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**ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

SUNY Buffalo School of Law

*Vice Dean for Academic Affairs (June 2016-Present)*

*William J. Magavern Faculty Scholar (August 2019-Present)*

*Professor of Law (Sept. 2015-Present)*

*Associate Professor (Sept. 2009-Aug. 2015)*

Beasley School of Law, Temple University (*June 2007-May 2009*)

*Abraham L. Freedman Fellow*

WilmerHale (*May 2003-May 2007*)

Jones Day (*August 1999-May 2003*)

**EDUCATION**

Columbia Law School, New York, NY

Juris Doctor, 1999

- Articles Editor, Columbia Business Law Review

Loyola University, New Orleans, LA

Bachelor of Arts, Philosophy, *summa cum laude*, 1996

**LAW REVIEW ARTICLES**

*Non-Pecuniary Interests and the Injudicious Limits of Appellate Standing in Bankruptcy*, 59 BAYLOR L. REV. 569-622 (2007).

*Section 524(g) Without Compromise: Voting Rights and the Asbestos Bankruptcy Paradox*, 2008 COLUMBIA BUS. L. REV. 841-933 (2008).

*Constitutional Gaps in Bankruptcy*, 20 AM. BANKR. INST. L. REV. 179-234 (2012).

*Specious Claims and Global Settlements*, 42 U. MEMPHIS L. REV. 559-628 (2012).

*How Long is Forever This Time? The Broken Promise of Bankruptcy Trusts*, 61 BUFFALO L. REV. 537-605 (2013).

*Plaintiff Control and Domination in Multidistrict Mass Torts*, 61 CLEVELAND ST. L. REV. 391-442 (2013).

*Bankruptcy Trusts, Transparency and the Future of Asbestos Compensation*, 23 WIDENER L. J. 299-375 (2013) (invited submission).

*The Story of Prudential Standing*, 42 HASTINGS CONST. L. Q. 95-134 (2014).

*Consent, Coercion and Bankruptcy Administration*, 11 J. Bus. & Tech. L. 25-57 (2016) (invited submission).

### **SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Featured Speaker, *The Implications of Bankruptcy for Sexual Abuse Victims*, Buffalo Diocese Path Forward Symposium, Movement to Restore Trust, December 7, 2019 (rebroadcast on several local and national outlets).

Speaker, Mass Tort Bankruptcy Cases (with Prof. Ralph Brubaker and Dan Prieto), Federalist Society Teleforum, August 16, 2019.

Moderator and Speaker, Crisis Management (with Dean Jennifer Rosato Perea), American Bar Association Associate Deans Conference, 2019.

Moderator, Day in the Life Sessions (with Prof. Susan Cancelosi), American Bar Association Associate Deans Conference, 2019.

Speaker, *Stern v. Marshall* Panel, Fourteenth Annual Western New York Bankruptcy Conference, 2017.

Speaker and Moderator, Ethics Panel, Thirteenth Annual Western New York Bankruptcy Conference, 2016.

Speaker, Ethics Panel (with Hon. Carl L. Bucki, Hon. Michael J. Kaplan, Prof. Jim Milles), Twelfth Annual Western New York Bankruptcy Conference, 2015.

External Peer Reviewer/Contributor, *The Effect of Bankruptcy on Product Identification in Asbestos Personal Injury Cases*, RAND Institute for Civil Justice, 2015.

Convener and Moderator, *Symposium: Recent Developments in Tort Law and Mass Torts Practice*, Buffalo Law School, 2014.

Interviewed by ABI Scholar in Residence Charles Tabb for ABI Podcast Series, *Examining Recent Events Dealing with Asbestos Litigation Trusts*, 2014.

Speaker, *Selected Issues in Bankruptcy Appeals*, Eleventh Annual Western New York Bankruptcy Conference, 2014.

Expert Witness, *American Bankruptcy Institute Commission to Study the Reform of Chapter 11*, Field Hearing at the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, 2013.

Academic Expert Witness, *Task Force on Asbestos Litigation and the Bankruptcy Trusts*, American Bar Association, District of Columbia, 2013.

Expert Witness, *Hearing on the Furthering Asbestos Claims Transparency Act of 2013*, U.S. House of Representatives, Judiciary Committee.

Expert Witness, *Hearing on Personal Injury Trust Claims Transparency*, Wisconsin State Assembly, 2013.

Panelist, *Legal Ethics When Insurers Enter the "Zone of Insolvency,"* Joint Conference of the ABA Tort Trial and Insurance Practice Section and International Association of Insurance Receivers, District of Columbia, 2013.

Speaker, *Getting Your Evidence Admitted (and Preserving Your Objections)*, Tenth Annual Western New York Bankruptcy Conference, 2013.

Moderator and Panelist, Widener School of Law, *Asbestos-Related Bankruptcy Issues*, Perspectives on Mass Tort Litigation Symposium, 2013.

Expert Witness, *Hearing on the Furthering Asbestos Claims Transparency Act of 2012*, U.S. House of Representatives, Judiciary Committee, 2012.

Moderator and Panelist, *The Asbestos Litigation Tsunami-Will it Ever End?*, Seventh Annual Civil Justice Symposium, George Mason School of Law, 2012.

Speaker, *The Impact of Stern v. Marshall on Bankruptcy Claims Litigation*, Ninth Annual Western New York Bankruptcy Conference, 2012.

Speaker, *Bankruptcy and Asbestos Trusts*, ACI Asbestos Claims and Litigation Conference, 2012.

External Peer Reviewer/Contributor, *Asbestos Bankruptcy Trusts and Tort Compensation*, RAND Institute for Civil Justice, 2011.

## **UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Selected University Service:

- Major University Committees
  - Pedagogy and Design Committee (2017-Present)
  - School of Law Dean Search Committee (2016-17)
  - School of Management Dean Search Committee (2015-16)
  - Provost's Ad Hoc Strategic Planning Committee (2014-15)
- Law School Search Committees
  - Chief Business Officer Search Committee, Chair (2019)
  - Director of Academic Success Search Committee, Chair (2017)
  - Director of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Search Committee, Co-Chair (2017)

- Writing Faculty Search Committee (2017, 2020)
- Law Library Director Search Committee (2012)
- Other Law School Committees
  - Academic Programs and Planning Committee, Chair (2016-Present), Member (2014-16)
  - Adjunct Development Committee, Chair (2016-Present)
  - Pedagogy and Curricular Innovation Committee (2016-17)
  - Faculty-Student Engagement Committee (2016-17)
  - Strategic Planning Committee, Chair (2016)
  - Bar Passage and Academic Support Working Group, Chair (2015-16)
  - Budget and Program Review Committee (2015-16)
  - Curricular Reform Committee (2013-14)

Other Service:

- American Bar Association Associate Deans Conference Planning Committee (2019)
- New York State Board of Law Examiner's Buffalo Focus Group, Transition to the Uniform Bar Exam (2015)
- New York State Board of Law Examiner's Bar Evaluation Pilot Program (2011)