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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Academic

August 1988 The Pennsylvania State University

to Present College of Communications

John & Ann Curley Professor of First Amendment Studies Primary responsibilities include teaching, research and service in the areas of First Amendment and mass media law,

media and government, news media ethics and broadcast journalism.

February 1992 Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment

to Present (Founded February 1992)
School of Communications

Founder and Co-Director

Primary responsibilities include directing and coordinating a citizen's resource center devoted to providing a heightened

awareness of First Amendment freedoms.

July 1997 The Penn State Washington Program

To Present Founding Director

Primary responsibilities include development and oversight of the administration and curriculum of the University's educational programming in

Washington, D.C.

July 1999 The Pennsylvania State University

to August 2003 College of Communications

Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education

and Faculty Development

Primary responsibilities include oversight of the undergraduate programs in the College, including budget, scheduling, curriculum, advising, student radio station (WKPS) and shared responsibility for

promotion and tenure issues.

July 2000 Interim Head, Department of Journalism

to July 2002 Primary responsibilities include supervision of

curricular issues related to the journalism program and personnel matters involving journalism faculty.

July 1999 to May 2000

The Pennsylvania State University

College of Communications

Interim Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education Primary responsibilities include oversight of the undergraduate programs in the College, including budget, scheduling, curriculum, advising, and shared responsibilities for faculty development.

July 1995 to July 2001 The Pennsylvania State University

College of Communications

Associate Professor of Journalism and Law

Primary responsibilities include teaching, research and service in the areas of First Amendment and mass media law, media and government, and broadcast journalism. Served as Professor-in-Charge of Journalism, 1997-98 and 1999-00.

July 1993 to October 1999 The Pennsylvania State University

College of Communications

Director

Internships & Career Placement

Primary responsibilities include placement of undergraduates in internship positions nationwide and develop new internship and placement opportunities for the School, in addition to regular responsibilities as associate professor of journalism and law.

August 1988 to June 1995

The Pennsylvania State University

School of Communications

Assistant Professor of Journalism and Law

Primary responsibilities include teaching and research in the areas of First Amendment, mass media law and broadcast journalism. Also taught classes in broadcast production, advanced radio management and programming, news writing and advanced reporting. Honors Adviser in Broadcast-Cable major. Advisor, Broadcast-Cable Club. Member of

graduate faculty.

January 1988 to May 1988

The Pennsylvania State University

Instructor

Responsibilities included teaching mass media law to upperlevel undergraduates in the resident program and through

Independent Learning.

May 1985 to May 1987 The American University

Washington College of Law

Teaching Fellow

Primary responsibilities included teaching legal research and writing skills to first-year law students; directing an appellate

advocacy workshop; academic advising.

January 1984 to May 1984

The Pennsylvania State University
Department of Speech Communication

Teaching Assistant

Primary responsibilities included lecturing in course on the

history of broadcasting; grading exams and papers; academic

advising.

Broadcasting/ Journalism

September 2007

WPSU-TV, University Park, Pennsylvania

To Present Host and Writer, "Demystifying Wine," a regular series

on public television's nightly magazine show "Pennsylvania

Inside Out."

January 1989 to

WATM-TV, Johnstown, Pennsylvania

May 1989 Co-host and Producer of "Commonwealth Agenda," a public

affairs series on issues concerning central Pennsylvania.

October 1988

WRSC Radio, State College, Pennsylvania

to January 1989 Host and Producer of "Legal Line," a weekly call-in talk show

series on legal topics.

November 1984

Freelance Broadcast Journalist

to August 1987 Covered special events in Washington, D.C., such as the

presidential inauguration festivities and conducted personality

radio interviews.

June 1984

NBC Radio Network News, New York, N.Y.

to November 1984 News Associate. Responsibilities included writing

daily news lines; editing anchor copy; writing copy for "Election

'84."

March 1982

WMAJ/WXLR, State College, Pennsylvania

to May 1984 News Director, Newscaster, Reporter and Public Affairs Director.

Responsibilities included anchoring afternoon-drive and Saturday morning newscasts; covering state and local government; hosting a weekly news interview show; coordinating news department's internship program.

August 1983 to November 1983 Total Communications Systems (TCS), New Kensington,

per 1983 **Pennsylvania** 

Broadcast Engineer, Post-Game Show Highlights Producer.

Responsibilities included engineering Penn State football games

and producing post-game show highlights.

March 1979

WLNV-FM, Derby, Connecticut

to August 1980 Disc jockey and newscaster. Responsibilities included weekend

newscasting and hosting country music show.

# Legal

February 1992 Student Press Law Center, Washington, D.C.

to Present Volunteer Attorney and Counselor at Law

Responsibilities include advising student news organizations on

media law issues and problems.

June 1990 Mid-Penn Legal Services, Centre County

to Present Volunteer Attorney and Counselor at Law, Pro Bono Project.

Responsibilities include advising low-income residents on legal

matters.

August 1987 Pennsylvania Court of Common Pleas

to August 1988 Forty-Ninth Judicial District

Judicial Clerk to the Honorable Charles C. Brown, Jr., President

Judge.

May 1985 Moss, Strickler & Weaver, P.A.

to June 1987 Bethesda, Maryland

Law Clerk. Responsibilities included legal research and writing;

litigation support.

## **EDUCATION**

Doctor of Jurisprudence Washington College of Law The American University, 1987 Washington, D.C.

Master of Arts, Speech Communication (Journalism minor) The Pennsylvania State University, 1984

University Park, PA

Bachelor of Arts, Speech Communication With Highest Distinction and With Honors Phi Beta Kappa

The Pennsylvania State University, 1983

University Park, PA

## **HONOR SOCIETIES AND AWARDS**

• Evan Pugh Scholar • University Scholars Medal

Golden KeyPhi Sigma IotaAlpha Lambda Delta

President Sparks Award
 Freshman President's Award

#### PROFESSIONAL LICENSES

- Admitted to practice law in Pennsylvania
- Admitted to practice law before the United States Court of Appeals (Third Circuit)
- Admitted to practice law before the United States Supreme Court

# **ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS (Faculty)**

- School of Communications Alumni Society *Excellence in Teaching Award*, 1994.
- Finalist, University's George W. Atherton Teaching Award and Alumni Fellows Teaching Award, Spring 1994.
- Named to "List of Excellent Honors Instructors" of the University Scholars Program (now Schreyer Honors College), The Pennsylvania State University.
- Journalism Faculty Marshal, May 1991, May 1992 & May 1993.
- College of Communications Faculty Marshal, January 1996.
- Dean's Excellence Award for Service, 1997.
- Dean's Excellence Award for Research, 1998.
- Interfraternity Council and Panhellenic Council Faculty Teaching Recognition, 1999.
- Dean's Excellence Award for Integrated Scholarship, 2006.
- •Scripps Howard Foundation National Journalism Awards: "Teacher of the Year Award," 2007.
- Penn State Teaching Fellow Award, Penn State Alumni Association, 2011.

## BROADCASTING HONORS AND AWARDS (College and Graduate School)

- The Scripps-Howard Broadcast Journalism Award 1981, 1982, and 1983.
- The Harold E. Fellows Memorial Scholarship -- National Association of Broadcasters, 1983.
- International Radio and Television Society Fellow, 1984.

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- International Radio and Television Society
- National Press Club, Washington, DC
- Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication
- Court of Master Sommeliers
- Society of Wine Educators, Certified Specialist of Wine

#### RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

#### Books

Campbell, D., Olson, K, & Richards, R., Mass Communication Law in Pennsylvania, New Forums Press, Stillwater, OK, 2003.

Richards, R., Freedom's Voice: The Perilous Present and Uncertain Future of the First Amendment. Brassey's, Inc., Washington, D.C. and London, 1998.

Republished as part of the American History Series, G.K. Hall & Co., Thorndike, ME, 2000.

Richards, R., *Uninhibited, Robust, and Wide-Open: Mr. Justice Brennan's Legacy to the First Amendment,* a book based, in part, on private working papers of Justice William J. Brennan. *Parkway Publishers, North Carolina,* 1994.

## Parts of Books

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Richards, R., "The Right of Assembly & Petition," chapter-opening essay in J.R. Vile, et al (ed.), *Encyclopedia of the First Amendment*, Congressional Quarterly Press, 2008.

Calvert, C. & Richards R., "Beyond Bong Hits: Student Expression in Public Schools and Online after *Morse v, Frederick,*" in W. Boucher, et al (ed.), *Critical Issues in Education Law and Policy*, LexisNexis, 2008.

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- Richards, R., "Open Meetings and Open Records," chapter in *Mass Communication Law in Pennsylvania*, published by New Forums Press, Oklahoma, 1996.
- Richards, R., "A Lawyer's Guide To Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation," in *Locally Unpopular Land Uses*, published by Pennsylvania Bar Institute, 1996.

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- Richards, R., & Weinert, D., "Punting in the First Amendment's Red Zone: The Supreme Court's 'Indecision' on the FCC's Indecency Regulations Leaves Broadcasters Still Searching for Answers," 76 Albany Law Review 631 (2013).
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- Richards, R., "Gay Labeling and Defamation Law: Have Attitudes Toward Homosexuality Changed Enough to Modify Reputational Torts?," CommLaw Conspectus (Spring 2010).

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# **Presentations and Invited Lectures** (partial list)

"The Impact of SLAPP Suits on Corporate Public Image," paper written and presented by Robert D. Richards and John Bagby, at the Tenth Annual Research Conference of the Center for the Study of Business and Public Issues. University Park, Pa., June 8-10, 1992.

"The Petitions Clause: The Quiet Freedom," invited presenter on Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation at the inaugural First Amendment Summit, sponsored by The Freedom Forum (formerly Gannett Foundation), Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee, November 3-4, 1992.

"An Embattled Corporate Image: Balancing the First Amendment and Competition," paper written and presented by Robert D. Richards and John Bagby, at the International Association for business and Society Annual Research Conference, March 18-23, 1993, San Diego, California.

"How Free is the Press?: Supreme Court Decisions That Affect First Amendment Privileges," Spring 1988 Editors and Reporters Workshop of the Keystone West Publishers Association, DuBois, Pa., May 19, 1988.

"Libel: Good News and Bad News," presenter and panelist with Sam Klein, Esq., Alice Neff Lucan, Esq. and Neil J. Friedman, Esq., School of Communications Alumni Society Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pa., October 12, 1991.

"Keeping Safe on the Airwaves," a presentation to student media organizations at Bloomsburg State University, Bloomsburg, PA., March 29, 1992.

"The First Amendment Under Siege," a speech to the Traditional Alumni Reunion, University Park, Pa., June 5, 1992.

"Libel and Slander: How to Avoid Problems - What to Do If You Get in Trouble," present and panelist with Lee Levine, Esq., Alice Neff Lucan, Esq., Carol Melamed (*The Washington Post*), and Neal J. Friedman, Esq., School of Communications Alumni Society Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., October 31, 1992.

"Censorship in the Nineties," an invited lecture as part of a Spring Semester 1993 lecture series, Penn State - Schuylkill Campus, February 4, 1993.

"First Amendment Right and Responsibilities," a presentation to the Student Organizations Resource Center, Penn State University, February 15, 1993.

"First Amendment/Access Issues," Pennsylvania Conference of State Trial Judges, July 1993. Hershey, PA

"Libel and the Press," a presentation to the Urban Journalism Workshop, sponsored by the *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette* and the Black Media Federation of Greater Pittsburgh, August 6, 1993.

"The Role of the First Amendment in Locally Unpopular Land Uses," presentations sponsored by the Pennsylvania Bar Institute, March 20, 1996, Harrisburg, PA.

"Lawyers and SLAPPs," presentation sponsored by the Pennsylvania Bar Institute, April 11, 1996, Pittsburgh, PA.

"First Amendment Vigilance is Needed," keynote speaker, Breakfast Series, Penn State Berks Campus, May 17, 1996, Reading, PA.

"Undermining Democracy," featured speaker, Distinguished Lecture Series, Penn State Berks Campus, September 17, 1996, Reading, PA.

"Opinion Libel After Milkovich," keynote speaker, Association of Opinion Editors, Nov. 10, 1996, Los Angeles, CA.

"Your First Amendment Rights Under Siege," speech to the College of Communication Alumni Society, April 11, 1997, Boston, MA.

"The Gradual Erosion of First Amendment Rights," an invited lecture at the Dickinson School of Law, March 18, 1998, Carlisle, PA.

"Media and the Courts," Government Affairs Conference, moderator, Pennsylvania Newspaper Association, January 26, 1999, Harrisburg, PA.

"How Trials Are Covered," Annual Convention, Pennsylvania Bar Association, moderator, May 4, 1999, Philadelphia, PA.

"The State of the First Amendment," panelist, The Freedom Forum, July 28, 1999, Arlington, VA.

"What Food Lion Means for Newspapers," Annual Convention, Pennsylvania Newspaper Association, speaker, November 12, 1999. Hershey, PA. "In Defense of Larry Flynt," speaker, Hastings College of Law, September 23, 1999, San Francisco, CA.

"Building a Washington, D.C. Semester," presenter, National Society for Experiential Education, "October 22, 1999, San Diego, CA.

"Debate between William F. Buckley, Jr. and Nadine Strossen," moderator, sponsored by the Distinguished Speakers Series, Penn State University, January 26, 2000, University Park, PA.

"Supreme Court Update: The First Amendment," speaker, Media Lawyers Conference, sponsored by the Pennsylvania Newspaper Association, Harrisburg, PA, February 1, 2000.

"Media Convergence Seminar," speaker, sponsored by the College of Communications Alumni Society Board of Directors, Arlington, VA, May 19, 2000.

"Media and the Courts," moderator, at the Institute for Editors, Penn State University, University Park, PA, May 24, 2000.

"Counterspeech 2000: A New Look at the Old Remedy for 'Bad Speech,'" paper copresented (with Clay Calvert) at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, Phoenix, AZ, August 12, 2000.

"Free Expression on Campus: Students and the First Amendment," Freedom Forum First Amendment Festival, University Park, PA, October 3, 2000.

"Power and Policy: Navigating the American Political System," six-week course facilitator and instructor, The Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C., October 12-November 16, 2000.

"Assessing Modern Journalism: A Community Discussion," moderator, Penn State University, University Park, PA, October 26, 2000.

"Ethical Issues Facing Media Lawyers," presenter, Media Lawyers Conference, Harrisburg, PA, January 30, 2001.

"A Press Law Primer," speaker, Penn State Institute for Editors, University Park, PA, May 23, 2001.

"The Irony of News Coverage: How the Media Harm Their Own First Amendment Rights." paper co-presenter (with Clay Calvert), Dickinson School of Law Lecture Series, Carlisle, PA, September 21, 2001.

"The Right to Offend, "paper co-presenter (with Clay Calvert), at the Southeast Colloquium of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, Gulfport, MS., March 9, 2002.

"Whose Source Is It Anyway," paper co-presenter (with Clay Calvert) at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, Miami, FL August 10, 2002.

"A Pyrrhic Press Victory," paper co-presenter (with Clay Calvert) at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, Miami, FL August 10, 2002 **TOP FACULTY PAPER AWARD**.

"Freedom of Speech Post-September 11<sup>th</sup>," Schreyer Honors College speech at Schwab Auditorium, University Park, PA, September 11, 2002.

"Update on the First Amendment," co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) to the Legal Wranglers Club, Baltimore, MD October 17, 2002.

"Free Speech and Its Implications Post 9/11," speech to the National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges (NASULGC), Chicago, IL November 11, 2002.

"Freedom of Speech and the Right to Offend," co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) to the Los Angeles Chapter of the Penn State Alumni Association," February 22, 2003.

"Freedom of Speech in Public Schools: Cases and Controversies from the 2002-2003 School Year," co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) to the Tenth Annual Education Law Conference, University of New England (Westbrook College Campus), Portland, ME, July 28, 2003.

"Free Speech and the Internet: The State of Public Schools in Cyberspace," co-prentation (with Clay Calvert) to the Tenth Annual Education Law Conference.
University of New England (Westbrook College Campus), Portland, ME, July 29, 2003.

"Stripping Away First Amendment Rights: The Legislative Assault on Sexually Oriented Businesses," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) to the Law Division, AEJMC Southeast Colloquium, Tampa, FL, March 2004.

"The 2003 Legislative Assault on Violent Video Games: Judicial Realities and Regulatory Rhetoric," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) to the Law Division, AEJMC Southeast Colloquium, Tampa, FL, March 2004.

"Free Speech in Public Schools: Cases and Controversies from the 2003-2004 School Year," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) to the Virginia Commonwealth Education Law Conference, Richmond, VA, April 2004.

"A Critique of Student Speech and Press Cases," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) to the 11th Annual Education Law Conference, Portland, ME, July 2004.

"Challenging the Wisdom of Solomon: The First Amendment and Military Recruitment on Campus," AEJMC Law Division, August 2004, Toronto, Canada. **SECOND PLACE FACULTY PAPER AWARD.** 

"What is the Cost of Free Expression," Research Unplugged, State College, Pa., March 30, 2005.

"Free Speech Battles from Across the United States in 2004," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) to the Virginia Commonwealth Education Law Conference, Richmond, VA, April 2005.

"Contemporary First Amendment Issues," Keynote speech to the Society of Technical Communications Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, May 25, 2005.

"Freedom of Expression in Public Schools," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) to the 12th Annual Education Law Conference, Portland, ME, July 2005.

"The Law According to Springsteen: The Influence of Springsteen's Wisdom and Lyrics on the Judiciary and Legal Scholarship," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert & Robert P. Martin), Glory Days: A Bruce Springsteen Symposium, West Long Branch, NJ, September 2005.

"Free Expression in Public Schools 2005: From Sartorial Speech to the Bustling Internet Underground of Off-Campus Websites," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) at the Fourth Commonwealth Education Law Conference, Charlottesville, VA, March 2006.

"An Overview of Student Speech in 2005-2006," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert), 13th Annual Education Law Conference, Portland, ME. July 2006.

"Gay Pornography and the First Amendment: An Inside Perspective of Free Expression, Sexual Censorship and Cultural Images," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert), AEJMC Mid-Winter Conference, Reno, NV, February 24, 2007.

"Recent Developments Affecting Free Expression in Public Schools, 2006-07: From Free Speech About Drugs and Violence to Banning MySpace.com and Library Books," Fifth Commonwealth Education Law Conference, paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert), April 20, 2007 (Fifth-Year Speaker Recognition).

"Free Expression in Public Schools," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert), 14th Annual Education Law Conference, Portland, ME. July 2007.

Moderator, "Contemporary Media Law/First Amendment Issues Roundtable," AEJMC Annual Convention, Washington, D.C., August 9, 2007.

"Defamation Law Seminar," co-presentation (with Clay Calvert), LRP Publications Conference, State College, PA, August 22, 2007.

Presenter, First Amendment Summit, Washington, D.C., October 24-26, 2007.

"Entertainment and Violent Video Games: Can Laws Restricting Minors' Access Ever Survive Judicial Scrutiny?," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) AEJMC Mid-Winter Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, March 1, 2008.

"Can a Law Limiting Minors' Access to Violent Video Games Ever Pass Constitutional Muster?: An Analysis of the Failings and High Costs of Prior Legislative Efforts," paper copresentation (with Clay Calvert), Playing to Win: The Business and Social Frontiers of Video Games Conference, April 4, 2008.

"Beyond Bong Hits: Student Expression in Public Schools and Online after *Morse v*, *Frederick*," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert), 6th Annual Commonwealth Education Law Conference, Richmond, VA, April 24, 2008.

"School Law Update," paper co-presentation (with Clay Calvert) Education Law Conference, Portland, ME, July 30, 2008.

"Teaching Information Gathering," discussant, AEJMC Annual Convention, Chicago, IL, August 7, 2008.

"Student Speech Controversies: An Analysis of Recent Judicial Opinions Involving Battles Over Internet Postings, Dress Codes and Violent-Themed Writings," paper presentation, Education Law Conference, Portland, ME, July 23, 2009.

"Sex, Lies & the Internet: Balancing First Amendment Interests in the Age of Blogs and Social Networking Sites," paper presentation, AEJMC Annual Convention, Boston, MA, August 6, 2009.

"Sexually Explicit Speech and the First Amendment," moderator of keynote session, University of North Carolina School of Law, February 18-19, 2010.

"Gay Labeling and Defamation Law: Have Attitudes Toward Homosexuality Changed Enough to Modify Reputational Torts?," paper presentation, AEJMC Southeast Colloquium, Chapel Hill, NC, March 13, 2010.

"Gay Labeling and Defamation Law: Have Attitudes Toward Homosexuality Changed Enough to Modify Reputational Torts?," paper presentation, AEJMC Convention, Denver, CO., August 7, 2010.

"A SLAPP in the Facebook: Assessing the Impact of Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation on Social Networks, Blogs and Consumer Gripe Sites," AEJMC Southeast Colloquium, Columbia, SC, March 18, 2011.

"Keeping it Legal: Copyright Infirngement vs. Fair Use," Editors Forum, Council for Advancement and Support of Education, Denver, CO, March 24, 2011.

"A SLAPP in the Facebook: Assessing the Impact of Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation on Social Networks, Blogs and Consumer Gripe Sites," AEJMC Conference, August 12, 2011. THIRD PLACE FACULTY PAPER AWARD.

"Teaching Media Law to Large Sections," a pre-conference seminar presentation, AEJMC Conference, August 9, 2011.

"The Law of Social Media," a pre-conference seminar presentation, August 8, 2012, AEJMC Conference, Chicago, IL.

"How to Teach Millennials in a Digital World," AEJMC Conference, August 9, 2012, Chicago, IL.

"When Ripped from the Headlines Means See You in Court," paper presentation, August 9, 2012, AEJMC Conference, Chicago, IL.

"Punting in the First Amendment's Red Zone: The Supreme Court's 'Indecision' on the FCC's Indecency Regulations Leaves Broadcasters Still Searching for Answers," paper presentation, AEJMC Southeast Colloquium, March 1, 2013, Tampa, FL SECOND PLACE FACULTY PAPER AWARD

"From the Magna Carta to the Protection of Violent Rap Lyrics: The Long, Strange Journey of Free Expression," Abramson Auditorium, NYU Washington Center, Nov. 5, 2014.

## **SERVICE TO GOVERNMENT**

- Amicus Curiae, *State of New Jersey v. Burkert*, Superior Court of New Jersey, 2014.
- Amicus Curiae, *Lindell v. Bocook*, Washington Supreme Court, 2014.
- Amicus Curiae, *Elonis v. United States*, United States Supreme Court, 2014.
- Amicus Curiae, *Federal Communications Commission v. FOX Television Stations*, United States Supreme Court, 2011.

- Amicus Curiae, *Brown v. Entertainment Merchants Association*, United States Supreme Court, 2010.
  - Amicus Curiae, *Snyder v. Phelps*, United States Supreme Court, 2010.
- Amicus Curiae, *Layshock v. Hermitage School District*, United States Court of Appeals (3d Cir.), 2009.
- Amicus Curiae, *J.S. v Blue Mountain School District*, United States Court of Appeals (3d Cir.), 2009.
- Member, Task Force on Violent Video Games, Joint State Government Commission, July 2007 to December 2008.
- Panelist, Pennsylvania Judges/Journalists Workshop, sponsored by the Donald W. Reynolds National Center for Courts and Media in the National Judicial College, Hershey, Pa., December 14, 2006.
- Testified by invitation before the Pennsylvania House Children and Youth Committee on House Resolution 175, Effects of Violent Video Games on Children, August 28, 2006.
- Cited in Petition for Writ of Certiorari, *Jewell v. Cox Newspapers*, United States Supreme Court, October Term 2002.
- Testified by invitation before the Pennsylvania House Conservation Committee on House Bill No. 2971, Environmental Policy Participation law (anti-SLAPP legislation), July 19, 1994.
  - Consulted on drafting Tennessee Senate Bill No. 52, 1993 & 1995.
- Expert Testimony on SLAPP, Court of Common Pleas, Lycoming County, PA, M.W. Farmer & Co. v. Runner, 23 D. & C. 4th 230 (1995).
- Testified by invitation before the Pennsylvania House Judiciary Committee on House Bill No. 381, August 13, 1996.
- Testified by invitation before the U.S. House of Representatives, Committee on the Judiciary on H.R. 2448 and H.R. 3224 (anti-paparazzi legislation), May 21, 1998.
- •Co-drafter/consultant, Pennsylvania H.B. 393 (anti-SLAPP legislation), House Environmental Resources and Energy Committee, 1999-2000 sessions.
- Testified by invitation before the Pennsylvania House State Government Committee on House Bill 1506 (open records law), March 8, 2000.
  - •Instructor, media law, Minor Judiciary Education Board, District Justice Training School, 2001-2002

# EXPERT PUBLIC COMMENTARY (MEDIA QUOTATIONS AND GUEST APPEARANCES) (partial list)

# **College Campus Speech Issues**

- *The New York Times,* September 24, 1993, quoted on First Amendment implications of campus newspaper thefts.
- American Political Network Daily Report Card, September 24, 1993, on campus newspaper thefts.
- *The New York Times,* May 1, 1994, quoted on First Amendment implications of campus newspaper thefts at Princeton University.
- Freedom Forum 1995 First Amendment Calendar (May 8, 1995), quoted on the changing attitude of censorship on college campuses.
- MTV documentary on campus speech issues, aired May 12-15, 1997.

# Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation (SLAPP)

- *The Washington Times*, October 7, 1992.
- Prince George's (Maryland) Journal, December 8, 1992.
- KTOA (Radio). Oklahoma City, OK, November 12, 1993, guest on one-hour, call-in talk show.
- *The Penn Stater*, November/December 1993.
- WBZ (Radio), Boston, MA, December 13, 1993, guest on one-hour, call-in talk show.
- Faces of Freedom, The Freedom Forum 1993 Annual Report.
- KDKA (Radio), Pittsburgh, PA, January 3, 1994, guest on one-hour, call-in talk show.
- Associated Press (AP), July 8, 1994, on Pennsylvania's anti-SLAPP bill (H.B. 2971).
- *Harrisburg Patriot*, July 17, 1994, on Pennsylvania's anti-SLAPP bill (H.B. 2971)
- The Wall Street Journal, August 17, 1994, article on SLAPPs.
- Daily Record, May 9, 1996, on SLAPPs.
- The Legal Intelligencer, August 14, 1996, on Pennsylvania's anti-SLAPP legislation
- *The Washington Post*, May 25, 1997, article on SLAPPs.
- Freedom Forum On-Line, July 27, 1998, on SLAPPs.

- The Charlotte Observer, August 25, 1999, article on SLAPPs.
- Winsted (CT) Journal, March 5, 1999, on SLAPPs.
- Freedom Forum On-Line, January 29, 1999, on Oregon anti-SLAPP bill.
- The Philadelphia Inquirer, August 8, 2002, article on local SLAPP.
- *The Philadelphia Inquirer*, November 1, 2002, follow-up article on local SLAPP.
- Philadelphia Inquirer, October 13, 2004, on Montgomery County SLAPP suit.

## First Amendment Issues Generally

- WHP (Radio), Harrisburg, PA, October 1, 1990, guest on one-hour, call-in talk show.
- *Pennsylvania Lawyer*, January 1992, on cameras in the courtroom.
- WBVP (Radio), Pittsburgh, PA, March 22, 1994; July 11, 1994, guest on one-hour, callin talk show.
- Bloomberg Business News, interviewed on libel suit against Canadian government and indecency on the Internet, March 8, 1996.
- *On Patrol Magazine*, interviewed on cameras in the courts, March 6, 1996.
- Connecticut Advocate, May 1, 1996, on cyberporn.
- Lawcast (Legal News Broadcast Service), May 13, 1996, on agricultural disparagement laws.
- Reading Eagle, September 18, 1996, on fading freedom of speech.
- SPLC Report, Fall 1996, on Communications Decency Act
- Editor & Publisher, December 14, 1996, on opinion libel
- •C/Net News.Com, December 26, 1996, on Communications Decency Act.
- *The Philadelphia Inquirer*, quoted about Communications Decency Act, March 21, 1996.
- Associated Press, February 14, 1997, on Archer-Daniels lawsuit.
- Freedom Forum First Amendment Calendar, May 24, 1997, quoted on the importance of fighting for free speech rights.
- •GIST, February 11, 1997, on Food Lion case.
- *The Quill,* September 1997, on the Food Lion case.

- Chicago Tribune, February 10, 1998, on book banning.
- Associated Press, May 22, 1998, on *paparazzi* testimony before Congress.
- NBC Nightly News, May 21, 1998, on *paparazzi* testimony before Congress.
- C-SPAN, May 21, 22, 23, on *paparazzi* testimony before Congress.
- The Arizona Republic, July 10, 1998, on paparazzi legislation.
- The Quill, September 1998, on paparazzi legislation.
- *The Quill,* October 1998, on *paparazzi* testimony before Congress.
- Legal Watch, January 5, 1998, on reporter's notes.
- Legal Watch, January 20, 1999, on professors' free-speech rights
- Legal Watch, February 19, 1998, on new obscenity legislation
- •Guest (full hour) The G. Gordon Liddy Show, Westwood One Radio Network, July 24, 1998.
- •Book Signing/Discussion, National Press Club, Washington, D.C., November 19, 1998.
- Freedom Forum On-Line, January 5, 1999, on First Amendment freedoms crucial to the civil rights movement.
- •Guest, "Close-Up on C-SPAN, January 7, 1999.
- Keystone State Secrets (A Special Report on open records), published in the *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, The Patriot News* (Harrisburg, PA), *York Daily Record, Centre Daily Times* (and ten other Pennsylvania newspapers), April 25, 1999.
- Freedom Forum On-Line, May 3, 1999, on Freedom of Information Act.
- •Guest (full hour), The Jim Bohannon Show, Westwood One Radio Network, March 16, 1999.
- •Guest, America in the Morning, Westwood One Radio Network, March 17, 1999.
- Freedom Forum First Amendment Calendar, November 28, 1999, quoted from *Freedom's Voice*.
- Freedom Forum On-Line, March 15, 2000, on Internet filtering software.
- •Guest (full hour), The Jim Bohannon Show, Westwood One Radio Network, March 16, 2000.
- Guest, America in the Morning, Westwood One Radio Network, March 17, 2000.

- Associated Press, July 18, 2000, on Idaho public television legislation.
- Freedom Forum On-Line, October 20, 2000, on online privacy issues.
- Philadelphia Daily News, January, 23, 2001, on Sunshine Act.
- •Guest (full hour), The Jim Bohannon Show, Westwood One Radio Network, March 16, 2001.
- •Guest, America in the Morning, Westwood One Radio Network, March 19, 2001.
- •WITF (Radio), Harrisburg, PA, on media coverage of York (Pa.) mayor's arrest, June 25, 2001.
- Freedom Forum On-Line, June 29, 2001, on Vieques protests.
- •Guest, "What's in the News National Call-in," PBS Television, September 11, 2002.
- Associated Press (national clearance), March 13,2003, on lawsuit against Internet provider.
- The News Media and the Law, Winter 2003, on Sect. Ridge's Record on Open Government.
- •CBS Marketwatch, June 26, 2003, on Nike, Inc. v. Kasky case.
- Agence France Presse, June 26, 2003, on Nike, Inc. v. Kaske Case.
- Associated Press (national clearance), September 6, 2003, on military ban on Web site.
- Pittsburgh Tribune-Review, January 19, 2004, on Pennsylvania's Right-to-Know Act.
- •Guest (full hour), The Jim Bohannon Show, Westwood One Radio Network, March 16, 2004.
- •Guest, America in the Morning, Westwood One Radio Network, March 17, 2004.
- Associated Press, September 18, 2004 (national clearance) on municipal bans of political signs.
- Associated Press, September 23, 2004, on the use of eminent domain to take adult businesses.
- •Guest, Pennsylvania Inside Out, WPSX-TV, Pennsylvania Public Television Network, November 2, 2004.
- *ABA Journal eReport*, December 3, 2004, on the Solomon Amendment.
- ABA Journal eReport, December 10, 2004, on the U.S. Supreme Court decision in City of San Diego v. John Roe.
- Freedom Forum On-Line, April 25, 2005, on political neutrality.

- Philadelphia Inquirer, May 22, 2005, on the Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Act.
- Morning Call (Allentown, Pa.), May 22, 2005, on the Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Act.
- *Kansas City Star*, July 10, 2005, on the jailing of *New York Time's* reporter Judith Miller.
- Freedom Forum First Amendment Calendar, August 18, 2005, quoted from *Freedom's Voice*.
- Associated Press, September 26, 2005, on how major events drive news coverage of continuing issues out of the spotlight.
- *Indiana Star*, January 10, 2006, on funeral protest legislation and the First Amendment.
- Associated Press, January 17, 2006, on open records issue at Indiana University of Pa.
- *Pittsburgh Tribune-Review*, March 14, 2006, on funeral protest legislation.
- ABA Journal, July 2006, on funeral protest legislation and the First Amendment.
- *York Dispatch*, September 6, 2006, on Pennsylvania Sunshine Act.
- *Altoona Mirror*, September 17, 2006, on Pennsylvania Video Game Legislation.
- Voice of America, September 20, 2006, on student speech issues (Frederick v. Morse).
- *The Times* (London), October 29, 2006, on the booming pornography business.
- *Inside Higher Ed.* December 8, 2006, on Pennsylvania's open records law and community colleges.
- •Guest, Pennsylvania Inside-Out, WPSU-TV, January 6, 2007, on First Amendment update.
- The Philadelphia Inquirer, February 16, 2007, on Pennsylvania's open records law and police shootings.
- *The Philadelphia Inquirer*, February 26, 2007, on media ethics issues involving a Pennsylvania newspaper.
- USA Today, February 28, 2007, on New York City's resolution on use of the "N-word."
- The Guardian (London), March 1, 2007, on New York City's resolution on use of the "Nword."
- The Republic (Poland), March 2, 2007, on New York City's resolution on use of the "Nword."
- •Guest, *Justice Talking*, National Public Radio (NPR), on public school speech, Apr. 30, 2007.
- *Pittsburgh City Paper*, May 10, 2007, on obscenity prosecution of a Web site operator.

- *Scranton Times*, May 31, 2007, on city councilwoman's efforts to obtain names on anonymous posters.
- Williamsport Sun-Gazette, June 26, 2007, on the Supreme Court's Morse v. Frederick decision.
- •Guest, Fox & Friends, Fox News Channel, October 21, 2007, on regulation of the Internet.
- Classroom Management & Education Law Update, December 2007, on use of religious examples in public schools.
- Pittsburgh City Paper, January 24, 2008, on Pittsburgh Tribune Review's Op-Ed policy.
- Philadelphia Inquirer, February 15, 2008, on Pennsylvania's new open records law.
- Philadelphia Inquirer, February 9, 2009, on Pennsylvania's SLAPP law.
- Pittsburgh City Paper, March 26, 2009, on Pittsburgh's U.S. attorney's reign.
- Associated Press (National Clearance), June 29, 2009, on "Jon & Kate, Plus 8" divorce.
- The Morning Call (Allentown), September 20, 2009, on Palmerton High School student protest.
- Pittsburgh Post Gazette, October 11, 2009, on handling of G-20 protesters by law enforcement.
- *Agence France Presse*, February 5, 2010, on student speech decisions in the Third Circuit.
- *United States Law Week*, Feb. 16, 2010, on student speech decisions in the Third Circuit.
- Legal Intelligencer, March 12, 2010, on student speech decisions in the Third Circuit.
- *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*, March 21, 2010, on anonymous postings on the Internet.
- Freedom Forum Online, April 12, 2010, in Justice Stevens' First Amendment legacy.
- *CNN.com*, April 19, 2010, on First Amendment protection of angry rhetoric.
- *USA Today*, June 29, 2010, on Supreme Court's anti-bias ruling.
- Sirius/XM Satellite Radio, "The Howard Stern Show," on YouTube federal court decision.
- *Philadelphia Inquirer*, July 8, 2010, on the expungement orders against newspapers.
- Washington Post, July 17, 2010, on federal obscenity trial of John Stagliano.
- Wall Street Journal, July 19, 2010, on federal obscenity trial of John Stagliano.
- AOL News, July 29, 2010, on federal obscenity trial of John Stagliano.
- York Daily Record, October 10, 2010, on Snyder v. Phelps oral argument.

- USA Today, January 13, 2011, on the "I [heart] Boobies" bracelets in schools.
- *The Morning Call* (Allentown, Pa.), April 14, 2011, on surbing teachers' speech.
- The Daily Report (American Lawyer Media), July 19, 2011, on the Georgia Supreme Court's Opinion in the Richard Jewell case.
- *The Philadelphia Inquirer*, July 31, 2011, on the constitutionality of a judge's ordering a take-down of ThePsychoExWife.com blog.
- *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*, August 16, 2011, on cameras in the Pennsylvania Supreme Court.
- *Pittsburgh Tribune-Review*, August 18, 2011, on teachers using Facebook.
- The Morning Call, August 20, 2011, on cameras in the Pennsylvania Supreme Court. • Philaddelphia Inquirer, August 18, 2012, on state official's defamation lawsuit against activists.
- Philadelphia Inquirer, September 11. 2012, on blogger who support cop-killing.
- *Pittsburgh Tribune Review,* November 3, 2012, on open meeting violations of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board.
- *Politico*, January 15, 2013, on Vice President Biden's meeting with entertainment industry executives.
- *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*, May 11, 2013, on the "Pope Girl" Nude Protest.
- Forbes Magazine, August 12, 2013, on Albert Pujols Defamation Lawsuit.
- The Morning Call (Allentown, Pa.), March 28, 2014, on Elonis v. United States.
- *U.S. News & World Report,* April 17, 2014, on bullying tactics.
- *Karas on Crime* (syndicated national radio show), June 27, 2014, on the Elonis v. United States case before the U.S. Supreme Court.
- •CNN, June 28, 2014, on the Elonis v. United States case before the U.S. Supreme Court.
- •NPR, June 30, 2014, on the Elonis v. United States case before the U.S. Supreme Court.

Note: The above listing does not include numerous quotations and appearances in the local (State College, Pennsylvania area) media.

## **SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION (Partial List)**

- Pennsylvania Freedom of Information Council Board of Directors (chartering member), Vice President, 2006-Present.
- Penn State / Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters Liaison Committee, 1988-Present.
- Penn State/Pennsylvania Society of Newspaper Editors Liaison Committee, 1991-Present.
- Board of Directors, Pennsylvania First Amendment Coalition, 1992-2006.
- •Member, Pennsylvania Bar Association's Press-Bench-Bar Committee, 2001-Present.
- Contributing writer to the *PNPA Newsroom Legal Update*, published by the Pennsylvania Newspaper Publishers Association.
- Consulted by *Reading Eagle* in connection with a 1992 lawsuit against the City of Reading for its alleged violation of the Pennsylvania Open Meetings Statute (Sunshine Act).
- Consulted by Quinn, Ward, and Kershaw, a Baltimore, Maryland law firm, in connection with its representation of multiple defendants in a 1993 Strategic Lawsuit Against Public Participation. Filed *amicus curiae* brief to the Maryland Court of Special Appeals. (*O'Brien v. Benna, et al.*)
- Represented Centre County Commissioner, Keith Bierly, in a 1993 appeal by the *Centre Daily Times* newspaper to Pennsylvania's Commonwealth Court seeking release of a document in the possession of the commissioners under the right-to-Know Act (open records law). Commissioner Bierly joined the side of the newspaper. Field brief on his behalf. (*Nittany Printing & Publishing Co. v. Board of Commissioners of Centre County.*)
- Consulted by NBC News Channel on media coverage of the William Kennedy Smith trial, December 1991.
- Volunteer, First Amendment Attorney, Student Press Law Center, Washington, D.C., 1993-present.
- Consulted by CNN on information about campus speech issues, May 1994.
- Consulted by "Freedom Speaks", a PBS television program produced by the Freedom Forum, on SLAPP suits, March 1996.
- Presentation on Communications Decency Act to a group of editors and reporters at *The Philadelphia Inquirer*.
- Judge, Op-Ed Awards, Association of Opinion Editors, 1996, 1997, and 1998.
- Appointed member, Press-Bar Committee, Pennsylvania Bar Association, 1999-present

- Accreditation Site Team Member, Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications, University of Memphis, February 11-14, 2001.
- Accreditation Site Team Member, Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications, Michigan State University, October 21-24, 2001.
- External Reviewer for Tenure, New York University, 2001-2002.
- External Reviewer for Promotion, University of Florida, 2002-2003.
- External Reviewer for Tenure / Promotion, University of Kentucky, 2004-2005.
- External Reviewer for Promotion, University of Kentucky, 2006-2007.
- External Reviewer for Tenure, University of Kentucky, 2008-2009.
- External Reviewer for Promotion, University of Nebraska, 2008-2009.
- External Reviewer for Promotion, Mississippi State University, 2009-2010.
- Judge, Law Division Paper Competition, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communications, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 & 2008.
- External Reviewer for Tenure, Texas Christian University, 2011-2012.
- External Reviewer for Promotion, Southern Illinois University, 2011-2012.

#### **GRANTS**

- The Freedom Forum Professors Publishing Program Grant to support work on a book exploring recent issues in First Amendment law including SLAPP suits, campus speech and new technologies, 1995.
- Program Development Fund Grant for Communications Law Institute, January 1996.
- United States Department of Education Block Grant for Penn State Washington Program, 2004.
- United States Department of Education Block Grant for Penn State Washington Program, 2005.

## **REVIEWER FOR PUBLISHERS**

- Penn State Press, reviewed manuscript entitled, *The Media and Democracy*, by John Keane, December 1990.
- Wadsworth Publishing Co., reviewed manuscript of a textbook entitled, *Introduction to Communications Law*, by John Zelezny, February 1992.

- Longman, reviewed manuscript of a casebook entitled, *The Law of Public Communication*, by Kent R. Middleton and Bill F. Chamberlin, March 1992, January 1995.
- Random House, reviewed manuscript of a textbook entitled, *ENG: Television news and the New Technology*, by Richard Yoakam and Charles Cremer, April 1992.
- Wadsworth Publishing Co., reviewed second edition of *Introduction to Communications Law*, by John Zelezny, January 1996.
- •Oxford University Press, September 2008.

# **SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY**

#### Academic Year 1988-1989

Graduate Curriculum Committee (Comm 513) PSU/Pennsylvania Society of Newspaper Editors Liaison Committee PSU/Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters Liaison Committee

#### Academic Year 1989-1990

Graduate Studies Committee
Cultural Diversity Committee
Honors Committee
Broadcast-Cable Search Committee (Chair)
Faculty Welfare Committee
PSU/Pennsylvania Society of Newspaper Editors Liaison Committee
PSU/Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters Liaison Committee
Broadcast-Cable Club, Advisor

#### Academic Year 1990-1991

#### Academic Year 1991-1992

Journalism Faculty Search Committee
Good Office Committee (Elected Representative)
Graduate Admissions Committee (Masters of Journalism)
M.J. Restructuring Committee (Chair)
PSU/Pennsylvania Society of Newspaper Editors Liaison Committee
PSU/Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters Liaison Committee
Nomenclator, Commencement Exercises
Co-author, Freedom Forum Professional-in-Residence Proposal
University Hearing Board

#### Academic Year 1992-1993

Faculty Advisory Committee (Elected by Faculty)
M.J. Restructuring Committee (Chair)
School of Communications Alumni Society (Ex Officio, Board Member)
Search Committee for CES Sophomore Center Positions
Interim Representative to Academic Council on Continuing Education
Journalism Senior Faculty Search Committee (Chair)
PSU/Pennsylvania Society of Newspaper Editors Liaison Committee
PSU/Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters Liaison Committee
Moderator, Panel on How to Get Your First Job After College
Moderator, Resume Workshop
Co-author, Freedom Forum Professional-in-Residence Proposal
Founding Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment
Internship Committee

#### Academic Year 1993-1994

Faculty Advisory Committee M.I. Graduate Officer Journalism Senior Faculty Search Committee Journalism Accreditation Self-Study (Chair) Director, Internships and Career Placement **Executive Committee** Knight Chair Proposal Drafting Committee PSU/Pennsylvania Society of Newspaper Editors Liaison Committee PSU/Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters Liaison Committee School of Communications Alumni Society (Ex Officio, Board Member) Student Council, Advisor WPSX/School of Communications News Committee Graduate Assistantships Allocation Committee Scholarship and Awards Committee Founding Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment University Hearing Board

#### Academic Year 1994-1995

Journalism Search Committee
University Hearing Board
Graduate Committee
Director, Internships and Career Placement
Student Council, Advisor
WPSX/WPSU Liaison Committee
PSU/Pennsylvania Society of Newspaper Editors Liaison Committee
PSU/Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters Liaison Committee
School of Communications Alumni Society (Ex Officio Board Member)
Founding Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment
Internship Committee
University Hearing Board

#### Academic Year 1995-1996

Journalism Search Committee
Promotion & Tenure, Programs-Level
Bart Richards Media Criticism Award, Judge
WPSX/WPSU Liaison Committee
WPSU News Committee
Curriculum and Liaison
Director, Internships and Placement
College of Communications Alumni Society (Ex-Officio Board Member)
WKPS Advisory Board
PSU/Pennsylvania Society of Newspaper Editors Liaison Committee
PSU/Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters Liaison Committee
Communications Law Institute, Co-Director
Founding Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment
Internship Committee
University Hearing Board

## Academic Year 1996-1997

Bart Richards Award Screening Committee
College Executive Committee
Promotion & Tenure, Programs-Level, Chair
Media Studies Minor
Communications Law Institute
Search Committee, Alumni Relations Director
Founding Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment
Director, Internships & Placement
University Faculty Senate
University Hearing Board
Internship Committee
University Scholars Program, Faculty Advisory Committee

#### Academic Year 1997-1998

Promotion & Tenure, Programs-Level, Chair

Professor-in-Charge, Journalism Program

College Executive Committee

Communications Law Institute, Co-Director

Founding Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment

Director, Internships & Placement

Curriculum & Liaison Committee

Bart Richards Award Screening Committee

AD-14 Committee , Chair

University Faculty Senate

University Hearing Board

University Internship Committee, Chair

University Scholars Program, Faculty Advisory Committee

## Academic Year 1998-1999

Developed "Communications and Democracy Semester" (Washington, D.C)

Director, Internships & Placement

Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment

Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program

University Faculty Senate

Kellogg Leadership Project

Dean's Search Committee

Schreyer Honors College, Faculty Advisory Committee

University Internship Committee, Chair

## Academic Year 1999-2000

Strategic Plan Task Force

Advertising Search Committee

Hearst Writing Awards Committee

Bart Richards Screening Committee

Professor-in-Charge, Journalism Program

College Executive Committee

Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment

University Faculty Senate (Senate Council Representative)

University Hearing Board

Kellogg Leadership Project

Academic Council on Undergraduate Education (ACUE)

Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program

#### Academic Year 2000-2001

Academic Council on Undergraduate Education (ACUE)

Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program

Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment

Chair, Journalism Faculty Search Committee

## Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator

#### Academic Year 2001-2002

Member, Board of Directors, Phi Beta Kappa
Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment
Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program
Academic Council on Undergraduate Education
Member, Associate Dean Search Committee, Schreyer Honors College
Member, University Task Force on Enrollment Controls
Chair, Search Committee WKPS Station Manager
Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator

#### Academic Year 2002-2003

Member, Board of Directors, Phi Beta Kappa Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program Academic Council on Undergraduate Education Member, AD-14 Review Committee, University Libraries Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator

#### Academic Year 2003-2004

Member, Board of Directors, Phi Beta Kappa
Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment
Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program
Chair, Department Promotion (to Professsor) Committee
Chair, College Promotion & Tenure Committee
Search Committee, Broadcast News Manager
Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator

## Academic Year 2004-2005

Member, Board of Directors, Phi Beta Kappa Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program Search Committee, Broadcast News Faculty Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator

## On Sabbatical - Spring 2005

#### Academic Year 2005-2006

Member, Board of Directors, Phi Beta Kappa Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program Chair, Search Committee, Broadcast News Faculty Acting Department Head of Journalism (Fall Semester) Member, Graduate Studies Committee Chair, ComRadio Advisory Board Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator

#### Academic Year 2006-2007

Member, Board of Directors, Phi Beta Kappa
Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment
Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program
Chair, College Promotion & Tenure Committee
Member, College Promotion to Full & Immediate Tenure Committee
Chair, ComRadio Advisory Board
Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator

#### Academic Year 2007-2008

Member, Board of Directors, Phi Beta Kappa
Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment
Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program
Member, Department Promotion & Tenure Committee
Chair, Department Promotion to Full Committee
Chair, ComRadio Advisory Board
Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator

#### Academic Year 2008-2009

Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator

#### Academic Year 2009-2010

Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator Member, AD-14 Committee Internal Judge, Bart Richards Award Chair, Faculty-Staff Committee, "For the Future" Campaign Chair, Associate Dean for Research & Graduate Studies Search Committee

#### Academic Year 2010-2011

Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator Internal Judge, Bart Richards Award Chair, Faculty-Staff Committee, "For the Future" Campaign

# Academic Year 2011-2012

Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator Chair, Faculty-Staff Committee, "For the Future" Campaign Department-Level, Promotion & Tenure Committee Chair, WPSU Radio/TV Editorial Integrity Advisory Committee

# On Sabbatical – Spring 2012

## Academic Year 2012-2013

Chair, Sabbatical Committee
Member, Graduate Admissions Committee
Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment
Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program
Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator
Chair, Faculty-Staff Committee, "For the Future" Campaign
Department-Level, Promotion & Tenure Committee
Chair, WPSU Radio/TV Editorial Integrity Advisory Committee
Moderator, Phi Alpha Delta (Legal Fraternity)

#### Academic Year 2013-2014

Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator Chair, Faculty-Staff Committee, "For the Future" Campaign College-Level, Promotion & Tenure Committee Moderator, Phi Alpha Delta (Legal Fraternity)

#### Academic Year 2014-2015

Founding Co-Director, Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment Founding Director, Penn State Washington Program Hearst Awards, Radio Entry Coordinator Founding Director, Penn State Hollywood Program Moderator, Phi Alpha Delta (Legal Fraternity)

# OTHER SERVICE (COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY) (partial list)

- •Organizer/Panelist, Law School Admissions Workshop, School of Communications, November 28, 1988.
- •Speaker, "Covering the Courts," Penn State Chapter of the Society of Professional Journalists, February 9, 1989.
- Panelist, "Symposium on Law Schools," sponsored by the Minority Law Students Association, Fall 1989.

Speaker, Penn State Pre-Law Society, October 1989 and September 1990.

Co-Chair, University Scholars Program Tenth Reunion, Summer 1990.

• News Consultant to WPSU Radio, Fall 1990.

- •Reviewed 12 video public service announcements from the Pennsylvania Forest Stewardship Program, Penn State Agricultural Information Services, September 1991.
- •Moderator, "Advancing Your Career," School of Communications Alumni Society Career Networking Seminar, Hershey, Pa., September 17-18, 1993.
- Moderator, "Brainstorming Session," sponsored by Pennsylvania Society of Newspaper Editors/Journalism Program Faculty, October 1993.
- Alumni Vacation College, Summer 1993.
- •Speaker, Kappa Tau Alpha Awards Night, March 24, 1994.
- Rountable Presenter on Mentor Programs, "Challenges & Changes," Alumni Leadership Convocation, April 22, 1994.
- Speaker, "Legal Concerns for Journalists," Minority Journalism Workshop, School of Communications, July 12, 1994.
- •Speaker, "The First Amendment Under Siege," University Scholars Program, October 10, 1995.
- •Speaker, Los Angeles Area Alumni Reception, November 11, 1995.
- Moderator, Book Publishing Seminar, College of Communications Alumni Society Career Networking Seminar, New York City, June 21, 1996.
- •Moderator, "People v. Larry Flynt" Forum, sponsored by the Pennsylvania Center for the First Amendment, January 21, 1997.
- Moderator, "Copyright and Course Packets," sponsored by G-SIC, March 6, 1997.
- •Speaker, "Pennsylvania Anti-SLAPP Bill," Penn State Chapter of the American Civil Liberties Union, March 1, 2000.
- •Speaker, "Campus Free Speech Issues," Office of Student Activities, January 22, 2001.
- •Speaker, "Trustee Seminar: First Amendment Issues," Penn State Board of Trustees, July 16, 2001, Abington, PA.
- Speaker, "First Amendment Issues / Academic Freedom," Academic Leadership Forum, September 7, 2001.
- •Speaker, "First Amendment in Higher Education," University Libraries Speaker Series, October 15, 2001.
- Speaker, "First Amendment on Campus," Office of University Development, November 11, 2001.
- •Speaker, "Penn State Washington Program," Penn State Board of Trustees, March 15, 2002).
- Judge, Undergraduate Research Fair, Schreyer Honors College, 2003
- •On-air fundraising host, WPSU-FM (NPR affiliate), 2002, 2003, & 2004.
- Moderator, "The Future of Radio," Radio at Penn State Reunion Weekend, March 20, 2004.
- •Seminar Leader, "Libel Law," Penn Stater Magazine and Alumni Communications Staff, August 25, 2004.
- •Dialogue with the Dean: "Video Games, Violence & Free Speech," Schreyer Honors College, September 14, 2005.

- Dialogue with the Dean: "Free Speech in Public Schools," Schreyer Honors College, October 24, 2005.
- •Dialogue with the Dean: "Supreme Court Justices and Nominees," Schreyer Honors College, November 15, 2005.
- •Speaker, "The Supreme Court and the First Amendment," Daughters of the American Revolution, Centre County Chapter, September 15, 2010.
- •Speaker, "The Rising Cost of Free Speech: Is the Price Too High," 62nd Alumni Institute Program, Penn State Alumni Association, June 1, 2012.

# **SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC (partial list)**

- Counseling Services, Inc., Board of Directors, 1988-1991, Member: Public Relations Committee.
- Leadership Centre County (Charter Class)-"A ten-month program designed to educate participants about the needs and services of the community--its strengths and weaknesses-to equip future leaders with the tools necessary to meet the challenges of tomorrow," Graduated, June 1993; Co-Chair, Media Day, 1994; Chair, 1995.
- Judge, Pennsylvania Bar Association, Statewide High School Mock Trial Competition, February 13, 1990.
- Moderator, Forum on Drunk Driving, sponsored by Mothers Against Drunk Driving and Centre County District Attorney's Office, April 19, 1989.
- Seminar Speaker: "The First Amendment," Law Day Centre County, May 1, 1989.
- Speaker: "Your First Amendment Rights," invited speech to the Senior Citizens Organized for Change (of Greater Washington, D.C.), October 29, 1992.
- Pro Bono Attorney, Keystone Legal Services, 1990-1999; Five-Year Award, 1994.
- •Speaker, "The First Amendment," Law Day Centre County, May 15, 1996.
- Task Force Member, Civil Justice Forum (Centre County), 1997
- Foxdale Retirement Village, June 9, 1997, invited speech to residents about SLAPPs.
- American Lung Association, Board of Directors, 1999-2002; Member: Public Relations Committee.
- Pro Bono Committee, Keystone Legal Services, February 2000-present
- •Speaker on the First Amendment Implications of the PATRIOT ACT, to the University Club, March 30, 2004.
- Speaker on Framing the Message, Leadership Centre County, February 6, 2008.
- •Communicating Through the Media, Leadership Centre County, February 4, 2010.

• The State of the First Amendment, September 15, 2010, Daughters of the American Revolution.

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