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**ACADEMIC POSITIONS:**

**WIDENER UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Associate Professor, 2007-Present

Visiting Associate Professor, 2005-2007

Courses taught:

- Torts I
- Torts II
- Evidence
- Professional Responsibility

**TEMPLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Honorable Abraham L. Freedman Fellow and Lecturer in Law, 2003-2005

Courses taught:

- Professional Responsibility
- Legal Research & Writing
- Torts (in collaboration with Scott Burris)
- Medical Malpractice (in collaboration with Frank McClellan)
- American Legal History (in collaboration with Diane Maleson)
- Jurisprudence (in collaboration with Richard Greenstein)

**PUBLICATIONS:**

*Crimtorts*, 17 Widener L.J. \_\_\_\_ (2008) (symposium introduction).

A RECIPE FOR *BALANCED* TORT REFORM (2008) (with Jeffrey O'Connell).

*Peace: A Public Purpose for Punitive Damages?*, 2 Charleston Law Review 327 (2008)  
(symposium piece).

*Torts Rationales, Pluralism, and Isaiah Berlin*, 14 George Mason Law Review 329 (2007).

*Can There Be a Unified Theory of Torts? A Pluralist Suggestion from History and Doctrine*, 43 Brandeis Law Journal 369 (2005).

*Contributory or Comparative: Which is the Optimal Negligence Rule?*, 24 Northern Illinois University Law Review 41 (2003) (with Paul G. Sherland).

*The Role of Compensation in Personal Injury Tort Law: A Response to the Opposite Concerns of Gary Schwartz and Patrick Atiyah*, 32 Connecticut Law Review 137 (1999) (with Jeffrey O'Connell).

*"Choice Auto Insurance": Do Theories of Justice Require Linkage Between Injurers and the*

*Injured?*, 1997 University of Illinois Law Review 1109 (with Jeffrey O'Connell).

**EDUCATION:**

**TEMPLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
LL.M. in Legal Education, May 2005

**UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA SCHOOL OF LAW**, Charlottesville, Virginia  
J.D., May 1996  
Research Assistant to Jeffrey O'Connell  
Legal Aid Society

**COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY**, Williamsburg, Virginia  
B.A., *cum laude*, May 1993  
Majors: Government and Philosophy (with Honors)  
Minor: Spanish  
General Honors Program  
*Pi Sigma Alpha* (Government honor society)  
*Sigma Delta Pi* (Spanish honor society)

**LITIGATION EXPERIENCE:**

**TREMBLAY & SMITH, LLP**, Charlottesville, Virginia  
Associate (1996-2003)

- Represented clients in tort actions, including defamation, medical malpractice, and false imprisonment. Litigated issues of sovereign immunity and punitive damages.
- Represented clients in commercial litigation and transactions, including UCC, contract, and administrative law issues. Representative clients included national communications corporations (ALLTEL, Verizon, Sprint PCS), a leading multi-national plastic producer (Klöckner Capital Corporation), and a national leasing corporation (Amano Business Credit).
- Acted as first and second chair in federal and state litigation. Represented clients in mediations. Performed research and prepared memoranda, briefs, and motions; argued motions.

**ACTIVITIES:**

Member, Harrisburg Salvation Army Advisory Board (2005-Present)  
Member, Virginia State Bar Litigation Section Young Lawyers Committee (1999-2003)  
Member, Albemarle County Public Recreational Facilities Authority (1998-2003)  
Member, Charlottesville Salvation Army Advisory Board (1997-2003)

**BAR ADMISSION:**

State: Virginia

Federal: United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit;  
United States District Courts for the Western and Eastern Districts of Virginia