

KIT JOHNSON

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CURRICULUM VITAE

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA SCHOOL OF LAW — 2008-2012, 2016-present

Associate Professor of Law (2016-present), Visiting Assistant Professor of Law (2009-2012), Adjunct Professor of Law (2008)

Courses: Immigration Law, Business Associations, Advanced Business Associations, Trial Advocacy, Professional Responsibility, Applied Immigration Law: Representing Employers, Evidence, Administrative Law

Service: Curriculum & Assessment Committee, Experiential Courses Committee, Joint School of Law/SBAND Committee, Faculty Secretary, Law Women's Caucus (faculty advisor)

THE MAURICE A. DEANE SCHOOL OF LAW AT HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY — 2016, 2017

Adjunct Professor

Course: Immigration Law and Border Enforcement (one-week three-credit summer course)

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA COLLEGE OF LAW — 2012-2016

Associate Professor of Law

Courses: Immigration Law, Civil Procedure I & II, Federal Courts, Criminal Law, Trial Techniques

Service: Admissions Committee, Self-Study Committee, Code of Academic Responsibility Hearing Tribunal, the Legal Group for Building Tolerance and Acceptance (LGBTQA) (faculty advisor), Black Law Students Association (faculty advisor), Oklahoma Junior Scholars Conference (organizer), 2014 Oklahoma Law Review Symposium (organizer), Faculty Leadership Academy (fellow)

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BERKELEY, SCHOOL OF LAW — J.D., May 2000

Honors: Order of the Coif (awarded to top 10% of graduating class)
Best Brief, First Year Moot Court
JJ&J Scholarship

Activities: *Berkeley Women's Law Journal*, Articles Editor
Moot Court Board
Faculty Appointments Committee, Student Representative

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL — Berkeley-Harvard Exchange Program, 1999-2000

Activities: Harvard Law School Parody
Moot court judge

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY — B.A., June 1997

Honors: Graduated with Honors in College of Letters
Baldwin Fellowship, for promise in law

Activities: Studied abroad in Madrid, Spain
Teaching Assistant, Introductory Spanish
Steel drum band
Ebony Singers (gospel choir)
Head Resident, Nicholson Dormitory

WRITING

(papers.ssrn.com/author=1241101)

Law Review Articles

A Citizenship Market, 2018 UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS LAW REVIEW __ (forthcoming 2018)

Trump's Executive Orders: Effects on International Students, 22 LEWIS & CLARK LAW REVIEW __ (forthcoming 2017) (symposium issue)

Can We Act Globally While Thinking Locally? Responding to Stella Burch Elias, The Perils and Possibilities of Refugee Federalism, 67 AMERICAN UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW __ (forthcoming 2017) (invited)

A Cost-Benefit Analysis of the Federal Prosecution of Immigration Crimes, 92 DENVER UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW 863 (2015) (symposium issue)

"Vast Hordes . . . Crowding In Upon Us": The Executive Branch's Response To Mass Migration and the Legacy of Chae Chan Ping, 68 OKLAHOMA LAW REVIEW 185 (2015) (with Margaret Taylor) (symposium issue)

Chae Chan Ping at 125: An Introduction, 68 OKLAHOMA LAW REVIEW 3 (2015) (symposium issue)

Theories of Immigration Law, 46 ARIZONA STATE LAW JOURNAL 1211 (2014)

Buying the American Dream: Using Immigration Law to Bolster the Housing Market, 81 TENNESSEE LAW REVIEW 829 (2014)

Kit Johnson, Peter J. Spiro, Debate, *Immigration Preemption After Arizona v. United States*, 161 UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA LAW REVIEW ONLINE 100 (2012) (invited)

Importing the Flawless Girl, 12 NEVADA LAW JOURNAL 831 (2012)

The Wonderful World of Disney Visas, 63 FLORIDA LAW REVIEW 915 (2011)

Patients Without Borders: Extralegal Deportation By Hospitals, 78 UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI LAW REVIEW 657 (2009)

Blogging

Immigration Law Professors Blog, Co-editor, August 2014-present, over 700 posts, <http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/>

PRESENTATIONS

Immigration As A National Security Asset, Fourth Biennial Emerging Immigration Scholars Conference, Texas A&M University School of Law, Fort Worth, TX, May 18, 2017

Citizenship Swaps: Imagining a Market for Nationality, Plenary Power Colloquium, Brigham Young University J. Reuben Clark Law School, Provo, UT, Oct. 14, 2016

New Frames for Immigration Law, Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, June 4, 2016 (invited panel session)

A Citizenship Market, Immigration Law Teachers Workshop 2016, Michigan State University College of Law, East Lansing, MI, May 20, 2016

A Citizenship Market, Emerging Immigration Scholars Conference, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, February 26, 2016 (selected)

Immigration and the 2016 Election: Campaign Rhetoric, Minority Voting, and Policy Possibilities, 2016 AALS Annual Meeting, January 2016 (organizer and moderator for selected Hot Topic program)

A Citizenship Market, Central States Law Schools Association Annual Conference, University of Toledo College of Law, Toledo, OH, October 10, 2015

Change and Transformation in Law Teaching Careers, Central States Law Schools Association Annual Conference, University of Toledo College of Law, Toledo, OH, October 9, 2015 (plenary panel organizer/moderator)

Sales, Transfers, and Swaps of Citizenship, 2015 Emerging Immigration Scholars' Conference, Miami, FL, June 12, 2015

Books, Blogs, and Briefs: The Changing State of Legal Scholarship, 2015 Emerging Immigration Scholars' Conference, Miami, FL, June 11, 2015 (plenary panel)

A Cost-Benefit Analysis of the Federal Prosecution of Immigration Crimes, in *Crimmigration: Current Issues at the Intersection of Criminal Law and Immigration Law*, Denver University Law Review Symposium, Denver, CO, February 6, 2015 (selected)

Chae Chan Ping at 125: An Introduction, Oklahoma Law Review Symposium, Norman, OK, November 14, 2014

Academics as Instrumentalists: Faculty Perspectives, Central States Law Schools Association Annual Conference, Louisiana State University, Paul M. Hebert Law Center, Baton Rouge, LA, October 10, 2014 (plenary panel organizer/moderator)

The Economics of Crimmigration, Central States Law Schools Association Annual Conference, Louisiana State University, Paul M. Hebert Law Center, Baton Rouge, LA, October 10, 2014

Buying the American Dream, Oklahoma Junior Scholars Conference, University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, July 11, 2014

Buying the American Dream, Immigration Law Professors Workshop, University of California, Irvine School of Law, Irvine, CA, May 23, 2014

Buying the American Dream, Regional Junior Faculty Workshop, Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, MO, February 28, 2014

Writing What You Do – Using Experience as Inspiration for Scholarship, Central States Law Schools Association Annual Conference, The University of Arkansas School of Law, Fayetteville, AR, October 5, 2013 (plenary panel)

The American Dream Re-Built: Should Foreign Homebuyers Get Automatic Immigration Status?, Central States Law Schools Association Annual Conference, The University of Arkansas School of Law, Fayetteville, AR, October 5, 2013

Untangling Immigration Law: The Four Theories Underlying Our Beneficence, First Annual Junior Faculty Works-In-Progress Conference, Marquette University Law School, Milwaukee, WI, September 20, 2013 (invited)

Theories of Immigration Law, Oklahoma Junior Scholars Conference, The University of Oklahoma College of Law, Norman, OK, July 19, 2013

Theories of Immigration Law, Emerging Immigration Law Scholars and Teacher Conference, UC Irvine School of Law, Irvine, CA, June 13, 2013

Immigration, Fashion, and Eating Disorders, poster at the Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, sponsored by the Committee on Sections and Annual Meeting and the Section on Law, Medicine and Health Care, New Orleans, LA, January 5, 2013

Theories of Immigration Law, Central States Law Schools Association Annual Conference, Cleveland State University Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, Cleveland, OH, October 20, 2012

Theories of Immigration Law, Immigration Law Teachers Conference, Hofstra University School of Law, Hempstead, NY, June 1, 2012

The Wonderful World of Disney Visas, Central States Law Schools Association Annual Conference, University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND, Sept. 25, 2010

The Wonderful World of Disney Visas, Immigration Law Teachers Conference 2010, DePaul University College of Law, Chicago, IL, May 25, 2010

MEDIA

Kimberly Strawbridge Robinson, *Immigration Discrimination? SCOTUS Says No*, Bloomberg BNA, June 12, 2017 (quoted)

Jess Bravin and Mirian Jordan, *Key Issue at Supreme Court Immigration Hearing: Drivers License Fees*, WALL STREET JOURNAL, April 13, 2016 (quoted)

Allissa Wickham, *H-1B Racketeering Suits Against Disney Face Uphill Battle*, LAW 360, January 28, 2016 (quoted)

Knowledge@Wharton (podcast), *The Disney Lawsuit*, January 27, 2016 (live interview)

Knowledge@Wharton (podcast), *The Visa Waiver Program*, December 9, 2015 (live interview)

Bourree Lam, *America's Mixed Feelings About Immigrant Labor: Disney-Layoffs Edition*, THE ATLANTIC, June 18, 2015 (cited)

OETA (public television), *Law Day* with Dick Pryor, April 30, 2015 (interview)

NCU FM Radio (Jamaica), *Pressing Matters* with Kevin O'Brien Chang, November 30, 2014 (live interview)

Voice of America Radio, interview following presidential announcement regarding executive action on immigration, November 20, 2014 (live interview)

Canal+ (French television), *Special Investigation*, "Travailler plus, pour gagner... rien!" ("Work more to earn... nothing!"), October 14, 2013 (interview)

Bloomberg Television, *Market Makers*, “Models and Tech Workers Fight for Same Visas,”
May 20, 2013 (live interview)

Public Radio International, *The World*, “Critics Accuse J Visa Program of Exploiting Foreign Students,”
October 6, 2011 (interview)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

IMMIGRATION LAW PROFESSORS WORKSHOP 2018 — 2017-2018

Member of the Conference Planning Committee

CENTRAL STATES LAW SCHOOLS ASSOCIATION — 2013-2016

President (2015-2016), Vice President (2014-2015), Secretary (2013-2014).

Organized the 2016 Annual Conference, held at the University of North Dakota School of Law.

IMMIGRATION LAW PROFESSORS WORKSHOP 2014 — 2013-2014

Member of the Works-in-Progress Committee

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

MUNGER, TOLLES & OLSON LLP, Los Angeles, CA — 2003-2008

Litigation associate (2003-2007), Contract attorney based in Grand Forks, ND (2007-2008).

Defended the owner of Brighton Collectibles in a contract dispute from complaint through jury verdict. Represented Berkshire Hathaway in a putative class-action litigation, including defending the deposition of Berkshire Hathaway’s general counsel. Other matters included federal white-collar criminal defense, patent infringement and antitrust litigation, and pro bono representation of children’s caregivers seeking guardianships and adoptions.

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT, Pasadena, CA — 2002-2003

Judicial clerk for the Honorable Pamela Ann Rymer.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA, Phoenix, AZ — 2000-2002

Judicial clerk for the Honorable Robert C. Broomfield.

PAUL, WEISS, WHARTON, RIFKIND & GARRISON, New York, NY — 2000

Summer associate. Matters included representation of defendant Mitsubishi Corporation in a federal white-collar criminal matter.

GREATER BOSTON LEGAL SERVICES, Boston, MA — 1999-2000

Law clerk. Interviewed clients, wrote affidavits, and compiled evidence in support of residency petitions for immigrant domestic-violence survivors under the Violence Against Women Act.

DEBEVOISE & PLIMPTON, New York, NY — 1999

Summer associate. Matters included a complex asylum application.

S.F. NEIGHBORHOOD LEGAL ASSISTANCE FOUNDATION, San Francisco, CA — 1998-1999

Equal Justice America Fellow. Assisted Spanish-speaking clients with family-law matters and consumer-law claims.

ASSOCIATION OF THE BAR OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, New York, NY — 1996

Intern. Researched issues in support of self-petitions by immigrant domestic-violence survivors under the Violence Against Women Act. Provided simultaneous translation of legal presentations.

VOLUNTEER SERVICE

GLOBAL FRIENDS COALITION, Grand Forks, ND — July 2017 – present
Member of the Board of Directors.

AILA PRO BONO PROJECT, Artesia, NM — November 30 – December 5, 2014
Represented women and children detained at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center.
Consulted with clients about their cases and prepared them for hearings. Appeared on clients' behalf in initial pleadings and bond hearings.

INNER CIRCLE FOSTER CARE & ADOPTION SERVICES, Van Nuys, CA — 2003-2007
Secretary of the Board of Directors. Helped to obtain grants. Redecorated visitation rooms.

EAST VALLEY CHILD CRISIS CENTER, Mesa, AZ — 2000-2002
Volunteer caretaker of infants and toddlers in emergency transitional care.

PERSONAL

I enjoy practicing Spanish, reading mystery novels, roller skating, and creating hand-made gifts.