

# **Marni Goldstein Caputo**

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## **HIGHER EDUCATION EXPERIENCE**

### **Boston University School of Law, Lawyering Program, Boston, MA**

*Lecturer*, July 2017-Present

Teach first-year J.D. students a year-long 5-credit Lawyering Skills course; develop curriculum and assignments related to objective and persuasive writing, client interviewing and counseling, and oral advocacy. Teach Introduction to American Law course, covering introduction to constitutional, tort, contract, criminal, and professional responsibility law to LL.M. students. Serve on assigned faculty committees including as Co-chair of Community and Inclusion Committee (2021-2022) and as a member of Admissions Committee (2020-present), Pipeline Committee (2022-2023), Strategic Committee (2021-2022), and J.D. Committee (2019-2020). Teach one-week intensive Lawyering Lab course focused on contract drafting and negotiation.

### **Boston University School of Law, Summer Pre-Law Academy, Boston, MA**

*Co-Director*, December 2021-July 2022

*Admissions Reader*, Spring 2023

Administered LSAC grant to create a four-week, residential, free summer legal academy for approximately 30 students from minoritized and/or unrepresented populations. Primarily responsible for curriculum development and hiring of faculty and teaching assistants. Worked with co-director to run information sessions, read all admissions files, and handle all other administrative aspects of the BU-SPLA and the related LSAC grant.

### **Boston University School of Law, Boston, MA**

*Faculty Coach*, June 2020 – May 2021

Attended trainings and coached BU Law faculty on how to teach in the COVID-related “Learn from Anywhere” hybrid teaching environment. Hosted presentations, developed online materials, taped flipped lecturers, and held classroom trainings and Zoom coaching sessions.

### **Boston University, Questrom School of Business, Boston, MA**

*Adjunct Lecturer*, July/August 2019, May/June 2020

Taught Introduction to Law Course to undergraduate business majors.

### **Boston University School of Law, Boston, MA**

*Adjunct Legal Writing Instructor*, Aug. 2005-December 2016

Taught legal writing course to international LL.M. students; provided in-class instruction and held individual conferences on organization, composition, and substance of objective legal documents including closed and open memoranda, client letter, and client email, as well as a negotiated contract. Developed primary research assignment and created an interactive, dynamic classroom environment.

### **Harvard Law School, Office of Career Services, Cambridge, MA**

*Asst. Director, Director of International Advising*, Aug. 2007-July 2017

Provided private practice career advising, programming, and resource development for JD students and LL.M. students from approximately 70 different countries. Exclusively handled all planning, advising, logistical preparation and on-site support for LL.M. students’ participation in annual recruitment program. Created and presented programs for JD and LL.M. students regarding global markets, job search materials, networking, interviewing, and cultural intelligence; wrote resource materials for website. Interacted with other law school departments; led collaborative group of 16 peer schools. Utilized technology to create online

educational materials for students in the form of podcasts and webcasts. Collaborated across departments to address unique concerns of increasing number of international JD students.

**Harvard Law School Graduate Program**, Cambridge, MA; *Application Screener*, 2016-17

**Harvard Law School**, Cambridge, MA

*Adjunct Legal Research and Writing Instructor*, Sept. 2012–December 2014

Taught and developed first course in legal research, writing and analysis offered to international LL.M. students; worked with team of 3 writing instructors and 3 library instructors to design curriculum.

## **LEGAL PRACTICE EXPERIENCE**

**First Circuit Court of Appeals**, Boston, MA; *Staff Attorney*; 2004–2007

**Prince, Lobel, Glovsky & Tye, LLP**, Boston, MA; *Litigation Associate*; 2003–2004

**Hill & Barlow**, Boston, MA; *Associate*; 2002–2003 (firm dissolved); *Summer Associate*; 2000

**The Hon. Willis B. Hunt, Jr.**, No. District of Georgia, Atlanta, GA; *Law Clerk*; 2001–2002

**The Southern Center for Human Rights**, Atlanta, GA; *Intern*, 2000–2001

**Cobb County, GA District Attorney's Office**, Marietta, GA; *Intern*, Fall 1999

## **AWARDS and RECOGNITION**

- BU Law's Michael Melton Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence, May 2022
- Dean Angela Onwuachi Willig's "Everything but The Kitchen Sink" Award, Dec. 2020
- Co-Recipient of Dean Angela Onwuachi Willig's Teaching Award, May 2019

## **PUBLICATIONS and PRESENTATIONS**

### ***Publications***

- Marni Goldstein Caputo & Kathleen Luz, *A Book Club with No Books: Using Podcasts, Movies, and Documentaries to Increase Transfer of Learning, Incorporate Social Justice Themes, Create Community, and Bolster Traditional and Character-Based Legal Skills*, 20 Seattle J. Soc. Just. 635 (2022).
- Marni Goldstein Caputo & Kathleen Luz, *Creating Tomorrow's Change-makers: Using Alternative Media in the 1L Skills Classroom to Connect Students with Real Practice and Enhance Established Methods for Teaching Appellate Advocacy*, -- J. of Legal Educ. (2023).

### ***Presentations***

- Co-presenter, with Kathleen Luz, 2022 Legal Writing Institute's Biennial Conference (in-person), "A Book Club with No Books: Using Podcasts, Documentaries to Teach

*Character-Based Legal Skills;*" Georgetown School of Law, Washington D.C., July 21, 2022.

- Presenter, Legal Writing Institute's One-Day This is Who We Are: Teaching Professional Identity, Diversity, and Cultural Competency" Conference at Louisville School of Law (remote); *"Good Moral Character and Bar Admission: A 1L Closed Memo Assignment Through Which a Yale Poet/Lawyer and a Harvard Drug Dealer Sparks Reflections on Professional Identity;"* December 3, 2021
- Co-presenter, with Kathleen Luz, Legal Writing Institute's One-Day This is Who We Are: Teaching Professional Identity, Diversity, and Cultural Competency" Conference at Louisville School of Law (remote); *"A Book Club with No Books: Using Podcasts, Documentaries to Promote Transfer of Learning, Incorporate Social Justice Issues, and Build Community;"* December 3, 2021
- Co-presenter, with Laura D'Amato, Legal Writing Institute's One-Day Conference "Podcasts & Court Visits: Engaging Students Through Exposure to Skills in Practice;" Northeastern School of Law, December 2018.

### ***Workshops***

- Clinical Writer's Workshop, New York University School of Law, October 2022
- Clinical Writer's Workshop, New York University School of Law, October 2021

## **EDUCATION**

**Emory University School of Law**, Atlanta, GA; *Juris Doctor*, May 2001

- Order of the Coif, *With Honors*
- *Emory Law Journal*

**Tufts University**, Medford, MA, *Bachelor of Arts*, May 1997