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TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Nova Southeastern University, Shepard Broad Law Center, Fort Lauderdale, Florida (6/08-present)

Professor of Law (Tenured)

- **Courses Taught:** Contracts; Secured Transactions; Sales; Bankruptcy; Professional Responsibility; and Survey of Contract Law (Online – Master’s of Science Program).
- **Clinical Experience:** Created the curriculum of and obtained court-approval for a Consumer Bankruptcy Clinic at the Law Center. Supervise the operation of the Consumer Bankruptcy Clinic.
- **Law Center Service:** Admissions Committee, Member (2010-14; 2015-present); Student Affairs Committee, Member (2014-15); Curriculum Committee, Member and Chair (2008-10, Chair 2009-10); and Ad Hoc Professionalism Committee, Member (2010-11).
- **University Service:** Appointed by University Assistant Provost as a Faculty Peer-Reviewer of the Faculty Teaching Roster (2009-present); and Appointed by University Assistant Provost as a Faculty Peer-Reviewer of Assessment of Student Learning Outcomes (2012-present).
- **Special Appointments:** Appointed by Law Center Dean to a Search Committee for an Assistant Dean of Admissions (2011-12); Appointed by University President to a Search Committee for a Law Center Dean (2013-14); Appointed by University Provost to a University-Wide Academic Integrity Task Force (2014); and Appointed by Chair of Academic Disciplinary Board as Investigator for an Academic Complaint of Misconduct (2014).
- **Advisory Roles:** Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot, Coach and Advisor (2009-14); Asian Pacific American Law Students Association, Advisor (2009-16); The Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division for Law Students, Advisor (2011-12).

JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP EXPERIENCE:

United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Texas, Dallas, Texas (3/06-11/06)

Law Clerk to Chief Bankruptcy Judge Barbara J. Houser

- Drafted bench memoranda, conducted legal research, drafted and proofread opinions and orders, analyzed various issues arising under the recently-enacted bankruptcy reform (BAPCPA), communicated with counsel regarding procedural requirements and assisted the judge during courtroom proceedings.

LEGAL EXPERIENCE:

Baker Botts L.L.P., Dallas, Texas (11/06-5/08)

Associate

- Represented corporate clients in all phases of chapter 11 bankruptcy cases, with an emphasis on large, corporate debtor clients. Handled the estimation and ultimate resolution of approximately \$1.5 billion of toxic tort related bankruptcy claims filed against one of the nation’s largest copper producers.
- Participated in the Dallas Volunteer Attorney Program providing pro-bono representation.

Cowles & Thompson, P.C., Dallas, Texas (5/04-3/06)

Associate

- Represented clients in matters related to bankruptcy, commercial litigation and appeals.
- Named a “Rising Star” by *Texas Monthly* and *Law & Politics*.

Winstead Sechrest & Minick P.C., Dallas, Texas (9/02-5/04)

Associate

- Represented debtors, trustees, secured and unsecured creditors, in bankruptcy matters and bankruptcy-related litigation and appeals.

BAR ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS:

State Bar of Texas, Member in Good Standing (2002-present) (licensed to practice law in Texas).

The Florida Bar, Law Faculty Affiliate (2009-present) (not licensed to practice law in Florida).

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

Tulane Law School, New Orleans, LA - Juris Doctor, May 2002

Honors: Editor in Chief and Published Member, *Tulane Journal of Technology and Intellectual Property*

Activities: Trial Advocacy Clinic; Legislative Clinic; Negotiation and Mediation Advocacy Seminar; and Study Abroad in Cambridge, England

Austin College, Sherman, TX - Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration, May 1999

Activities: Peer Judicial Board, Chair; Chi Delta Eta, President

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS:

Wellness International Network v. Sharif: Minimizing the Jurisdictional Impact of Stern Through Consent of Bankruptcy Litigants, 44 Cap. U. L. Rev. 67 (2016).

The Attorney Gag Rule in Consumer Bankruptcy Cases and the Continued Efficacy of it in a Post-Milavetz World, 43 U. Mem. L. Rev. 1 (2012) (lead article).

Unveiling the Mystery, History and Problems Associated with the Jurisdictional Limitations of Bankruptcy Courts Over Personal Injury Tort and Wrongful Death Claims, 42 McGeorge L. Rev. 739 (2011) (lead article).

A Legal Perspective: Bankruptcy Law: The IRS Can Lookback at You a Little Longer, 66 Tex. B. J. 21 (2003) (co-authored).

Student Note, Rodrigue v. Rodrigue: The Fifth Circuit Aligns with Worth - Accepting Copyright as Community Property, 3 Tul. J. Tech. & Intell. Prop. 165 (2001).

PRESENTATIONS AND MEDIA INTERVIEWS:

Media Interview, NPR/WLRN Radio, Digital Domain Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Case (aired on Jan. 29, 2013).

Media Interview, NPR/WLRN Radio, The Rise of Consumer Bankruptcies in South Florida (aired on May 7, 2012).

Presenter, Understanding Academic Integrity & Avoiding Plagiarism, Masters of Science in Education Law Residential Institute, Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida (July 9, 2011 and July 7, 2012).

Commentator, The Role of the Law in Fostering Social, Political, and Economic Equality, 2011 Joint Meeting of the Southeast/Southwest/Midwest People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference, Fort Lauderdale, Florida (April 1, 2011).

Presenter and Panelist, “Breaking In: How to Get a Job in the Legal Academy,” Society of American Law Teachers, Fort Lauderdale, Florida (March 31, 2011).

Presenter, Florida Legal Scholarship Forum, Stetson University College of Law, Gulfport, Florida (November 14, 2009).