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Employment:

Jan. 2011-Apr. 2011 Visiting Professor, University of Georgia School of Law

Subjects taught: Employment Discrimination and Torts II

Aug. 2004-Dec. 2004 Visiting Professor, University of Georgia School of Law

Subjects taught: Torts and Labor Law

Jan. 2002-present Executive Director, Louisiana Association of Defense Counsel

Jan. 2001-Jan. 2002 Co-Executive Director, Louisiana Association of Defense Counsel

Oct. 1998-Jan. 2000 Vice Chancellor, Student/Academic Affairs, LSU Law Center

July 1998-Jan. 2001 Executive Director of the Louisiana Judicial College

May 1997-Oct. 1998 Interim Vice Chancellor, Student/Academic Affairs, LSU Law Center

1991-present Faculty member, LSU Law Center
1991-1995: Assistant Professor
August 1995: Promoted to Associate Professor with tenure
August 1998: Appointed Rosemary Neal Hawkland Associate Professor of Law
Spring 1999: Promoted to Professor, Effective July 1999
August 2000: Appointed Frank L. Maraist Professor of Law

Subjects taught: Employment Law, Employment Discrimination, Labor Law, Comparative Labor Law, Torts, Relational Interests, Federal Civil Procedure, and Louisiana Civil Procedure

Jan. 1996-May 1996 Visiting Associate Professor, Marshall-Wythe School of Law of the College of William & Mary

Subjects taught: Employment Discrimination and Federal Civil Procedure

1989-1991 Associate, Burr & Forman, Birmingham, Alabama, specializing in labor and employment law and general litigation

Jan. 1983-May 1986 Teacher, Auburn High School, Auburn, Alabama

Education:

1989 J.D., University of Alabama School of Law
Editor in Chief of the Alabama Law Review, 1988-89
Order of the Coif

1982 B.S. in Education, Auburn University
Graduated "With Highest Honor"

Publications:

Books

ROGER BLANPAIN, SUSAN BISOM-RAPP, WILLIAM R. CORBETT, HILARY K. JOSEPHS & MICHAEL J. ZIMMER, THE GLOBAL WORKPLACE: INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE EMPLOYMENT LAW—CASES AND MATERIALS (2D ED. WOLTERS KLUWER 2012).

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The National Labor Relations Act: A Valuable Source of Protection for Nonunion Workers, 54 LAB. L.J. 229 (2003).

Waiting for the Labor Law of the Twenty-First Century: Everything Old Is New Again, 23 BERKELEY J. EMP. & LAB. L. 259 (2002).

A Somewhat Modest Proposal to Prevent Adultery and Save Families: Two Old Torts Looking for a New Career, 33 ARIZ. ST. L.J. 985 (2001).

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Presentations:

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Louisiana State Bar Association--speeches on labor and employment law

Louisiana Judicial College--speeches on civil procedure and torts

Louisiana Association of Defense Counsel--speeches on torts, employment law, and evidence

Surgical Association of Louisiana--speech on law and medicine at the First Annual Banquet in January 1998

Tenth Annual National Conference on Labor and Employment Law (Stetson University College of Law's Center for Dispute Resolution)--speech on employment discrimination law

ABA's Regional Committee for Liaison with EEOC and OFCCP--speeches on employment discrimination law