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ACADEMIC AND LEGAL WORK EXPERIENCE

- Director of the Law Library and Professor of Law** May, 2001-present
Nicholas Rosenbaum Professor of Law July, 2002-present
Charles Inglis Thomson Fellow July, 2001-June, 2002
Director of the Law Library and Associate Professor of Law July, 1989-May, 2001
University of Colorado
School of Law
Boulder, CO 80309
- Visiting Professor** June-July, 1996
University of Washington
Graduate School of Librarianship and Information Science
Seattle, WA 98125
- Acting Director** October, 1988-June, 1989
Associate Director/Senior Instructor July, 1986-June, 1989
University of Colorado
School of Law Library
Boulder, CO 80309
- Assistant Librarian/Instructor** July, 1984- June, 1986
University of Colorado
School of Law Library
Boulder, CO 80309
- Legal Consultant** July, 1980- December, 1980
National Center for Atmospheric Research
Environmental and Societal Impacts Group
Boulder, CO 80220
- Reference Librarian/ Technical Services Coordinator** November, 1979-June, 1984
University of Denver
Westminster Law Library
1900 Olive Street—LTLB
Denver, CO 80220
- Law Clerk and Firm Librarian** July, 1978- August, 1979
Gaddis & Fox
701 Hoge Building

Seattle, WA 98104

EDUCATION

Masters in Law Librarianship

University of Washington
Graduate School of Librarianship and Information Science
Seattle, WA 98195

Awarded June, 1979

Juris Doctor

University of Washington
School of Law
Seattle, WA 98105

Awarded June, 1978

Bachelor of Arts, With Highest Honors

Central Washington State College
Department of Political Science
Ellensburg, WA 98926

Awarded June, 1975

COURSES TAUGHT

Comparative Law; Advanced Legal Research

PUBLICATIONS

Articles and Chapters in Books

“The Roles and Status of the Academic Law Library Director,” in *The Law School Librarian’s Role as an Educator*, (Inside the Minds Series), (Aspatore Books: Boston 2008)

“Academic Freedom Issues for Academic Librarians,” Richard A. Danner and Barbara Bintliff, 25 Legal Reference Services Quarterly 13 (no. 4, 2007); also available at <http://eprints.law.duke.edu/archive/00001565/>.

“Context and Legal Research,” 99 Law Library Journal 249 (2007). Based on invited presentation at the Symposium on Legal Information and the Development of American Law: Further Thinking about the Thoughts of Bob Berring, Boalt Hall, University of California-Berkeley School of Law, Berkeley, CA, October 21, 2006. Reprinted in Danner and Houdek (eds.), *Legal Information and the Development of American Law*, (Thomson/West: St. Paul, MN, 2008).

“Starting on the Right Track in Your First Library Job,” in Lee and Wu (eds.), *Beyond the Books: People, Politics and Librarianship*, ch. 1 (Hein: Buffalo, NY, 2008).

“So You Think You Want to be an Academic Law Library Director?” 99 Law Library Journal 108-111, 119-122 (winter 2007) (with Gasaway, et al., in press); reprinted in Lee and Wu (eds.), *Beyond the Books: People, Politics and Librarianship*, ch. 12 (Hein: Buffalo, NY, 2008).

“Colorado Prestatohood Legal Resources: Sixteenth Century to 1876,” in Chiorazzi and Most (eds.), *1 Prestatohood Legal Materials: A Fifty-State Research Guide, Including New York City and the*

District of Columbia, ch. 6 (2006). The two-volume Guide received the 2007 Joseph L. Andrews Bibliographical Award from the American Association of Law Libraries.

“The Ethics of Electronic Record Sharing,” Barbara Bintliff and Georgia Briscoe, 10 AALL Spectrum 15-17 (No. 8, June 2006). The article was selected as 2006-2007 AALL Spectrum Article of the Year.

“Electronic Resources or Print Resources: Some Observations on Where to Search,” in Teachable Moments for Students column, 14 Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing 23 (2005).

AALL LISP Public Libraries Toolkit: Colorado, <http://www.aallnet.org/sis/lisp/colorado.pdf> (2005).

Colorado Legal Resources: An Annotated Bibliography, compiled by Robert C. Richards, Jr. and Barbara Bintliff, Chicago: American Association of Law Libraries, 70 pages, (2004) (Annual State Documents Bibliography Series, AALL Occasional Paper Series, Number 3-64).

“What Can the Faculty Expect from the Law Library in the 21st Century,” edited remarks from a panel presentation at the 2004 AALS Annual Meeting, 96 Law Library Journal 507 (2004).

“Collection Development Policies for Electronic Resources,” 14 Trends in Law Library Management and Technology 1 (no. 2, 2003).

“Appendix G: Selected Law-Related Internet Sources,” in Mersky and Dunn, Fundamentals of Legal Research, 8th ed., 2002; included as Appendix E, in Legal Research Illustrated, 8th ed., 2002.

“Mandatory v. Persuasive Case Authority,” in Teachable Moments for Students column, 9 Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing 83-85 (2001). Reprinted in Best of Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing 113-115 (2001).

“How Can I Tell the Effective Date of a Federal Statute?” in Teachable Moments for Students column, 8 Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing 93-94 (2000).

“Why is Web Searching So Unpredictable?” 7 Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing 84-86 (1999).

“Four Mentors and a Role Model,” in “Meet My Mentor: A Collection of Personal Reminiscences,” 91 Law Library Journal 193-195 (1999) (solicited contribution).

“From Creativity to Computerese: Thinking Like a Lawyer in the Computer Age,” 88 Law Library Journal 338-351 (1996).

“copyright@help!: Copyright and Library Internet Use,” 21 Colorado Libraries 20-24 (1996) (solicited contribution).

“Shepardizing Cases,” in Teachable Moments column, 4 Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing 19-20 (no. 1, fall 1995).

“A Jurisdictional History of the Colorado Courts,” 65 University of Colorado Law Review 577-630 (1994).

"Salary Equity: A Case Study," with J. McConkey, *et al.*, 54 College and Research Libraries 33-41 (1993) (refereed journal).

"Introducing CD-ROMs into a Law Library: Administrative Issues and Concerns," 84 Law Library Journal 725-740 (1992).

"Auto-Cite and Insta-Cite: The Race to Update Case Histories," 15 Colorado Lawyer 1675-1679 (1986).

"Statutes of Limitations for Court Actions in Colorado: 1984 General Assembly Update," 14 Colorado Lawyer 207 (1985).

"Legal Aspects of Library Security," with A. Coco, in Security for Libraries, Chicago: American Library Association, pp. 83-107 (1984).

"Statutes of Limitations for Court Actions in Colorado—Part 2 and Update," 12 Colorado Lawyer 1755-1769 (1983).

"Statutes of Limitations for Court Actions in Colorado," 12 Colorado Lawyer 895-912 (1983).

CLE Contributions

"Federal Administrative Law: Finding Rules and Regulations," in Fundamental Research Techniques, Denver: University of Denver Program for Advanced Professional Development pp. 4-1 – 4-40 (1984).

"Concurrent Custody: A Means of Continued Parental Responsibility," with S. Gaddis, in Child Custody Litigation, Seattle: Children's Legal Services, pp. 29-45 (1979). Portions reprinted in Joint Custody: A Handbook for Judges, Lawyers, and Counselors, Ft. Lauderdale: Association of Family Conciliation Courts (1979).

Edited Works

Co-Editor, Public Services in the 21st Century: Evolution and Innovation, co-edited with Lee Peoples, published as a monograph and as 26 Legal Reference Services Quarterly (combined issues 1 and 2, 2007) (2007).

Editor and Compiler, Marketing Toolkit for Academic Law Librarians, Chicago: Academic Law Libraries Special Interest Section, American Association of Law Libraries (2004; web-based publication available at <http://www.aallnet.org/sis/allsis/Toolkit/index.html>; approximately 200 pages of manuscript)

Continuing Employment Policies for Law Librarians, co-edited with M. Harhai, Chicago: American Association of Law Libraries, 598 pages (1994) (AALL Occasional Paper Series, Number 43).

Editor and Compiler, Representative's Handbook, Chicago: American Association of Law Libraries, 39 pages (1990).

Editor and Compiler, Chapter President's Handbook, Chicago: American Association of Law Libraries, 83 pages (1989).

A Representative Sample of Tenure Documents for Law Librarians, co-edited with M. Byrnes, Chicago:

American Association of Law Libraries, 206 pages (1988) (AALL Occasional Paper Series, Number 8).

Contributor and Co-Editor, Introduction to the LEXIS Service: A Training Script for Law Students for Use During Hands-on Training, Dayton, OH: Mead Data Central, ca. 25 pages (1987).

Book Reviews

10 Legal Reference Services Quarterly 186-188 (no. 1/2, 1990) (reviewing Maggio, The Nonsexist Word Finder).

7 Legal Reference Services Quarterly 123-125 (no. 1, spring 1987) (reviewing Friedman and Sherman, Human Rights: An International and Comparative Law Bibliography).

5 Legal Reference Services Quarterly 114-117 (no. 4, winter 1986) (reviewing Tang, Guide to Legal Citation).

4 Legal Reference Services Quarterly 125-126 (no. 2, summer 1984) (reviewing Westin, Lexicon of Tax Terminology).

Other Publication Activity

“Colorado Primary Legal Resources” (electronic lesson), with A. Brillon, A. Pannell, and J. Thompson, Chicago, IL: Center for Computer Assisted Legal Instruction (CALI) (in press, expected publication fall, 2008).

“Legal Research and Writing Resources: Recent Publications,” selective, annotated bibliography in Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing, v. 16, no. 1, pp. 47-50; vol. 16, no. 2, pp. 139-146; v. 16, no. 3, pp. 187-190 (2007-2008).

“Developing a Scholarly Agenda: Works on Scholarly Writing: A Highly Selective, Occasionally Annotated Bibliography,” 2007 AALL Conference Proceedings.

“Academic Freedom 101,” in “From the Chancellor” column of Inside CU—CU Boulder’s Online Faculty/Staff Newsletter (March 21, 2005).

“Meeting Expectations,” in “Professional Edge” column, 7 Law Librarians in the New Millennium 3, (no. 4, September-October, 2004).

“Electronic Age Poses More Challenges for Librarians,” National Law Journal, July 16, 2001 p. B21, col. 1

Editorial Board Member, Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing, since 1994.

Column editor, “Teachable Moments for Students” (1995-2007).

Column writer, “Legal Research and Writing Resources: Recent Publication” (2007-).

(v. 16, #1, pages 48-52; v. 16, #2, pages 139-146; v. 16, #3, pages 187-190; v. 17, #1, pages 48-54)

Editorial Board Member, Legal Reference Services Quarterly, since 1983;
Column editor, "Book Reviews" (1983-1989).
Associate editor, (1999-present).

Co-editor (1984-1985) and Editor (1985-1986), SWALL Bulletin, newsletter of the Southwestern Association of Law Libraries.

Column editor, "Representatives Reports," AALL Newsletter (1989-1991).

PRESENTATIONS

Speaker, "Legal Research, Context, and the Law Librarian's Role," University of South Carolina, Colloquium on the Law Librarian's Role in the Scholarly Enterprise, Columbia, SC, November 21, 2008.

Speaker and Moderator, "Beyond Volume Count: Exploring the Evolving Tools for Evaluating Library Quality," AALL Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, July 14, 2008.

Faculty Member/Panelist, "Law Library Director: Redefined Status," AALS Mid-Year Meeting: Workshop for Law Librarians, Cleveland, OH, June 2, 2008.

Featured Speaker, "Business Writing: Writing Memos to Make Change Happen," MichALL: Michigan Association of Law Libraries, Grand Rapids, MI, May 16, 2008.

Panelist, "Authentication of Electronic Legal Documents," MichALL: Michigan Association of Law Libraries, Grand Rapid, MI, May 16, 2008.

Speaker, "Context and Legal Research," University of New Mexico Faculty Colloquium, Albuquerque, NM, April 30, 2008.

Speaker, "Leadership Opportunities Beyond Your Department," Women Succeeding: CU Faculty Development Symposium, Denver, CO, February 29, 2008.

Coordinator and Moderator, "Developing a Scholarly Agenda," AALL Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, July 17, 2007.

Panelist, "Public Services in the 21st Century: Beyond Traditional Reference Service: Making Change Happen," AALL Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, July 15, 2007.

Panelist, "Rising to the Leadership Challenge Outside your Library: Being a Leader in the Larger Organization," AALL Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, July 15, 2007.

Presenter, "Context and Legal Research," (invited presentation; delivered by videoconference) Symposium on Legal Information and the Development of American Law: Further Thinking about the Thoughts of Bob Berring, Boalt Hall, University of California-Berkeley School of Law, Berkeley, CA, October 21, 2006.

Speaker, "The Next Generation of Academic Law Library Directors," Academic Law Libraries Directors' Meeting, AALL Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, July 11, 2006.

Panelist, “Exploring Uncharted Territory: The Culture and Context of the University: Academic Freedom and Tenure,” AALL Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, July 9, 2006.

Panelist and Moderator, “Spotlight on Your Career: Authors’ Panel,” Colorado Association of Law Libraries, Denver, CO, February 25, 2006.

Panelist, “How I See It: A Dialog Between Deans and Law Library Directors,” AALS Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., January 5, 2006.

Panelist, “So You Want to be a Law Library Director: Part I, Faculty Responsibilities” and “Part II, Building Your Credentials: Service,” Rebuilding the Profession: A Workshop for Librarians Interested in an Academic Directorship, St. Mary’s University, San Antonio, TX, July 20, 2005.

Panelist, “Nabbing or Sharing: Z 39.50 and the Ethics of Directly Importing MARC Records,” AALL Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, July 19, 2005.

Panelist, “Room at the Top: Strategy Tips from the Hiring Squad,” AALL Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, July 19, 2005.

Panelist, “Free Speech Under Attack,” Boulder County ACLU Annual Meeting, Boulder, CO, April 26, 2005.

Panelist, “Can CU Be Saved?” The Boulder Show (municipal channel 8), Boulder, CO, April 21, 2005.

Panelist, “Preparing for Advancement to Full Professor,” Women Succeeding: CU Faculty Development Symposium, Denver, CO, March 4, 2005.

Panelist, “Academic Freedom and Tenure,” Women Succeeding: CU Faculty Development Symposium, Denver, CO, March 4, 2005.

Speaker, “Faculty Governance at the Boulder Campus,” University of Colorado System Perspectives Program, Boulder, CO, September 30, 2004.

Panelist, “Addressing Issues of Political Controversy and Creating Balanced Discussions (Part I),” University of Colorado at Boulder Graduate Teacher Program Seminar, Boulder, CO, August 19, 2004.

Panelist, “Effecting Institutional Change through Shared Governance,” Women Succeeding: CU Faculty Development Symposium, Denver, CO, March 5, 2004.

Panelist, “Getting Things Done Through Faculty Governance,” University of Colorado Graduate Teacher Program Seminar, Boulder, CO, January 9, 2004.

Panelist, “What Faculty Can Expect from the Law Library in the 21st Century,” AALS Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, January 5, 2004.

Moderator, “Law Librarian Compensation: A Looming Human Relations Crisis,” AALL Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, July 15, 2003.

Invited Speaker, “Association Benefits,” Annual Meeting of the South Florida Association of Law Libraries, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, June 6, 2003.

Keynote Speaker, “AALL: Your Driver’s License for the Fast Lane,” Annual Institute of the Greater Philadelphia Law Libraries Association, May 9, 2003, Harrisburg, PA

Invited Speaker, “Ready or Not, Here It Comes: The Future is Here!” First Joint Institute of the Northern California Association of Law Libraries, the Southern California Association of Law Libraries, and the San Diego Association of Law Libraries, March 14, 2003, San Luis Obispo, CA.

Keynote Speaker, “AALL News and Update,” 2002 Annual Meeting of the Western Pacific Association of Law Libraries, September 20, 2002, Anchorage, AK.

Keynote Speaker, “Association Update,” 2002 Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Association of Law Libraries, April 20, 2002, Ft. Worth, TX.

Panelist on “Law Schools, Virtual Spaces, and the Culture of the Legal Academy” Panel, Workshop on Technology, Legal Information, and Legal Knowledge, sponsored by the Baldy Center for Law & Social Policy, University at Buffalo Law School, March 14-15, 2002, Buffalo, NY.

Panelist on “Practitioner’s Panel,” 10th Annual Women in Law Day, University of Colorado School of Law, March 2, 2002, Boulder, CO.

Keynote Speaker, “AALL Update: Birds of a Feather Flock Together,” 2002 Annual Meeting of the Minnesota Association of Law Libraries, February 21, 2002, Minneapolis, MN.

Invited Speaker at the dedication of the Fred Parks Law Library, South Texas College of Law, November 14, 2001, Houston, TX.

Keynote Speaker, “Association Benefits,” 2001 Annual Meeting of the Mid-America Association of Law Libraries, October 26, 2001, St. Louis, MO.

Invited Speaker, “Introduction to AALL,” State, Court, and County Law Libraries’ Trustees’ Forum, 2001 AALL Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN.

Invited Speaker, “Membership,” Chapter Presidents/ Special Interest Section Chairs Leadership Training Program, 2001 AALL Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN.

Invited Speaker, “Association Governance,” 2001 Annual Meeting of the Dallas Association of Law Libraries, May 30, 2001, Dallas, TX.

Invited Speaker, “Strategic Planning,” 2001 Annual Meeting of the Law Librarians’ Association of Maryland, May 10, 2001, Baltimore, MD.

Plenary Speaker, “Creating Connections,” 2001 Joint Meeting of the Southeastern Chapter of the American Association of Law Libraries and Southwest Association of Law Libraries, April 20, 2001, Atlanta, GA.

Moderator and Program Creator, “CONALL: Convocation for Newer Academic Law Librarians,” 2000

AALL Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.

Site Moderator, "Books and Bytes: Balancing Formats in Today's Libraries," AALL Satellite Videoconference, April 13, 2000, University of Colorado School of Law.

Moderator, "Issues Facing Academic Law Libraries," 1999 SWALL-CoALL Joint Meeting, Denver, CO.

"The Future of Legal Education, or Does Legal Education Have a Future?" Colorado Association of Law Libraries, February 18, 1999.

Speaker, "The Background and History of the MacCrate Report," 1998 AALL Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA.

Speaker, "Chapter President: The Big Cog in the Communications Wheel," Chapter Presidents Training Program, 1998 AALL Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA.

"From Creativity to Computerese: Thinking Like a Lawyer in the Computer Age," Twenty-first Annual Austin W. Scott, Jr., Lecture, University of Colorado School of Law, October 17, 1996.

Panelist, "Delivering the Message on Successful Interviewing: Getting a Job and Filling a Vacancy," 1996 AALL Annual Meeting, July, 1996, Indianapolis, IN.

Moderator, "Objectives and Techniques for Teaching Legal Research," Legal Writing and Legal Research Skills Conference, August 1995, Boulder, CO.

Panelist, "The Impact of Electronic Formats on Collection Development", National Conference on Legal Information Issues/1995 AALL Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA.

Participant in Virtual Conference, "Law in a Digital World," September 26-29, 1994, hosted by West Publishing Company, Eagan, MN.

Speaker, "Disaster Preparedness", 10th Circuit Librarians' Conference, August 1994, Denver, CO.

Discussant, "Electronic Media and the Transformation of Law", 18th Regional Conference on the History and Philosophy of Science, Boulder, CO, April, 1994.

Moderator, "Do I Need to Change My Job?" 1993 AALL Annual Meeting, Academic Law Libraries Directors Meeting, Boston, MA.

Speaker, "Chapter Activities: Regional Chapters", 1992 AALL Annual Meeting, Conference of Newer Law Librarians, San Francisco, CA.

Panelist, "How Would You Handle This Situation? Ethical and Political Quandaries in Law Librarianship", 1991 AALL Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

Speaker, "People, Places and Things: Integrating CD-ROMs in the Academic Law Library", 1990 AALL Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN.

Moderator/Coordinator, "Collecting Out-of-Print and Rare Books: The Mysteries Revealed", 1990 AALL

Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN.

Panelist, "Colorado Legislative History", 1990 SWALL Annual Meeting, Houston, TX.

"West CD-ROM Systems", guest speaker at University of California, Berkeley, School of Law (Boalt Hall) Advanced Legal Research class, October 1989.

Moderator, "Long-Range Planning for Law Libraries", 1988 SWALL Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX.

Speaker, "Statutory Research", Colorado Association of Law Libraries Legal Research Seminar, June, 1988.

Moderator, "The Law Library as a Workplace", 1987 SWALL Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.

Panelist, "Budgeting in an Academic Law Library", Colorado Association of Law Libraries, April, 1986.

Speaker, "Online Information Sources", Boulder County Bar Association Section on Law Office Management, 1985.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS AND ACTIVITIES

American Association of Law Libraries

Representative to American Bar Association Council of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar (2008-2011)

Immediate Past President (2002-2003)

President (2001-2002)

Vice President/President-Elect (2000-2001)

Executive Board Finance and Budget Committee (2000-2002)

Executive Board Governance Committee (2000-2001)

Executive Board Strategic Planning Committee (2000-2003)

Executive Director Evaluation Committee (2000-2003; Chair, 2002-2003)

Liaison to American Bar Association, Council of the Section on Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar (2001-2002)

Liaison to the Association of American Law Schools (2001-2002)

Liaison to the American Library Association (2001-2002)

Liaison to the British and Irish Association of Law Libraries (2001-2002)

Liaison to the Canadian Association of Law Libraries (2001-2002)

Committee on the Law Library Journal (1979-1980)

Committee on Legislation and Legal Developments (1980-1983)

Committee on Awards (1985-1988)

Committee on Scholarships (1989-1991; Chair, 1990-1991)

Committee on Nominations (1992-1993; Chair, 1993)

Conference on Newer Law Librarians (CONELL) (Co-Director, 1996)

Committee on Publications Policy (1996-1997)

Research Committee (Chair, 1999-2000)

Academic Law Libraries Special Interest Section

Special Committee on the Status of Law Librarians (Chair, 1983-1984; 1986-1987)

Long Range Planning Committee (1985-1986)
Special Committee for ABA Committee on Libraries Survey (Chair, 1988-1989)
Vice Chair/Chair-Elect (1993-1994; Chair, 1994-1995)
Nominations Committee (1997-1998)
Program Committee (1999-2000)
Marketing Toolkit Task Force (Chair, 2003-2004)
Legal History and Rare Books Special Interest Section
Program Committee (Chair, 1989-1990)
Research Instruction and Patron Services Special Interest Section
Executive Committee Member (1998-2000)
Bylaws Committee (Chair, 1999-2000)
Council of Chapter Presidents (1987-1989; 1991-1993; Chair, 1988-1989)
Liaison to AALL Executive Board (1988-1989)
Special Committee on Representative's Handbook (Chair, 1989-1990)
Special Committee on Relationship Between AALL and its Chapters (1991-1992)
Task Force on Composition of the Executive Board (1994-1996)
Special Committee on Publications Policy (Chair, 1997-1999)

Southwestern Association of Law Libraries

Committee on Continuing Education (1981-1984; 1992-1994)
Constitution and Bylaws Committee (1990-1991; 1992-1993)
Publications Committee (Co-Chair, 1984-1985; Chair, 1985-1986)
Finance Committee (1985-1991; Chair, 1988-1989)
Program Committee (Chair, 1986-1987)
Committee on Legal Information Services to the Public (1994-1997; Chair, 1995-1997)
Location of Annual Meetings (Chair, 1996-1998)
Vice President/President-Elect (1986-1987)
President (1987-1988; 1991-1992)
Executive Committee (1986-1989; 1991-1993)
Local Arrangements Committee, SWALL-CoALL Joint Meeting—Denver (1998-1999)
Nominating Committee (Chair, 2003, 2004)

Colorado Association of Law Libraries

Publication Committee (Chair, 1981)
President (1982)
Scholarship Committee (1983)
Local Arrangements Committee, SWALL-COALL Joint Meeting—Denver (1985-1987)
Nominating Committee (Chair, 1986)
Legal Research Committee (1988)
Special Committee on Bylaws (Chair, 1989-1990)

Association of American Law Schools

Member, Committee on Professional Development (2008-)
Member, Committee on Sections and Annual Meeting (2003-2006)
AALS Reporter on ABA Site Evaluation Team, Mississippi College School of Law, February 2006
Member, Task Force on Association Communications (2003-2005)
Member, Site Evaluation Team, Kuwait University School of Law, October 7-14, 2004
Member, Committee on Libraries (1990-1993)
Member, Planning Committee: Workshop for Deans and Directors of Law School Libraries, 1992 Annual

Meeting (1991-1992)
Founding Executive Board Member, Section on Law Libraries (1990-1993)

American Bar Association

Member, Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar, Curriculum Committee (2007-2010);
International Issues Committee (2008-2011)
Member, Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar, Committee on Libraries (1995-1998)
Member, Accreditation Site Evaluation Teams (SUNY-Buffalo, March, 1994; University of South Carolina, March, 1995; John Marshall Law School (provisional), March 1997; The Ohio State University, October, 1997; Arizona State University, March, 1999; University of Nevada at Las Vegas (provisional), November, 1999; University of California at Berkeley, November, 2002; Yale University, February 2004; University of Georgia, November 2005; Mississippi College School of Law, February 2006; University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, February 2008)

American Law Institute

Member (elected 2001)
Consultative Group Member, Principles of the Law of Government Access to and Use of Digital Information (2007-)

National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws

Observer, Study Group on Authentication of Online State Legal Materials (2008-2009)

Washington State Bar Association

(Inactive; admitted to practice 1979)

Colorado Bar Association

(Inactive; admitted to practice 1983)
Law and Technology Committee (1987-1988)

Beta Phi Mu, International Library Science Honor Society

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

University of Colorado at Boulder School of Law

Chair, Academic and Student Affairs Committee (2008-2009)
Chair, Task Reports Implementation Subcommittee
Chair, Curriculum, Petitions, and Rules Subcommittee
Member, Public Service Pledge and Externship Review Subcommittee
Co-chair, Legal Writing Program Review Committee (2007-2008)
Member, Dean's Cabinet (2006-)
Member, Clinical Education Prospectus Committee (2005-2006)
Chair, Assistant to the Dean: Business Manager Search Committee (2004)
Member, Technology Committee (2004-2006)
Member, Planning, Budget and Management Committee (2003-)
Member, Faculty Evaluation Committee (2003-2007)
Member, Dean's Advisory Committee (1999-2003)
Member, Faculty Resources Committee (1997-2003)
Chair and Member, Building Committee (1996-2006; Chair, 1999-2004)

Member, Dean Search Committee (1995-1996; 2002-2003)
Member, Long-Range Planning Committee (1995-1996)
 Capital Planning Subcommittee (1996)
Chair, Peer Review Committee (1995)
Member, Self-Study Committee (1994-1995)
Representative, CALI (Center for Computer-Assisted Legal Research) (1994-2004)
Faculty Advisor, AGELESS (law student organization for “older” students) (1994-2002)
Advisory Board, *Colorado Journal of International Environmental Law and Policy* (1990-2000)
Member or Chair, Library Faculty Search Committees (years vary)
Member, Faculty Library Committee (1987-1996)
Centennial Celebration Committee (1992-1993)

University of Colorado at Boulder

Chair, University of Colorado at Boulder Athletics Board (CU-BAB) (2006-)
Member, University of Colorado at Boulder Standing Committee on NCAA Certification (2006-)
Boulder Faculty Assembly
 Law School Representative (1992-1995; 2004- 2007)
 Library Committee (1989-1992)
 Executive Committee
 Chair (elected; two terms) (2003-2005)
 Secretary (elected) (1998-1999)
 At Large Representative (elected) (1997-2000; 2001-2004)
 Ad Hoc Committee on Committees (2000)
 Ad Hoc Nominating Committee (2000)
 BFA Excellence in Service Selection Committee (Chair, 2002)
 Faculty Affairs Committee (2002-2003)
 Parliamentarian (2005-2008)
Member, Chancellor’s Executive Committee (2003-2005)
Member, Program Review Panel for Program on Writing and Rhetoric (2006)
Member, Academic Affairs Budget Advisory Committee (1996-2003)
 Compensation Policy Subcommittee (2000)
 Gender Issues Subcommittee (2000-2001)
Member, Institutional Computing Working Group (ICWG) (1993-)
Member, Dean’s Review Committee, School of Journalism and Mass Communications (2002)
Member, Alliance for Teaching, Learning and Society (ATLAS) Campus Strategic Initiative
 Steering Committee (1997-2000)
 Subcommittee, Research on Effective Use of Technology in Education (1997)
Member, Boulder Campus Planning Committee (Chancellor’s appointment) (1998; 2003-2006)
Member, Faculty Advisory Committee on Educational and Information Technology (2002-2004)
Law School Liaison, Faculty Teaching Excellence Program, Teaching and Learning with Technology
Initiative, (1999-2000)
Member, Information Technology Strategic Plan Committee (1999-2001)
 Faculty Review Committee (1999)
 Information/Information Technology Literacy Group (2001)
Member, Dean’s Tenure Review Committee, University of Colorado at Boulder Libraries (1993)
Member, University Libraries Public Access Catalog Advisory Group (1987-1989)
Member, Library Faculty Pay Equity Committee (1989-1990)

University of Colorado System

Member, Presidential Search Committee (2005-2006)
Member, Faculty Council (2003-2006)
 Executive Committee (2003-2006)
 Vice President/President-Elect (2004-2006)
Member, Opt-Out Task Force (Presidential appointee) (2004-2006)
Member, Committee on Libraries and Associated Information Technologies (1989)
Member, Library Directors/Deans Council (1988-)
 Coordinator (1997-1998)
Member, Digital Library Task Force (1998-1999)
Member, University Committee on Intellectual Property (2000-2002)

Auraria Library Strategic Planning Commission (1989-1990)
 Task Force on Personnel, Organization, and Administration

Tenure/Continuing Status Reviews

University of New Mexico School of Law Library (1993-1994)
University of California at Los Angeles School of Law (1997)
University of New Mexico School of Law (1999-2000)
Santa Clara University School of Law Library (1999-2000)
University of Idaho School of Law (2001)
University of Hawaii School of Law (2003)
University of Kansas School of Law Library (2004)
University of Oregon Libraries (2004)

Introduction to Law School and Legal Practice (2007) (six-week series of classes presented at Angevine Middle School, Lafayette, CO, to eighth grade high-achievers at predominately Hispanic public school)

Working Group on Public Services, National Indian Law Library (2000-)

Bixby School

Book Fair Coordinator (1996-2000)
Newsletter Committee (1998)
Recycling (1999-)

Central Washington University Foundation

Board Member (2003-)
 Chair, Nominations Committee (2006-)

Den Leader, Cub Scout Pack 233, Boulder, CO

Tiger Cubs (1996-1997)
Wolf Cubs (1997-1998)
Bear Cubs (1998-1999)

Judge, Summit Middle School National History Day Fair (December, 2001; December, 2002)

Fairview Band Boosters Organization (2004-2008) (various responsibilities including making uniform alterations, staffing concessions stand, moving percussion equipment, and fundraising)

University of Dubai (UAE)

Chair, Law School Academic Advisory Council (2006-)

United Arab Emirates University

Member, Academic Advisory Council (2005-)

HONORS AND RECOGNITION

Recipient of 2008 Robert L. Stearns Awards, University of Colorado Alumni Association. (“The Stearns Award recognizes outstanding members of the current CU-Boulder faculty and staff. It honors exceptional achievement or service in any one, but usually a combination, of the following areas: outstanding teaching, extraordinary service to the University, exemplary work with students, significant research and/or off-campus service to the community.”)

Selected for “The Essential Law Library Journal,” a compilation of thirty articles from the 100 years of publication of the Law Library Journal. (Selected article was "From Creativity to Computerese: Thinking Like a Lawyer in the Computer Age," 88 Law Library Journal 338-351 (1996)).

Recipient of 2006-2007 AALL Spectrum Article of the Year Award for “The Ethics of Electronic Record Sharing,” Barbara Bintliff and Georgia Briscoe, 10 AALL Spectrum 15-17 (No. 8, June 2006).

Contributor, chapter 6, “Colorado Prestatohood Legal Resources: Sixteenth Century to 1876,” to *Prestatohood Legal Materials: A Fifty-State Research Guide, Including New York City and the District of Columbia*, Chiorazzi and Most (eds.). The two-volume *Guide* received the 2007 Joseph L. Andrews Bibliographical Award from the American Association of Law Libraries.

Recipient of Presidential Certificate of Merit from Claire M. Germain, AALL President, “For her leadership and enduring commitment to AALL and the profession, and advocacy on behalf of academic law library directors.” July 11, 2006.

Recipient of Frederick Charles Hicks Award for Outstanding Contributions to Academic Law Librarianship, American Association of Law Libraries, July 19, 2005 (presented by AALL Academic Law Libraries Special Interest Section, San Antonio, TX).

Awarded Clifford Calhoun Public Service Award, University of Colorado School of Law, April 2002.

Recipient of Boulder Faculty Assembly Excellence in Service Award, April 26, 2001.

Named Distinguished Alumnus for the College of the Sciences, Central Washington University, October 29, 2000 (presented by Central Washington University Alumni Association Board of Directors).

Grant Recipient, Faculty Teaching Excellence Program, 2000 (received Canon Vizcam document camera).

Service Recognition Award from Boulder Faculty Assembly for term as Executive Board Member and Secretary, April 23, 1999.

Listed in Who’s Who in America, Who’s Who in American Law, Who’s Who Among American Women, Who’s Who in American Education, Who’s Who in the West, etc. (since 1996).

21st Annual Austin W. Scott, Jr. Lecturer at University of Colorado School of Law, October 17, 1996.

Grant Recipient, Technology in Teaching Program, 1990 (received Macintosh computer)

Grant Recipient, Harvey T. and Agnes Reid Foundation, 1980 (grant for travel to professional conference)