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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Professor of Law
Wake Forest University School of Law

COURSES TAUGHT

Classical Rhetoric for Lawyers
Commercial Leasing
Contracts and Commercial Transactions
LAWR1 (Fall Semester Legal Analysis & Writing)
LAWR2 (Spring Semester Legal Analysis & Writing)
Meaning and Interpretation in Public and Private Law
Negotiation

LEGAL EDUCATION

J. D. With High Honors, Duke University School of Law
Giles-Rich-Stoner Scholar

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION

A.B. Magna Cum Laude, Davidson College
Phi Beta Kappa
Charles A. Dana Scholar
Philosophy Major
Primary Undergraduate Interest: Philosophy of Language

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS: ARTICLES

[*Recasting Canons of Construction Into “Canonical” Queries: Canons and Queries Of Meaning, Spirit, Letter, and Text*](#), WAKE FOREST L. REV. (Forthcoming).

[*Langdell and the Eclipse of Character*](#), 85 UNIV. PITTSBURGH L. REV. 285 (2024).

Recasting Canons of Interpretation and Construction into "Canonical" Queries: Further Canonical Queries of Presented or Transmitted Text, 58 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 1047 (2023).

Balancing Freedom and Restraint: The Role of Virtue in Legal Analysis, 32 S. CAL. INTERDISC. L.J. 315 (2023).

Recasting Canons of Interpretation and Construction into 'Canonical' Queries, 57 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 353 (2022).

How To Do Things With Signs: Semiotics in Legal Theory, Practice, and Education, 55 U. RICH. L. REV. 861 (2021).

Law and the Cognitive Nature of Emotion: A Brief Introduction, 54 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 909 (2019).

Why Legal Writing is “Doctrinal” and More Importantly Profound, 19 NEV L.J. 729 (2019).

Making Good Sense: Pragmatism’s Mastery of Meaning, Truth, and Workable Rule of Law, 9 WAKE FOREST J. L. & PUB. POL’Y 199 (2018-2019).

Speaker Meaning and the Interpretation and Construction of Executive Orders, 8 WAKE FOREST J. L. & PUB. POL’Y 319 (2018).

Cognitive Emotion and the Law, 41 LAW & PSYCHOL. REVIEW 53 (2017).

Good Legal Thought: What Wordsworth Can Teach Langdell About Forms, Frames, Choices, and Aims, 41 VT. L. REV. 1 (2016).

Law as Trope: Framing and Evaluating Conceptual Metaphors, 37 PACE L. REV. 89 (2016).

Raising the Bar, Razing Langdell, 51 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 231 (2016).

Law's "Way of Words:" Pragmatics and Textualist Error, 49 CREIGHTON L. REV. 221 (2016).

Narrative in Law and Life: Some Frequently Asked Questions, THE SECOND DRAFT (Fall 2015).

Plane Meaning and Thought: Real-World Semantics and Fictions of Originalism, 24 S. CAL. INTERDISC. L.J. 657 (2015).

Exercising Common Sense, Exorcising Langdell: The Inseparability of Legal Theory, Practice and the Humanities, 49 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 1213 (2014).

Crushing Animals and Crashing Funerals: The Semiotics of Free Expression, 12 FIRST AMEND. LAW REV. 237 (2013).

Publish and Perish? Handling the Unreasonable Publication Agreement, 13 WAKE FOREST J. BUS. & INTELL. PROP. L. 127 (2013); 1.5 LINDEY ON ENT. PUB. & ARTS § 15:18.50 (3d ed.).

A Right but Wrong Place: Righting and Rewriting Citizens United, 56 S. D. L. REV. 219-237 (2011).

Let's Skill All the Lawyers: Shakespearean Lessons in Law and Rhetoric, 6 ACTA IURIDICA OLOMUCENSIA 9-64 Spring 2011).

Let's Skill All the Lawyers: Shakespearean Lessons on the Nature of Law, 11 VERA LEX 33-74 2011; an abbreviated simultaneous publication of the ACTA IURIDICA OLOMUCENSIA article listed above).

"Original" Means Old, "Original" Means New: An "Original" Look at What "Originalists" Do, 67 NAT'L LAW. GUILD REV. 135-55 (2010).

Plain Language Statutes: Plain Good Sense or Plain Nonsense?, 78 LAW LIBR. J. 683-96 (1986).

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS: BOOK CHAPTERS/SECTIONS

Hats, Rabbits, and Jurists' Magic (Or Jurists' Bright and Dark Magic), forthcoming essay in a second volume of essays on law and magic edited by Christine Corcos to be published by Carolina Academic Press.

Theory Without Practice Is Empty; Practice Without Theory Is Blind: The Inherent Inseparability of Doctrine and Skills, in LINDA H. EDWARDS, THE DOCTRINE SKILLS DIVIDE: LEGAL EDUCATION'S SELF-INFLICTED WOUND (2017).

Communication & Expression: A Brief Semiotic Analysis, in 2 MICHAEL KENT CURTIS ET AL, CONSTITUTIONAL LAW IN CONTEXT (3d ed. 2011).

PUBLICATIONS IN THE MEDIA

"Nature Hath Framed Strange Fellows" Shakespeare and Natural Law, Huffington Post (Apr. 29, 2017).

Shakespeare and Legal Positivism, Huffington Post (Apr. 29, 2017).

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[Toilets, Trials, and Tolls: Cleaning Up After Pat McCrory](#), Huffington Post (Dec. 31, 2016).

[Pat McCrory Should Think Twice Before Trying To Pack The North Carolina Supreme Court](#), Huffington Post (Nov. 16, 2016).

[Blake Within Blake Within Blake Without End](#), Huffington Post (Oct. 3, 2016).

[Beyond Words Alone: Poets as Artists of the Intentional](#), Huffington Post, (Sept. 25, 2016).

[Fourth Circuit Strikes Down Discriminatory Provisions of Gov. Pat McCrory's North Carolina "Omnibus" Election Law](#), HUFFINGTON POST (July 29, 2016).

[The "Fix" Is In: Tweaking House Bill 2 \(And Workers, Too\)](#), HUFFINGTON POST (July 6, 2016).

[Verse Translation: A Call for Harder Work and Greater Care](#), HUFFINGTON POST (June 8, 2016).

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[Religious Hypocrites and Their Timeless Tactics: McCrory, Tartuffe, and House Bill 2](#), HUFFINGTON POST (May 21, 2016).

[Real Crimes Against Nature: N.C. Republicans Attack Renewable Energy](#), HUFFINGTON POST (May 19, 2016).

[McCrory's House Bill 2: A Brief Outline of Its Five "Parts"](#) (Huffington Post, May 13, 2016).

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[*Justice Scalia, Queen Anne, and the Pragmatics of Interpretation*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (Feb. 18, 2016).

[*Kennings: I've Made a Little List*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (Feb. 9, 2016).

[*Poets and Lawyers: Birds of a Feather*](#), HUFFINGTON POST Dec. 15, 2015).

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[*The Supreme Court & Obamacare Round II*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (Feb. 28, 2015).

[*Hobby Lobby: No Veil, No Precedent, No Multiple Payers?*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (July 13, 2014).

[*Biting the Hand That Feeds: Entitlements and the Fundamental Attribution Error*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (May 12, 2014).

[*Letter to the Class of 2014*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (Apr. 29, 2014).

[*From Days of Auld Langdell: Crisis and Reform in Modern Legal Education*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (Apr. 25, 2014).

[*The Kingdom is Within*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (Apr. 16, 2014).

[*Finding Wisdom in a Fractured World*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (Apr. 5, 2014).

[*Obamacare and the Self-Made Man*](#), HUFFINGTON POST (Mar. 26, 2014).

SELECT OTHER ARTICLES/ESSAYS

[*Gorsuch and Originalism: Some Critiques from Logic, Scripture, and Art*](#), SSRN (2018).

SELECT PRESENTATIONS, DISCUSSIONS, AND PANELS

January 28, 2025

Panelist on Wake Forest Business Law Society Alternative Dispute Resolution Lunch and Learn Panel, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

April 20, 2023

Speaker on “Langdell and the Eclipse of Character” at conference titled “Disarmed, Distracted, Disconnected and Distressed: Modern Legal Education and the Unmaking of American Lawyers,” University of Pittsburgh School of Law, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

March 17, 2023

Moderator of Panel on “Corporate Governance & Blockchain: Boards of Directors, Corporate Management, Extending Liability” included in “ESG and Blockchain” Symposium, Wake

Forest Journal of Business & Intellectual Property Law, Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

September 21, 2022

Speaker on "Basics of Contract Drafting" for participants in the Wake Forest Transactional Competition at Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

December 10, 2021

Speaker on "The Role of Legal Writing Professors in Best Transactional Classes" at South Texas College of Law Houston (Virtual Conference).

December 4, 2021

Speaker on "Advocating for the Doctrinal Status of Legal Writing" at the University of Illinois Chicago School of Law (Virtual Conference).

September 23, 2021

Speaker on "Basics of Contract Drafting" for participants in the Wake Forest Transactional Competition at Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

June 1, 2019

Discussant for panel on Emotional Scripts and the Evaluation of Credibility, Law and Society Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.

February 22, 2019

Organizer (with Prof. Chris Coughlin) of the Wake Forest Law Review's 2019 Symposium on Cognitive Emotion and the Law, Introductory speaker on "core themes" of cognitive on core themes of cognitive emotion, Speaker on racism, homophobia, sexism, and emotional intelligence, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

January 5, 2019

Panelist and Speaker on "Building Bridges between Theory and Practice: Incorporating Lawyering Skills into Doctrinal Courses," AALS Annual Meeting 2019, New Orleans, Louisiana.

November 1, 2018

Moderator and panelist for "I Dissent: The Kavanaugh Confirmation Hearings" at Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

October 4, 2018

Speaker on "Emotion and the Law" at Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

July 13, 2018

Speaker on "Cognitive Emotion and the Law" at 18th Biennial Conference of the Legal Writing Institute, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

April 21, 2018

Panelist and Speaker on “What Role Can Legal Writing Faculty Members Play in Encouraging [Other] Doctrinal Courses To Incorporate Legal Writing in Their Curricula?” at DePaul University College of Law, Chicago, Illinois.

April 13, 2018

Keynote Speaker on “Politics, Journalism, and Truth: The Real Story of HB2” at Ashby Dialogue Symposium entitled “HB2: Bad Policy, Fake News & Real Impact,” at UNCG, Greensboro, North Carolina.

December 8, 2017

Speaker on “Why Legal Writing is a ‘Doctrinal’ Course” at Elon University School of Law, Greensboro, North Carolina.

January 12, 2017

Speaker on “Beyond Langdell: Law and Conceptual Metaphor” at Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

November 3, 2016

Speaker on the Inaugural Wake Forest Transactional Law Competition at the Wake Forest University School of Law General Counsel Advisory Committee Meeting, Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

November 1, 2016

Speaker on "How to Set Up an Efficacious Grading Rubric for a Writing Assignment" at Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

October 15, 2016

Speaker on “North Carolina House Bill 2: Privacy or Discrimination?” at the American Section of the International Association of Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy Conference at Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

August 2, 2016

Interviewee on North Carolina House’s Bill 2 and North Carolina’s Voter Restriction Laws on North Carolina Public Radio’s [“The State of Things.”](#)

January 27, 2016

Speaker on “Law as Trope: Framing and Evaluating Conceptual Metaphors” at Georgia State University College of Law.

October 30, 2015

Round Table Discussion Leader on Dangers and Pitfalls of Estoppel and Subordination, Nondisturbance and Attornment Agreements at the Annual Conference of the International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC) in Phoenix, Arizona.

October 23, 2015

Co-Planner, Speaker, and Panelist at Wake Forest Law Review's 2015 Fall Symposium "Revisiting Langdell: Legal Education Reform and the Lawyer's Craft." Speech Topics: "Revisiting Langdell: An Introduction" and "Law as Craft: The Necessary Fusion of Legal Theory and Practice." Panel: An Open Discussion with Roy Stuckey and Blake Morant.

April 29, 2015

Panelist and Speaker on "Reviewing and Negotiating a Commercial Lease Agreement," at ABA Real Property Basics Program, Washington, D.C.

November 13, 2014

Panelist and Speaker on "Counsel in Crisis: The GM Ignition Switch Recall as Case Study," at NCBA Corporate Counsel Section Dinner, Greensboro, North Carolina.

October 24, 2014

Round Table Discussion Leader on Defaults and Remedies at the Annual Conference of the International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC) in Orlando, Florida.

October 17, 2014

Speaker on "Legal Ethics in a Technology-Driven World" at Retail Industry Leaders Association 2014 Conference in Charlotte, North Carolina.

October 9, 2014

Speaker on ABA 20/20 Amendments to Rules of Professional Conduct at Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

October 19, 2013

Round Table Discussion Leader on Permissive, Exclusive and Restrictive Use Provisions in Commercial Leases at the Annual Conference of the International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC) in San Diego, California.

March 5, 2013

Co-speaker with Chris Coughlin at May 5, 2013 Contract Seminar at Wake Forest University School of Medicine, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

October 2012

Co-planner (with Prof. Tanya Marsh) of NCBA October 2012 Advanced Real Property CLE, Cary, North Carolina.

October 26, 2011

Panelist and Speaker on "Career Paths in Employment Law: In-House and Outside Counsel" at Wake Forest University School of Law, North Carolina.

February 15, 2011

Colloquium Panelist and Speaker on “Preparing Law Students for Evolving Client Relationships” hosted by the *Journal of Law and Policy* at Wake Forest University School of Law, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

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Inesa Seskauskiene, *Metaphor in Legal Translation: Space as a Source Domain in English and Lituanian*, in METAPHOR IN LEGAL DISCOURSE 118 (Inesa Seskauskiene, ed. Cambridge Scholars Publishing 2022) (citing [*Law as Trope*](#)).

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DEBORAH PANELLA & ELLIS MOUNT, BASICS OF LAW LIBRARIANSHIP (2011) (citing [*Plain Language*](#)).

PETER BUTT & RICHARD CASTLE, MODERN LEGAL DRAFTING: A GUIDE TO USING CLEARER LANGUAGE (2006) (citing [*Plain Language*](#)).

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ARTICLES

Phillipa Webb, *The United Kingdom and the Chagos Archipelago Advisory Opinion: Engagement and Resistance*, MELB. J. INT'L L. 726, 746 (2020-2021) (citing [Cognitive Emotion Brief Introduction](#)).

Lawrence B. Solum, Cass R. Sunstein, *Chevron as Construction*, 105 CORNELL L. REV. 1465, 1479 (2020) (citing [Interpretation & Construction of Executive Orders](#)).

L. Danielle Tully, *The Cultural (Re)Turn: The Case for Teaching Culturally Responsive Lawyering*, STAN. J. CIV. RTS. & CIV. LIBERTIES 201, 231 (2020) (citing [Exercising Common Sense](#)).

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Marc Chase McAllister, *Compare This: How Employers Use Comparator Evidence to Defeat Employment Discrimination Claims*, 2020 MICH. ST. L. REV. 803, 848 (2020) (citing [Razing Langdell](#)).

Peter Nemerovski, *Help Wanted: An Empirical Study of LRW Hiring*, 24 LEGAL WRITING: J. LEGAL WRITING INST. 315, 328 (2020) (citing [Legal Writing as Doctrinal](#)).

Sohail Wahedi, *Muslims and the Myths in the Immigration Politics of the United States*, 56 CAL. W. L. REV. 135, 151 (2019-2020) (citing [Interpretation & Construction of Executive Orders](#)).

Ahmed E. Taha, *Exploiting Pre-Existing Beliefs*, 97 WASHINGTON U. L. REV. 607, 612-13 (2019) (citing [Law's "Way of Words"](#)).

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Adam G. Todd, *An Exaggerated Demise: The endurance of Formalism in Legal Rhetoric in the Face of Neuroscience*, 23 J. LEGAL WRITING INST. 84, 117, 199 (2019) (citing [Cognitive Emotion](#)).

Kris Tiscione, *Feelthinking like a Lawyer: The Role of Emotion in Legal Reasoning and Decision-making*, 54 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 1159, 1161-62, (2019) (citing [Exercising Common Sense](#) & [Cognitive Emotion](#)).

Melissa H. Weresh, *Two Sides of the Same Coin—Exploring Dyadic Emotions in Immigration and Alienage Jurisprudence*, 54 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 1197, 1198, 1217 (2019) (citing [Cognitive Emotion](#)).

Olympia Duhart, *Emotional Appraisals in the Wake of Hurricanes Harvey and Maria*, 54 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 973, 986-87, 989 (2019) (citing [Cognitive Emotion](#)).

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Christopher A. Hebert, Note, [Context Is King: Lawyer Dogs, Pure Applesauce, and Your Miranda Right to Counsel](#), 92 TULANE L. REV. ONLINE (Feb. 2018) (citing [Law's "Way of Words"](#)).

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Kristen K. Tiscione, *How the Disappearance of Classical Rhetoric and the Decision to Teach Law as a "Science" Severed Theory from Practice in Legal Education*, 51 WAKE FOREST LAW REV. 385 (2016) (citing [Exercising Common Sense](#)).

Mary Beth Beazley, *Finishing the Job of Legal Education Reform*, 51 WAKE FOREST LAW REV. 275 (2016) (citing [Razing Langdell](#)).

Michael Kent Curtis & Eugene D. Mazo, *Campaign Finance and the Ecology of Democratic Speech*, 103 KY. L.J. 529 (2014-2015) (Citing [A Right but Wrong Place](#)).

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Bradley C. Tobias, *Officious Intermeddling or Protected First Amendment Activity? The Constitutionality Of Prohibitory Champerty Law After Citizens United*, 22 WM. & MARY BILL RTS. J. 1293 (2014) (citing [A Right but Wrong Place](#)).

Rachel Stabler, "What We've Got Here is Failure to Communicate:" *The Plain Writing Act of 2010*, 40 J. LEGIS. 280 (2013) (citing [Plain Language](#)).

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Renatto Garcia, *Re-Engineering Georgia's Corporate DNA: A Benefit Analysis And Practicality Assessment For Benefit Corporation Legislation In Georgia*, 6 J. MARSHALL L.J. 627 (Spring 2013) (citing [Plain Language](#)).

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Robert Sprague & Mary Ellen Wells, *The Supreme Court As Prometheus: Breathing Life Into The Corporate Supercitizen*, 49 AM. BUS. L.J. 507 (Fall 2012) (citing [A Right but Wrong Place](#)).

Kyle J. Weber, *Corporate Personhood And The First Amendment: A Business Perspective On An Eroding Free Exercise Clause*, 14 RUTGERS J. L. & RELIGION 217 (Fall 2012) (citing [A Right but Wrong Place](#)).

Michael Kent Curtis, *A Unique Religious Exemption From Antidiscrimination Laws In The Case Of Gays? Putting The Call For Exemptions For Those Who Discriminate Against*

Married Or Marrying Gays In Context, 47 WAKE FOREST LAW REV. 173 (Spring 2012) (citing [*“Original” Means Old, “Original” Means New*](#)).

Adam T. Johnson, *A Mild Case for Latin*, 69 BENCH & B. MINN. 25 (Mar. 2012) (citing [Plain Language](#)).

Robert B. Sobelman, *An Unconstitutional Response To Citizens United*, 77 BROOK. L. REV. 341 (Fall 2011) (citing [A Right but Wrong Place](#)).

Reza Dibadj, *Citizens United As Corporate Law Narrative*, 16 NEXUS: CHAP. J. L. & POL'Y 39 (2010-2011) (citing [A Right but Wrong Place](#)).

Robert W. Gomulkiewicz, *Getting Serious About User-Friendly Mass Market Licensing for Software*, 12 GEO. MASON L. REV. 687 (Spring 2004) (citing [Plain Language](#)).

David M. LaPrairie, *Taking The “Plain Language” Movement Too Far: The Michigan Legislature's Unnecessary Application Of The Plain Language Doctrine To Consumer Contracts*, 45 WAYNE L. REV. 1927 (Winter 2000) (citing [Plain Language](#)).

Andrew T. Serafin, *Kicking The Legalese Habit: The SEC's “Plain English Disclosure” Proposal*, 29 LOY. U. CHI. L.J. 681 (Spring 1998) (citing [Plain Language](#)).

Andrew R. Sarapas, *Amending Maine's Plain Language Law To Ensure Complete Disclosure To Consumers Signing Arbitration Contracts*, 50 ME. L. REV. 83 (1998) (citing [Plain Language](#)).

Michael S. Friman, *Plain English Statutes: Long Overdue Or Underdone?*, 7 LOY. CONSUMER L. REP. 103 (Spring 1995) (citing [Plain Language](#)).

OTHER SOURCES

Scott Fruehwald, [Weekly Legal Education Roundup And The Best Legal Education Scholarship of 2024](#), TAXPROF BLOG (Jan. 3, 2025) (citing [Canons as Queries III](#) in its list of best legal education articles of 2024). This was the third year in a row an article of mine received such mention.

Scott Fruehwald, [Weekly Legal Education Roundup And The Best Legal Education Scholarship of 2023](#), TAXPROF BLOG (Dec. 29, 2023) (citing [Langdell and the Eclipse of Character](#) in its list of best legal education articles of 2023).

Lawrence Solum, [Lloyd on the Canons of Interpretation and Construction](#), LEGAL THEORY BLOG (Mar. 7, 2023) (citing [Canons as Queries II](#) as “highly recommended”).

Scott Fruehwald, [Weekly Legal Education Roundup: The Year-In-Review](#), TAXPROF BLOG (Dec. 30, 2022) (citing [Virtue & Analysis](#) in its list of best legal education articles of 2022).

Christine Corcos, [*Lloyd on Balancing Freedom and Restraint: The Role of Virtue in Legal Analysis*](#), LAW & HUMANITIES BLOG (May 3, 2022) (citing [Virtue & Analysis](#)).

Lawrence Solum, [*Lloyd on Virtue & Legal Analysis*](#), LEGAL THEORY BLOG (April 29, 2022) (citing [Virtue & Analysis](#)).

Michael Ramsey, [*Harold Anthony Lloyd: Recasting Canons of Interpretation and Construction into "Canonical" Queries*](#), ORIGINALISM BLOG (Sep. 5, 2021) (citing [Canons as Queries](#)).

Lawrence Solum, [*Lloyd on Replacing the Canons with Queries*](#), LEGAL THEORY BLOG (Sep. 1, 2021) (citing [Canons as Queries](#)).

Scott Fruehwald, [*Weekly Legal Education Roundup*](#), TAXPROF BLOG (Jan. 24, 2020) (Citing [How To Do Things With Signs](#)).

Christine Corcos, [*Lloyd on How To Do Things With Signs: Semiotics in Legal Theory, Practice, and Education*](#), LAW & HUMANITIES BLOG (Jan. 23, 2020) (Citing [How To Do Things With Signs](#)).

Michael Ramsey, [*Harold Anthony Lloyd: Gorsuch and Originalism*](#), ORIGINALISM BLOG (Jan. 21, 2020) (citing [Gorsuch and Originalism](#)).

Lawrence Solum, [*Lloyd on Gorsuch & Originalism*](#), LEGAL THEORY BLOG (Jan. 21, 2020) (citing [Gorsuch and Originalism](#)).

Lawrence Solum, [*Lloyd on Semiotics in Legal Theory*](#), LEGAL THEORY BLOG (Jan. 20, 2020) (Citing [How To Do Things With Signs](#)).

Steve Hedley, [*Harold Anthony Lloyd, 'How To Do Things With Signs: Semiotics in Legal Theory, Practice, and Education,'*](#) PRIVATE LAW THEORY BLOG (Jan. 20, 2020) (Citing [How To Do Things With Signs](#)).

Scott Fruehwald, [*How To Do Things With Signs: Semiotics in Legal Theory, Practice, and Education by Harold Anthony Lloyd*](#), LEGAL SKILLS PROF BLOG (Jan. 20, 2020) (Citing [How To Do Things With Signs](#)).

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[**THE COMPLETE PALLADAS**](#) (CreateSpace 2010; verse translation of the complete epigrams of Palladas). Lines from this translation are included in SILVIA RONCHEY, HYPATIA THE TRUE STORY 13 (2021).

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[**EITHER OAR**](#) (2009, CreateSpace Revised Ed. 2010; verse collection).

[**RHETORIC TO LETTIE**](#) (2016, LAW & LANGUAGE BLOG).

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LLOYDS OF GRANVILLE AND THE “HARRICANES” (2004, CreateSpace Revised Ed. 2010; genealogical research).

MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS OF GRANVILLE COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA (CreateSpace 2010; genealogical research).

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SONG CYCLE

The North Carolina premier of a song cycle of three of my poems set to music by Dr. Thomas Swenson occurred in 2012 and was repeated in part in Oklahoma City in November 2012 by dramatic soprano Barbara DeMaio Caprilli who had previously performed one of the cycle songs (“Carolina Parakeet”) in Canada.

PERSONAL BLOG & BLUESKY

[Law & Language](#)
[LLOYDESQ](#)

OTHER CURRENT AND RECENT ACTIVITIES AND HONORS

Currently

Member of the North Carolina State Bar and the North Carolina State Bar Association.

Currently

Holder of AV Martindale Hubble rating, the highest possible rating.

2020-2022

Faculty Advisor, WAKE FOREST LAW REVIEW.

2019-2022

ABA Standing Committee on Gavel Awards

2016-Present

Faculty Advisor, Wake Forest University School of Law Transactional Competition

2016-2017

Chair of Wake Forest University School of Law’s Career and Professional Development Committee.

2014-2017

Faculty Advisor, WAKE FOREST JOURNAL OF LAW & POLICY.

2012-2016

Member of the editorial board of *The Second Draft*; Co-Editor-in-Chief 2014-2016.

2010 to Present

Bar Candidate Committee 18th Judicial District.

To June 2010

Ethics Chair, NCBA Corporate Counsel Section.

2006

U.N.C.G. Dana Award in Poetry finalist.

PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

The Fresh Market, Inc.

I served as Vice President and General Counsel of this high-end retail grocery store chain with approximately 7,000 employees and 95 stores in 19 states as of May 2010. I was the corporation's first in-house counsel and developed the corporation's legal department by recruiting, hiring, training and managing all members of the department (five attorneys and additional legal support staff). I served as liaison to the corporation's board of directors and shareholders. I oversaw all major contract negotiations including financing agreements and commercial leasing and real property agreements. I managed the corporation's litigation and compliance and policy issues and related training. I assisted in employment dispute resolutions (including EEOC, ADA and wage and hour disputes). I helped develop, manage and defend the corporation's intellectual property portfolio. I also oversaw the hiring, coordination and management of all outside counsel handling such matters.

Tuggle, Duggins & Meschan, P.A.

In the capacities of associate and then partner at this Greensboro, N.C., law firm, I acquired extensive experience in the following areas: commercial contracts, commercial leasing and real estate, other general corporate law, intellectual property law, and commercial bankruptcy law. I also assisted in commercial litigation and appellate practice.