

ROBIN WELLFORD SLOCUM
Professor of Law

EDUCATION

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW,
J.D., 1982
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Washington University Law Quarterly

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, B.A.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Law Instruction:

2000-present	CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW Orange, California Professor of Law Associate Professor of Law(2000-2004) Courses: Client Interviewing & Counseling, Legal Research & Writing, Mediation, Negotiations, Professional Responsibility, Psychology of Conflict Resolution
Fall 2008	MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL Milwaukee, Wisconsin Boden Visiting Professor of Law
1992-2000	WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW St. Louis, Missouri Director of Legal Research and Writing Director of LL.M. Program for International Students Acting Director of Legal Research and Writing Visiting Assistant Professor of Legal Writing

Legal Experience:

1987 – 1989	SUELTHAUS & KAPLAN, P.C. St. Louis, Missouri Associate Specialized in employment, labor, and ERISA litigation. Briefed and argued cases before federal and state appellate and trial level courts.
1983 – 1987	GREENSFELDER, HEMKER & GALE, P.C St. Louis, Missouri Associate Specialized in employment and commercial litigation, and ERISA. Briefed and argued cases before

federal and state trial level courts.

1982 – 1983

JUDGE JAMES H. MEREDITH
United States District Court, Eastern District of Missouri
Law Clerk.

PUBLICATIONS

Textbooks:

Legal Reasoning, Writing & Other Lawyering Skills (3d ed., 2011). Previously published as: Legal Reasoning, Writing, & Persuasive Argument. (Title change to reflect expanded coverage and therapeutic jurisprudence perspective).

Teacher's Manual for above textbook (June 2011).

Legal Analysis and Writing (Lexis-Nexis Electronic Authors Press (1996) – Printed as textbook and with hypertext links and interactive student/professor notes in FOLIO version. (Textbook solicited by Lexis-Nexis for publication.)

Teacher's Manual for above textbook (1997).

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

An Inconvenient Truth: The Unmet Need to Educate
Emotionally Competent Lawyers (forthcoming).

The Dilemma of the Vengeful Client: Cooling the Flames of Anger,
92 Marquette L. Rev. 481 (2009). Article reprinted and distributed for use by the National Judicial Institute (NJI) in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada at conference for training judges (April 2011; 2010; 2009).

The Law School Student-Faculty Conference: Towards a
Transformative Learning Experience, 45 S. Texas L. Rev. 255 (2004). Article reprinted in monograph series: 1 Monograph Series of the Legal Writing Institute, The Art of Critiquing Student Work (2009).

Smart Chart: Legal Research and Citation (National Institute for
Legal Education, Division of Harcourt Publishing Company 1999) -
Flow chart of Legal Research and Citation for first-year law students.

Labor Law – Work Preservation – Identification of Work at Issue Requires Analysis of Bargaining Unit Traditional Work Patterns, 59 Wash. U. L. Q. 293 (1980).

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Faculty member of the LexisNexis

Law School Advisory Board.

Jan. 1996: Received highest award from LexisNexis in a National Competition; Faculty were invited to use FOLIO software to create interactive materials for teaching Legal Research and Writing; as a result of this award, LexisNexis solicited the author to write a textbook using FOLIO software, culminating in the Legal Analysis and Writing electronic textbook.

June 2011: Presenter at the Institute for Law Teaching & Learning Summer Conference, New York, New York: Rethinking “Thinking Like a Lawyer”: Towards a New Paradigm

June 2011 (forthcoming): Plenary speaker at the AALS Workshop for Beginning Legal Writing Teachers, Wash. D.C.: Holding Effective Student Conferences

March 2011: Presenter at the Rocky Mountain Regional Legal Writing Conference, UNLV: Rethinking “Thinking Like a Lawyer”: Towards a New Paradigm

February 2011: ½ Day CLE Workshop to San Bernardino County District Attorney’s Office: Bias and Legal Ethics

June 2010: Presenter at the Bi-Annual Legal Writing Institute Conference, Marco Island, Florida – presentation on incorporating principles of therapeutic jurisprudence into the first-year curriculum.

February 2010: Workshop to Facilitators: Kids First Program – discussing conflict resolution

October 2009: Invited speaker at a conference sponsored by UCLA School of Law: The Pedagogy of Interviewing and Counseling (presented paper on working with vengeful clients).

January 2009: AALS Poster: Building Capable Lawyers

2009-Present: CLE presentations to law firms in Los Angeles and Orange County on legal ethics and working with difficult clients.

July 2008: Presenter at the Bi-Annual Legal Writing Institute Conference in LRW and Lawyering Skills – presentation on excellence in teaching.

June 2007: Presenter at the Bi-Annual Association of Legal Writing Directors Conference – presentation on excellence in teaching.

March 2007: Presenter at the Rocky Mountain Regional Legal Writing Conference – presentation on working with challenging students.

June 2006: Presenter at the Bi-Annual Legal Writing Institute Conference in LRW and Lawyering Skills – presentation on working with challenging students.

June 2005: Presenter at the Bi-Annual Association of Legal Writing Directors Conference – facilitate discussion on training new teachers.

July 2004: Presenter at the Bi-Annual Legal Writing Institute Conferences in LRW and Lawyering Skills – presentation on conducting effective faculty/student conferences.

June 2003: Presenter at the AALS New Teacher's Conference in Wash. D.C., Legal Writing Section.

May 2002 & July 2000: Presenter at the Bi-Annual Legal Writing Institute Conferences in LRW and Lawyering Skills – presentation on conducting effective faculty/student conferences.

June 2000: Presentation on clear & persuasive writing strategies at Suelthaus & Kaplan, PC, St. Louis, Missouri.

Nov. 1999: Presentation on persuasive argument before the Illinois Attorney General's Office (Springfield & Chicago offices).

Sept. 1999: Presentation on "Conducting Effective Student Conferences," at the First Central Region LRW & Lawyering Skills Conference.

July 1999: Presentation on "Training and Evaluating LRW Faculty" at the Association of Legal Writing Directors Conference, Boston College of Law.

1997-2002: Presenter, Bar-Bri/National Institute for Legal Education. Each summer, conducted numerous nationwide workshops on Legal Research and Writing to prospective first-year law students as part of Bar-Bri/ NILE's summer programs.

May 1998: Developed an intensive one-day workshop introducing Legal Research and Writing to smaller groups of prospective first-year law students.

May 1997: Developed a model program for the organization's series of three-day intensive workshops that introduced Legal Research and Writing to groups of 120 to 200 prospective first-year law students.

NATIONAL COMMITTEES

2011-2012: Member, 2012 LWI Conference – Program Committee
2011-2012: Mentor: LWI Scholarship Committee
2008-2010: Co-Chair: LWI Scholarship Committee