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## **Legal Advising**

Spokane County Volunteer Lawyers Program  
Pro bono counsel to a school employee in a complex Title IX issue  
Prepared simple wills for low-income community members  
Pro bono service to a Tribe in defense of Reservation Boundaries  
Pro bono legal specialist for ABA-ROLI Kosovo  
Staffed advice clinics for Volunteer Lawyers Project  
Staffed advice clinic for “Street Law” for Center for Justice  
Provided advice to Peaceful Valley Homeowner Association  
Pro bono counsel to non-profit organization regarding organizational activities.  
Advised clinic students  
Pro-bono work relating to clemency matter  
Pro-bono work relating to questionable collection practices  
Represented low-income tenants in eviction proceedings through the Housing  
Justice Project  
Provided advice only to low-income and elderly community members  
Provided legal advice to community members  
Provided pro bono legal assistance through the Center for Justice’s Street Law  
program  
Advisor to the World Affairs Council of Spokane  
Training of students for tax preparation for the poor and elderly

## **Service to Charitable Organizations**

American Cancer Society’s Daffodil Days Fundraising Volunteer  
Donated blood  
Spokane Public Radio  
Project Access  
Christmas Bureau volunteer  
Soldiers’ Angels volunteer  
Catholic Charities volunteer  
Fundraising for St. Jude’s Hospital in Memphis  
Emmanuel Lutheran’s Feeding Program  
Interfaith Hospitality Network Dinner Program  
Holiday season volunteer to various organizations  
Martin Luther King, Jr. Family Outreach Center of Spokane  
St. Augustine’s Parish Thanksgiving Dinner  
Meals on Wheels monthly delivery  
Second Harvest

**Presentations,  
Panelists &  
Workshops**

*A Factor By Any Other Name: Using the Bennett Amendment as a Defense in Contraceptive Equity Claims Under Title VII*; Annual Colloquium on Current Scholarship in Labor and Employment Law. Marquette University School of Law

*Religion and the Law: Catholicism*; J Reuben Clark Law Society Lecture Series. Gonzaga University School of Law

*Islam and Legal Practice*; J Reuben Clark Law Society Lecture Series. Gonzaga University School of Law

Faculty Development Workshops for new law teachers

Various CLE presentations throughout Washington state on behalf of the Washington State Office of Public Defense and the Washington State Criminal Defense Lawyers

*Making the Transition from Undergraduate to Law School*; National Black Pre-Law Conference, Dallas.

*"The Big Deal about the Fine Print: Negotiating & Drafting Contractual Boilerplate,"* ABA Business Law Section in Washington, D.C. (March 2006)

*"Exploring BAPCA's Limitations on Homestead Exemptions"* and *"Allocating Postpetition Appreciation in Exempt Assets,"* at the annual conference of the Ninth Circuit BAP Judges in Santa Barbara, (September 2006)

*"The Future of Payments Law"* as part of a panel on "Electronic Payments systems-The Death Knell for UCC Article 4 or a Clarion Call for Modernization?" ABA 2007 Annual Meeting (August 2007)

Keynote speaker at the Lewis and Clark College of Law on Indigenous People and Intellectual Property

Commercial Law Developments, Washington State Bar Business Law Section (June 2007)

UCC and Bankruptcy Law, 17th Annual Bankruptcy Seminar and Retreat for the Bankruptcy Bar Association for the Eastern District of Washington (June 2007)

Reimagining Payment Systems: Allocation of Risk for Unauthorized Payment Inception, Symposium on Rethinking Payments Law sponsored by Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Brooklyn Law School, Columbia Law School, Hofstra University School of Law, New York University School of Law and St. John's University School of Law (April 2007)

Commercial Law Developments, Lane Powell (December 2006)

The Subtle (and not so Subtle) Influence of Principles from the Uniform Commercial Code on Resolution of Bankruptcy Issues, Eastern and Western District of Washington Bankruptcy Judges Retreat (September 2006)

Recent Developments in UCC and Bankruptcy Law, Sixteenth Annual Bankruptcy Seminar and Retreat, Eastern District of Washington Bankruptcy Bar Association (June 2006)  
Bankruptcy Case Law Update, Sixteenth Annual Bankruptcy Seminar and Retreat, Eastern District of Washington Bankruptcy Bar Association (June 2006)  
Presentation on Filing Office Operations and Search Logic, Annual meeting of the ABA in San Francisco, August 2007  
Speaker, American Society of Law, Medicine and Ethics' Health Law Teachers Conference  
Spoke to various educator groups on education law issues  
Lecture to the Association of Jesuit Editors & Publisher on copyright, defamation and right of publicity issues  
Student presentations at Spokane Skills Center about copyright and digital media usage  
Presentations to multiple bar associations  
Presentation to law students in clinic about transaction practice  
Continuing Law Education presentations

**Members of  
Boards &  
Commissions**

Disability Rights, Washington, Board of Directors Chair  
School District Human Growth & Development Committee member  
Artisans' Board of Directors  
Life Services Board of Directors  
Washington Pattern Instruction Committee  
Spokane College Women's Association, Membership Assistant  
ACLU of Washington State Board of Directors  
Spokane County Bar Association's Judicial Candidate Screening Committee  
Spokane County Bar Association's Diversity Section  
Spokane Civil Service Commission Chair  
Spokane County Superior Court Guardian Ad Litem Committee  
Project Access Steering Committee Member  
Washington State Bar Diversity Committee Member  
ABA's UCC Committee Chair  
Sullivan Foundation Northwest, Secretary and Member of Board of Directors  
Alzheimer Association, Spokane Chapter Board Member  
Jundt Art Museum, Board Member  
Interplayers Theater Ensemble, Board of Trustees Member  
Magic Lantern Film Society Board of Directors  
Inland Empire Association of Phi Beta Kappa, Beta of Washington Member of the Board of Directors  
Spokane Jewish Family Services Board Member

American Law Institute, Consultative Group on Restatement of Restitution  
American Law Institute, Consultative Group on Principles of Software  
Licensing  
American Law Institute Consultative Group on Restatement of Torts (Third):  
Economic Losses  
American Law Institute Member of the Permanent Editorial Board of the  
Uniform Commercial Code and member of Executive Committee of the  
Board  
American Bar Association  
American Bar Association Standing Committee on Publishing Oversight  
American Bar Association, Business Law Section, Member of Advance III  
Planning Committee (strategic planning initiative)  
American Bar Association, Business Law Section Council, Chair of Council  
Committee on Member Services  
American Bar Association, Business Law Section, Faculty Editor for *The  
Business Lawyer*  
American Bar Association, Business Law Section, Member of Section  
Governing Council  
American College of Commercial Finance Lawyers, Vice President  
Amnesty International Stop Violence Against Women, Washington State  
Steering Committee  
University Legal Assistance, Board of Directors  
Board of Advisors of Institute for Action Against Hate  
Selection Committee Member for Student Labor and Employment Public  
Service Grant  
WSBA Section on Labor and Employment Law  
Spokane County Bar Association Volunteer Lawyers Program Liaison to the  
Advisory Board  
Spokane County Bar Association Member  
Washington Women Lawyers Foundation Member  
Federal Defenders of Eastern Washington & Idaho, President and Member of  
the Board of Directors

**Editorial or  
Drafting  
Contributions**

Edited Article 2 and Article 9 surveys for Annual Survey of Commercial Law  
published in *The Business Lawyer*  
Attended meeting and offered comments on the draft of the ALI's Members'  
Consultative Group for the Restatement (Third) of Restitution and Unjust  
Enrichment.

**Public  
Education**

Volunteer to the Apple Program, an local educational enrichment program

High school volunteer  
Vice President for Orchestra, Lewis and Clark High School Instrumental Music  
Parents' Association  
Color of Justice Program – Encouraging underrepresented groups to study law

**Other Special  
Contributions**

The United States District Court for the Eastern District of Washington  
Historical Society, Volunteer to preserve historical information for the court  
American Library Association cleanup of New Orleans Public Library, post  
Katrina cleanup  
American Library Association Washington D.C. lobbying efforts.  
Volunteered at community events  
Service to Temple Beth Shalom  
Environmental Clean Up Volunteer  
Gifford Pinchot National Forest trail maintenance volunteer  
Centennial Trail Cleanup volunteer  
Young Musicians' Benefit Concert for Darfur volunteer event organizer  
Lector, Mary Queen Parish  
Liturgical reader at Fatima Catholic Church  
Coordinate blood drives  
Donated blood  
Volunteer at Gonzaga Prep  
Volunteer at Saint George's School  
Volunteer at All Saints School