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OVERVIEW

Public policy expert, attorney, and scholar with expertise in intellectual property law, business, and policy. Recognized as an energetic policy advocate, effective leader, and outstanding researcher, with success in both cross-border business negotiations and international policy work.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2003 to Present

Southern Illinois University School of Law, *Professor of Law*

- Research on the law and economics of the global intellectual property system. Empirical research on the relationship between intellectual property laws and international trade, industrial output, and economic growth. Policy research based on in-depth case studies of the music and movie industries in the U.S., Nigeria, Ghana, Senegal, South Africa and other countries.
- **SIU Law Outstanding Scholar of the Year, 2007 – 2008**, (competitive award determined by panel of external reviewers)
- Taught International Intellectual Property Law; Global Copyright Piracy; International IP and Development; IP Survey; Copyright Law; Trademark Law; Cyberlaw; Trade Secrets; and Legal Ethics.; Cybersecurity and Economic Espionage

2012 to April 2018

Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, *Co-founder & Co director*

- Founded and led academic center that produces scholarship and policy research on the importance of IP to flourishing national economies.
- Developed a global network of scholars, government officials, and business representatives focused on the benefits of intellectual property protection.
- Developed, organized, and delivered:
 - Dozens of academic papers, white papers, op eds and other scholarly and policy research
 - Academic and public policy programs
 - Grant programs for funded research
 - Fellowship programs for scholars

2009 – 2010

Searle Center, Northwestern University School of Law, *Searle-Kauffman Fellow in Law, Innovation and Economic Growth* (non-resident fellowship)

2007 to 2008

Visiting Professor, DePaul University College of Law

- Taught Copyright, Cyberlaw, Advanced Copyright, and Legal Ethics

NGO, CONSULTING AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2017 to present

Co-Chair, Multilateral Dialogue on Best Practices in Drafting and Implementing National Trade Secret Laws

- Organize and lead ongoing public-private diplomatic dialogue on best practices for trade secret laws
- Publish Trade Secret Protection Index

2012 to 2014

Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development

- Engaged by Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) to research the relationship between trade secret protection and economic growth worldwide.

1998 to 2003

Baker & McKenzie, Chicago, Illinois, Attorney, Information Technology and International Commercial Practice Group

- Managed large global teams on multi-billion dollar technology outsourcing deals and other complex transactions and multi-country regulatory advice projects.
- Set up new companies and negotiated deals for developing, licensing, and distributing new technology in dozens of countries.
- Advised technology and e-commerce companies on the global regulatory environment for cutting-edge business models such as online auctions and database licensing.
- Outside general counsel for several early stage technology companies.

1995 to 1998

Pattishall, McAuliffe, et al., Chicago, Illinois, Attorney

- Represented major consumer products and tech companies in intellectual property litigation and business transactions concerning emerging Internet issues.

1993 to 1995

The Hon. Daniel Friedman, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit,

The Hon. Eric Bruggink, U.S. Court of Federal Claims,

Judicial Clerkships

- Assisted with trials and appeals on cases that addressed patent law, copyright, international trade, and administrative and constitutional issues.

SELECTED POLICY WORK & SCHOLARLY ENGAGEMENT

- **Expert, U.S.-India IP Cooperation Dialogue, Global Innovation Policy Center, U.S. Chamber of Commerce**
- **NGO Delegate, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva, Switzerland.** Represented the Federalist Society as an accredited NGO at negotiations on intellectual property and development.
- **Chair, Academic Advisory Board, Copyright Alliance.** Represented the Alliance at Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) Trade Agreement negotiations to advocate policy positions to country delegations.
- **Distinguished Visiting Scholar, University of Botswana, March 2011.** Gave public lectures on commercialization of property rights in traditional knowledge.
- **Public Speaking and Policy Advocacy.** Frequent policy speeches and academic talks in the United States, Africa, and Europe on intellectual property protection and enforcement. Published white papers on international IP issues distributed by a global network of think tanks, as well as op-eds in newspapers across Africa, Asia, Latin America, Europe and the United States.
- **Conference Organizing.** Organized, chaired and participated in dozens of policy and scholarly conferences, panels and debates over the past 20 years on intellectual property protection as well as other constitutional and regulatory issues.
- **Media.** Radio and television appearances to discuss policy issues, including on CNBC Africa, various South African radio stations, and satellite news programs in Africa and the U.S.
- **Officer, Board and/or advisory positions with many community and public policy organizations,** including the Federalist Society, the Progress and Freedom Foundation, Free-market.net, the Henry Hazlitt Foundation, and the Copyright Alliance.

EDUCATION

2009 – 2012

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Illinois

- PhD level coursework in Economics. Coursework included development economics, economics of international trade, statistics, and econometrics, with research focused on the law and economics of international IP system.

1990 – 1993 **George Washington University National Law Center, Washington, D.C.**

- J.D., with honors, 1993. Articles Editor, GWU Law Review.

1985 – 1990 **George Washington University, Elliot School of International Affairs, Washington, D.C.**

- B.A., with honors, International Economics, 1989.

ACADEMIC ARTICLES & REVIEW ESSAYS

Using IP Best Practices Dialogues to Improve IP Systems Globally: The Example of the Trade Secrets Law Best Practices Dialogue, GMU L. Rev. (forthcoming 2018).

Innovate4Health: How Innovators Are Meeting Global Health Challenges (ITIF 2018).

Myths and Realities of Pharmaceutical Evergreening (under submission)

Mark Schultz & Kevin Madigan, The Long Wait for Innovation: The Global Problem of Patent Delay (CPIP Monograph 2016)

Douglas Lippoldt & Mark Schultz, *Uncovering Trade Secrets in Asia* in Employees, Trade Secrets, and Restrictive Covenants (Wolters Kluwer 2016).

Mark Schultz & Douglas Lippoldt, Litigating Trade Secrets (under submission Journal of International Economic Law)

Douglas Lippoldt & Mark Schultz, Uncovering Trade Secrets - An Empirical Assessment of Economic Implications of Protection for Undisclosed Data (OECD 2014) <http://bit.ly/1ale8gD>

Douglas Lippoldt & Mark Schultz, Trade Secrets, Innovation and the WTO (ICTSD 2014) <http://bit.ly/1PjLrRp>

Mark Schultz & Douglas Lippoldt, *Approaches to Protection of Undisclosed Information (Trade Secrets) - Background Paper*, OECD Trade Policy Papers, No. 162 (2014)

The Nigerian Film Industry and Lessons Regarding Cultural Diversity from the Home Market Effects Model of International Trade in Candeub & Pager, Transnational Culture in the Internet Age (2012)

Reconciling Social Norms And Copyright Law: Strategies For Persuading People To Pay For Recorded Music, 17 Intel. Prop. L J. (2010)

Copyright, Live Performance, and the Future of Music, 43 U. OF RICHMOND LAW REVIEW 101 (2009).

Selected “as one of the best law review articles published” in 2009 in “the fields of entertainment, publishing and the arts” and reprinted in ENTERTAINMENT, PUBLISHING AND THE ARTS HANDBOOK (West 2009).

Creative Development: Helping Poor Countries by Building Creative Industries, 97 KENTUCKY LAW JOURNAL 79 (2008) (with Alec van Gelder); also published in part and revised as *Nashville in Africa: Culture, Institutions, Entrepreneurship and Development* (International Policy Network, London, U.K. 2009) (monograph) (with Alec van Gelder).

Copynorms: Copyright and Social Norms, in INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND INFORMATION WEALTH (Peter Yu, ed. 2007) (chapter)

Selected by the faculty of the Berkeley Center for Law and Technology at the Boalt Hall School of Law (UC Berkeley) for inclusion in Selected Law and Technology Papers series.

Fear and Norms and Rock & Roll: What Jambands Can Teach About Persuading People to Comply With Copyright Law, 21 BERKELEY TECHNOLOGY LAW JOURNAL 651 (2006)

Selected “as one of the best law review articles published” in 2006 in “the fields of entertainment and communications” and reprinted in ENTERTAINMENT, PUBLISHING AND THE ARTS HANDBOOK (West 2007).

Reprinted in LAWRENCE FRIEDMAN, ET AL., *LAW IN ACTION: A SOCIO-LEGAL READER* (2007).

The New International Intellectual Property Agenda (with David Walker) in *ARE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS HUMAN RIGHTS?* (Federalist Society Monograph 2006) ; also translated and published as *Le Nouveau Programme International sur la Propriete Intellectuelle* and *La Nueva Agenda De La Propiedad Intellectual Internacional*.

How Intellectual Property Became Controversial: NGOs and the New International IP Agenda, 6 *ENGAGE* 82 (2005) (with David Walker)

Rethinking Rights & Regulations: Institutional Responses to New Communications Technologies, 45 *JURIMETICS* 103 (2004) (review essay)

Attorneys Fees Under the Independent Counsel Act, 60 *GEO. WASH. L. REV.* 1311 (1992) (student note)

SELECTED OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Regular Contributor, 2014 - 2015 *Tech Policy Daily Blog*, American Enterprise Institute.

Op-Ed, [Bridging the Innovation Gap](#), *The Hindu* (November 5, 2014)

[Why Copyright Still Matters to Today's Tech Pros](#), *Today's Engineer* (August 2014)

The Real Cost of Music Piracy (with Alec van Gelder), *Business Day* (South Africa), Nov. 26, 2009 (also published in several other newspapers in African countries)

Music's Own Rags-To-Riches Story Has Roots in Law, Enforcement (with Alec van Gelder), *The Tennessean*, March 23, 2009

African Music Needs to Listen to Early Nashville (with Alec van Gelder), *Business Day* (South Africa), Nov. 25, 2008

Unchain Africa's Melodies (with Alec van Gelder), *The Statesman* (Ghana), Nov. 20, 2008; *Accra Daily Mail* (Ghana); Nov. 20, 2008; *Daily Times* (Malawi), Nov. 21, 2008; *Korea Times*, Nov. 28, 2008

African Melodies Under Siege, *Business Daily* (Kenya), Nov. 20, 2008

Nashville in Africa, *ZIPPA Journal* (Zambia), October 2008

Will BitTorrent Go the Way of Grokster? Filesharing After MGM v. Grokster, *ABA SCITECH LAWYER* (Winter 2005)

U.S. Supreme Court Says Filesharing Software Distributors May Be Liable for Inducing Infringement, *IRIS: LEGAL OBSERVATIONS OF THE EUROPEAN AUDIOVISUAL OBSERVATORY* (July 2005)

Family Entertainment and Copyright Act of 2005, *IRIS: LEGAL OBSERVATIONS OF THE EUROPEAN AUDIOVISUAL OBSERVATORY* (June 2005)

U.S. Court of Appeals Overturns Broadcast Flag Regulations, *IRIS: LEGAL OBSERVATIONS OF THE EUROPEAN AUDIOVISUAL OBSERVATORY* (June 2005)

Open Source NGOs Mount Strong Challenge to EU Directive On Computer-Implemented Inventions, *NGOWATCH* (March 2005)

WIPO and the Development Agenda, *NGOWATCH* (March 2005)

Development and Customization in Outsourcing, *THE OUTSOURCING JOURNAL* (September 2002).

Chapter on *Protecting Rights in Databases*, in *UNDERSTANDING THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LICENSE* (Practising Law Institute, annual ed., 1999-2003).

Brief of the American Intellectual Property Law Association as amicus curiae, *Feltner v. Columbia Pictures Television, Inc.*, U.S. S.Ct. No. 96-1768 (principal author).

SELECTED ACADEMIC & POLICY PRESENTATIONS

Innovate for Health, Geneva Network – WIPO Global Think Tank Network Meeting, May 2018

Innovate for Health, Paper Launch, Washington DC, April 2018

CIIPC – CPIP, Back to Basics IP Conference, New Delhi, March 2018

Sedona Conference, Panelist, December 2017.

World Intellectual Property Organization, Sub-Regional Seminar on Trade Secrets, September 2017, Singapore.

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, APEC Seminar on Trade Secrets, August 2017

IP Scholars Conference, Criminal Trade Secret Law, Cardozo Law, New York, August 2017

Best Practices in National Trade Secret Laws, Meeting 1, Standing Diplomatic Dialogue on Best Practices in National Trade Secret Laws, Organized by CPIP and the National Bureau of Asian Research, Washington, D.C., December 2016

Enhancing Trade Secret Protection in India, US-India Intergovernmental Trade Secret Workshop, New Delhi, India, October 2016

Delivering the Real Thing: IP's Role in Getting Products to People, George Mason CPIP Annual Conference, Arlington, VA, October 2016

Trade Secret Workshop, CIP Forum 2016, September 2016, Gothenburg Sweden

The Wealth of Modern Nations is Intangible Property, U.S. Chamber of Commerce, Global Intellectual Property Center, July 2016

The Economic Contribution of Licensing, U.S. Patent & Trademark Office – CPIP Conference, June 2016 (Co-Organized, Chaired, and Moderated major governmental – academic conference)

A Research Agenda for Global IP Law, IIPP Working Group, Washington DC, April 2016

History and Theory of Moral Rights, U.S. Copyright Office – CPIP Conference, April 2016

Building a Multilateral Economic Dialogue on Best Practices in National Trade Secret Laws, Fordham IP Conference, New York, NY, March 2016

Best Practices in National Trade Secret Laws, National Bureau of Asian Research, February 2016

Copyright's Republic, Belmont University Law Review Annual Symposium, October 2015

Access to Medicine – Assessing the Evidence, George Mason CPIP Annual Conference, Arlington, VA, September 2015

International Trade Secret Law, Fordham IP Conference, Cambridge, U.K., April 2015

The New IP Protectionism, PhRMA Global Policy Meeting, Singapore, March 2015

Testimony on the Scope of Copyright, U.S. House of Representatives, Judiciary Committee, Intellectual Property Subcommittee, Washington, D.C., 2014

Roundtable on Patentable Subject Matter (Organized, co-chaired, and presented), Fenwick & West & the Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Mountain View, CA, January 2014

Edison Fellowship Meeting (Organized, co-chaired, and presented), Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Captiva, FL, February 2014

From Lab to Market, (Organized, co-chaired, and presented), Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation & Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Washington, DC, February 2014

Global Trade Secret Law, Trans-Atlantic Business Council, Covington & Burling, Washington, DC, March 2014

Mark Twain Copyright Fellowship Meeting (Organized, co-chaired, and presented), Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Scottsdale, AZ, May 2014

Patented Innovation in Software, Organized, co-chaired, and presented), Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Cape Coral FL, May 2014

A Global Comparative Study of the Law and Economics of Trade Secrets, Summer Law Institute, Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Beaver Creek, CO, August 2014

Bridging the Innovation Gap, Hudson Institute - Takshashila Institution Conference, Bangalore, India, August 2014

A Global Comparative Study of the Law and Economics of Trade Secrets, IP Scholars Conference, UC Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, August 2014

Presentation on Law and Economics of Trade Secret Law to official Chinese Delegation, U.S. China Intellectual Property Cooperation Program, US Patent & Trademark Office, September 2014

U.S. Senate Judiciary Staff Briefing on the Protect Trade Secrets Act, U.S. Senate, Washington, DC, September 2014

Aero and the Performance Clause, Michigan State University School of Law, Annual Law Review Symposium, October 2014

Intellectual Property and Liberty, Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Washington, DC, October 2014

Copyright's Republic (Organized, chaired, and presented), Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Nashville, TN, October 2014

Edison Fellowship Meeting (Organized, co-chaired, and presented), Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Scottsdale, AZ, November 2014

Copyright Reform, Federalist Society for Law & Public Policy Studies, Annual Convention, Washington, D.C., November 2014

Global Trade Secret Law, American Intellectual Property Law Association, Trade Secret Summit, San Jose, CA, December 2014

DMCA Notice and Takedown (Organized, co-chaired, and presented), Copyright Policy Network Meeting, Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Washington, DC, December 2014

Section 101 Working Group, Patent Policy Network Meeting, Center for the Protection of Intellectual Property, George Mason University, Washington, DC, December 2014

The Nigerian Film Industry and Lessons Regarding Cultural Diversity from the Home Market Effects Model of International Trade in Films, Bits Without Borders Conference, Michigan State College of Law, September 2010

Copyright Strength and the Contribution of the Publishing Industries to Economic Output, IP Scholars Conference 2010, U.C. Berkeley School of Law, August 2010

The Real Costs of Copyright Piracy, Free Market Foundation of South Africa, Intellectual Property Rights Indaba, Johannesburg, South Africa, November 2009

Acceptable Uses in Copyright, IP Scholars Conference 2009, Cardozo School of Law, Yeshiva University, New York, New York, August 2009

"Free" Business Models and Copyright Protection, West Virginia University College of Law Digital Entrepreneurship Symposium, Morgantown, West Virginia, March 2009

Nashville in Africa, Leadership Music Digital Summit, Nashville, Tennessee, March 2009

Nashville in Africa, Vanderbilt University School of Law, Nashville, Tennessee, March 2009

Acceptable Uses in Copyright, Drake University IP Scholars Roundtable, Des Moines, Iowa, February 2009

Nashville in Africa, Culture, Institutions and Development, Free Market Foundation of South Africa, Intellectual Property Rights Indaba, Johannesburg, South Africa, November 2008

User Generated Content, Social Networking, and Virtual Worlds, Discussant, Vanderbilt University Law School, Nashville, TN, November 2008

Creative Development: Helping Poor Countries by Building Creative Industries, Central States Law School Association, SIU School of Law, Carbondale, IL, October 2008

Creative Development: Helping Poor Countries by Building Creative Industries, Society for Economic Research on Copyright Issues Annual Congress, Geneva, Switzerland, July 2008

Copyright, Live Performance, and the Future of Music, Faculty Workshop, Case Western Reserve College of Law, Cleveland, OH, October 2007

Copyright, Live Performance, and the Future of Music, Telecommunications Policy Research Conference, George Mason University, Washington DC, October 2007

Copyright, Live Performance, and the Future of Music, WPIP Conference 2007, American University Washington College of Law, Washington DC, September 2007

Copyright, Live Performance, and the Future of Music, Faculty Workshop, Cumberland School of Law, Samford University, Birmingham, AL, September 2007

Copyright, Live Performance, and the Future of Music, IP Scholars Conference 2007, DePaul University, Chicago, IL, August 2007

Liberty, Property, & Intellectual Property, Fourth Annual IP Scholars Roundtable, Michigan State University, January 2007

Copynorms: Copyright and Social Norms, George Washington University School of Law, November 2006

Patents and the Independence of Innovators, IP Scholars Conference 2006, U.C. Berkeley, California, August 2006

Co-organizer, Panel on *Property and Intellectual Property: Marriage or Misfit*, presenting *Patents and the Independence of Innovators*, AALS Midyear Meeting, Vancouver, B.C., Canada, June 2006

Organizer and panelist, Panel on *Property and Intellectual Property*, Federalist Society IP Back to Basics Conference, Washington, D.C., May 2006

Copyright and Freedom of Expression: A Second Order Problem, Third Annual IP Scholars Roundtable, January 2006

Calling the Tune: Compulsory Licensing and the Music Industry as a Ward of the State, Seventh Annual Federalist Society Faculty Conference, Washington, D.C., January 2006

Commentator, *Telecommunications Law and Economics under the Bush Administration: A Washington Insider's View*, SIU School of Law, November 2005

Calling the Tune: Compulsory Licensing and the Music Industry as a Ward of the State, St. Louis University School of Law, St. Louis, November 2005

Calling the Tune: Compulsory Licensing and the Music Industry as a Ward of the State, WPIP Conference, Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, October 2005

Calling the Tune: Compulsory Licensing and the Music Industry as a Ward of the State, SIU Law School Faculty Forum, October 2005

Intellectual Property and Social Norms, Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, June 2005

Conference Fellow and Commentator, "W(h)ither the Middleman: The Role and Future of Intermediaries in the Information Age," Michigan State University College of Law, April 2005.

Fear and Norms and Rock & Roll: What Jam Bands Can Teach About Persuading People to Comply With Copyright Law, Intellectual Property & Communications Law and Policy Scholars Roundtable, Michigan State University College of Law, East Lansing, February 2005

Copyright & Social Norms, Southern Illinois University School of Law Faculty Forum, February 2005

Copyright & Social Norms, Intellectual Property Scholars Conference, DePaul University College of Law, Chicago, August 2004

OTHER SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Creative Industries and Development, World Intellectual Property Day Conference, Institute for Policy Innovation, Washington, D.C., April 2010

Intellectual Property and Economic Growth, Moderator, Federalist Society National Convention, Washington, D.C., November 2009

Protecting Creations of the Mind International IP Issues, Presentation to Senior Congressional Staff, The Mercatus Center, George Mason University, Capitol Hill Campus, June 2006

Intellectual Property & Information Technology Law for Engineers, SIU School of Engineering, December 2005

Organizer, *Copyright, Creativity and Commerce After MGM v. Grokster*, Showcase Panel, Federalist Society National Convention, November 2006

Filesharing After MGM v. Grokster, St. Louis University School of Law, October 2005

Life, Liberty, and Intellectual Property, The Federalist Society Intellectual Property Practice Group, Indianapolis, Indiana, October 2005 (organizer, moderator, and commentator)

Legal Careers for Engineers, SIU Minority Engineers Program, September 2005

Legal Issues for Startups, Southern Illinois Entrepreneurship Center Camp CEO Youth Camp, July 2005

Legal Issues for Business Formation, SouthernTECH / Southern Illinois Entrepreneurship Center, April 2005

Fear and Norms and Rock & Roll: What Jam Bands Can Teach About Persuading People to Comply With Copyright Law, Scholarship Presentation, SIU Law School Board of Visitors, April 2005

Using Blogs in Teaching, Southern Illinois University School of Law Teaching Lunch, February 2005

Demystifying the Legal Jungle: Choosing Between Licensing IP and Starting Your Own Business, SouthernTECH / Southern Illinois Entrepreneurship Center, November 2004

Copyright & Social Norms, Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences Study Team, Southern Illinois University, August 2004 (invited presentation to university-wide, outside study team)

Panelist, *The Power of Angel Investing*, Kauffmann Foundation / Southern Illinois Entrepreneurship Center Angel Investing Seminar, May 2004

Legal Issues for New Businesses, SouthernTECH / Southern Illinois Entrepreneurship Center, April 2004

Seminar on International Information Technology and E-Commerce Legal Issues, at in-house seminar for Foreign Commercial Service Officers, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC, September 2002

Prospects for Nanotechnology, at BigFrontier Leadership Briefing, Chicago, IL, August 2002

Protecting Rights in Databases, at Practising Law Institute, Chicago, IL, November 2002, 2001, 2000, 1999

Taking Your Technology Business Global, ACI Seminar, Chicago, IL, March 2002

Fight the Future? Does the Internet Make Speech More or Less Free?, Federalist Society for Law & Public Policy Studies, Washington, DC, 2001 (moderator)

MEDIA COVERAGE

Radio and television appearances including CNBC Africa and various South African radio stations. Quoted in numerous publications regarding intellectual property and technology issues, including *The Washington Post*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *Wired News*, *The MIT Technology Review*, *Reuters International*, and *Guitarist Magazine (UK)*. Research noted in various publications, including the *Chronicle of Higher Education* and *Legal Affairs* magazine.

DIRECTORSHIPS & ADVISORY BOARDS

Copyright Alliance, Academic Advisory Board, Chair, 2012 - present

Federalist Society for Law & Public Policy Studies, IP Practice Group Executive Committee, 1996 – present; Chair 2008 - 2012

Academic Advisory Board, The Project on Digital Property, The Progress and Freedom Foundation, Washington, D.C., 2005 - 2007

Board of Directors, Southern Illinois Entrepreneurship Center, Carbondale, IL, 2003 – 2007

Advisory Board, SouthernTECH, Carbondale, IL, 2003 – 2007

Advisory Board, Bureaucrash Project, Competitive Enterprise Institute, Washington, D.C., 2006 - 2010

Board of Directors, Bureaucrash Foundation, Boston, MA, 2003 - 2006

Board of Advisors, NYCWireless Community Network, New York, NY, 2001 – 2003

Board of Directors, Henry Hazlitt Foundation / Free-Market.Net, Chicago, IL, 1998 – 2003

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Southern Illinois University School of Law

- Chair, Appointments Committee, 2013 -
- Chair, Long Range Planning Committee, 2011 - 2013
- Chair, Commencement Committee, 2010 - 2011
- Chair, Technology Advisory Committee, 2008 - 2009
- Appointments Committee, 2008 - Present
- Coordinator, Scholarship Workshops, 2005 - 2007
- Professional Development Committee, 2005 - 2007
- Rules Committee, 2003 – 2006
- Committee of the Future, 2006
- Faculty Advisor, Federalist Society, 2006 -
- Faculty Advisor, Intellectual Property & Technology Law Society, 2004 –
- Faculty Mentor Program, 2003 –

Southern Illinois University

- Program Review Taskforce, 2016 -
- Campus Computer Advisory Committee, 2005 - 2007
- Judge, Southern Angels Business Plan Contest, 2005

Association of American Law Schools

- Section on Internet and Computer Law
 - Chair, 2010
 - Chair Elect, 2009
 - Executive Committee, 2008

Federalist Society for Law & Public Policy Studies Executive Committee, Intellectual Property Practice Group, Lawyers Division, Federalist Society for Law & Public Policy Studies, 1996 –

- Chairman, Intellectual Property Practice Group, 2008 – 2012
- Official NGO Delegate, World Intellectual Property Organization, Provisional Committee on the Development Agenda, Geneva, Switzerland, June 2006; June 2007; July 2008
- Co-Chair, Publications, Intellectual Property Practice Group, Lawyers Division, 2003 – 2007
- Chicago Lawyers Chapter, Lawyers Division, Federalist Society for Law & Public Policy Studies
 - Advisory Board, 2000 -
 - President, 1998 – 2000

Southern Illinois Entrepreneurship Center

- Judge, Illinois Innovate Business Plan Contest, 2006 –2007
- Illinois State Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Entrepreneurship Award Grant Committee, 2004 – 2007

Journal Referee

- JURIMETRICS, 2006 –
- UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS JOURNAL OF LAW, TECHNOLOGY & POLICY, 2005 –

Book Proposal Reviewer

- Routledge Books, 2009