

KATE WEBBER NUÑEZ

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law

Professor of Law, July 2017 - present

Associate Professor of Law, July 2014 – June 2017

Assistant Professor of Law, July 2010 – June 2014

JD Courses: Employment Discrimination, Business Entities, Securities Regulation, Remedies, Civil Procedure, Workers' Compensation, and Legal Research and Writing.

Masters in Law Courses: Federal Statutes and Regulations, Whistleblowers, Wages and Hours, Developments in Employee Law, Law Regulating Workplace Safety, Employment Discrimination

Professional Courses: National Institute for Trial Advocacy (NITA) Deposition Skills

Publications:

Families are More Popular than Feminism: Exploring the Greater Judicial Success of Family and Medical Leave Laws, 32 Colum. J. Gender & L. 145 (2016).

Top ten SSRN downloads for the following topics: Theoretical Perspectives on Employment & Labor Law, Employment Discrimination and Theories of Discrimination, March-May 2016. Reviewed in Jotwell by Katharine Bartlett, March 2017.

<http://family.jotwell.com/when-less-is-more/>

It is Political: Using the Models of Judicial Decision-Making to Explain the Ideological History of Title VII, 89 St. John's L. Rev. 841 (2015). Top ten SSRN download in the Employment Law eJournal and the Law & Society: Private Law – Discrimination Law eJournal, June-July 2014. Top ten SSRN download in the following topics: The Judiciary & Judicial Process, Employment Statutes, Employment Discrimination, Judges, and Legislation, May-July 2014.

Correcting the Supreme Court – Will It Listen? Using the Models of Judicial Decision-Making to Predict the Future of the ADA Amendments Act, 23 S. Cal. Interdisc. L.J. 305 (2014). Top Ten SSRN Downloads in: Judiciary and Judicial Process, Disability Law, and Employment Statutes, Fall 2013.

Recent Presentations:

- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference 2014, 2015
- Colloquium on Current Issues in Labor and Employment Law 2013, 2014
- Southeastern Association of Law Schools Conference, New Scholars' Panel on Judges/Judicial Decision-Making, August 2013
- Florida Bar Association Annual Meeting, June 2013

Stetson University College of Law

Visiting Assistant Professor, 2009-2010

Courses: Employment Discrimination, Civil Procedure, and Pre-Trial Practice

SUMMARY OF LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Thompson Wigdor & Gilly LLP

Represented individuals in employment matters, including discrimination cases based on race, gender, disability, age, religion, national origin and sexual orientation. Served as co-lead counsel in three federal class actions, including responsibility for case strategy, managing complex discovery, supervising teams of associates, and developing evidence of company-wide discriminatory practices. Argued discovery and substantive motions before federal courts, served as co-counsel at federal jury trial resulting in \$1.2 million verdict in our client's favor, and served as lead counsel at hearing before state administrative tribunal. Participated in numerous mediations, including multi-party settlements.

Bragar Wexler Eigel & Morgenstern, LLC

Represented businesses and individuals in commercial litigation, including contract disputes and cases alleging securities fraud. Represented creditors and equity committees in Chapter 11 Bankruptcy proceedings.

Proskauer Rose LLP

Represented management clients providing research and advice on various employment law topics. Conducted preliminary factual investigations of discrimination claims and drafted EEOC position statements.

SIGNIFICANT REPRESENTATIONS

Co-counsel at trial (and lead discovery counsel) for plaintiff in sexual and racial harassment suit, resulting in \$1.2 million jury verdict in plaintiff's favor. *Nurse v. Concepts in Staffing, Inc.*, No. 06-13500 (S.D.N.Y.) (Kaplan, J.)

Co-lead counsel for plaintiffs in suit against international bank alleging class-wide gender discrimination claims based on promotion and compensation patterns. *Hart v. Dresdner*, No. 06-1034 (S.D.N.Y.) (Batts, J.)

EDUCATION

J.D., University of Pennsylvania Law School, 1998

Executive Editor, *Journal of International Economic Law*

Samuel F. Pryor, III, Award for Most Distinguished Student Comment, published Fall 1997

Moot Court Board

BA, Political Science, *cum laude*, Tufts University, 1995

BAR ADMISSIONS

New York State. U.S. District Courts, Southern and Eastern Districts of New York