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## EDUCATION

**The University of Michigan College of Architecture and Urban Planning**, M.U.P., 2010

Merit scholarship

Recipient of highest grades: Economic Development Planning; Urban Theory

**The University of Michigan Law School**, J.D., 2009

Student Attorney (Exemplary Service Award recipient), Low Income Taxpayer Clinic

Certificate of Merit Awards: Board of Directors; Transnational Law

Research Assistant to Vikramaditya Khanna

Community Outreach Chair and Member, Women Law Student Association

**Cornell University College of Arts and Sciences**, B.A. in Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, 2006

Cornell Presidential Research Scholar, 2002-2006; Frederick Conger Woods Fellow; Dean's List

Cornell-in-Hawai'i Field Program: Student, Spring 2004 (inaugural semester); Teaching Assistant, Fall 2004 (inaugural semester) and Fall 2005

Member, NCAA Division I Women's Cross-Country and Indoor Track teams

**Uniwersytet Jagielloński**, Certificate in Polish Language and Culture, 2005

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

**Notre Dame Law School**, January 2025 – May 2025

*Visiting Clinical Professor of Law, Community Development Clinic*

**Michigan State University College of Law**, June 2022 – present

*Associate Clinical Professor of Law and Founding Director, Equitable Entrepreneurship & Innovation Law Clinic (EEILC), EEILC I (6 credits), EEILC II (3 credits), Entrepreneurship & Venture Capital Law (2 credits)*

**Wayne State University Law School**, August 2017 – June 2022 (parental leave Fall 2020 and Winter 2022)

*Assistant Professor (Clinical) and Director, Business and Community Law Clinic, Business and Community*

*Law Seminar and Clinic (6 credits) (co-taught with Asylum and Immigration Law Clinic, 2019 – 2020), Advanced Business and Community Law Clinic (2 credits); Directed Study (1 to 2 credits)*

*Nominee, Spirit of Community Faculty Award (2018)*

**The University of Michigan Law School**, June 2014 – June 2017

*Clinical Fellow, Community and Economic Development Seminar and Clinic*

*Nominee, University of Michigan Outstanding Post-Doctoral Fellow Award (2016)*

*Course Instructor, Owning It: Property, Agency and the Built Environment (travel course in Detroit and Rio De Janeiro) (joint appointment in The University of Michigan College of Architecture and Urban Planning's Michigan-Mellon Project on Egalitarianism and the Metropolis, April – June 2017)*

## LEGAL EXPERIENCE AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

**Jenner & Block LLP, New York**, June 2012 – May 2014

*Associate, Corporate and Content, Media, and Entertainment Practices; Corporate Associate Chair for New York Summer Program, 2013*

**Stroock & Stroock & Lavan, New York**, May – August 2008; January 2011 – May 2012

*Associate, Corporate Practice*, 2011 – 2012; *Community Outreach Affinity Group Co-Chair*, 2012; *Summer Associate, Corporate, Tax, and Intellectual Property Practices*, 2008

**Marshall, Gerstein & Borun LLP, Chicago**, June-August 2007

*Summer Associate* (patent prosecution and opinions; intellectual property litigation and transactions)

**Lewis & Munday PC**, Detroit, January 2005

*Law Extern*

**Hon. Amy St. Eve, U.S. District Court of the Northern District of Illinois**, January 2005

*Law Extern*

**General Motors Corporation, Detroit and Pontiac, Michigan**, May-August 2003, January 2004, May-August 2004, January 2005

*Environmental Engineer Co-op*

## ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

1. [\*Local Firm Governance\*](#), 15 HARV. BUS. L. REV. \_\_ (forthcoming 2025)
  - Featured on the *Business Scholarship Podcast* (March 4, 2023)
  - Selected from a call for papers for “New Voices in Business Law” at 2024 AALS annual conference
2. [\*FEMINIST JUDGMENTS: CORPORATE LAW REWRITTEN\*](#) (Anne M. Choike, Usha R. Rodrigues & Kelli Alces Williams eds., Cambridge University Press 2023) (hereinafter, “FEMINIST JUDGMENTS: CORPORATE LAW REWRITTEN”)
  - Featured in *Detroit Legal News*, “MSU Law Professor Anne Choike Provides Feminist Perspective of Corporate Law in Newly Published Book” (January 11, 2024)
  - Reviewed in *Women Lawyers Association of Michigan Journal* (forthcoming 2024)
3. Anne M. Choike, Usha R. Rodrigues & Kelli Alces Williams, *Introduction to the Feminist Judgments: Corporate Law Rewritten Project*, in FEMINIST JUDGMENTS: CORPORATE LAW REWRITTEN 3-32 (Anne M. Choike, Usha R. Rodrigues & Kelli Alces Williams eds., Cambridge University Press 2023)
4. Anne M. Choike, Martha Albertson Fineman & Cheryl Wade, *The Importance of Incorporating Feminist Perspectives in Corporate Law: Analyzing the Foundations and Future Directions of Feminist and Feminist-Inspired Corporate Law Scholarship*, in FEMINIST JUDGMENTS: CORPORATE LAW REWRITTEN 419–446 (Anne M. Choike, Usha R. Rodrigues, & Kelli Alces Williams eds., Cambridge University Press 2023)
5. [\*A New Urban Front for Shareholder Primacy\*](#), 9 MICH. BUS. & ENTREPRENEURIAL L. REV. 79 (2019) (Commemorative Symposium Edition on *Dodge v. Ford*)
  - Briefed in *The Chancery Daily* on October 11, 2019
6. [\*Gallery-Supported Art Exhibitions: Critiquing “Crayola”\*](#), 9 COLUM. J. TAX L. 67 (Fall 2017)

### OTHER PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS

1. *Stroock Special Bulletin: Food for Thought: In re Del Monte Foods Co. Shareholders Litigation* (with Todd Lenson) (2011) (practice bulletin analyzing board oversight duties in sale process)
2. *Stroock Special Bulletin: The SEC's Declaration of Independence on Compensation Committees and Advisers* (with Steven Rabitz) (2011) (practice bulletin summarizing and analyzing new SEC rules on compensation committee composition and disclosure thereof)
3. [\*From Vacant to Viable: Strategies for Addressing Commercial Corridors in Detroit\*](#) (with Lee Adams, Erin Evenhouse, Xiqing Lin, Benjamin Newman, Maeva Silveira, Zachary Smitt and Max Vera) (2010) (commercial development master plan prepared for urban community organization)
4. [\*Green Shelby 2020: Environmentally Responsible Development and Renovation Plan\*](#) (with A. Broderick, A. Eisen, M. Jones and S. Simon) (2010) (green building and zoning code master plan prepared for a municipal entity)

### IN PROGRESS

1. *Should We Revive Regional Securities Exchanges?*
2. *The Historical Role of Regional Securities Exchanges*
3. *The influence of Homeowners' Associations on the Environmental Sustainability of Residential Development* (with D. Kramer and A. Downtin)
4. [\*Teaching Relational Lawyering in Corporate Law\*](#)
5. *Business Transactions, Ethical Conflict, and the Glass Cliff: The Implications upon Client Counseling of Gender Disparity in Attorney Discipline*

### INVITED AND OTHER SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Faculty Programs Committee Presentation on American Bar Association Standards 303(b)(3) and (c). East Lansing, Michigan: Michigan State University College of Law. Presenter (May 9, 2023).

"*Should We Revive Regional Exchanges?*" 2024 BYU Winter Deals Conference. Paper presentation (March 2024).

"*Local Firm Governance.*" Los Angeles, California: University of California School of Law Lowell Milken Institute for Business Law and Policy. Lecture (February 2024).

"*Local Corporate Law.*" Panel hosted by the American Association of Law Schools (AALS) Section on Business Associations. Washington, D.C: 2024 AALS Annual Meeting (January 2024).

"*Feminism, the Development of Professional Identity, and Implementing Standard 303(b).*" Panel hosted by the American Association of Law Schools (AALS) Section on Women in Legal Education. Washington, D.C: 2024 AALS Annual Meeting (January 2024).

Faculty Programs Committee Presentation on American Bar Association Standards 303(b)(3) and (c). East Lansing, Michigan: Michigan State University College of Law. Presenter (November 15, 2023).

“*Local Corporate Law.*” Paper presentation at the 2023 State and Local Government Law Works in Progress Conference. Chicago, Illinois: Northwestern Pritzker School of Law (October 14, 2023).

“*Should We Revive Regional Exchanges?*” Paper presentation at the conference Celebrating the Enduring Influence of Zohar Goshen and Gideon Parchomovsky's seminal article *The Essential Role of Securities Regulation*. New York, New York: Columbia Law School and Fordham Law (October 13, 2023).

“*Should We Revive Regional Exchanges?*” Paper presentation. Ann Arbor, Michigan: University of Michigan Law School (October 9, 2023).

“*Local Corporate Law.*” Paper presentation at the 2023 Chicagoland Junior Scholars Conference. Chicago, Illinois: Loyola University Chicago School of Law (October 6, 2023).

“[New Legal Perspectives: The Synergy of Law and Science to Protect the Rights of Nature](#)”. East Lansing, Michigan: Michigan State University College of Law. Panel moderator (with Maria Mercedes Sanchez and Nichole Keway Biber) (September 14, 2023).

“Review of the October 2022 Supreme Court Term.” East Lansing, Michigan: Michigan State University College of Law. Panel moderator (with Kathryn Fort, Frank Ravitch, Michael Sant’Ambrogio, and Sean Pager) (September 11, 2023).

“*Using Feminist Theory and Methods in Transactional Clinics to Remedy the Pandemic’s Impacts on Gender Equity.*” Workshop at the 2023 Transactional Clinical Conference. Co-presenter with Kristen Wolff. Boston, Massachusetts: Suffolk University Law School (June 9-10, 2023).

“*Pivots in Practice: Patents—Exploring Approaches for Teaching and Doing Patent Work Ethically and Effectively within Transactional Law School Clinics.*” Roundtable at the 2023 Transactional Clinical Conference. Co-panelist with Kristen Wolff, Jeff Glazer, Edward Yee, and Victoria Phillips. Boston, Massachusetts: Suffolk University Law School (June 9-10, 2023).

“*A Roundtable on “Feminist Judgments: From Theory to Practice.*” Puerto Rico: Caribe Hilton. Roundtable hosted by the Law and Society Association (LSA) Collaborative Research Network 46 at 2023 LSA Annual Meeting. Co-panelist with Barnali Choudhury, Alicia Plerhoples, Cindy Schipani, Karen Woody, and Lua Yuille (chaired by Joan MacLeod Hemingway) (June 1-4, 2023).

“*Trending Topics in Intellectual Property Clinics.*” Virtual: American Intellectual Property Law Association Corporate Practice Committee. Co-panelist with Julian Ellis, Edward Yee and Jeffrey Glazer (coordinated by Dustin Lee and Erin Ogden) (February 21, 2023).

“*Panel II: Property.*” Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan Law School’s conference on “The Essential Role of Organizational Law” 20 Years Later: Exploring the Field That Emerged. Panel member (with Peter Molk, Giuseppe Dari-Mattiacci, and Henry Smith) (October 7-8, 2022).

“*Diversity and the U.S. Public Company Board: California and Beyond.*” Virtual: 2021 Law and Society Association Annual Meeting. Panel presentation (May 27-30, 2021).

*Kaufman Foundation FastTrac Entrepreneurship Course: Legal Issues in Entrepreneurship.* Virtual: International Institute of Metropolitan Detroit. Presentation (May 5, 2021).

*“The Political Economy of Local Corporate Law”*. Virtual: Emory University School of Law’s Vulnerability and the Human Condition Initiative Virtual Workshop on Vulnerability Theory, the Employment Relationship, and the State. Paper presentation (March 12-13, 2021).

*“Markets and Regulation: The Shifting Context of Transactional Practice.”* Panel hosted by the American Association of Law Schools (AALS) Section on Transactional Law and Skills. Co-panelist with Joan MacLeod Heminway and Curt Anderson (moderated by Matthew Jennejohn). Washington, D.C: 2020 AALS Annual Meeting (January 2020).

*“Blockchain and the Law”*. Grand Rapids, Michigan: Amway Grand Plaza. Panel presented at the 2019 State Bar of Michigan Business Law Institute. Co-panelist with Carla Reyes (October 2019).

*“Opportunity Zones Panel”*. Kansas City, Missouri: Sheraton Kansas City Hotel at Crown Center. Panel presented at the 2019 Kauffman Foundation’s Seventh Annual Mayors Conference on Entrepreneurship. Co-panelist with Korb Maxwell and Nia Richardson (moderated by Clarence Anthony, CEO of National League of Cities) (May 2019).

*“Tandem Structures Involving Nonprofits and For-Profits”*. Kansas City, Missouri: University of Missouri-Kansas City. Panel presented at the 2019 Midwest Symposium on Social Entrepreneurship. Co-panelist (with David Guenther, Cass Brewer, and John Tyler) (May 2019).

*“Business Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan Panel Discussion”*. Detroit, Michigan: Wayne State University Law School. Panel moderator (March 2019).

*Local Corporate Law*. Park City, Utah: 2019 BYU Winter Deals Conference. Paper presentation (March 2019).

*“Blockchain’s Impact on the Essential Role of Organizational Law”*. Detroit, Michigan: Wayne State University Law School. Panel presented at the 2019 Wayne Law Review Symposium on The Emerging Blockchain and the Law. Panel moderator (February 2019).

*“Engaging Your Community: Navigating Institutions + Resources.”* Detroit, Michigan: American Institute for Architects Christopher Kelly Leadership Development Program at the Detroit Center for Design + Technology (January 2019).

*Business Transactions and Ethical Conflict at the Edge of the Glass Cliff: The Implications upon Client Counseling of Disparity in Attorney Discipline*. Melbourne, Australia: International Legal Ethics Conference VIII. Paper presentation (December 2018).

[“Prototyping for Policy: Law + Design Summit 2018”](#). Palo Alto, California: Stanford Legal Design Lab at Stanford University Law School. Invited participant (November 9-10, 2018).

*“Legal Issues in Social Entrepreneurship and Impact Investing — in the US and Beyond”*. New York, New York: Grunin Center for Law and Social Entrepreneurship at New York University Law School. Practitioner sub-working group workshop facilitator (June 2018).

*“Transactional vs. Litigation Clinics: Same Cloth / Different Threads”* Chicago, Illinois: 2018 AALS Annual Conference on Clinical Legal Education (April 2018). Poster presentation (with Susan Brooks).

*“Forming your social enterprise, pathway to legal compliance for “pre-legal” social enterprises & working with independent contractors”*. Detroit, Michigan: Wayne State University. Panel presented at Social Entrepreneurship: The

Emerging Role of Social Innovation and Social Enterprise in Southeast Michigan (conference) (with Winter 2018 Business and Community Law Clinic student attorneys). Introductory panelist (April 2018).

["Community-Led System Design in Corporate Law: Three Short Stories from Detroit"](#). Palo Alto, California: Stanford University Law School Legal Design Lab. Lecture (March 2018).

*"Forming your social enterprise & working with independent contractors"*. Detroit, Michigan: Matrix Center. Neighborhood Legal Workshop Series presented in collaboration with Techtown (with Winter 2018 Business and Community Law Clinic student attorneys). Introductory panelist (February 2018).

*"Forming your social enterprise & pathway to legal compliance for "pre-legal" social enterprises"*. Detroit, Michigan: Cutz Grooming Lounge. Neighborhood Legal Workshop Series presented in collaboration with Techtown (with Winter 2018 Business and Community Law Clinic student attorneys). Introductory panelist (February 2018).

*"Business Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan Panel Discussion"*. Detroit, Michigan: Wayne State University Law School. Panel moderator (February 2018).

*"Professional Resources for Social Enterprises"*. Detroit, Michigan: The University of Detroit-Mercy Center for Social Entrepreneurship. Panelist (January 2018) (with Winter 2018 Business and Community Law Clinic student attorney).

["Owning It". Projetos Participativos: Investigando o próximo passo.](#) Rio de Janeiro, Brazil: GSAPP Studio X Rio. Lecture (with Anya Sirota and Juliana Gotilla) (May 2017).

*"Women in Action"*. Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan Law School. Invited panelist (with Alicia Alvarez and Kate Mitchell) (March 2017).

Sanger Undergraduate Leadership Crisis Challenge. Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan Ross School of Business. Invited panelist (March 2017).

*"Income + Economy"*. *Saint Etienne International Design Biennale*. Saint Etienne, France: Cité du Design. Panel Presentation (with Yann Moulier-Boutang, Julien Dorgnon, Olga Stella, and Thomas Twaites) (March 2017).

*"Life as a Transactional Lawyer"*. Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan Law School. Invited panelist (with Michael Geller and Katrina Desmond) (February 2017).

Sanger Graduate Leadership Crisis Challenge. Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan Ross School of Business. Invited panelist (January 2017).

*"Business Transactions and Ethical Conflict at the Edge of the Glass Cliff"*. San Francisco, California: 2017 AALS Annual Meeting. Lecture in Program on "Ethics in Business Transactions" hosted by the AALS Section on Transactional Law and Skills (co-sponsored by the Section on Professional Responsibility) (January 2017). *"Architectural Exclusion."* Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan Law School. Introductory speaker for lecture presented by Sarah Schindler (November 2016).

*Municipal Corporate Law*. New York, New York: New York University Clinical Law Review Writers' Workshop. Paper presentation (September 2016).

*Art for the People, By the People*. Baltimore, Maryland: 2016 AALS Annual Conference on Clinical Legal Education. Paper presentation (May 2016).

[\*What Faculty Offices Can Teach\*](#). Baltimore, Maryland: 2016 AALS Annual Conference on Clinical Legal Education (April 2016). Poster presentation (with Deborah Burand).

[\*The Return of the American City, Redeeming the American Dream\*](#). Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, Michigan. Symposium Organizer (with Alicia Alvarez) and Panel Moderator (with panelists Sheila Foster, Sara Bronin and Justin Hollander) (March 2016).

*“Critical Conservation: Paradigms and Practices and Architectural Design: Exquisite Corb”*. Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan College of Architecture and Urban Planning. Invited critic (with Milton Curry and Claire Zimmerman) (December 2015).

*“Theories of Conservation”*. Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan College of Architecture and Urban Planning. Invited critic (with Cezanne Charles and Kathryn Underwood) (December 2015).

University of Michigan Kappa Alpha Pi Pre-Law Professional Fraternity. Ann Arbor, Michigan: The University of Michigan. Guest speaker (October 2015).

*Art for the People, By the People*. New York, New York: New York University Clinical Law Review Writers’ Workshop. Paper presentation (September 2015).

[\*Small Farm Survival through Trust and Social Networks: A Case Study of Raciechovice, Poland\*](#). Louisville, Kentucky: Rural Sociological Society annual meeting. Poster presentation (August 2006).

## GRANTS

Michigan State University, Office of Research & Innovation, March 2024. Tetrad interdisciplinary initiative awarded to research the influence of Homeowners’ Associations on the Environmental Sustainability of Residential Development in collaboration with Daniel Kramer and Asia Downtin (\$30,000).

Wayne State University Law School Business and Community Law Clinic endowment, February 2020. Private donor (name withheld for privacy) (\$25,000).

Wayne State University, Office of Teaching and Learning, October 2019. Research Grant for National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity Faculty Success Program (\$4,450).

University of Michigan, International Institute Experiential Learning Fund April 2016, Owing It: Property, Agency, and the Built Environment. In collaboration with Anya Sirota (\$10,000).

Michigan Mellon Project on Egalitarianism and the Metropolis, April 2016. Course teaching grant for Owing It: Property, Agency, and the Built Environment. In collaboration with Anya Sirota (\$40,000).

## MEDIA

*‘Advancing Equity’: Equitable Entrepreneurship & Innovation Law Clinic Welcomes New Director*, DETROIT LEGAL NEWS (October 4, 2022).

*Independent businesses hang on as their industries decline*, CRAINS DETROIT BUSINESS (June 27, 2021).

## INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

Chair, Michigan State University College of Law Faculty Programs Committee, May 2023 – present

Member, Michigan State University College of Law Appointments Committee, January 2023 – present

Member, Michigan State University College of Law Teaching, Learning and Assessment Committee, August 2022 – May 2023

Chair, Wayne Law Public Interest Law Fellowship Committee, September 2021 – June 2022; Member, September 2017 – May 2019

Member, Wayne Law Damon J. Keith Center for Civil Rights Committee, September 2021 – June 2022

Member, Wayne State University Innovation & Entrepreneurship Steering Committee (External Partnerships Subcommittee), September 2017 – June 2022

Member, Wayne Law Scholarships Committee, September 2021 – June 2022

Member, Wayne Law Library Committee, September 2019 – August 2021

Member, Wayne Law Student Affairs Committee, September 2018 – August 2021

Member, Wayne State University Economic Development Strategy Steering Committee, 2019 and 2021

1L Book Discussion Group Co-Leader, Wayne State University Law School, August 2020

School Representative for AALS Annual Meeting, Wayne State University Law School, January 2020

Faculty co-organizer (with John Rotshchild), [2019 Wayne Law Review Symposium: The Emerging Blockchain and the Law](#), September 2017 – February 2019

Note Supervisor, *Wayne State University Law School Journal of Business Law*, September 2018 – May 2019

Member, Wayne Law Business & Entrepreneurship Program Committee, September 2017 – August 2018

Faculty co-organizer (with Alicia Alvarez), [The Return of the American City. Redeeming the American Dream](#), May 2015 – March 2016

Member, Clinical Faculty Grading Committee, The University of Michigan Law School, 2014 – 2015

## SELECTED PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

### **Allied Media Projects, Inc.**

Board Member (March 2021 – present)

Ethics Committee Member (June 2021 – present)

### **American Association of Law Schools**

Section on Business Associations

Section on Clinical Education



Section on Intellectual Property Law  
Section on Nonprofit Law  
Section on State and Local Government Law

**American Intellectual Property Law Association**

Member (2023 to present)

**Michigan State University Center for Gender in Global Context**

Core Faculty (2022 to present)

**National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity**

Coach-in-Training (October-November 2023)

Participant, 2024 Post-Tenure Pathfinders (a leadership training program for recently tenured faculty)

**State Bar of Michigan**

Business Law Section

Member (2017 – present)

Ad Hoc Committee on Diversity/Inclusion (2019)

Founding Participant on Directorship on Diversity & Inclusion (2019 – present)

Nonprofit Corporations Committee (2018 – present)

Intellectual Property Law Section

Member (2022 – present)

**Transactional Clinical Conference**, 2024 Conference Planning Committee (August 2023 – present)

**Women Lawyers Association of Michigan**, Member (February 2021 – present)

Mid-Michigan region

Washtenaw region

Wayne region

**BAR ADMISSIONS**

**State of Michigan** (2015)

**State of New York** (2011)

Eligible for admission to patent bar