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TEACHING:

I have taught law students as well as undergraduates. At the law school level, most recently I have taught Wills & Trusts, Constitutional Law, Legal History, Business Associations, and Agency & Partnerships. At the undergraduate level, I have taught constitutional law and business law courses, as well as courses on American government and judicial institutions. I have been nominated several times for excellence in teaching and have won the award three times.

Current Subjects: Wills & Trusts

1/1981 – Present Southwestern Law School
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Professor of Law
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Associate Professor of Law
(1987-1991)

Adjunct Associate Professor of Law
(1981-1987)

8/1983 – 7/1987 Department of Business Law,
School of Business Administration and Economics
California State University
Northridge, CA 91330

PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE:

11/1980 – 4/1983 **Associate Attorney**

Poindexter & Doutre, Inc.
624 S. Grand Avenue, Suite 400
Los Angeles, CA 90017-3325

7/1978 – 11/1980 **Associate Attorney**
Latham & Watkins LLP
355 S. Grand Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90071-1560

EDUCATION:

STANFORD LAW SCHOOL
J.D., 1978

LAW SCHOOL OF HARVARD UNIVERSITY
First-year studies, 1973-1974

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, GRADUATE STUDIES IN
POLITICAL SCIENCE, 1974-1976
ABD; Candidate for Ph.D., 1976
Areas of Written Examination: American Government, Public Law,
Political Theory

POMONA COLLEGE
Bachelor of Arts in Government, 1973
(Magna Cum Laude)
Areas of Concentration: American Government and History

**PROFESSIONAL &
COMMUNITY**

ACTIVITIES:

Speaker, Pacific Southwest Business Law Association Convention (1984,
1987)
Speaker to various Bar Associations, service clubs, and community groups
primarily on issues of constitutional law
Commentator on constitutional law, political issues, and the Supreme
Court on various TV and radio programs and in newspapers
Director, Celebration of the Constitution Bicentennial, California State
University, Northridge (1987)
Founding Faculty Co-Advisor, Southwestern Law School student chapter
of the Federalist Society
Faculty Advisor, Southwestern Law School student chapter of the
Christian Legal Society

Languages: German (fluent); French (conversational)

PUBLICATIONS

INSTRUCTOR'S MANUAL and TEST MANUAL for LYDEN, et al., *BUSINESS AND THE LAW* (McGraw-Hill, 1985)

INSTRUCTOR'S MANUAL and TEST MANUAL for HOEBER, REITZEL, et al., *CONTEMPORARY BUSINESS LAW*, 3rd Edition (McGraw-Hill 1985), and 4th Edition (McGraw-Hill 1989)

Regulation D: Rationalizing the Exemptions under the 1933 Securities Act, 7 GLENDALE LAW REVIEW 97 (1987)

To See the Trees, But Not the Forest in Constitution-Making, 17 SOUTHWESTERN LAW REVIEW 239 (1987)

Book Review: Bernard Siegan, *The Supreme Court and the Constitution*, 18 SOUTHWESTERN LAW REVIEW 213 (1989)

Book Review: Robert Bork, *The Tempting of America: The Political Seduction of the Law*, Adelphia Law Journal (1990)

The Judicial Appointment Process: An Appeal for Moderation and Self-Restraint, 7 ST. JOHN'S JOURNAL OF LEGAL COMMENTARY 179 (Spring 1991)

Book Review: Scott Douglas Gerber, *First Principles: The Jurisprudence of Clarence Thomas*, IDEAS ON LIBERTY (May 2000)

Book Review: Lucas A. Powe, Jr., *The Supreme Court and the American Elite, 1789-2008*, 60 JOURNAL OF LEGAL EDUCATION 339 (2010)

Parallel Lines on the Road to Stare Decisis: A Response to Professor Alberto Garay, 25 Sw. J. Int'l L. 321 (2019)

Book Review: Clare Cushman, *Courtwatchers: Eyewitness Accounts in Supreme Court History*, WESTERN LEGAL HISTORY, THE JOURNAL OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT HISTORICAL SOCIETY (Publication pending)

Numerous articles on constitutional law for the Los Angeles Daily Journal (List Available on Request)

Over 160 essays on the Federalist Papers, the Constitution, Supreme Court justices, Supreme Court cases and general American constitutional history for the educational organization Constituting America