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Florida Agricultural & Mechanical University College of Law
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CURRENT POSITION

Professor of Law

EDUCATION

Howard University School of Law

Washington, DC
JD, cum laude

Northwestern University

Evanston, IL
Bachelor of Science

CLERKSHIP

District of Columbia Superior Court
Judicial Law Clerk
Honorable George W. Mitchell
Washington, DC, September 1986 – August 1987

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Florida A&M University College of Law

Professor of Law, 2013 - Present
Associate Professor of Law, 2006 - 2011
Visiting Associate Professor of Law
Orlando, Florida
August 2005 – May 2006

Howard University School of Law

Acting Director Legal Reasoning, Research, Writing Program
Washington, DC
August 2000 – May 2005
Instructor, Intensive Legal Methods LL.M. Program
Summer 2001
Instructor, Legal Reasoning, Research, Writing Program
August 1993 – May 1997

Georgetown University

Instructor, Advanced Legal Writing Seminar
Washington, DC
Summer 2006

Classes Taught at Florida A & M University College of Law:

- Advanced Appellate Advocacy
- Constitutional Law I
- Constitutional Law II
- Constitutional Law - First Amendment
- Legal Methods I and II
- Professional Responsibility
- Torts I
- Torts II
- Advanced Topics of Women and the Law

Classes Taught at Howard University School of Law:

- Legal Reasoning, Research, Writing
- Appellate Advocacy
- Professional Responsibility
- Legal Methods LL. M. Program
- Academic Support

Classes Taught at Georgetown University:

- Advanced Legal Writing Seminar

OTHER LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Expert Witness

Female Genital Mutilation Asylum Case
Washington, DC / Atlanta, GA

U.S. Department of Justice

Contract Attorney, Antitrust Division, CTF Section
Washington, DC, January 2000 – August 2000

Private Practitioner

Washington, DC, 1987- 1993; 1996 to 2000

United States Postal Service

Consultant on Sexual Harassment Prevention
Washington, DC, January 1998 – August 1998

PUBLICATIONS

Articles

- ❖ *“How Dare You Vote!” The Enactment of Racist and Undemocratic Voting Laws to Preserve White Supremacy, to Maintain the Status Quo, and to Prevent the Rise of the Black Vote* (Work in Progress) 2021.
- ❖ *“Medicalising “Female Genital Mutilation: Placing an Imprimatur on the Torture and Abuse of Women* (Work in Progress) 2021.
- ❖ *DAMN IT! A CONVERSATION ON BEING BLACK, FEMALE, AND MARGINALIZED DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC: IS THE WORLD LISTENING? A CONVERSATION BETWEEN BLACK FEMALE LAW PROFESSORS, ALA CIV RTS & CIV LIB L.R. VOL 12.1 P. 1* 2020/2021.
- ❖ *Unbowed, Unbroken, and Unsung: The Unrecognized Contributions of African American Women in Movements, Politics, and the Maintenance of Democracy*, 25 William and Mary Journal of Race, Gender, and Social Justice, 631 (Spring 2019).
- ❖ Broussard, Patricia A. (2015) "Eviscerating the Voting Rights Act and Moral Authority: Freedom to Discriminate Comes with a Price," *Journal of Race, Gender, and Ethnicity*: Vol. 7: Iss. 1, Article 2.
Available at: <http://digitalcommons.tourolaw.edu/jrge/vol7/iss1/2>
- ❖ *Black Women’s Post Slavery Silence Syndrome: A Twenty-First Century Remnant of Slavery, Jim Crow, and Systemic Racism. Who Will Tell Her Stories?* University of Iowa Journal of Gender, Race & Justice Summer 2013).
- ❖ Patricia A. Broussard, *Reaction Article – Shayan Modarres, The Fourteenth Amendment Isn’t “Broke”: Why Wealth Should Be a Suspect Classification under the Equal Protection Clause*, 3 Georgetown Law’s Modern Critical Race Perspectives Journal (2012).
- ❖ *First Do No Harm: Why Pricking is Not the Solution to Ending Female Genital Mutilation*, The Student Appeal cite as: Patricia A. Broussard, *First Do No Harm: Why Pricking is Not the Solution to Ending Female Genital Mutilation* (May 2010), available at: <http://thestudentappeal.com/international/first-do-no-harm>.
- ❖ *Repair versus Rejuvenation: The Condition of Vaginas as a Proxy for the Societal Status of Women*, 9 Seattle J. Soc. Just. 935 (2010 – 2011).
- ❖ *The Importation of Female Genital Mutilation to the West: The Cruellest Cut of All*, 44 University of San Francisco Law Review 4 (Spring 2010).
- ❖ *Now You See it, Now You Don’t: Addressing the Issue of Websites which are Lost in Space*, 35 Ohio Northern University Law Review 1 (2009).

- ❖ *Female Genital Mutilation: Exploring Strategies for Ending Ritualized Torture: Shaming, Blaming, and Invoking the Convention Against Torture*, 15 Duke Journal of Gender Law and Policy 19 (2008).
- ❖ *The True Legacy of Rosa Parks*, *Findlaw.com* - November 2005,
http://writ.news.findlaw.com/commentary/20051102_broussard.html
- ❖ *Brown Did Not Fail America; America Failed Brown*, 47 How. L.J. 829 (2004).
- ❖ Drafted USDA Title VI Manual in conjunction with HUSL– January, 2002
- ❖ *Honoring African American Women in Academia*, *The New Barrister*, Vol. 37 No. 5, (2001).

APPELLATE BRIEFS

- ❖ Amicus Brief to the U.S. Supreme Court Shelby County v. Holder – January, 2013.
- ❖ Supervised Amicus Brief Grutter v. Bollinger Amicus Brief to the U. S. Supreme Court – January, 2003.

BOOKS

- ❖ Cynthia Cook, *Medical Sociology: A Reader*, Chapter, *Understanding Female Genital Mutilation. Revised Fall 2019/2020* University Readers & Cognella Academic Publishing).
- ❖ *Feminist Judgments Rewritten: Opinions of the United States Supreme Court Town of Castle Rock v. Gonzales, Commentary* (2016, Cambridge Press).
- ❖ Case Study, *THE A-Z GUIDE TO FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT LAWS FOR THE SMALL BUSINESS OWNER*, by Shannon Johnson with Berit Everhart, Atlantic Publishing Group, Inc., (2011).
- ❖ Cynthia Cook, *Medical Sociology: A Reader*, Chapter, *Understanding Female Genital Mutilation* (Forthcoming January 2012, University Readers & Cognella Academic Publishing).

PRESENTATIONS

2020/2021

- ACLU Panel On Voting
- Community Voting Panel
- Florida State Voting Panel
- News 13 Ruth Bader Ginsburg
- ACS Voting Panel
- Voting Panel
- Verizon Voting Panel
- Stonewall Panel
- NGA Voting Panel
- News 13 Election
- ASALH Panel
- North Dakota Fair Housing

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- Roland Martin Live
- Pad Panel
- Client Counseling Competition
- Black History Panel
- U Of Alabama Balsa
- Loyola Law (Chicago) Symposium Alabama Article
- FAMU Colorism Panel
- Scholarship Presentation Alabama Article
- Black News Channel Commentator on Voting

2019/2020

Participated in SCALES program by giving a presentation to in-coming students. 2019/2020

- Attended seminars and talks given by colleagues. 2019/2020
- Hosted the Fall 2019 Etiquette Workshop for PAD 2019/2020
- Moderated the Women Law Caucus panel on *Superwomen*. 2019/2020
- Panelist FAMU College of Law – I Am Not My Hair 2019/2020
- Panelist Stonewall – Interpreting Recent Supreme Court Decisions 2019/2020
- Moderator, Forum on Florida Amendment 4 2019/2020
- Speaker, Panel on amicus briefs 2019/2020
- Panelist, Alpha Phi Alpha panel on Criminal Justice Reform 2019/2020
- Moderator, Balsa panel on Finding Your Voice 2019/2020
- Panelist, ACLU annual meeting 9/2020201
- 1619 Symposium Bethune Cookman October 2019
- Etiquette Workshop November 2019
- Moderator WLC On Superwomen October 2019
- Stonewall Panelist 2019
- Moderator, Works in Progress, Lat Crit Conference, Orlando, FL, 2017
- Presenter, ACLU panel, *“The Status of Abortion Rights”* 2017
- Presenter – ACLU panel, *“Supreme Court Activities for 2016”*
- Moderator/Panelist on Women’s Reproductive Rights, Southeast/Southwest People of Color Conference, Baton Rouge, LA, 2017
- *Presenter* on Voting Rights, Southeast/Southwest/Midwest People of Color Conference, Little Rock, AK, 2013
- *Presenter*, Lutie A. Lytle Black Women Faculty Writing Workshop, Las Vegas, NV, Summer 2013
- *Participant*, 2013 AALS Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA
- *Participant*, 2011 Southeast/Southwest/Midwest People of Color Conference, Ft. Lauderdale, FL
- *Participant*, 2011 AALS Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA
- *Participant*, Forum Webcast, *“Law as a Social Determinant: Black America Health and Wealth Inequalities,”* March 2011
- *Participant*, 2010 AALS Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA

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- *Presenter*, Lutie A. Lytle Black Women Faculty Writing Workshop, *Female Genital Mutilation*, Summer 2010
- *Presenter*, SE/SW People of Color Conference, USC Law School, *Female Genital Mutilation*, Columbia SC, Spring 2010
- *Participant*, 2009 AALS Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA
- *Presenter*, AALS 2009 New Legal Writing Teachers' Workshop: The Nuts and Bolts of Teaching Legal Writing, Summer 2009.
- *Participant*, 2008 AALS Annual Meeting, New York, NY
- *Presenter*, AALS 2007 New Legal Writing Teachers' Workshop: The Nuts and Bolts of Teaching Legal Writing, Summer 2007.
- *Presenter*, Lat Crit Conference, Miami 2007, *Female Genital Mutilation*
- *Presenter*, *Equity Pedagogy in the Classroom*, Gonzaga University School of Law Institute for Law School Teaching - 13th Summer Conference, Suffolk University Law School– June 2007
- *Presenter*, Southeast/Southwest People of Color Conference – March 2007: *Female Genital Mutilation*.
- *Presenter*, AALS 2005 New Legal Writing Teachers Workshop: *Nuts and Bolts of Planning Legal Writing*

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Guest Speaker - City of Orlando, Interfaith Candlelight Service for MLK, *The Legacy of MLK, 2017*
- Guest Speaker – ACLU Annual Meeting, *“The Erosion of Women’s Rights,”* 2017
- *Speaker*, Alpha Phi Alpha Stand Your Ground Forum, July 2013
- *Moderator*, Stand Your Ground Forum, Fort Pierce, Florida, June 2012.
- *Presenter*, Stand Your Ground Forum, Florida A & M University College of Law, Spring 2012.
- *Moderator*, Women’s Law Caucus *“Groundbreaking Women and the Evolution of the Law”* Symposium, Spring, 2011.
- *Moderator*, Forum – *Is Abortion Black Genocide?* Florida A & M University College of Law, Spring, 2011.
- *Moderator*, Women’s Law Caucus *“Women & the Economy in the 21st Century”* Symposium, Spring, 2010.
- *Moderator*, *United States v. Stevens* Panel, Spring, 2010.
- *Speaker*, *Female Genital Mutilation*, Florida A & M University, Tallahassee, FL, Spring, 2009.
- *Presenter*, AALS New Teacher Conference, Washington, DC, Summer, 2009.

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- *Moderator, Debate on Florida's Proposed Constitutional Amendment Banning Gay Marriage, Florida A & M University College of Law, 2008.*
- *Debate Participant, Affirmative Action sponsored by Federalist Society and BALSAs, Florida A & M University College of Law, 2008.*
- *Presenter, The Nuts, and Bolts of Teaching Legal Writing, AALS 2007 New Legal Writing Teachers' Workshop.*
- *Presenter, Equity Pedagogy in the Classroom, Institute of Law School Teaching, Suffolk Law School – June 2007.*
- *Presenter, Female Genital Mutilation, Latina & Latino Critical Legal Theory Annual Conference, Miami 2007.*
- *Presenter, Female Genital Mutilation, Southeast/Southwest People of Color Conference – March 2007.*
- *Presenter, Nuts and Bolts of Planning Legal Writing, American Association of Law Schools 2005 New Legal Writing Teachers Workshop.*
- *Guest Speaker, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Program, BALSAs, Barry Law School, Jan, 2008.*
- *Speaker, "Immigration with a Small i," Florida A & M University College of Law, Fall 2006*

LAW SCHOOL SERVICE - ONGOING

- COL RPT Committee
- University TP Committee
- COL Budget Committee, Chair
- COL Faculty Development Committee
- University TP Committee
- COL Library, Chair
- COL Student Disciplinary Committee, Chair
- Ad hoc Handbook Committee
- Admission Committee
- Skills Practice Committee
- Committee on Committees (University)
- University Faculty Senate
- Academic Standards Committee
- Client Counseling Coach
- Moderator for Federalist Society/Citizen United Panel
- Co-Coordinator of Election Protection/Presidential elections
- Presenter Etiquette Workshop
- Hosted CFAWL Mentoring Event
- Presenter on Professionalism and Diversity Law School Panel
- Faculty Advisor – Women's Law Caucus

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- Submitted amicus brief to United States Supreme Court on behalf of FAMU COL
- Moderator Diversity Day at Florida A & M University College of Law
- Judge for 1L presentation “How to Give an Oral Argument,” Florida A & M University College of Law

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Coordinated Annual Clean-Up Parramore Day, January 2019
- Coordinated Annual Clean-Up Parramore Day, January 2018
- “He Got Up” Homeless Program 2017
- Coordinated Annual Clean-Up Parramore Day, January 2017
- “He Got Up” Homeless Program 2016
- Coordinated Election Protection for 2016 Presidential Election
- City of Orlando MLK Commissioner, 2017
- Coordinated Annual Clean-Up Parramore Day, January 2016
- City of Orlando MLK Commissioner, 2016
- Participant, He Got Up Homelessness Project, 2016
- Coordinated city-wide educational project on Brown v. Board of ED with OCPS, 2015
- City of Orlando MLK Commissioner, 2015
- Coordinated Annual Clean-Up Parramore Day, January 2015
- City of Orlando MLK Commissioner, 2014
- Coordinated Annual Clean-Up Parramore Day, January 2014
- Coordinated Election Protection for 2014 election.
- Guest Speaker on Voting Rights for the Harris Corporation.
- Presenter on Stand Your Ground Law, July 2013
- Orlando MLK Parade Committee, 2010
- Housing Foreclosure Program sponsored by FAMU COL, 2010
- Star 94.5 FM Radio, Healthcare Forum, 2010
- Commissioner, City of Orlando’s Mayor’s MLK Commission, 2010
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- Commissioner, City of Orlando’s Mayor’s MLK Commission, 2008
- Presenter, Career Day, Ivey Lane Elementary School, 2008
- Voter Registration Drive, Fall 2008
- Clean-Up Parramore Day, January 2008
- Commissioner, City of Orlando’s Mayor’s MLK Commission, 2007
- Commissioner, City of Orlando’s Mayor’s MLK Commission, 2006

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

Patricia A. Broussard Curriculum Vitae

- U.S. Dept. of State's Bureau of Education and Cultural Affairs Fulbright Specialist, 2013
- 2013 Florida A & M University College of law "Professor of the Year" Award
- 2012 Florida A & M University College of law "Professor of the Year" Award
- 2012 Percy Luney Spirit of Service Award
- 2011 Florida A & M University College of Law "Professor of the Year" Award
- 2010 Percy Luney Spirit of Service Award
- 2010 Florida A & M University College of Law "Professor of the Year" Award
- 2008 Percy Luney Spirit of Service Award for Faculty
- 2007 Percy Luney Spirit of Service Award for Faculty
- 2006 Percy Luney Spirit of Service Award for New Faculty
- 2003 Warren Rosmarin Award for Outstanding Teaching and Service

NEWSPAPER AND MAGAZINE PROFILES

- FOX News Commentator 2017
- Florida Bar News, December 15, 2005
- 2005 Featured in Newspaper Articles in Tallahassee and Brevard County
- Westside Gazette, January 2006
- Flavor Magazine, Winter 2006

BAR ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

- District of Columbia Bar Association
- United States Supreme Court
- United States Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces
- American Bar Association
- Society of American Law Teachers
- American Civil Liberties Union
- Affiliate Member, Florida Bar
- Central Florida Association of Women Lawyers