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Teaching Experience

Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey
Rutgers Business School
Department Of Accounting, Business Ethics and Information Systems
(1992 to Present)

Associate Professor of Professional Practice

Teaching Business Law I, Business Law II, Advanced Topics in Business Law, Law and Legal Reasoning, Legal Environment, and Teacher Training courses as required, both at the graduate and undergraduate levels. Normally teaching four sections during the Fall Semester, four in the Spring Semester, two during Summer Session, and one Winter Session course, and one online course in the Spring, Summer, and Fall Semesters. Teaching assignments to date as follows:

- Fall 1992 to Fall 1998: Adjunct faculty.
- Spring 1999 to August 2002: Full time faculty.
- January 2005 to May 2006: Adjunct Faculty (Newark) Professional Accounting Program
- June 2006 to Present: Full time faculty.
Business Ph.D. Program (Newark), Professional Accounting Masters Program (Newark), MAACY Program Online Course, Undergraduate Program (New Brunswick) MBA Program (New Brunswick) MBA Program (Morristown) SAS Honors Colloquium (SAS New Brunswick Spring 2009)

Responsible also for selection of new texts and materials for Business Law Courses, structuring of syllabus and course outline, and for preparation of examination materials used by the Business School in accrediting students for Business law courses taken elsewhere.

Responsible for the organization and conduct of the Teacher Training Seminar for Business School Ph.D. candidates, a successful program now in its sixth year.

Responsible for development, implementation, and supervision of hybrid/online versions of Business Law 1 (2 credit) and Business Law 2 (2 credit) courses for the MBAPA program. Developed and teaches Advanced Topics In Business Law online course for the MAACY program. Recently completed a comprehensive revision of the Advanced Topics course and structured transition of course content to the Blackboard platform from eCollege.

Maintains regular office hours both on and off campus to assist students with course materials and to offer assistance and guidance to students seeking to pursue a legal career after graduation.

Participated actively as a Campus Advisor for the Rutgers University Office of Student Conduct, serving as a counselor to students facing disciplinary charges within the University discipline system.

Middlesex County College
Edison, New Jersey (1986 to 6/92)
Member of Adjunct Faculty, Department Of Community Education.

Professional Experience

Bucca & Campisano

New Brunswick, New Jersey (5/2004-2015)

Of Counsel to a New Brunswick general practice law firm. Nominal, unpaid position, held for the primary purpose of maintaining a point of contact for former clients.

Charles J. Soos, P.C.

Princeton and Kendall Park, New Jersey (8/89 – 5/2004)

Retired from Full-time practice 5/2004

Involved in the handling of commercial, estate, trust, real estate, criminal and elder law matters, on a part-time basis since 1999. Responsibilities include litigation and transactional work and all other areas of the general practice of law. Substantial experience in complex general and corporate litigation, both in the handling of plaintiff and defense cases. Overall responsibility for law office management and operations. Serves as arbitrator and mediator for the Superior Court of New Jersey, Civil Arbitration Program, handling contract arbitration in Middlesex, Hunterdon, Somerset, and Warren Counties.

Borris, Goldin, Foley, Vignuolo, Hyman & Stahl, P.C.

North Brunswick, New Jersey (12/88 to 7/89)

Associate litigation attorney with extensive involvement in all areas of the general practice of law, including criminal law, commercial law, contract law, family law, negligence, real estate, estates, trusts and probate. Included state and federal practice and service as Municipal Prosecutor for East Windsor Township.

George F. Hendricks, Esqs.

New Brunswick, New Jersey (2/84 to 12/88)

Associate attorney involved in the general practice of law following clerkship with firm. Extensive experience in plaintiff's negligence litigation, commercial, criminal, family, probate and civil rights litigation. Included state and federal practice.

Member, Board of Directors

Tillit Group, LLC

Tillit Group, LLC is a national consultancy of fiduciary compliance experts providing expertise to trustees of retirement plans, private trusts and not-for-profit organizations, as well as plaintiffs and defendants involved in fiduciary responsibility litigation. The firm's particular focus is the application of the prudent investor rule under ERISA and the Uniform Prudent Investor Act. Tillit's consultants analyze a trust's operations, identify fiduciary breaches, and relate the breaches to applicable federal and state statutes. Some typical breaches of fiduciary duty include failure to establish and implement prudent strategies, insufficient diversification, failure to prudently monitor investment performance, and failure to control fees and expenses.

Education

Seton Hall University School Of Law
Newark, New Jersey
Juris Doctor Degree, May 1984

Rutgers College, Rutgers University
New Brunswick, New Jersey
Bachelor of Arts Degree, May 1978
Certificate in Criminal Justice awarded concurrently.

Institute For Continuing Legal Education
New Brunswick, New Jersey

Participates in continuing, comprehensive Professional Legal Education in all facets of the law, with emphasis on Commercial Law, Elder Law, Litigation, Estates and Trusts, averaging 5-7 seminars and/or workshops each year. Annually exceeds the continuing education requirements as set forth for practicing attorneys in the State of New Jersey.

Continuing Professional Education Programs, including web seminars and workshops to maintain currency in the general practice of law in the State Of Colorado.

Admissions And Memberships

Licensed to practice law in New Jersey since 1984
Licensed to practice in the United States District Court for New Jersey
Licensed to practice before The United States Third Circuit Court of Appeals
Licensed to practice in the State Of Colorado since 1993
Licensed to Practice before the United States Supreme Court, March 2003

Member, Supreme Court Fee Arbitration Committee, 1995 -1998
Chair, Supreme Court District VIII Fee Arbitration Committee, 1997 - 1998
Member, Supreme Court District XIII Ethics Committee, 1998 to 2002
Member, Supreme Court District VIII Ethics Committee, 2002 to September 2007
Member, on recall, Supreme Court District VIII Ethics Committee, 2007-2011

Member, American Bar Association (1984-2005)
Member, New Jersey State Bar Association (1984-2005)
Member, Somerset County Bar Association (1996-2005)
Member, Middlesex County Bar Association (1984-2005)
Member, Mercer County Bar Association (1996-2005)
Member, National Academy Of Elder Law Attorneys (1996-2005)
Member, New Brunswick Bar Association (1984-2005)

Awards

Dean's Award for Meritorious Teaching May 2010
Excellence in Teaching Award April 11, 2008
Excellence in Teaching Award 2001-2002
Outstanding Teaching Award May 1998, Dept. of Accounting
Meritorious Public Service Citations, NJ Supreme Court, April 1998, June 2002, and August 2007
Certificate of Appreciation, Rutgers Department of Fire and Emergency Services, Training Division, September 1991