

## EXPERIENCE

### **Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law** | Davie, FL

*Academic Success & Professionalism Professor of Practice*

December 2025 – present

Teach first-year students Legal Skills & Professionalism, a skills course that helps students develop foundational academic skills required to succeed in law, including essay writing, rule synthesis, and legal analysis. Maintain office hours to advise, support, and coach students. Track and report departmental data. Develop learning outcomes and create evaluations, exercises, and lessons that focus on student engagement. Maintain and organize courses via Canvas.

*Adjunct Faculty*

October 2012 – August 2017

Created lessons, lectured classes, and graded assignments for Introduction to Anthropology (both online and classroom sections), Cultural Anthropology, and Anthropological Theory.

### **Signature Academics** | Wellington, FL

*Instructor*

January 2023 – present

Teaching all middle and high school subjects, both in-person and online, especially math, science, and social studies, including statistics, calculus, chemistry, biochemistry, biology, physics, world history, American history, and psychology.

### **United States Patent & Trademark Office** | Alexandria, VA

*Patent Examiner*

August 2022 – January 2023

Examined bioinformatics patents, including those incorporating AI, according to the procedures in the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure (MPEP). Found and compared relevant scientific literature necessary to draft office actions.

### **IPS Legal Group, P.A.** | Miami, FL

*Law Clerk*

May 2021 – May 2022

Drafted nonprovisional patent applications covering consumer products, responses to USPTO office actions, trademark applications, claim charts, and opinion memoranda. Conducted prior art searches, trademark searches, and legal research.

### **University of Miami School of Law** | Coral Gables, FL

*Startup Clinic Intern*

January 2022 – May 2022

Prepared opinion memoranda for startup clients. Reviewed corporate documents, including terms of use agreements and privacy policies.

*Immigration Clinic Intern*

January 2021 – May 2021

Represented clients in immigration proceedings. Composed appellate briefs and motions. Conducted legal research.

*Health Rights Clinic Intern*

May 2020 – July 2020

Represented clients in Social Security suits and immigrations proceedings. Developed case strategies and theories. Conducted client interviews and legal research. Authored memoranda and drafted on-the-record requests.

### **HealthCare Appraisers, Inc.** | Boca Raton, FL

*Analyst*

May 2018 – July 2019

Drafted healthcare compensation valuation reports for employment, compensated call coverage, medical director, administrative, and professional services arrangements. Collected, analyzed, and evaluated client data.

### **Palm Beach International Academy** | Boca Raton, FL

*Academic Director*

May 2016 – May 2018

Directed all aspects of one-on-one tutorial programs for 75 tutors and 150 students at two learning centers. Supervised tutors, staff, and students to ensure program quality across six online learning platforms. Cultivated relationships with clients and partner institutions.

*Faculty*

May 2011 – December 2016

Mentored students and new tutors. Taught all middle and high school subjects, especially math, science, and test prep, both in-person and online.

### **Kaplan Test Prep and Admissions** | Boca Raton, FL

*Instructor*

May 2009 – May 2011

Taught SAT, ACT, and GRE prep courses.

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## EDUCATION

**Juris Doctor** | May 2022 | University of Miami School of Law | Coral Gables, FL

*Honors:* Dean's Merit Scholarship, Dean's List (Spring 2021)

**Master of Arts in Anthropology** | August 2011 | Florida Atlantic University | Boca Raton, FL

*Thesis:* Cladistic Analysis of Juvenile and Adult Hominoid Cranial Shape Variables

*Honors:* Teaching Assistantship (full academic scholarship with stipend), Morrow Research and Writing Fellowship

**Bachelor of Science in Biology** | May 2007 | Canisius College | Buffalo, NY

*Honors:* Dean's Scholarship, Dean's List (3 semesters), Academic Merit (3 semesters)

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## BAR ADMISSION

**State of Florida** | October 2022 | *Member in Good Standing*

**Bar Number:** 1039979

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