

KRISTI L. BOWMAN

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW
368 LAW COLLEGE BUILDING
EAST LANSING, MI 48824
517-432-6974 (DIRECT LINE)
kristi.bowman@law.msu.edu

EDUCATION

Duke University. J.D., *magna cum laude* with high honors. Durham, NC (2001).

Articles Editor, DUKE LAW JOURNAL.

Associate Executive Editor, DUKE JOURNAL OF GENDER LAW AND POLICY.

Duke University. M.A. in Humanities. Durham, NC (2001).

Graduate Certificate in Women's Studies. (2000).

Drake University. B.A., *summa cum laude* with college and university honors, and Phi Beta Kappa.

Des Moines, IA (1998).

EXPERIENCE

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Michigan State University. East Lansing, MI (2007-present).

College of Law Associate Dean for Academic Affairs (2015-present).

- Serve as key member of the College's senior leadership team and core College committees.
- Participate in budgeting and strategic planning.
- Oversee the J.D. curriculum and program, enrolling approximately 800 students in roughly 300 classes.
- Initiate and lead a comprehensive gap analysis of the upper-level curriculum.
- Lead collaborative and interdisciplinary efforts with units across campus: negotiate 3+3 agreements with five undergraduate degree-granting colleges at MSU; create an affiliate program for faculty across campus to be formally connected with the Law College; build relationships with units whose graduate students can benefit from our classes to facilitate enrollment on terms beneficial to both units.
- Recruit and supervise adjunct faculty; planned the first professional development program for adjuncts in several years and initiated the development of an online adjunct handbook.

Professor of Law (2012-present); *Associate Professor of Law* (2008-2012, tenure granted in 2011);

Assistant Professor of Law (2007-2008). Courses and research focus on education law; additional courses include Property and Torts.

Affiliated Faculty, Education Policy Center in College of Education (2011-present); *Global Urban Studies Program in College of Social Science* (2013-present); *Institute for Public Policy and Social Research* (2016-present); *Center for Local Government and Fiscal Policy in College of Agriculture & Natural Resources* (2016-present).

Drake University. Des Moines, IA (2002, 2005-2007).

Law School, Assistant Professor of Law (2005-2007).

College of Arts & Sciences, Department of Politics, Lecturer (2002).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Attorney, Franczek Sullivan P.C. (now Franczek Radelet). Chicago, IL (2003-2005).

Represented school districts before state and federal courts regarding constitutional and statutory matters. Provided client counseling. Argued twice before the Seventh Circuit.

Judicial Law Clerk, Honorable George G. Fagg, United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit. Des Moines, IA (2001- 2003).

Law Clerk, U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights. Washington, D.C. (2000).

HONORS

American Law Institute Elected Member (2016-present).

American Bar Foundation Fellow (2016-present).

Big Ten Academic Alliance, Department Executive Officers Seminar Participant (2016).

National Education Finance Conference, Distinguished Fellow (2016-present).

Steven S. Goldberg Award for Distinguished Scholarship in Education Law (2010). Awarded by the Education Law Association annually in recognition of an outstanding contribution to the literature.

MSU Lilly Teaching Fellow (2009-2010). Awarded in recognition of teaching excellence; the fellowship provides a facilitated, systematic study of the scholarship of teaching and learning.

SELECTED APPOINTMENTS AND SIGNIFICANT SERVICE

American Association of Law Schools

- Education Law Section, Chair (2010); Chair-elect (2009); Secretary (2008); Treasurer (2007); Executive Committee (2006-present).
- Committee on Sections and the Annual Meeting (2011-2013).
- Committee on Special Programs for the Annual Meeting (2011).

American Law Institute

- Restatement on Children and the Law, Members Consultative Group (2016-present).
- Project on Sexual and Gender-Based Misconduct on Campus: Procedural Frameworks and Analysis (2016-present).

Michigan State University

- Conference Chairperson, Education, Law & Detroit (2016, conference hosted by Education Law seminar students, sponsorship from around the university).
- Conference Planning Chairperson (2012-2014) "Pursuing the Dreams of *Brown* and the Civil Rights Act: A Living History of the Fight for Educational Equality" (joint project of MSU College of Law & College of Education, and University of Missouri-Kansas City Law School).
- Chairperson, College of Law Faculty Advisory Committee to the Dean (2013-2014).
- Chairperson, College of Law Faculty Development and Programs Committee (2010).
- College of Law Dean Search Committee (2015-2016).
- College of Law Self Study Committee (2012-2013).
- University Committee on Faculty Affairs, Personnel Subcommittee (2009, 2010).

SSRN Education Law Abstracting Journal, Editor and Founder (2008-present).

The journal published 26 issues in its inaugural year and has published at least 50 issues every year since then.

PUBLICATIONS

WORKS IN PROGRESS

THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF EDUCATION LAW (editor, under contract with Oxford University Press).

The Failure of Education Federalism (law review article, publication expected 2017, draft available at: https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2876889).

Replacing a Rotting Floor of Educational Quality (in progress) (book chapter, expected 2017).

Dissolving Michigan School Districts (in progress) (white paper with Eric Scorsone, expected 2017).

School District Fiscal Emergency Laws (in progress) (with Dirk Zuschlag, expected 2017).

BOOKS

- AN INTRODUCTION TO CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS TO AND IN EDUCATION IN THE UNITED STATES (2016, University of Trento, Italy, e-book).
- THE PURSUIT OF RACIAL AND ETHNIC EQUALITY IN AMERICAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS: *MENDEZ, BROWN, AND BEYOND* (editor) (2015, Michigan State University Press; selected as an Outstanding Academic Title by *Choice: Current Reviews for Academic Libraries*, a publication of the Association of College & Research Libraries).
- EDUCATIONAL POLICY AND THE LAW (5th ed., 2012, Wadsworth, Cengage Learning; previous editions published by West and Thomson West) (with Mark Yudof, Betsy Levin, Rachel Moran & James Ryan).

LAW REVIEW ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

- Liability and Remedies for School Desegregation in the United States and the European Union*, INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL FOR EDUCATION LAW AND POLICY (2015) (with Jiri Nantl, peer-reviewed).
- Pursuing Equity at the Intersection of School Desegregation, English-Language Instruction, and Immigration*, book chapter in KRISTI L. BOWMAN, ED., THE PURSUIT OF RACIAL AND ETHNIC EQUALITY IN AMERICAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS: *MENDEZ, BROWN, AND BEYOND* (2015, Michigan State University Press).
- The Legal Legacy of Missouri v. Jenkins*, book chapter in KRISTI L. BOWMAN, ED., THE PURSUIT OF RACIAL AND ETHNIC EQUALITY IN AMERICAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS: *MENDEZ, BROWN, AND BEYOND* (2015, Michigan State University Press).
- Mendez v. Westminster: A Living History*, 2014 MICHIGAN STATE LAW REVIEW 401 (with Frederick Aguirre, Gonzalo Mendez, Sylvia Mendez, Sandra Robbie & Philippa Strum).
- The Government Speech Doctrine and Speech in Schools*, 48 WAKE FOREST LAW REVIEW 211 (2013).
- State Takeovers of School Districts and Related Litigation: Michigan as a Case Study*, 45 THE URBAN LAWYER 1 (2013) (journal of the ABA Section on State and Local Government).
- Before School Districts Go Broke: A Proposal for Federal Reform*, 79 UNIV. OF CINCINNATI LAW REVIEW 895 (2011).
- Pursuing Educational Opportunities for Latino/a Students*, 88 NORTH CAROLINA LAW REVIEW 913 (2010).
- The Civil Rights Roots of Tinker's Disruption Tests*, 57 AMERICAN UNIV. LAW REVIEW 1129 (2009).
- A New Strategy for Pursuing Racial and Ethnic Equality in Public Schools*, 1 DUKE FORUM FOR LAW & SOCIAL CHANGE 47 (2009).
- Rebuilding Schools, Rebuilding Communities: The Civic Role of Mississippi's Public Schools after Hurricane Katrina*, book chapter in CHILDREN AND DISASTERS: WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED FROM THE HURRICANES OF 2005 (2009, ABA), excerpted in 77 MISSISSIPPI LAW JOURNAL 711 (2008).
- Public School Students' Religious Speech and Viewpoint Discrimination*, 110 WEST VIRGINIA LAW REVIEW 187 (2007).
- An Empirical Study of Evolution, Creationism, and Intelligent Design Instruction in Public Schools*, 36 JOURNAL OF LAW & EDUCATION 301 (2007).
- Seeing Government Purpose Through the Objective Observer's Eyes: The Evolution-Intelligent Design Debates*, 29 HARVARD JOURNAL OF LAW & PUBLIC POLICY 417 (2006).
- The New Face of School Desegregation*, 50 DUKE LAW JOURNAL 1751 (2001) (student note).

SHORTER PIECES AND ARTICLES FOR MULTIDISCIPLINARY AND GENERAL AUDIENCES

- Developing an Early Warning System for Michigan's Schools*, MSU EXTENSION WHITE PAPER (June 2015) (with Rachel White, Kacy Martin, and Eric Scorsone).
- Knowledgeable Navigation to Avoid the Iceberg: Considerations in Proactively Addressing School District Fiscal Stress in Michigan*, MSU EXTENSION WHITE PAPER (January 2015) (with Rachel White, Kacy Martin, and Eric Scorsone).
- Commemorating Brown and the Civil Rights Act: Learning from the Past and Hoping for the Future*, 2014 MICHIGAN STATE LAW REVIEW 385 (symposium introduction).
- Milliken v. Bradley I and II—40 Years Later, a Reflection*, ED., 32 (Summer 2014) (with George T. Roumell, Jr., solicited article in the Harvard Graduate School of Education magazine).

MSU College of Law plans April event on court cases, LANSING STATE JOURNAL F1 (January 12, 2014).
Plyler's Legacy: Immigration and Higher Education in the 21st Century, 2011 MICHIGAN STATE LAW REVIEW 261 (with Michael A. Olivas, symposium introduction); reprinted in 32 IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY LAW REVIEW 575 (2011).
Before School Districts Go Broke: A Proposal for Federal Reform, EDUCATION WEEK (April 20, 2011) (1,200-word op-ed adapted from a law review article published in 79 UNIV. OF CINCINNATI LAW REVIEW 895 (2011); print circulation 50,000 plus substantial online access).
The Evolution Battles in High School Science Classes: Who is Teaching What?, 6:2 FRONTIERS IN ECOLOGY AND THE ENVIRONMENT 69 (March 2008) (peer-reviewed science journal, official journal of the Ecological Society of America, print circulation 10,000).
Science Under Siege, COUNSEL 8 (April 2006) (solicited article in the official journal of the bar of England and Wales, print circulation 23,000).
A Different Shade of Brown: Latinos and School Desegregation, 88:2 JUDICATURE 85 (2004) (solicited article, peer-reviewed journal of the American Judicature Society).

PEER REVIEWER

Educational Policy (2007, 2013, 2016)
International Journal of Educational Administration and Policy Studies (2013)
International Journal of Human Rights (2012)
Oxford University Press (2011)
Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment (2008)

MEDIA APPEARANCES AND PRESENTATIONS

MEDIA APPEARANCES

THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR (November 2016)
News21 online, a cornerstone of the Carnegie-Knight Initiative on the Future of Journalism Education (August 2016), article reprinted in NBCNews.com, THE HECHINGER REPORT, and THE PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER (Sept 2016)
CHICAGO MAGAZINE (January 2016)
ABA JOURNAL (June 2014)
AUSTIN AMERICAN-STATESMAN (August 19, 2011)
OAKLAND COUNTY LEGAL NEWS (June 13, 2011)
Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment podcast, (March 1, 2008)
CNN, *Lou Dobbs Tonight* (January 12, 2006)
NEW YORK TIMES (December 25, 2005)

PRESENTATIONS BY TOPIC

School Districts in Fiscal Crisis and Governance

- National Education Finance Conference. Cincinnati, OH. February 2017 (proposal submitted).
- Michigan Institute for Public Policy and Social Research. Lansing, Michigan. January 2016.
- Australia & New Zealand Education Law Association. Brisbane, Australia. September 2015.
- National Conference on Education Finance. St. Louis, MO. February 2015.
- American Interdisciplinary Society. East Lansing, MI. October 2014.
- ABA Center for Professional Development webinar. Online. August 2013.
- ABA Section on State and Local Government. Kansas City, MO. October 2012.
- National Education Finance Conference. Tampa, FL. May 2011.
- Southeastern Law Schools Association Conference. Palm Beach, FL. August 2010.
- Kent State University Symposium on Democracy. Kent, OH. May 2006.

Right to Education and Civic Role of Public Schools

- American Heart Association Health Summit. Detroit, MI. February 2017 (scheduled).
- ABA Young Lawyers Division. Detroit, MI. October 2016.
- New York University School of Law and Education Testing Service. Princeton, NJ. November 2014.
- University of Trento. Levico Terme, Italy. July 2014.
- AALS Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. January 2010.
- Law and Society Conference. Berlin, Germany. July 2007.
- University of Houston Law Center. Houston, TX. April 2007.

Racial and Ethnic Equality in K-12 Public Schools

- University of Trento. Levico Terme, Italy. July 2014.
- Project 60/50 Conversations Series at Michigan State University. East Lansing, MI. March 2014.
- UCLA Civil Rights Project Conference co-sponsored by Ghent University and Universite Libre de Bruxelles. Ghent, Belgium. September 2013.
- *University of Toledo Law Review* Symposium. Toledo, OH. October 2013.
- Education Law Association Annual Meeting. Westminster, CO. November 2013.
- Minerva Center for Human Rights at Hebrew University. Jerusalem, Israel. May, 2010.
- Education Law Association Annual Meeting. Louisville, KY. October 2009.
- LatCrit XIV Conference. Washington, D.C. October 2009.
- UCLA Civil Rights Project Conference co-sponsored by University of North Carolina and University of Georgia. Chapel Hill, N.C. April 2009.
- Duke Forum for Law and Social Change Inaugural Symposium. Durham, N.C. February 2009.
- KIDS Law Conference for Illinois School Superintendents. Galena, IL. October 2002.

K-12 Students' Free Speech Rights

- University of Missouri at Kansas City. Kansas City, MO. September 2012.
- *Wake Forest Law Review* Symposium. Wake Forest, NC. October 2012.
- Education Law Association Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL. November 2011.
- Law and Society Conference. San Francisco, CA. May 2011.
- Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law. Dallas, TX. February 2011.
- American University, Washington College of Law. Washington, D.C. April 2009.

Religion in K-12 Public Schools

- University of Trento. Levico Terme, Italy. July 2014.
- Education Law Association Annual Meeting. San Antonio, TX. November 2008.
- Southeastern Law Schools Association Conference. Palm Beach, FL. July 2008.
- Law and Society Conference. Montreal, Canada. May 2008.
- Commonwealth Education Law Conference. Richmond, VA. April 2008.
- Education Law Association Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA. November 2007.
- Marquette University Law School Faculty Colloquium Series. Milwaukee, WI. September 2006.
- Drake University Center for the Humanities. Des Moines, IA. September 2006.
- American Constitution Society & West Virginia University College of Law. Morgantown, WV. April 2007.
- Annual Midsouth Conference on Education Law. Oxford, MS. August 2006.
- AALS Annual Meeting poster presentation. Washington, D.C. January 2006.

Law School Pedagogy

- Southeastern Law Schools Association Conference. Amelia Island, FL. August 2012.
- SALT Teaching Conference. Honolulu, HI. December 2010.
- Michigan State University Lilly Fellow Reception (poster). East Lansing, MI. May 2010.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT REGARDING LEADERSHIP AND PEDAGOGY

The New Science of Leadership Networks, MSU. December 2016.
Staying Research Active as a Department Chair, MSU. October 2016.
Interest-Based Tools for Setting Expectations and Resolving Conflict, MSU. October 2016.
Big Ten Academic Alliance Department Executive Officers Seminar. October 2016.
Cultivating an Online Scholarly Presence. MSU. October 2016.
ABA Associate Deans conference. June 2016.
Regional Women's Leadership Forum, American Council on Education. April 2016.
Applying Design Thinking in Academic Plans, MSU. March 2016.
The Realities of Strategic Planning, MSU. March 2016.
Why Aren't There More Women and Women of Color Leaders? What Faculty and Administrators Can Do, MSU. February 2016.
Adaptive Leadership, AALS Annual Meeting, Associate Deans for Academic Affairs and Research. January 2016.
New Administrator Orientation, MSU. August 2015.
Exploring the Flipped [Classroom] Model, MSU. 2014.
Teaching in an "Executive MBA" Format, MSU-Law. October 2013. Organizer and facilitator.
SALT Teaching Conference, December 2010. Presenter.
Exploring Distance Learning, MSU-Law. April 2010. Organizer and facilitator.
Classroom Assessment Techniques, MSU-Law. December 2009. Organizer and facilitator.
Lilly Fellowship, MSU. 2009-2010.
Law Students and Learning Styles, MSU-Law. Organizer. April 2009.
Moving from Effective Teaching to the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning, MSU. September 2009.
Legal Education at the Crossroads, vol 3.0: A Conference on Assessment. September 2009.
Technology and Pedagogy, MSU-Law. November 2008. Organizer and facilitator.
AALS New Law Teachers Conference. July 2004.

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS

BAR ADMISSIONS

Supreme Court of the United States. 2005.
United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit. 2003.
United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit. 2001.
Northern District of Illinois. 2003.
Central District of Illinois. 2004.
State of Michigan. 2013.
State of Illinois. 2001.

BOARDS

Drake University Don Adams Leadership Institute National Advisory Board, 2005-present.
Drake University Arts & Sciences National Advisory Board, 2015-present.

1.5.2017