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EMPLOYMENT

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA LAW SCHOOL

Los Angeles, California

William T. Dalessi Professor of Law, Professor of Philosophy and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, 2007- present

William T. Dalessi Professor of Law and Professor of Philosophy, 2006-present

William T. Dalessi Professor of Law, 2001-2006

Professor of Law, 1996-2001

Associate Professor of Law, 1993-1996

Assistant Professor of Law, 1991-1993

Subjects: Torts, Legal Profession, Jurisprudence, Products Liability

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL

Cambridge, Massachusetts

Visiting Professor of Law, Fall, 2003

PALMER & DODGE

Boston, Massachusetts

Associate Attorney, 1987-1990

FOLEY, HOAG & ELIOT

Boston, Massachusetts

Associate Attorney, 1985-1987

EDUCATION

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL

Juris Doctor, 1985

Magna cum laude

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, Department of Politics

Doctor of Philosophy, 1993

(Program in Political Philosophy)

Master of Arts, 1981

(Fields: Political Philosophy, Public Law and Jurisprudence, American Politics)

AMHERST COLLEGE

Bachelor of Arts, 1979

Summa cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa

BOOKS

CASES AND MATERIALS ON TORT AND ACCIDENT LAW, 4TH Ed.
(with Robert E. Keeton and Lewis D. Sargentich) (West Group, 2004)

Teacher's Manual to Accompany Tort and Accident Law, 4th ed. (with Robert Keeton & Lewis Sargentich) (West Group, 2005)

CASES AND MATERIALS ON TORT AND ACCIDENT LAW, 3RD Ed.
(with Robert E. Keeton and Lewis D. Sargentich) (West Group, 1998)

Teacher's Manual to Accompany Tort and Accident Law, 3rd ed. (with Robert Keeton & Lewis Sargentich) (West Group, 1998)

ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

Putting Duty in its Place, with Dilan A. Esper, 41 LOYOLA OF LOS ANGELES LAW REVIEW 1225 (2008) (symposium on "Frontiers of Tort Liability")

The Heroic Enterprise of Asbestos Adjudication, 37 SOUTHWESTERN LAW REVIEW 623 (2008) ("Symposium on Asbestos Litigation")

Personal Inviolability and Private Law, JOURNAL OF TORT LAW: Vol. 1: Iss. 2, Article 4 (2007)

Strict Liability and the Mitigation of Moral Luck, JOURNAL OF ETHICS & SOCIAL PHILOSOPHY Vol. 1, No. 4 (2006)

Abusing "Duty", with Dilan A. Esper, 79 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA LAW REVIEW 265 (2006)

Property Right and Tortious Wrong in Vincent v. Lake Erie, ISSUES IN LEGAL SCHOLARSHIP, Symposium on "Vincent v. Lake Erie Transportation Co. and the Doctrine of Necessity," Article 6 (2005)

Pricelessness and Life: An Essay for Guido Calabresi, 64 MARYLAND L. REV. 159 (2005) (Symposium on Calabresi's *The Costs of Accidents*)

Rawlsian Fairness and Regime Choice in Tort Theory, 72 FORDHAM L. REV. 1858 (2004) (Symposium on Rawls and the Law)

Pressing Precaution Beyond the Point of Cost-Justification, 56 VAND. L. REV. 653 (2003)

Irreparable Injury and Fair Precaution: The "Safety" and "Feasibility" Norms in American Accident Law, in 4 THEORETICAL INQUIRIES IN THE LAW, 1 (2003)

The Theory of Enterprise Liability and Common Law Strict Liability, 54 VANDERBILT LAW REVIEW 1285 (2001) (Symposium on the Third Restatement of Torts)

A Social Contract Conception of the Tort Law of Accidents, in PHILOSOPHY AND THE LAW OF TORTS (Gerald J. Postema, ed) Cambridge University Press, 2001

Distributive and Corrective Justice in the Tort Law of Accidents, 74 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA LAW REVIEW 193 (2000)

The Idea of Fairness in the Law of Enterprise Liability, 95 MICHIGAN LAW REVIEW 1266 (1997)

Reasonableness and Rationality in Negligence Theory, 48 STANFORD LAW REVIEW 311 (1996)

Fidelity to Preexisting Law and the Legitimacy of Legal Decision, 69 NOTRE DAME LAW REVIEW 1 (1993)

Justifying Hercules: Ronald Dworkin and the Rule of Law, 1987 ABF RESEARCH JOURNAL, (Review Essay) 525 (1987)

OTHER WORKS

“The New ABA Model Rule 1.6 and the Expansion of Duties of Mandatory Disclosure”, with Christine Kawasaki, forthcoming *Proceedings of the ABA Forum on Air and Space Law* Annual Meeting, Fall 2004

“Vexing Situations: Ethics and International Practice,” with Neil Millard and Robert E. Lutz, *The California International Practitioner*, Vol. 13, No.2, p. 10 (2004)

“Fairness and Two Fundamental Questions in the Tort Law of Accidents” *Social Science Research Network Working Paper Series*, Spring 2000

“Restating or Misstating the Law of Products Liability?” *USC Law* 16 (Spring 1999)

DISSERTATION

“Legal Rationality and the Rule of Law”, accepted by the Faculty of Politics, Princeton University, 1993

SELECTED SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

Putting Duty in its Place paper presented to the Conference on “Frontiers of Tort Liability”, Loyola of Los Angeles Law School, January 2008.. Earlier versions presented to faculty workshops at Boston College Law School and Boston University Law School.

Comment on Geistfeld, presentation to the Symposium on Asbestos Liability at Southwestern Law School, Los Angeles, CA, January 2008.

Must Liberal Tort Law Be “Private”?, paper presented to the Conference on “Tort Law and the Modern State”, Columbia Law School, September 15-16, 2006.

Strict Liability and the Mitigation of Moral Luck, paper presented to the USC Center for Law and Philosophy Conference on “The Morality of Fortune,” March 24-25, 2006.

Co-moderator, “Professional Roles and Personal Integrity”, Socrates Society, *The Aspen Institute*, February 17 - 20, 2006.

Property Right and Tortious Wrong in Vincent v. Lake Erie, paper presented to the University of Southern California Law School Faculty Workshop, February 3, 2006.

Abusing “Duty”: The Emerging Torts Jurisprudence of the California Courts, (co-authored with Dilan A. Esper) paper presented to the University of Southern California Law School Faculty Workshop, January 26, 2004, to the New York Law and Philosophy Group at NYU School of Law on March 12, 2004, and to the Florida State University Law School Faculty Workshop on February 3, 2005.

Sacrificing Lives: An Essay for Guido Calabresi, paper presented to “A Symposium on Calabresi’s The Costs of Accidents: A Generation of Impact on Law and Scholarship,” April 23-24, 2004 University of Maryland School of Law

Rawlsian Fairness and Regime Choice in the Law of Accidents, paper presented at “A Conference on Rawls and the Law,” November 7-8, 2003, Fordham University School of Law

Fairness, Reciprocity of Risk and Regime Choice in the Law of Accidents, paper presented to the Harvard Law School Faculty Workshop, October 29, 2003

Commentary on Ravit Reichman, “‘Let us Not Desert One Another’: The Lessons of Torts”, USC, Columbia & Georgetown, Humanities Junior Scholars Workshop, USC School of Law, Los Angeles, CA, June 16, 2002

Beyond Cost-Justified Precaution, paper presented to the International Conference on “Negligence in the Law, Cegla Institute for Comparative and Private International Law, Tel Aviv University, Buchmann Faculty of Law, Tel Aviv, Israel, April 5, 2001, and to the Northwestern University Law School Faculty Workshop on April 26, 2001.

Devastating Injury and Due Care, paper presented to the University of Southern California Law School Faculty Workshop, March 15, 2001

The Worker’s Compensation Acts and Common Law Strict Liability, paper presented to the John W. Wade Conference on the “Third Restatement of Torts: General Principles,” Vanderbilt University Law School, September 15-16, 2000

Legal Ethics and Strategic Litigation, paper presented to the Conference on “Professionalism in the Age of Self-Interest,” April 29, 1999, Institute for Ethics and Public Policy, Cal Poly Pomona

Ethical Issues in the “New Corporate Tax Shelters, with Michael Knoll; paper presented to the USC Tax Institute, January 1999

Freedom and Fairness in the Tort Law of Accidents, paper presented to the University of Michigan Law School Workshop in Legal Theory, November, 1998

Accident Law as a Realm of Equal Freedom and Mutual Benefit, paper presented to the University of North Carolina Workshop in Law and Philosophy, National Humanities Center, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, September 26-28, 1997

Economic and Non-Economic Conceptions of Damages, paper presented to the Conference on Law, Risk and Risk Management at the Gruter Institute, University of California at Berkeley, September 26-30, 1996

Freedom and Fairness in the Law of Enterprise Liability, paper presented to the University of Southern California Faculty Workshop, April, 1994

The Economic Interpretation of the Hand Formula, paper presented to the University of Southern California Faculty Workshop, December 1993

The Rule of Law and the Legitimacy of Legal Decision, paper presented to the USC-Oxford Legal Theory Institute, Balliol College, Oxford University, July 31, 1992, and to the University of Southern California Law School Faculty Workshop, May 21, 1992

TEACHING

Torts (required first-year course), Advanced Accident Law, Torts II, Legal Profession (required first-year course), Seminars on topics in political and legal philosophy

Co-Moderator with Dr. Ezekiel Emanuel, Director of the Division of Bioethics at the National Institutes of Health, The Aspen Institute, Socrates Seminar “Professional Roles and Individual Integrity,” February 18-20, 2006

COMMITTEE SERVICE

Admissions and Financial Aid, 1991-93; 1994-96; Academic Affairs Committee, 1993-94; Administration and Finance Committee, 1998-1999; Chair, Administration and Finance Committee, 2006-2007; Clerkship Committee, 1996-97, 2003-2005; Dean Search Committee, 2005-2006; Faculty Appointments 1997-2003, 2005-2006; Faculty Workshop Coordinator, 1996-97, 2004-2005; Promotion and Tenure Subcommittee for Ariela Gross, 1997-98; University Committee Advising the Provost on Tenure, 2000-2004; Board of Review, 2005-2006; Chair, Administration and Finance Committee, Fall 2006; Faculty Appointments Committee 2006 - present; Chair, Academic Affairs Committee 2007 - present; Chair Clinical and Service Learning Committee 2007 - present.

MEMBERSHIPS

Phi Beta Kappa, American Law Institute, AALS Section of Jurisprudence (Treasurer, 1995), Los Angeles Law and Philosophy Discussion Group