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BIOGRAPHY



Professor Vicki Lawrence MacDougall assumed emerita status in June 2018. Professor MacDougall, a native of Oklahoma, received her undergraduate degree from the University of Oklahoma and her Juris Doctorate degree from Oklahoma City University School of Law. She was valedictorian of her graduating law school class and a founding member and editor of the Oklahoma City University Law Review. After graduating

from Oklahoma City University School of Law, Professor MacDougall clerked for Judge Dwain Box of the Oklahoma Court of Civil Appeals before joining the faculty of the School of Law in 1978. Professor MacDougall has taught multiple generations of OCU Law students. She has taught, and continues to teach, in the areas of torts, products liability, health care law, disability law, law and genetics, and bioethics. In the process, Professor MacDougall has earned law students' highest honor: the Professor of the Year award.

In addition to her outstanding teaching, Professor MacDougall has made lasting contributions to the programs offered by OCU School of Law. She is the founder and director of the school's Health Law Certificate program, and she established the annual Integris Lecture on topics relating to health law. Further, not only was Professor MacDougall a founder of the Law Review, but she served for many years as its Faculty Advisor. Her guidance has helped hundreds of law review members and editors hone their writing and leadership abilities. To this day, she continues to provide OCU Law Review with the benefit of her institutional knowledge and wise advice.

Professor MacDougall has authored or contributed to several important treatises that aid both legal scholars and practicing lawyers. Her works include *OKLAHOMA PRODUCT LIABILITY LAW*, Volume 8 of the Oklahoma Practice Series. Most recently, she served as editor in chief and author of several chapters in *NEGLIGENCE: POLICY, ELEMENTS, AND EVIDENCE* (2018). In addition, she has authored numerous scholarly articles in her fields of expertise.

Over four decades, Professor MacDougall's leadership, teaching, and scholarship have provided a great service to the legal community and have immeasurably improved the quality of legal education for generations of students. Both the Oklahoma City University School of Law and the Oklahoma City University Law Review are deeply grateful for her contributions, past, present, and future.

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