Gina Fedock.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Law And Society Association Annual Meeting, *Investigation and Predictors of Outcomes in Prison-based Sexual Assault Internal Affairs Investigations*, Mexico City, June 2017

Intersectional Inquiries and Collaborative Action: Gender and Race, *Intersectionality and Sexual Violence Across a Continuum of Institutional Systems: Sexual Abuse in Immigration Detention Centers*, Notre Dame Indiana, March 2017

Law And Society Association Annual Meeting, Roundtable Session, *Class Action Litigation For Incarcerated Victims Of Sexual Assault: Successes, Setbacks, And Stories*, New Orleans, June 2016

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Midwest Eco Regional Conference, *Exploring Rape Myths About Sexual Abuse In Prison: Insight Into Creating Just Policies And Practices*, Madison, October 2015

Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, *Medicalizing Gender: How The Legal And Medical Professions Shaped Women's Experiences As Lawyers*, Seattle, June 2015

State Bar Of Michigan Student Agricultural Law Symposium *Pigs In A Pen: The Multi-Faceted Impact Of Feral Swine On Michigan's Agricultural Community*, East Lansing, September 2014

AWARDS

- Second Place | *State Bar of Michigan's Student Agricultural Law Symposium* | 2014
- Graduated Summa Cum Laude | *Michigan State University College of Law* | 2013
- Jurisprudence Award for Highest Grade: *Global Perspectives on Women in the Law* | *Michigan State University College of Law* | 2012
- MacLean Conservation Scholar | *Hal and Jean Glassen Memorial Foundation* | 2012
- Dean King's Scholar Full Tuition Scholarship | *Michigan State University College of Law* | August 2011-May 2013
- Dean's List | *Michigan State University College of Law* | August 2011-May 2013
- Undergraduate University Honors, Six Semesters | *University of Michigan* | September 2005-May 2009

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Volunteer, SafeHouse Center, Ann Arbor MI, which provides support for those impacted by domestic violence or sexual assault, (2014-2015).

Member, Women's Law Caucus, Michigan State University College of Law, (2011-2013).

Member, Kappa Alpha Pi, Pre-Law Fraternity, University of Michigan, (2008-2009).

Student Board Member, Career Services Student Advisory Board, (2007-2009).

Coordinator and Volunteer, American Red Cross Blood Drives (2007-2009).

Member, Alpha Phi Omega, Community Service Fraternity, University of Michigan, (2006-2009).

Captain, Relay for Life Cancer Fundraising Walk, (2007-2009).
