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#### **EDUCATION**

Juris Doctor, College of Law, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York 13210, *cum laude*; B.A., Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York 13210, *magna cum laude*, Phi Beta Kappa, Honorary Society, Women's Honorary Society.

#### TEACHING INTERESTS

Gender Violence and the Law
Immigration Law
International Human Rights Law
Restorative Justice
Forced Migration Law and Practice
Comparative Gender-Based Violence- focus on U.S., Cuba, Mexico
Civil Lawyering Process

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Reef C. Ivey Distinguished Professor of Law, Jan. 2008- present, University of North Carolina School of Law, Chapel Hill, N.C.

Professor, Jan. 2001- July 2008,

Clinical Associate Professor, 1998 -Dec. 2000.

Executive Director, Legal Services of North Carolina, Inc., Raleigh, N.C., 1995 - 1998.

Deputy Director, Legal Services of North Carolina, Inc., Raleigh, N.C., 1994-1995.

Managing and Supervising Attorney, Bay Area Legal Services, Impact/Civil Rights and Family Law Divisions, Tampa, FL. 1990-1994.

Partner, Heath, Rosenthal and Weissman, Syracuse, N. Y., 1980-1990. General Practice with emphasis on Family Law Issues, Civil Rights Litigation, Political Asylum/Immigration matters. Staff Attorney, Legal Aid Society of Albuquerque, Inc., 1975 -1980. Specialization: Labor Law, Education Law, Social Security.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Articles**

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Law, Social Movements, and the Political Economy of Domestic Violence, (22 Duke J. of Gender, Law & Policy 221 (2013).

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*Undocumented Immigrants and Access to the Courts*, 17 NC State Bar J.20 (2012).

Feminism in the Global Political Economy: Contradiction and Consensus in Cuba, 41 Univ. of Baltimore Law Rev. 221(2012).

Redefining Human Rights Lawyering Through the Lens of Critical Theory: Lessons for Pedagogy and Practice (with Caroline Bettinger-López, et al.), 18 Georgetown J. of Law and Poverty 337 (2011).

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### **Book Chapters**

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#### **Book Reviews**

Domestic Violence in the PostIndustrial Household, In Violence against Women in Families and Relationships (Stark and Buzawa eds. 2009)

Making A Killing: Femicide, Free Trade, and La Frontera 10 Latino Studies 414 (2012) The Cubans of Union City, 30 Bulletin of Latin American Research 249 (2011)

#### Works in progress

Plunder: Art, Politics, and Resistance

Program Providers' Perceptions of Restorative And Transformative Justice In The Context Of Domestic Violence Offender Treatment In North Carolina (with Julia Campbell, et al.) Questioning Gender Assumptions of Domestic Violence Intervention Programs: A Qualitative Study (with Sydney Nicolla, et al.

## **POLICY BRIEFS (Selected)**

Solitary Confinement: Cruel, inhuman, degrading: a comparative analysis of solitary confinement using the United Nations Mandela Rules with Avery Aulds, et al., forthcoming 2023.

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http://www.law.unc.edu/documents/academics/humanrights/solitaryconfinement/fullreport.pdf. *Obligations and Obstacles: Holding North Carolina Accountable for Extraordinary Rendition and Torture*, (with A. Davis, *et al.*, 2013)

http://www.law.unc.edu/documents/clinicalprograms/obligationsandobstaclesncreport.pdf.

*North Carolina's Connection to Ordinary Rendition* (with K. Emerson, *et al.* 2012) available at <a href="http://www.law.unc.edu/documents/clinicalprograms/finalrenditionreportweb.pdf">http://www.law.unc.edu/documents/clinicalprograms/finalrenditionreportweb.pdf</a>.

Picking Empty Pockets, (with H. Esteban Diaz, et al., 2012) available at

http://www.law.unc.edu/documents/clinicalprograms/emptypocketsfinal.pdf

A Call to Uphold the Core Principles of Responsibility and Protection of Human Rights:

Extraordinary Rendition, Torture, and North Carolina (with K. Emerson, et al., 2012) available at <a href="http://www.law.unc.edu/documents/clinicalprograms/ertorturencbriefweb.pdf">http://www.law.unc.edu/documents/clinicalprograms/ertorturencbriefweb.pdf</a>.

Wage Theft and U Visas: A Guide to Analyzing Federal and State Crimes Relevant for Undocumented Workers (with H. Esteban Diaz, et al., 2012) available at <a href="http://www.law.unc.edu/documents/clinicalprograms/wagetheftanduvisasguide.pdf">http://www.law.unc.edu/documents/clinicalprograms/wagetheftanduvisasguide.pdf</a>.

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## **BLOGS** (Selected):

Law and Political Economy Symposium, Imperfect Progressive Reforms: Situating the Problem of Gender Violence, Transforming a Broken System, September 30, 2020, https://lpeproject.org/blog/imperfect-progressive-reforms-situating-the-problem-of-gender-

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 $\underline{\text{http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/human\_rights/2017/03/a-no-show-at-the-iachr-a-portentous-absence.htm}$ 

*North Carolina is Bound to Act on Torture*, Feb. 20, 2016, <a href="http://www.nccit.org/blog/no-moving-on">http://www.nccit.org/blog/no-moving-on</a>

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A Basic Human Right: Meaningful Access to Legal Representation, June 19, 2015, <a href="http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/human\_rights/2015/06/a-basic-human-right-meaningful-access-to-legal-representation.html">http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/human\_rights/2015/06/a-basic-human-right-meaningful-access-to-legal-representation.html</a>.

Human Rights Clinic Issues Report on Solitary Confinement, Nov. 13, 2014, <a href="http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/human-rights/2014/11/human-rights-clinic-issues-report-on-solitary-confinement.html">http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/human-rights/2014/11/human-rights-clinic-issues-report-on-solitary-confinement.html</a>

We Can't Breathe: Domestic Violence Advocacy and the Criminal Justice System, (with Leigh Goodmark) Dec. 19, 2014, <a href="http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/human\_rights/2014/12/we-cant-breathe-domestic-violence-advocacy-and-the-criminal-justice-system.html">http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/human\_rights/2014/12/we-cant-breathe-domestic-violence-advocacy-and-the-criminal-justice-system.html</a>

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## **CONFERENCES, PANELS, PRESENTATIONS (Recent and Selected)**

Panelist, Restorative Justice and Equitable Systems Design Institute, National Center on Restorative Justice, in partnership with the University of Calif. San Francisco, April 2023 Organizer and presenter: Contradictions and Competing Needs: Serving the Legal Needs of Latino Communities in North Carolina with 3L students Katie DeAngelis and K.A. Robinson at the 2023 North Carolina Conference on Latin American Studies, The Many Faces of Latin America. Feb. 18, 2023, Duke University

Moderator and Panelist, Leaving Carcerality Behind, AALS 2023, Jan. 5, 2023, San Diego, CA Co-Chair and Panelist, UNC Law Review Symposium. "Who Needs the State?: We Do (Maybe)". Oct. 8, 2022

Roundtable- *Liberatory Practices in System-Involved RJ Responses to Family Violence/IPV* (May 26, 2022) (organizer, moderator and presenter) Univ. of Miami School of Law Roundtable- *Civil Rights, Human Rights, & Restorative Justice in Gender Violence & Child Sex Abuse Cases* (May 18, 2022) (organizer and presenter) Univ. of Miami School of Law Panelist, Gender Justice and Human Rights Symposium: Holistic Approaches to Gender Violence, UN Women, Global Rights for Women, and Univ of Miami School of Law, Apr. 21-22, 2022.

Roots: Responding to History and Central American Migration, Festival of Legal Learning, Feb. 2, 2022

Testimony Before Legislative or Other Policy-Making Bodies: Informing the Development of the U.S. Gender Based Violence National Action Plan, A Civil Society Forum, The White House Council on Gender Violence, Oct. 19, 2021

Presenter, Gender Violence, the Carceral State, and the Politics of Solidarity, Nov. 3, 2021, for The LEX Network-Law, Gender, & Sexuality, an international research hub for academics and researchers interested in developing international and transdisciplinary scholarship on law, gender and sexuality.

## **CONFERENCES, PANELS, PRESENTATIONS, (Recent and Selected) (cont'd)**

Law and Society, May 27, 2021, Panelist: Possibilities for Change: Justice in the Face of Racial, Gender Based, and Sexual Violence

Panelist, Say Their Names, UNC School of Law, Oct. 5, 2020

Rethinking Responses to Domestic Violence, July 15, 2020, UNC School of Law Alumni Affairs From Analyses to Practices: Applying Theories and Strategies of Political Economy to Domestic Violence, Law & Society, June 2020

Great Decisions at UNC Lecture, Immigration, The Politics of Narrative in Latin America, Apr. 7, 2020

Organizer/Panelist, Seeking Asylum in the United States, The Expert Witness Project, Nov. 15, 2019

Presenter, Expert Witnesses in Immigration Court, National Immigration Project Annual Conference, Oct. 16, 2019

Panelist, Creating an Anti-Essentialist Intersectional Gender Violence Textbook, May 31, 2019, Law & Society, May 31, 2019

Panelist, Anti-Violence Politics in Contemporary Liberationist Legal Theory, May 31, 2019, Law & Society, Washington, DC

Chair and panelist, Decriminalizing Domestic Violence: A Balanced Policy Approach to Intimate Partner Violence, May 30, 2019, Law & Society, Washington, DC

Human Rights Lawyering: Am I A Human Rights Lawyer? Human Rights Center, University of Minnesota, Apr. 22, 2019

Holding North Carolina Accountable for Extraordinary Rendition and Torture, University of Minnesota School of Law and Center for Victims of Torture, Minneapolis, MN, Apr. 22, 2019 Where do Human Rights Begin?: An Overview of International Human Rights Law, Current Developments and Debates, World View, Mar. 21, 2019 Friday Center, Chapel Hill, NC Panel Moderator and Presenter, Politics of Consular Protections and Immigrant Rights: Between Political Geography and Transnational Interventions, North Carolina Conference on Latin American Studies, Understanding Complexity in Latin America, UNC-Chapel Hill, Feb. 22, 2019

Speaker, University of Miami School of Law, Contexualizing the Pursuit for Economic Justice: Neoliberalism and IPV Advocacy Feb. 27, 2019

Presenter, Land of Refuge? Asylum Updates and the Border, UNC School of Law, Festival of Legal Learning, Feb. 8, 2019

Wm. Reece Smith Jr. Distinguished Lecture, Inns of Court/Stetson Law School, St. Petersburg, FL. Jan. 24, 2019

American University Washington School of Law, Torture Flights: North Carolina's Role in the CIA Rendition and Torture Program, Nov. 14, 2018

Beyond Criminalization: Public Health, Human Rights, Economic, and Community Responses to Domestic Violence. UC Irvine School of Law, Nov. 9, 2018

Chair and Presenter, Migrant Rights, Civic Engagement, and Transnational Advocacy:

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## CONFERENCES, PANELS, PRESENTATIONS, (Recent and Selected) cont'd.

Examining the Multiplicity of Layers and Dynamic Influences on Immigrant Rights, Law and Society, Toronto, Ca., June 9, 2018.

Law, Lawyers, and Social Resilience, Law and Society, Toronto Ca, June 7, 2018. Navigating executive power in immigration law, Law and Society, Toronto, Ca., June 9, 2018. Panelist, Intern'l Human Rights Advocacy and Intern'l Criminal Justice: Past, Future, Present, U.S. Accountability for Torture, Renditions and Killings, UCLA School of Law, April 28, 2018

### OTHER UNIVERSITY/PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Supervised a "Student-Authored Memorandum That Changed the Face of State Government," June 2022 https://magazine.law.unc.edu/june-2022/ddbhh/

Co-founder: UNC Human Rights Law Program (with Holning Lau)

Nominated and joined the Advisory Board for Dignity: An Undergraduate Human Rights Journal (UNC-systemwide) 2022 to present.

Commissioner, *North Carolina Commission on Domestic Violence*, January 2019/September 2021 (appointed and reappointed by Governor Roy Cooper; Chair, January 2000- April 2005.

The Expert Witness Project <a href="https://law.unc.edu/event/expert-witnesses-in-asylum-proceedings/">https://law.unc.edu/event/expert-witnesses-in-asylum-proceedings/</a>

Advisory Board- The Institute for the Study of the Americas, University of North Carolina

Advisory Board- The UNC-Duke Consortium on Middle Eastern Studies.

Advisory Board, NIJ Study: Courts Applying Solutions to Intimate Partner Violence (CASE IPV)

Advisory Board, Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice: *Evaluation of Electronic Filing for Domestic Violence Protective Orders in North Carolina (eProtect)* UNC Gender Based Violence Research Group.

Faculty Advisor, Conference on Race, Class, Gender, and Identity

Faculty Advisor, Immigration Law Association

### AWARDS AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Recipient of the NC Evaluation Fund grant from the North Carolina Office of State Budget Management and the Department of Administration/Council for Women & Youth Involvement for Project RESTART.

IPRC Exploratory Research Project grant awarded for project: Assessing Domestic Violence Intervention Programs in the United States: Identifying Strengths, Weaknesses, and a Path Towards Restorative Justice (with Dr. Kathryn (Beth) Moracco and Erika Redding, Advanced PhD student, UNC Dept of Health Behavior)

UNC Provost's Office: Senior Faculty Research and Scholarly Leave Award 2020-2021. Grant Recipient: Puffin Foundation, *Claiming Rights: Social and Legal Factors Facilitating Justice for Mexican Immigrants in New and Established Destinations in the US* 2015-2018. Grant Recipient: Interdisciplinary Initiatives Grant, UNC College of Arts and Sciences with J. Hagan, *Claiming Rights: Social and Legal Factors Facilitating Justice for Mexican Immigrants in New and Established Destinations in the United State-* 2015.

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### AWARDS AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS Cont'd.

2013 Recipient, The Frank Porter Graham Award, American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) of North Carolina, for Outstanding Civil Rights Work, February 2013

Global Research Institute Fellow, Ctr for Global Education, UNC, (2011-2012 Fellow)

Grant Recipient: University of North Carolina Center for Global Initiatives- 2010-2011

The Personal is Political-and Economic: Rethinking Domestic Violence reviewed in Jotwell, "as one of the best works of recent scholarship in Criminal Law" http://crim.jotwell.com/the-economic-roots-of-domestic-violence/

Pro Bono Faculty of the Year Award: 2006- UNC School of Law

Grant Recipient: University of North Carolina Center on International Studies- 2006-2009.

Grant Recipient: University of North Carolina Center on International Studies- 2004-2006.

North Carolina Equity=s Carpathian Award: Public Service, 1998.

News & Observer, Tar Heel of the Week, 1998

Award Recipient - Migration and Refugee Services, 1990

#### **BAR ADMISSIONS**

State of New Mexico, United States District Court, District of New Mexico.

State of New York, United States District Court, Northern District of New York.

State of Florida, United States District Court, Middle District, Florida.

State of North Carolina, United States District Court, Eastern District, North Carolina.

#### PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION

North Carolina State Bar, North Carolina Bar Assoc, North Carolina, State of New Mexico Bar Association, New York State Bar Association, Florida Bar Association, American Bar Association, ABA Family Law Section, National Lawyers' Guild.

# **OTHER**

Past Consultant: Florida Bar Foundation on Quality Assurance for legal services programs, and Legal Services Corporation, Washington, D.C., competitive grants program.