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Admitted to practice in: California; 9th Circuit Court of Appeals; C.D. Cal; N.D. Cal; S.D. Cal; E.D. Cal.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Southwestern Law School Los Angeles, California
Associate Professor of Law for Academic Success and Bar Preparation 07/17-present

Teach and develop curriculum for Cal Bar Writing: Skills & Strategies, MBE: Skills & Strategies, Remedies and Community Property: Cal Bar Preparation, and Foundations of Law and Practice courses. Develop and deliver Early Bar Prep curriculum for MBE and CA bar subjects through Bison Boot Camp and other structured bar prep programs. Develop effective approaches and strategies for the Performance Test component of the bar exam. Work with February and July bar takers individually and through the Bison Bar Pass program. Provide year-round counseling and support for students and alumni preparing for the bar exam. Develop creative study aids. Attend and present at the AASE conference and other conferences. Coach Moot Court teams and volunteer to judge Moot Court practice rounds. Judge LAWS and 1L Labs rounds. Attend faculty meetings and vote on action items.

Committee Assignments

Chair, Diversity & Inclusion Committee 9/21-present

Liaison, EIB Task Force Curriculum Subcommittee 09/21-present

Member, Diversity & Inclusion Committee 09/19-present

Member, Admissions Committee 03/19-present

Member, Externship Committee 09/18-present

Member, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging Task Force Coordinating Committee 09/21-05/22

Member, Academic Engagement Committee 08/17-04/18

Whittier Law School Costa Mesa, California
Senior Dean's Fellow in Academic Support and Bar Preparation 05/16-07/17

Teach and develop curriculum for 1L, 2L, and 3L courses focusing on skills and substantive coverage of bar subjects. Provide extensive individualized feedback on student writing. Provide year-long academic support, including early bar prep programs, to students and alumni studying for the bar examination. Counsel students on study strategies and best practices for law school, the bar, and practice. Provide departmental administrative support as needed.

Winget Spadafora Schwartzberg LLP via Special Counsel Los Angeles, California
Contract Associate 04/16-07/16

Research and draft dispositive and discovery motions filed in federal court and arbitration on securities and professional liability matters. Provide support on discovery and research items as needed. Draft memoranda advising clients on available and recommended courses of action.

The Williams Institute at UCLA School of Law Los Angeles, California
Research Assistant 04/16-07/16

Provide research, writing, proofreading, and cite-checking support for reports as needed.

United States District Court, Central District of California Los Angeles, California
Magistrate Judge Law Clerk 04/15 – 03/16

Research and draft reports and recommendations on petitions for writs of habeas corpus and memorandum opinions on social security appeals for six Magistrate Judges. Assist Chief Magistrate Judge in researching and drafting orders on civil matters including business disputes, appointed receiver actions, and discovery disputes. Complete administrative projects as needed.

Theodora Oringher, P.C. via Special Counsel Los Angeles, California
Contract Attorney 03/15 – 04/15
Review and organize construction submittals for a major project with the city of Los Angeles.

Meyers Nave, P.C. via Special Counsel Los Angeles, California
Contract Attorney 12/14 – 01/15
Document review.

Hooper, Lundy & Bookman, P.C. Los Angeles, California
Healthcare and Managed Care Litigation Associate 02/14 – 11/14
Research and draft briefs and motions filed in federal and state court. Appear and obtain workplace violence restraining orders for client hospital. Research and draft discovery requests and motions; memoranda advising clients on courses of action regarding payor/provider contract disputes and evidentiary and arbitration matters. Negotiate favorable settlement agreements in ERISA lawsuit against hundreds of defendants. Manage and review documents for production in national Medicare and ERISA lawsuits, and hospital insurance contracts impacted by federal government sequester.

Irell & Manella, LLP via Special Counsel Los Angeles, California
Contract Attorney 09/13 – 02/14
Document review.

Bingham McCutchen, LLP Santa Monica, California
Complex Commercial Litigation Associate 01/12 – 09/13
Research and draft pleadings, briefs, and motions in state and federal court. Draft discovery objections, responses, and requests in civil business disputes. Practice areas include business law and insurance coverage litigation, white collar investigations, labor and employment, and environmental law. Compose letters to opposing counsel and memoranda advising clients. Perform document review and due diligence. Frequent contributing author to the *Environmental Liabilities, Enforcement & Penalties* reporter. Pro bono matters include public benefits, tenant/landlord, child custody litigation, education finance, and same-sex marriage.

Professor Stuart Biegel, UCLA School of Law Los Angeles, California
Research Assistant 03/11 – 01/12
Provide research and writing assistance for third edition of leading casebook on education law and policy. Research and draft footnotes and substantive sections. Edit case and article excerpts.

Bingham McCutchen, LLP Los Angeles, California
Summer Associate 05/10 – 07/10
Research and draft memoranda on issues ranging from auction rate securities to insurance litigation. Receive extensive training in legal research law firm technologies.

STATEMENT OF TEACHING

Southwestern Law School Los Angeles, California
Cal Bar Writing: Skills & Strategies Fall 2018; Spring 2019; Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 2022, Fall 2022, Spring 2023
Foundations of Law and Practice SCALE Period 1, 2022
MBE: Skills & Strategies Spring 2020, Spring 2021
Remedies and Community Property: California Bar Preparation Fall 2017, Spring 2018

Whittier Law School	Costa Mesa, California
<i>Selected Topics in Law and Sexuality</i>	Winter 2018
<i>Legal Analysis Workshop II</i>	Spring 2017
<i>Legal Methods II</i>	Spring 2017
<i>Academic Success Practicum II</i>	Spring 2017
<i>Legal Analysis Workshop I</i>	Fall 2016, Spring 2017
<i>Legal Methods I</i>	Fall 2016

NON-PROFIT AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Center for Health Justice	Los Angeles, California
<i>Board of Directors: Member</i>	07/15 – present
<i>Board of Directors: President</i>	01/17 – 01/19, 01/23 – present
<i>Board of Directors: Legal Counsel</i>	01/20 – present
<i>Board of Directors: Legislation and Policy Subcommittee</i>	01/19 – present
<i>Board of Directors: Vice President</i>	01/16 – 01/17, 01/20 – 01/22
<i>Board of Directors: Secretary</i>	01/19 – 01/20
<i>Board of Directors: Treasurer</i>	07/15 – 01/17
<i>Pioneer Award Recipient</i>	09/07/2021

Center for Health Justice serves people impacted by incarceration by providing health education and support that act as a bridge to a productive life. As President, facilitate strategic partnerships, influence agency goals, and work closely with Executive Director on major initiatives and operational matters. As Vice President, lead monthly Executive Committee meetings. As Treasurer, present financial reports to Executive Committee and review annual audit. As Legal Counsel, provide information products on personnel and legal policy issues and refer matters to outside counsel as needed. Draft bylaws amendments and additions to the employee handbook. Assist in writing Strategic Plan every three years. Member of Legislation and Policy Subcommittee. Organize events including the Pioneer Awards gala. Attend monthly Executive Committee meetings and quarterly Board meetings. Vote on action items.

Orange County Lavender Bar Association	Irvine, California
<i>Member</i>	07/16 – 07/17

The Williams Institute LA Leadership Council	Los Angeles, California
<i>Member, Moot Court Volunteer Judge Recruitment</i>	05/11 – 05/14
Increase presence, financial support, and strategic partnerships of the Williams Institute in the Los Angeles area. Recruit volunteer judges for the annual Williams Institute Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Moot Court Competition.	

LGBT Bar Association of Los Angeles	Los Angeles, California
<i>Member</i>	10/08 – 11/13, 11/15 – 11/16

PRESENTATIONS

WOOLLEY, BRYCE, LAUGHING YOUR WAY TO THE GOAL: USING HUMOR TO ENGAGE STUDENTS AND FACILITATE MEMORIZATION FOR THE BAR, presented at West Coast Consortium of Academic Support Professionals, on November 5, 2021

WOOLLEY, BRYCE, BAR PREP ON YOUR SCHEDULE: MODULAR AND FLEXIBLE STUDY PLANS, presented at Association of Academic Support Educators Conference on May 21, 2019

WOOLLEY, BRYCE, WORDS MATTER: LANGUAGE IN SOCIETY, THE SUPREME COURT, AND CHJ, presented to Center for Health Justice on July 13, 2018

WOOLLEY, BRYCE, CHJ MOVING FORWARD: MANAGING MILIEU AND GENERATIONAL DIFFERENCES IN THE WORKPLACE, presented to Center for Health Justice on July 8, 2017

WOOLLEY, BRYCE, LEGAL CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR LGBTQs IN THE AGE OF TRUMP, presented to Whittier Law School on February 20, 2017

WOOLLEY, BRYCE, THE POST-ELECTION LANDSCAPE: SURVEYING THE ROAD AHEAD, panelist at Whittier Law School, January 23, 2017, and Whittier College, February 23, 2017

WOOLLEY, BRYCE, GOOD FOR BUSINESS: THE WORKPLACE AND COMMERCIAL BENEFITS OF AN LGBT AFFINITY GROUP, presented to ProVisors on June 23, 2016

PUBLICATIONS

WOOLLEY, BRYCE, *Best Practices for Effective Legal Writing*, DEAN'S FELLOWS DIGEST ISSUE #32, October 08, 2021

WOOLLEY, BRYCE, *Leading Rainbow: Challenges and Solutions for Diverse and Inclusive Legal Workplaces*, LEADERSHIP EXCHANGE, Fall 2017, at p. 18-19

WOOLLEY, BRYCE & WOOLLEY, EVAN, *Twin Tweaks* column, SERVO MAGAZINE, August 2008 – November 2014

PUBLICATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

CHRISTY MALLORY & BRAD SEARS, WILLIAMS INST. AT UNIV. OF CAL. L.A. SCH. OF LAW, DISCRIMINATION, DIVERSITY, AND DEVELOPMENT: THE LEGAL AND ECONOMIC IMPLICATIONS OF NORTH CAROLINA'S HB2 (2016)

STUART BIEGEL, EDUCATION AND THE LAW, THIRD EDITION, WEST-THOMSON/REUTERS (American Casebook Series) (2012)

EDUCATION

University of California – Los Angeles School of Law, Los Angeles, CA
JD, May 2011

Honors:	Moot Court Honors Program: Distinguished Advocate Award
Activities:	<i>The Dukeminier Awards Journal of Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Law</i> : Editor-in-Chief (2010-2011), Chief Business Editor (2009-2010) ABA National Appellate Advocacy Competition: Competitor, Spring 2011 El Centro Clinic: HIV/AIDS Legal Services Alliance Co-Chair, 2009-2011 UCLA Law School Academic Support: Graduate Assistant Tutor for Torts, Constitutional Law, and Criminal Law, 2009-2011 OUTlaw: 3L Representative, Co-Chair, 1L Representative Judicial Extern: The Honorable Barry Ted Moskowitz (S.D. Cal.), 2009

University of California – San Diego, La Jolla, CA
BA, *with highest distinction*, Sociology and Individualized Studies in Law & Society, June 2008
Minor, Psychology
GPA: 3.938, *summa cum laude*

Honors: Provost’s Honors (9 of 9 quarters)
Alpha Kappa Delta, International Sociology Honor Society
Undergraduate Paper Prize Runner Up, Department of Sociology

Activities: Earl Warren College: Resident Advisor
Department of Sociology: Reader for Epidemiological Methods
Department of Psychology: Instructional Assistant for Introduction to Statistics
LGBTQIA: Principal Member, Chairman, Events Coordinator, Treasurer
UCLGBTIA: UCSD LGBTQIA Representative
Chancellor’s Undergraduate Diversity Leadership Institute: Intern, Participant

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Proficient with online learning platforms and video conferencing applications including Canvas, Zoom, and TWEN. Experience with Camtasia. Experience with Concordance (document review) and DataSite (diligence).

Competitor in televised combat robotics (BattleBots 2018, 2019 & 2021 seasons). Competitor on Discovery Kids television show “Operation Junkyard” (2002). Book and local art collector. Former soap opera star (“Santa Barbara,” 1988-1989).