

## **RESUME**

**JAMES M. CONCANNON  
DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR OF LAW  
WASHBURN LAW SCHOOL  
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TOPEKA, KANSAS 66621**

### **EDUCATION**

J.D. 1971, University of Kansas School of Law  
Ranked Second in Graduating Class  
Order of the Coif

B.S. 1968, University of Kansas  
Mathematics Honorary Society  
Political Science Honorary Society  
Summerfield Scholar 1966-1967

### **BAR ADMISSIONS**

Kansas, 1971  
United States District Court of Kansas, 1971  
United States Court of Appeals, Tenth Circuit, 1981  
United States Supreme Court, 1980

### **LEGAL EMPLOYMENT**

Research Attorney for Justice Alex Fromme, Kansas Supreme Court, 1971-1973  
Law Clerk, Office of Kansas Insurance Commissioner, 1971  
Law Clerk, Office of Kansas Attorney General, 1970-1971

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Washburn University School of Law  
Dean, 1988-2001  
Distinguished Professor of Law, 2006- present  
Professor of Law, 1981-2006  
Associate Professor of Law, 1976-1981  
Assistant Professor of Law, 1973-1976  
Lecturer in Law, 1972

Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, Missouri  
Visiting Professor, Summer, 1979

C.L.E.O. Summer Program, Summer, 1983

## Courses Taught

Evidence

Civil Procedure

Appellate Practice

Conflict of Laws

Pretrial and Trial Procedure

Law and Legal Methods

Legal Research and Writing

Legislation

Trans-National Products Liability Litigation (Summer, 1988, for Washburn Summer Law Study Program at Brunel, Uxbridge, England)

## Teaching Award

William O. Douglas Professor of the Year, 1976-77 (second recipient of senior class award)

## Development of Teaching Materials

Wrote and compiled Appellate Practice (1982) (last revised 2007)

Wrote and compiled Class Supplements for Civil Procedure (1979) (last revised 2008) and Evidence (1980) (last revised 2008)

Trans-National Products Liability Litigation (1988)

## **PUBLISHED MATERIALS**

### BOOKS AND BOOK CHAPTERS

“Evidence,” Chapter in 2007 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 2007)

"Evidence," Chapter 3 in Kansas Judges Manual 6<sup>th</sup> ed. (Kansas Office of Judicial Administration 2007) (also 1990, 1996, 1999, 2002, and 2004 editions)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 2006 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 2006)

Chapter 18 “Witnesses,” Chapter 19 “Relevance and Extrinsic Policies Affecting Admissibility,” Chapter 22 “Judicial Notice,” and Chapter 23 “Privileges” for Kansas Criminal Law Handbook 4<sup>th</sup> ed. (Kansas Bar Association 2006)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 2005 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 2005)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 2004 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 2004)

“P.I.K. 52.06 - Proof of Other Crime - Limited Admissibility of Evidence,” in Pattern Instructions for Kansas - Criminal (Kansas Judicial Council 2004 Supp.) (substantial revision of commentary)

Chapters 131 (Eminent Domain) and 132 (Federal Employers Liability Act) in Pattern Instructions for Kansas - Civil 3d (Kansas Judicial Council - Westgroup 2003 Supp.) (substantial revision)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 2003 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 2003)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 2002 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 2002)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 2001 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 2001)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 2000 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 2000)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 1999 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 1999)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 1998 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 1998)

“Evidence,” Chapter in 1997 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 1997)

Chapters 19 (Relevancy and Extrinsic Policies Affecting Admissibility), 20 (Hearsay) and 23 (Privileges) in Kansas Criminal Law Handbook, 1996 Supplement (Kansas Bar Association 1996)

"Evidence," Chapter in 1996 Annual Survey of Kansas Law (Kansas Bar Association 1996)

Senior Contributing Editor, Evidence in America: The Federal Rules in the States (Michie 1987) (wrote Chapter 58: "Rules 803(24) and 804(b)(5)," the residual exceptions).

Co-Author, Kansas Appellate Practice Manual (Kansas Bar Association 1978)

Co-Author Kansas Statute of Limitations and Time Standards (Kansas Bar Association 1988)

Vernon's Kansas Statutes Annotated, Code of Civil Procedure, Pocket Supplements 1976-1986

Vernon's Kansas Forms Annotated, Code of Civil Procedure, 1980 Pocket Supplements

### **JOURNAL ARTICLES**

- “The ideal place...for the establishment of a great Law School’ - The Early History of Washburn University School of Law,” 42 Washburn L.J. 803 (2004)
- "The Other Law Schools of Early Day Kansas," 65 J. Kan. B.A. 24-32 (Nov. 1996)
- "Implementing the Kansas Collateral Source Rule," 58 J. Kan. B.A. 19-28 (Feb. 1989)(with Smith)
- "Impeaching Civil Verdicts: Juror Statements as Prejudicial Misconduct," 52 J. Kan. B.A. 201-212 (1983).
- "Admitting Government Findings in Federal Civil Cases," VI J.K.T.L.A. p. 9-12 (No. 6 1983)
- "The Kansas Testimony," 1 J.K.T.L.A. 16-17 (Spring 1977)(conflict of laws implications of products liability legislation).

### **MONOGRAPHS AND MISCELLANEOUS**

- "Changes Proposed in Civil Rules" 17 Circuit Rider 3 (No. 2 1978).
- The Courts, Kansas Bar Association Law Related Education Background Booklet (1980) (all except section on Administrative Law)
- "Prior Crime Workbook --- The Trial of Attila D. Hun," (1981) (script and film of trial vignettes for interactive CLE program with workbook of authorities)
- "Citizenship Education Sorely Needed," Kansas Barletter (July 1984)
- "A bit of Bethany Law School," Lindsborg News Record, Dec. 26, 1996
- "At Campbell: Local law school graduates four classes," Holton Recorder, Dec. 12, 1996
- “100 Years of Washburn Law in the Judiciary,” The Washburn Lawyer 5-8 (Summer, 2003)
- “WU Raises Bar for Lawyers,” *Topeka Capital Journal*, March 21, 2004, pp. 4-6 of Topeka at 150 special section, “The Legal Standard”

## **APPELLATE BRIEFS AND ORAL ARGUMENTS**

Wozniak v. Lipoff, 242 Kan. 583, 750 P.2d 971 (1988) (wrote pages 34-38 of Appellee's Brief on application of principle of appellate review that general verdict resolves all disputed issues in favor of the prevailing party).

National Farmers Organization v. Burkhart, 731 F.2d 1464 (10th Cir. 1984) (presented oral argument and wrote all of Appellee's Brief on issues of liability of bank for breach of contract to make loan in excess of its lending limits).

Circle Land & Cattle Corp. v. Amoco Oil Co., 232 Kan. 482, 657 P.2d 532 (1983)(wrote Appellant's Brief on issues of summary judgment and implied warranty of fitness).

Citizens State Bank & Trust Co. v. Nolte, 226 Kan. 443,601 P.2d 1110 (1979) (presented oral argument and wrote pp. 14-17 of Appellant's Brief on issue of scope of appellate review).

Concerned Citizens, United, Inc. v. Kansas Power & Light Co. 215 Kan. 218, 523 P.2d 755 (1974) (co-author of amicus brief on behalf of Wolf Creek Nuclear Opposition, Inc.).

## **CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION PRESENTATIONS AND OUTLINES**

### **OUTSIDE KANSAS**

"Evidence: How Should the Court Rule?" Maricopa County Bar Association, Phoenix, Arizona, February 7, 2002

"Mentoring New Faculty Members," Panel Discussion, Mid-Continent Association of Law Schools, Black Hills State Park, South Dakota, July, 1995

"Innovations in Law School Budgeting," Mid-Continent Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, Banff, Alberta, Canada, July, 1993

Moderator, Mid-Continent Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting Program, Jackson, Wyoming, July 21-24, 1991

"Law Teaching Clinics: Professional Development at Washburn," Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., January 5, 1991

"Basic Principles of Advocacy," Panelist, KBA Litigation Section, Vail, Colorado, June 16, 1989

"Evidentiary Problems in the Juvenile and Family Court," National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges, Reno, Nevada, October 5-8, 1986

"Evidentiary Problems in the Juvenile and Family Court," National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges, Reno, Nevada, October 21-23, 1985

"Opinion Evidence," Michigan Judicial Institute, Lansing, Michigan, June 9, 1983

"Faculty Development after the Salad Days," Mid-Continent Association of Law Schools (panelist), Jackson Hole, Wyoming, August 2, 1982

"Opinion Evidence," Michigan Judicial Institute, Lansing, Michigan, May 28, 1981

"The Washburn Teaching Clinic," A.A.L.S. Teaching Methods Section, San Antonio, Texas, January 5, 1981

"Impeachment and Rehabilitation of Witnesses," Indiana Federal Bar Association, Indianapolis, Indiana, May 11, 1979

"The New Michigan Rules of Evidence--Impeachment," Michigan Judicial Institute, Detroit, Michigan, May 24, 1978

"The New Michigan Rules of Evidence--Hearsay," Michigan Judicial Institute, Troy, Michigan, April 3, 1978

## KANSAS

"Recent Developments in Evidence," Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June 2007

"Recent Developments in Evidence," Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June 2006

"Evidentiary Issues in Bankruptcy," Topeka Area Bankruptcy Council, Topeka, November 16, 2005

"Recent Developments in Evidence," Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June, 2005

Panelist, "Evidence," half-day program, Kansas Judicial Conference, Wichita, October 23, 2004

"Recent Developments in Evidence," Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June, 2004

Panelist, "Issues Regarding the Admission of Evidence," Kansas Judicial Conference, Topeka, June 7, 2004

"Recent Developments in Evidence," Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June, 2003

“Recent Developments in Evidence,” Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June, 2002

“Expert Witness Testimony,” Kansas Association of Defense Counsel,” Kansas City, Missouri, December 7, 2001 (panelist)

“Recent Developments in Evidence,” Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June, 2001

“Evidence,” Kansas Supreme Court New Judges Seminar, Topeka, Kansas, January 30, 2001

“Recent Developments in Evidence,” Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June, 2000

“The Dirty Dozen: Errors in Objections and Responses to Objections,” Southwest Kansas Bar Association, Dodge City, Kansas, September 17, 1999

“Recent Developments in Evidence,” Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June, 1999

“Evidence for New Judges,” Kansas Supreme Court New Judges Seminar, January 25, 1999

“Recent Developments in Evidence,” Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June 26, 1998

“Inadvertent Disclosure of Confidential Information,” Topeka American Inn of Court, October 2, 1997

“Recent Developments in Evidence,” Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June 27, 1997

“Recent Developments in Evidence and Procedure,” Kansas Trial Lawyers Association, Overland Park, June 6, 1997

"Evidence for New Judges," Kansas Supreme Court New Judges Seminar, January 27, 1997, Topeka

"Recent Developments in Evidence," Kansas Bar Association Videotape Seminar, June 26, 1996 and later dates, various locations

"Making and Meeting Objections," Washburn Reunion Weekend CLE, Topeka, June 7, 1996 and August 25, 1995

"The Erie Doctrine and Punitive Damages," Topeka American Inn of Court, April 4, 1996

"Hot Topics in Evidence and Procedure," Kansas Bar Association Annual Meeting, Wichita, June 8, 1995

"Evidence," New Judges Seminar, Kansas Supreme Court, Topeka January 31, 1995

"Recent Developments in Evidence," Kansas Bar Association Annual Survey of the Law Seminar, Overland Park, October, 1994

"Discovery of Work Product or Privileged Material Used by Experts in Forming Opinions," Topeka American Inn of Court, March 3, 1994

"Making and Meeting Objections," Leavenworth County Bar Association Annual Institute, November 5, 1993

"Making and Meeting Objections," Washburn Law Alumni Reunion Weekend, Topeka, August 26, 1993

"What's Left of the Collateral Source Rule and Other Developments in Evidence and Procedure," Kansas Trial Lawyers Association, Salina, Kansas, May 7, 1993

"What a New Judge Needs to Know About Evidence," Kansas Supreme Court Seminar for New Judges, Topeka, Kansas, January 13, 1993

"Update on the Kansas Collateral Source Changes," and "The Law of Closing Argument," Kansas Association of Defense Counsel Annual Meeting Program, Kansas City, Missouri, December 5, 1992

Panelist, "Ethics in Litigation," Topeka American Inn of Court, November 5, 1992

"Working Between the Kansas and Federal Rules of Evidence --- Expert Testimony and Hearsay," Kansas Bar Association Annual Meeting Program, Topeka, June 11, 1992.

"Making the New Collateral Source Rule Work," Reunion Weekend CLE, Topeka, November 3, 1990; October 13, 1990; June 23, 1990; May 24, 1991; September 28, 1991; October 19, 1991; August 29, 1992

"Evidence Used by Experts," KTLA Evidence and Procedure Seminar, Overland Park, September 21, 1990

"The Kansas Implied Consent Statute," Kansas Bar Association Annual Meeting Program, Overland Park, June 7, 1990

"Impeachment of Lay Witnesses" and "Making and Responding to Objections," KTLA Evidence and Procedure Seminar, Overland Park September 29, 1989

"Making the New Collateral Source Rule Work," Wyandotte County Bar Association, Kansas City, February 15, 1989

"Making and Meeting Objections," KTLA Basics Trial Techniques Seminar, Manhattan, September 9, 1988

Coordinator and Lecturer, 9th Annual Kansas College of Advocacy, Kansas Bar Association, Topeka, July 23-30, 1988

"The New Kansas Collateral Source Statute," Recent Developments in the Law, Topeka, July 1, 1988

"Kansas Evidence," District Magistrate Judges Regional Training Program, Emporia, March 18, 1988; Garden City, March 11, 1988; Hays, March 4, 1988

"Evidence," New Judges Seminar, Kansas Supreme Court, Topeka, January 5, 1988

Coordinator and Lecturer, 8th Annual Kansas College of Advocacy, Kansas Bar Association, Topeka, July 18-25, 1987

"Twelve More Tips on Evidence and Procedure to Make You Money (or at least save you embarrassment)," Washburn Recent Developments in the Law Seminar, Topeka, July 1, 1987 (coordinated program)

"Evidence Problems for State Agencies," Kansas Attorney General's Office In-House CLE, Kansas Bar Association, Topeka, February 21, 1987

"Impeachment and Cross-Examination," Kansas County and District Attorneys Association, Topeka, February 17, 1987

"How to Feel at Home in Federal Court," Federal Practice Seminar, Kansas Bar Association, Topeka, February 13, 1987

"The Most Interesting Procedure and Evidence Cases of the Year," Highlights of the Courts, Kansas Bar Association, Topeka, November 11, 1986

"Evidence," Legal Services Corporation of Kansas, Topeka, September 9, 1986

Co-Coordinator, Washburn Advanced Trial Advocacy Institute, Topeka, August 21-24, 1986

Coordinator and Lecturer, 7th Annual Kansas College of Advocacy, Topeka, July 19-26, 1986

"Twelve Tips on Evidence and Procedure to Make You Money (or at least save you embarrassment)," Washburn Recent Developments in the Law Program, Topeka, June 30, 1986 (coordinator of program)

Moderator, "Changes in the Collateral Source Rule and Medical Malpractice Update," Washburn Law Institute, Topeka, October 25, 1985

"Hearsay Hazards," Kansas County and District Attorneys Association, Manhattan, October 13, 1985

Coordinator and Lecturer, 6th Kansas College of Advocacy, Topeka, June 22-29, 1985

"Impeachment and Relevancy," Kansas District Magistrate Judges Association, Regional Training Program, Emporia, November 30, 1984; Garden City, November 16, 1984; Hays, November 9, 1984

"Use of Depositions at Trial," and "Tips on Evidence and Procedure," 44th Annual Leavenworth County Bar Association Seminar, October 19, 1984

"Errors in Objections," Counselor's Club, Topeka, August 19, 1984

Coordinator and Lecturer, 5th Kansas College of Advocacy, Topeka, July 14-21, 1984

"Insurance Settlements under the Kansas and Missouri Comparative Negligence Laws," Overland Park, May 24, 1984

"Ten Errors in Objections," Topeka Legal Aid Society, January 20, 1984

"Evidence III," Kansas Bar Association, Topeka, October 14, 1983; Wichita, September 30, 1983

"Hearsay Hazards," District Magistrate Judges, Kansas Judicial Conference, Manhattan, October 11, 1983

Coordinator and Lecturer, 4th Kansas College of Advocacy, Topeka, July 9-16, 1983

"Ten Errors in Objections," Leavenworth County Bar Association, Leavenworth, June 30, 1983

"Erroneous Objections, Best Evidence Rule, The Opinion Rule," Kansas Judicial Conference, Wichita, May 11, 1983

"Evidence," Kansas District Magistrate Judges Association Regional Training Program, Emporia, March 25, 1983; Garden City, March 14, 1983; Hays, March 11, 1983

"Hearsay and Prior Crimes Evidence," Seminar for Newly Elected and Appointed Judges, Topeka, January 4, 1983

"Procedure and Evidence for the General Practitioner," Northwest Kansas Bar Association, Salina, September 24, 1982

"Hearsay", Kansas District Judges Association, Overland Park, May 14, 1982

"Uses of Discovery at Trial", Johnson County Bar Association Annual Program, Overland Park, April 7, 1981

"Defamation Law," Panelist Washburn Media Law Seminar, Topeka, February 27, 1982

"Prior Crimes Workbook - The Trial of Attila D. Hun," Kansas Judicial Conference, Topeka, October 13, 1981

"Use of Hypnosis Evidence", Counselor's Club, Topeka, September 24, 1981

"Evidence II: Relevancy and Hearsay", Kansas Bar Association, Hays, September 11, 1981; Overland Park, September 4, 1981; Wichita, August 28, 1981

"Evidence Objections," Kansas Bar Association, Wichita, March 21, 1981; Topeka, March 14, 1981

"Evidence", New Judges Seminar, Kansas Supreme Court, Topeka, January 8, 1981

"Objections to Expert Opinion Testimony," Lyon-Chase County Bar Association Fall Meeting, Emporia, November 5, 1980

"Evidence Seminar," Kansas Bar Association, Topeka, September 13, 1980; Wichita, September 12, 1980

"Recent Developments in Kansas Evidence and Procedure," Kansas Trial Lawyers Association, Wichita, June 17, 1980

"A Prosecutor's Use of K.S.A. 60-455," Kansas County and District Attorneys Association, Topeka, January 26, 1980

"Character and Specific Instances of Conduct," Kansas Judicial Conference, Wichita, October 17, 1979

"Procedure and Evidence Update," KTLA Kansas Legal Forum, Topeka, June 30, 1979

"Hearsay Hazards", Kansas County and District Attorneys Association Regional Program, Lawrence, May 5, 1979

"History of Products Liability," Schnatterly Seminar, Washburn University, Topeka, February 15, 1979

"What is a Libelous News Story," Washburn Media Law Seminar, Topeka, February 3, 1979

"Evidence Seminar," Kansas County and District Attorneys Association, January 26, 1979

"Evidence," Newly Elected Judges Seminar, Kansas Supreme Court, Topeka, January 4, 1979

"Selected Topics on Evidence," Kansas Judicial Conference, Kansas Supreme Court, Topeka, October 12, 1978

"Notice of Appeal Through Consolidation," Kansas Bar Association Appellate Practice Seminar, Great Bend, September 15, 1978; Overland Park, September 8, 1978

Commentator, Kansas County and District Attorneys Association Criminal Evidence Program, Salina, June 10, 1978

"Evidence", Newly Appointed Judges Seminar, Kansas Supreme Court, Topeka, March 17, 1978

"Evidence Workshop," Sedgwick County Attorney's Office, Wichita, October 12, 1977

"Evidence Workshop," Shawnee County Attorney's Office, Topeka, October 10, 1977

Moderator, Kansas Bar Association Comparative Negligence Seminar, Lawrence, September 24, 1977

"Evidence Workshop," Kansas County and District Attorneys Association, Great Bend, July 18, 1977

"Hearsay and Lineups," Kansas County and District Attorneys Association, Topeka, April 21, 1977

"Impeachment", Newly Elected Prosecutors Seminar," Kansas County and District Attorneys Association, Topeka, January 27, 1977

"Evidence" Newly Elected Trial Judges Seminar, Kansas Supreme Court, Topeka, January 4, 1977

"Comparative Negligence," Kansas Trial Lawyers Association, Wichita, October 30, 1976

Moderator, Kansas Bar Association Court Reorganization Institute, Topeka, September 10, 1976

"Hearsay and Privilege", Kansas Special Court Judges School, Kansas Supreme Court, Topeka, June 21, 1976

"Comparative Negligence," Wichita Bar Association, Wichita, October 23, 1975

## **LEGISLATIVE TESTIMONY**

### **DISCRETIONARY INTERLOCUTORY APPEALS OF CLASS ACTION CERTIFICATION ORDERS**

February 19, 2004  
March 8, 2004

House Judiciary Committee  
Senate Judiciary Committee

## COLLATERAL SOURCE RULE

March 25, 1985	House Judiciary Committee
February 5, 1986	House Judiciary Committee
August 14, 1986	Interim Study Committee
March 2, 1987	House Judiciary Committee
September 25, 1987	Kansas Judicial Council
February 11, 1988	House Judiciary Committee
March 9, 1988	Senate Judiciary Committee

## JOHN DOE PLEADINGS

March 3, 1987	House Judiciary Committee
March 25, 1987	House Federal and State Affairs Committee
January 20, 1988	Senate Judiciary Committee
July 13, 1989	Interim Judiciary Committee

## DISCOVERY CHANGES

January 24, 1983	House Judiciary Committee
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## UNIFORM PRODUCTS LIABILITY ACT; CHANGES IN PRODUCTS LIABILITY LAWS

Winter, 1976	Senate Commercial & Financial Institutions Comm.
Summer, 1976	Interim Study Committee
February 16, 1977	House Judiciary Committee
Winter, 1977	Senate Commercial & Financial Institutions Comm.
March 20, 1980	Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee

## DECRIMINALIZATION OF MARIJUANA

Summer, 1976	Interim Study Committee
Winter, 1977	House Federal & State Affairs Committee
Winter, 1977	Senate Federal & State Affairs Committee

## RAPE SHIELD STATUTE

January 31, 1978	House Judiciary Committee
March, 1978	Senate Judiciary Committee
February 19, 1979	House Judiciary Committee

## PSYCHOTHERAPIST - PATIENT PRIVILEGE

January 31, 1978	House Judiciary Committee
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## WASHBURN LAW LIBRARY BILL

April 17, 1980	Senate Ways and Means Subcommittee
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## **BAR REVIEWS**

Evidence, Washburn-KU Bar Review, 1982-2003  
Examination Techniques, Washburn-KU Bar Review, 1982-2003  
Evidence, Washburn Bar Review, 1980-1982

Examination Techniques, Washburn Bar Review, 1981-82  
Torts, University of Kansas Bar Review, 1972-1981  
Torts, KTLA Bar Review, 1977  
Torts, Washburn Fraternity Bar Review, 1974-76  
Conflict of Laws, Washburn Fraternity Bar Review, 1974-76

## **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws, Kansas Delegate, 1998-present

Study Committee, Uniform Computer-Generated Evidence Act - 2003-4  
Study Committee, Uniform Electronic Discovery Act, 2004-2005  
Drafting Committee, Certification of Unsworn Foreign Declarations Act, 2006-  
Style Committee, 2007- (four-year term)  
Kansas Liaison , Legislative Committee, 2000-

2007 Annual Meeting, Pasadena, California, July 27-August 3, 2007  
2006 Annual Meeting, Hilton Head, South Carolina, July 7-14, 2006  
2005 Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, July 22-29, 2005  
2004 Annual Meeting, Portland Oregon, July, 2004  
2003 Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., July 25-31, 2003  
2002 Annual Meeting, Tucson, Arizona. July 26-August 2, 2002  
2001 Annual Meeting, Greenbriar, West Virginia, August 10-17, 2001  
2000 Annual Meeting, St. Augustine, Florida, July, 2000  
1999 Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado, July 24-30, 1999  
1998 Annual Meeting, Cleveland, Ohio, July 24-31, 1998

Kansas Bar Association

President's Outstanding Service Award, 1983, 2003  
Continuing Legal Education Committee, 1976-2001  
    Handbook Task Force, 1981-1988  
    Chair, 1981-1985  
    Quality Control Committee, 1978  
    Executive Committee, 1981-1984  
Law In Education Committee, Chair, 1979-1984  
Public Information Committee, 1984-1988  
    Chair, 1987-1988  
Specialization Committee, 1991-1993  
Commission of Professionalism, Equality and Quality, 1992-1995

American Bar Association

Litigation Section  
    Trial Evidence Committee  
        State Rules of Evidence Project, 1984-87

Topeka Bar Association

Public Relations Committee, 1977-1978

Committee on Responding to Unfair Criticism of Judges, 2005

Office of Kansas Disciplinary Administrator  
Panel Member Disciplinary Proceeding, 1998

Administrator, Sam A. Crow American Inn of Court, 1992-present  
President, 2001-2002  
A.I.C. National Leadership Conference, Denver, Colorado, May 17-19, 2001  
Discussion Leader, "Program Planning," A.I.C. National Leadership Conference,  
Kansas City, Missouri, May 15, 2004

Editorial Board, *The Bench*, American Inns of Court Foundation bi-monthly magazine  
2006-

Mid-Continent Association of Law Schools  
Chair, Annual Meeting Program Planning Committee, 1991

Member, Association of American Law Schools House of Representatives, 1988-2001

AALS Committee on Bar Admission and Lawyer Performance, 1994-97

AALS Special Site Evaluation Inspection Team, Cumberland Law School, Samford  
University, Birmingham, Alabama, October, 1993.

AALS Special Site Evaluation Inspection Team, Nova Southeastern Law School, Fort  
Lauderdale, Florida, October 11-12, 1994

AALS Special Site Evaluation Inspection Team, Tulsa University College of Law,  
March 24-25, 1998

ABA Site Evaluation Inspection Team, Western New England College of Law, February 28-  
March 3, 1999

Chair, ABA/AALS Site Evaluation Inspection Team, University of North Dakota School of  
Law, Mar 26-29, 2000

Inspector, ABA Site Evaluation, Duquesne University School of Law Summer Program in  
Ireland, Dublin, Ireland, July 2-4, 2000

Chair, ABA/AALS Site Evaluation Inspection Team, West Virginia University College of  
Law, September, 2000

Chair, ABA/AALS Site Evaluation Inspection Team, Cecil C. Humphries School of Law,  
University of Memphis, Memphis, Tennessee, February 24-27, 2002

Chair, ABA Site Evaluation Inspection Team, Chapman University School of Law, Orange,  
California March 20-23, 2005

Chair, ABA/AALS Site Evaluation Inspection Team, University of Wyoming College of Law, Laramie, Wyoming, March 18-21, 2007

Hearing Officer, AALS Committee of Academic Freedom and Tenure, Complaint against Duquesne University, Fall, 1995

AALS Representative, Dedication of University of Tulsa College of Law Building Addition, April, 2000

Pattern Instructions for Kansas, Kansas Judicial Council, Civil and Criminal Committees, 2001-present

Kansas Commission of Judicial Performance, Kansas Judicial Council, 2006 - present

Board of Directors, Kansas Appleseed Foundation, Inc., 2007 -

Elected Fellow, American Bar Foundation, 1993

State Chair, Kansas Fellows of the American Bar Foundation, 2002-2005

Member, Kansas Secretary of State's Commission on the Electoral College and Electoral Reform, Topeka, Kansas, December 18, 2001

Elected Member, Topeka Lawyers Club, 2002 - present  
Presentation - "Lessons from History," November 13, 2003 (same presentation made to Downtown Kiwanis Club, May 10, 2004)

Fellow, Kansas Bar Foundation, 1995

Honorary Life Member, Washburn Law School Association, 1991, 1997

Smiling Bull Award, Leavenworth County Bar Association, 1993

Kansas Supreme Court Award for Contributions to the Judiciary of the State of Kansas, 1997 Kansas Judicial Conference

### **SERVICE TO THE LAW SCHOOL AND THE UNIVERSITY**

Faculty Recruitment Committee, 1979-2001  
Chair, 1981-1988

Chair, Continuing Legal Education Committee, 1985-1988

Chair, Clinical Education Committee, 1978-81

Moot Court Committee, 1973-78  
Chair, 1975-78

Coordinator, Jessup International Law Regional Competition, 1978

Chair, Committee on Conduct of Examinations, 1976

Chair, In House Teaching Clinic Committee, 1979-80

Co-Coordinator, Washburn/KU Bar Review, 1982-2004

Chair, Sabbatical Committee, 2001-2005

Chair, Centennial Committee, 2002-2004

Technology Committee, 1983-1988; 2005-2006  
Chair, 1983-84, 2005-2006

Dean Search Committee, 2006

Other Committees:

Curriculum, 1974-81, 2006- present (Chair, 2007-08)

Law Journal, 1973-74

Time Allocation, 1985-86

Standards and Procedures for Promotion and Tenure, 1978

Grade Posting Guidelines, 1985

Professional Development, 1981-83

First Year Small Sections, 1980

Member, University Presidential Search Committee, 1990

Law School Representative to University Council, 2004-2005; Law School Representative to University Faculty Senate, 2005 - ; Faculty Senate Executive Committee, 2005-2007

Chair, Vice President for Academic Affairs Search Committees, 2000 and 2007

University Activities Committee, 1974-76

Consultant, AAUP Committee on Procedures for Non-Retention and Denial of Tenure, 1975

Nominating Committee, Phi Kappa Phi, 1988

Selected Student Recruitment Presentations:

Emporia State University Prelaw Course; 1974, 1978, 1980, 1999

American Indian Law Center, Albuquerque, 1981

LaRaza Legal Alliance Minority Recruitment Conference, 1980, 1982

Hutchinson, Kansas, Law Explorer Post, January 26, 1998

## **SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY**

Chair, Legal Committee, Concerned Citizens of Topeka, 1995-97; Vice-President, 1995-96

Nominating Committee, Kansas Appleseed, 1998

Member, Kansas Joint Commission on Public Understanding of the Law, 1983-1989

"Academic Goals of Law Related Education," Superintendent's Advisory Council,  
Emporia, April 27, 1984

Moderator, "Criminal Penalties: Balancing Rights of the Accused and Protection of  
the Community," Conference on The Citizen, The Constitution and The Law,  
Salina, October 17, 1985

"Law Related Education in Kansas," Training Session for L.R.E. coordinators,  
Emporia, November 2, 1985

"The Bicentennial of the Constitution," Keynote Address for Teacher In-Service  
Program, U.S.D. 353, Paola, August 27, 1987

"Law Related Education: Goals and Objectives," Statewide LRE Conference,  
Lawrence, November 2, 1988

Close-Up Kansas Planning Committee, 1982-85

"Current Issues Facing the Kansas Judiciary," Annual Presentation, 1984-88;  
March 13, 1990; February 11, 1992

Co-Reporter, Kansas Citizens Justice Initiative 1997-99

Member, United States Magistrate Judge Nominating Committee, 1997-98, 2000, 2001

Panelist, "Separation of Powers and the Selection of Judges," Leadership Kansas, October  
27, 2005, and Associated Press State Government Day, March 14, 2006

Coordinator, Citizens to Keep Politics Out of Our Courts, 1984 (Spokesperson for non-  
partisan appointment of judges in four televised debates and numerous other public  
forums)

"Non-Partisan Selection of Judges: Keep Politics Out of Our Courts," Downtown Topeka  
Rotary Club, September 21, 2000 and other civic groups throughout the fall, 2000; also  
appearance on Jim Cates Show, WIBW radio, WIBW-TV, KSNT-TV, KTKA-TV; op-ed  
pieces in the Kansas City Star and Leavenworth Times

"Non-Partisan Selection of Judges," Debate on proposal to elect judges in Lyon County held  
at Emporia State University, October, 2002

City/County Task Force on Law Enforcement Consolidation, 1991-92

Kansas Wesleyan University Pre-Law Advisory Committee, 1983

Kansas Civil Liberties Union Legislative Panel, 1980, 1981

Board of Directors, Kansas Legal Services for Prisoners, Inc., 2002-present

Treasurer and member, Board of Directors, Topeka Youth Project, Inc., 1983-86

Treasurer, John Peterson for Congress Committee, 1974

Campaign Manager and Treasurer, Kansans for Brier for Secretary of State, 1978, 1982

Campaign Manager, Brier for Governor, 1986

Treasurer, Heinemann for County Commission, 2004 and Heinemann for State Representative, 2006

Law Day Speeches, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1980, 1982

Speaker, Dedication of Monroe School (Brown v. Board of Education) as National Historic Site, Topeka, May 17, 1992

Speaker, Presentation of National Park Designation for Monroe School (Brown v. Board of Education), Topeka, Kansas, January 11, 1993

"Trends in Legal Education," Reno County Bar Association, Hutchinson, February 16, 1989; Topeka Bar Association, Topeka, October 23, 1989

"Current Issues in Legal Education," Wichita Bar Association, January 14, 1992; Johnson County Bar Association, March 4, 1992; Kansas Bar Association Leadership Conference, Lindsborg, July, 1993; Topeka Lions Club, March 7, 1994; Cosmopolitan Club of Topeka, 1994; Johnson County Bar Association, October 10, 1995; Downtown Topeka, Rotary Club, October 26, 1995; Topeka Bar Association, January 10, 1997; Crawford County Bar Association, Pittsburg, Kansas, June 16, 1999

Speaker, "The Law of the Pack," Jayhawk Area Council, Boy Scouts of America Distinguished Citizen Award Banquet, Topeka, June 3, 1993.

Board of Directors, Waddell and Reed Mutual Funds 1997-present

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