CODY JACOBS

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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Boston University School of Law

Lecturer (August 2019 to Present)

- Courses taught: Lawyering Skills I & II, Lawyering Lab.
- Committee Service: Prizes and Awards (2019 to 2021); Workshops (2020 to 2021); Outcomes & Assessments Committee (2021 to present); Lawyering Lecturer Search Committee (2023).
- External engagement:
 - Legal Writing Institute: New Member Outreach Committee (2020 to 2022); Diversity & Inclusion Committee (2022 to present).

Chicago-Kent College of Law, Chicago, IL

Visiting Assistant Professor (July 2017 to July 2019)

• Courses taught: Legal Research and Writing I & II, Products Liability.

Temple University Beasley School of Law, Philadelphia, PA

Abraham L. Freedman Fellow (July 2015 to May 2017)

- Courses taught: Legal Research and Writing I & II, Products Liability.
- Teaching Fellow: Evidence, Civil Procedure, and Conflict of Laws.

SUNY Buffalo Law School, Buffalo, NY

Clinical Teaching Fellow (August 2014 to June 2015)

• Course taught: Veterans' Economic Security Clinic.

EDUCATION

Temple University Beasley School of Law, Philadelphia, PA

L.L.M., Legal Education, 2017

Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, D.C.

Juris Doctor, magna cum laude 2010

GPA: 3.80 (Top 3%); Order of the Coif

Georgetown Journal on Poverty Law and Policy, Writing Director (editor)

University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

Bachelor of Arts with honors, Political Science, cum laude 2007

PUBLICATIONS

The "Other" Market, Essay, 92 Temp. L. Rev. 765 (2020)

Guns in the Private Square, 2020 ILL. L. REV. 1097 (2020)

In Defense of Territorial Jurisdiction, 85 U. CHI. L. REV. 1589 (2018)

The Second Amendment & Private Law, 90 S. CAL. L. REV. 945 (2017)

The Stream Of Violence: A New Approach to Domestic Violence Personal Jurisdiction, 64 UCLA L. REV. 684 (2017)

If Corporations Are People, Why Can't They Play Tag?, 46 N.M. L. REV. 1 (2016)

End the Popularity Contest: A Proposal for Second Amendment "Type of Weapon" Analysis, 83 TENN. L. REV. 231 (2015)

A Fork in the Stream: The Unjustified Failure of the Concurrence in J. McIntyre Machinery Ltd. v. Nicastro to Clarify the Stream of Commerce Doctrine, 12 DEPAUL BUS. & COM. L.J. 171 (2014)

Note, Trade We Can Believe In: Renegotiating NAFTA's Labor Provisions to Create More Equitable Growth in North America, 17 GEO. J. ON POVERTY L. & POL'Y 127 (2010)

POPULAR PRESS PUBLICATIONS

Mass. must be proactive to protect public safety, BOSTON GLOBE (Oct. 4, 2021), https://www.bostonglobe.com/2021/10/04/opinion/mass-must-be-proactive-protect-public-safety/

Want Gun Control Laws? Forget Congress., POLITICO MAGAZINE (Mar. 7, 2018), https://www.politico.com/magazine/story/2018/03/07/gun-control-congress-ballot-initiatives-217239

Do the Justices Look More Favorably on Gun Regulation than Many Fear?, I-SCOTUS NOW (Dec. 5, 2017), http://blogs.kentlaw.iit.edu/iscotus/justices-look-favorably-gun-regulation-many-fear/

Outlaw Firearms at Public Rallies, Demonstrations, USA TODAY (Aug. 31, 2017), https://www.usatoday.com/story/opinion/policing/2017/08/31/outlaw-firearms-public-rallies-demonstrations/586998001/ (co-author)

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

The "Other" Market, Temple Law Review Symposium—Disrupting Hierarchies in Legal Education: Commemorating the Impact of the Freedman Fellow Program, Temple University Beasley School of Law (Oct. 25, 2019)

Guns in the Private Square, Firearms Law Works-in-Progress Workshop, Duke Center for Firearms Law, Duke University School of Law (Aug. 2, 2019)

Guns in the Private Square, Chicagoland Junior Scholars Works in Progress Conference, Northern Illinois University College of Law (Oct. 5, 2018)

The Second Amendment & Mass Shootings (panelist), Joint ACS/Federalist Society Panel, Notre Dame Law School (Sept. 18, 2018)

In Defense of Territorial Jurisdiction, Prospective Law Teachers' Workshop, SEALS 2018 Annual Conference (Aug. 6, 2018)

Current Topics in U.S. Civil Procedure: Class Action Suits, and Personal Jurisdiction in the Internet Age, Judicial Training Program: Current Legal Trends, Chicago-Kent College of Law (Jul. 18, 2018)

A Discussion on the Second Amendment Today, American Constitution Society - DePaul Chapter (Jan. 18, 2018)

The Second Amendment in the Second City: Gun Reform? (panelist), The Round Table, Chicago-Kent College of Law (Nov. 14, 2017)

The Stream Of Violence: A New Approach to Domestic Violence Personal Jurisdiction, International Society for Family Law, North American Regional Conference (May 24, 2016)

The Stream Of Violence: A New Approach to Domestic Violence Personal Jurisdiction, The Delaware Valley, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and West Virginia Feminist Law Teachers Twenty-Third Annual CLE Conference (Nov. 21, 2015)

The Stream Of Violence: A New Approach to Domestic Violence Personal Jurisdiction, Central States Law Schools Association Scholarship Conference (Oct. 10, 2015)

End the Popularity Contest: A Proposal for Second Amendment "Type of Weapon" Analysis, Development Workshop: Sharing Scholarship, Building Teachers, Albany Law School (Feb. 7, 2015)

Second Amendment Litigation Panel (moderator), Second Amendment Litigation & Jurisprudence Conference (May 8, 2014)

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Law Center to Prevent Gun Violence, San Francisco, CA

Staff Attorney (May 2013 to May 2014)

Responsibilities included tracking Second Amendment litigation, supervising amicus briefing, providing policy analysis to state and local policymakers and testifying in front of government bodies considering firearms related legislation. I also frequently gave interviews to state and national media about firearms policy.

Sidley Austin LLP, Los Angeles, CA

Associate (January 2011 to April 2013); Summer Associate (June 2009 to August 2009)

Practice focused on complex commercial litigation, primarily involving products liability. Pro bono practice included a class action challenge to prolonged immigration detention.

ACLU of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA

Sidley Austin Pro Bono Fellow (November & December 2010)

Provided support for First Amendment and immigration litigation, including conducting legal research and drafting briefs.

D.C. Law Students in Court, Washington, D.C.

Student Attorney (August 2009 to May 2010)

Represented indigent people in landlord tenant court and in other civil matters.

New York State Division of Human Rights, New York, NY

Hearings Attorneys Unit Intern (June 2008 to August 2008)

Assisted attorneys representing clients with discrimination claims.

BAR ADMISSIONS

New York.

California (inactive)

United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

United States District Court for the Central District of California

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

2014 California Lawyer Magazine Attorney of the Year 2012 ACLU of Southern California Access to Justice Award

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Town of Natick

Town Meeting Member (2021-Present); Finance Committee (2022-Present); Transportation Advisory Committee (2019-2022); Brown School Council (2020-Present).

REFERENCES

References Available Upon Request