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EDUCATION

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO SCHOOL OF LAW, S.J.D., 2012, Health Law and Policy

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO SCHOOL OF LAW, LL.M., 2010, Child and Family Law

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY WASHINGTON COLLEGE OF LAW, LL.M., 2009, Law and Government

AVE MARIA SCHOOL OF LAW, J.D., 2007

UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME, B.A., 2004, *cum laude*, Political Science (major)/Theology (minor)

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW, *Cleveland, OH*

Full-Time Faculty Positions

Assistant Professor of Law, August 2023-Present

- University of California College of Law-San Francisco, *Guest Lecturer*, Spring 2024

Visiting Professor of Law, August 2021-August 2023

- Loyola University Chicago School of Law, *Guest Lecturer*, Fall 2022

Faculty Directorships

Co-Director, Center for Health Law and Policy, August 2022-Present

Acting Director, Center for Health Law and Policy, August 2021-August 2022

YALE LAW SCHOOL, *New Haven, CT*

Senior Research Fellow, Solomon Center for Health Law and Policy, September 2020-July 2021

- Teaching Assistant, Brain Injury and Disability Law Course, Spring 2021

SETON HALL UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, *Newark, NJ*

Assistant Professor of Law, Center for Health & Pharmaceutical Law & Policy, March 2018-June 2020

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, *Chicago, IL*

SJD Candidate, August 2010-May 2012

- Law and Public Health, *Guest Lecturer*
- Long-Term Healthcare, *Guest Lecturer*

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY WASHINGTON COLLEGE OF LAW, *Washington, D.C.*

Dean's Fellow for Academic Support, September 2008-May 2009

COURSES TAUGHT

- Legislation and the Regulatory State (Fall 2021, 2022, 2023, & 2024)
- Health Law I (Fall 2021, 2022, & 2023)

- Health Law II (Spring 2022, 2023, & 2024)
- Aging and the Health Care System (Spring 2022, 2023, & 2024)

PUBLICATIONS

Putting the 'Social' Into Social Determinants of Health: Why Policymaking for Improving Health Must Tackle Social Isolation and Loneliness (forthcoming OKLAHOMA LAW REVIEW Spring 2025)

Olmstead 25 Years Later: Advocating for Children with Mental Health and Behavioral Health Needs (forthcoming MERCER LAW REVIEW Spring 2025)

Reconnect or Disconnect?: Using Technology to Address Loneliness and Social Isolation for Aging Adults and Its Regulation (forthcoming AKRON LAW REVIEW Spring 2025)

Access Denied: Accessibility and the Law of Telehealth for People with Disabilities, HEALTH MATRIX: THE JOURNAL OF LAW-MEDICINE, vol. 34, (2024).

Hoffman, Laura C. "The Current State of U.S. Regulation of Electronic Monitoring to Combat Elder Abuse and Its Future: Expanding Perspectives." *Journal of Law, Medicine & Ethics* 51.3 (2023): 708–716. Web.

Cohen, I. Glenn, et al., editors. *COVID-19 and the Law: Disruption, Impact and Legacy*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2023. (*Co-Author on telehealth chapter)

Feder, Shelli L et al. "Development of the Palliative Care Law and Policy GPS to Assess National Policies in Palliative Care." *Journal of palliative medicine* vol. 26,12 (2023): 1698-1701. doi:10.1089/jpm.2023.0200 (*CoAuthor)

Reconnecting the Patient: Why Telehealth Policy Solutions Must Consider and Address the Deepening Digital Divide, 19 IND. HEALTH L. REV. 351 (2022). (*Invited)

Designing an Americans with Abilities Act: Consciousness, Capabilities, and Civil Rights, 63 B.C. L. Rev. 1729 (2022) with Zachary E. Shapiro, Allison Rabkin Golden, Gregory E. Antill, Katherine Fang, Chaurushena Deb, Elizabeth Clarke, Alexis Kallen, Hanya M. Qureshi, Kai Shulman, Caroline V. Lawrence, Megan S. Wright & Joseph J. Fins.

Shedding Light on Telemedicine & Online Prescribing: The Need to Balance Access to Health Care and Quality of Care, 46 AM. J.L. & MED. 237 (2020). (*Invited)

Access to Health Care and the Intellectually and Developmentally Disabled: Anti-Discrimination Law, Health Law, and Quality of Life, 22 J. GENDER RACE & JUST. 151 (2019).

Telehealth, Children, and Pediatrics: Should the Doctor Make House Calls Again, Digitally?, 43 NOVA L. REV. 321 (2019). (*Invited)

Public Health Regulation and the Limits of Paternalism, 46 CONN. L. REV. 1687 (2014). (*Invited to provide Comment to article by Professor David Friedman)

An Employment Opportunity or a Discrimination Dilemma? Sheltered Workshops and the Employment of the Disabled, 16 U. PA. J. L. & SOC. CHANGE 151 (2013).

Hospital Medical Futility Policy & the Severely Disabled Child: Is Disability a Death Sentence?, 36 HAMLINE L. REV. 275 (2013).

Health Care for the Autistic Child: The Case for Federal Legislative Reform for ABA Therapy, 46 J. MARSHALL L. REV. 169 (2012).

Special Education for a Special Population: Why Federal Special Education Law Must be Reformed for Autistic Children, 39 RUTGERS L. REC. 128 (2012).

The Difficulty of Ensuring Access to Health Care for the Autistic Child: Why More is Needed Than Federal Health Care Reform, 41 SW. L. REV. 435 (2012).

The U.S. Supreme Court's 'Disability' in Statutory Construction: The Debate Over the Interpretation of the Definition of 'Disability' Under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) & the ADA Amendments Act of 2008, 14 SCHOLAR 913 (2012).

A Federal Solution That Falls Short: Why the Keeping All Students Safe Act Fails Children with Disabilities, 37 J. LEGIS. 39 (2011).

The Fight over Fizz: Soda Taxes as a Means of Curbing Childhood Obesity?, 5 PITT. J. ENVTL. PUB. HEALTH L. 123 (2011).

Blogs

Combatting Elder Abuse in Long-Term Care: Challenges and Opportunities of Electronic Monitoring, Petrie-Flom Center Center for Health Law Policy, Biotechnology, and Bioethics at Harvard Law School. (2023)

AUCD Policy Blog, "The Deepening of Disability Discrimination in a Pandemic: When Access to a Vaccine Depends on Website Accessibility" (March 2021).

ADA 30th Anniversary Blog Post Writer, All of Us: The Disability History Association Blog (July 2020)

Viewing Telehealth Policymaking Through the Lens of Disability, Digital Symposium, Petrie-Flom Center for The Petrie-Flom Center for Health Law Policy, Biotechnology, and Bioethics at Harvard Law School. (2020)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Putting the "Social" Into Social Determinants of Health: Why Policymaking for Improving Health Must Tackle Social Isolation and Loneliness

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

Putting the "Social" Into Social Determinants of Health: Why Policymaking for Improving Health Must Tackle Social Isolation and Loneliness, PANELIST, OKLAHOMA LAW REVIEW SYMPOSIUM, OKLAHOMA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW, October 2024.

Putting the "Social" Into Social Determinants of Health: Why Policymaking for Improving Health Must Tackle Social Isolation and Loneliness, PANELIST, 47th Annual Health Law Professors Conference, AMERICAN SOCIETY OF LAW, MEDICINE, & ETHICS (ASLME) & TEMPLE UNIVERSITY BEASLEY SCHOOL OF LAW, June 2024.

Ensuring Access for Patients with Disabilities in an Evolving Telehealth Landscape, PANELIST, CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES (CMS) 2024 HEALTH EQUITY CONFERENCE, May 2024.

The Current State of U.S. Regulation of Electronic Monitoring to Combat Elder Abuse and Its Future: Expanding Perspectives, GUEST SPEAKER, Health Law Policy, Bioethics, and Biotechnology Workshop, HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, November 2023.

Behavioral Telehealth: Clinical and Legal Considerations For Mental Health Providers In The Age of Virtual Therapy, KEYNOTE SPEAKER, Cleveland State University College of Law, October 2023.

In Focus: Legislating the Use of Cameras to End the Abuse of Aging/Disabled Adults and Children with Disabilities, PANELIST, 46th Annual Health Law Professors Conference, AMERICAN SOCIETY OF LAW, MEDICINE, & ETHICS (ASLME) & UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND CAREY LAW, June 2023.

Access Denied: Accessibility and the Law of Telehealth for People with Disabilities, PRESENTER, Works-in-Progress Workshop, AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW SCHOOLS (AALS) 2023 ANNUAL MEETING, January 2023.

Access Denied: Confronting Issues of Accessibility & Legal Enforcement Involving Telehealth for People with Disabilities, PANELIST, 45th Annual Health Law Professors Conference, AMERICAN SOCIETY OF LAW, MEDICINE, & ETHICS (ASLME) & ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW, June 2022.

Reconnecting the Patient: Why Telehealth Policy Solutions Must Consider and Address the Deepening Digital Divide, Indiana Health Law Review Fall 2021 Symposium, INDIANA UNIVERSITY ROBERT H. MCKINNEY SCHOOL OF LAW, October 2021.

Reconnecting the Patient: Why Telehealth Policy Solutions Must Consider and Address the Deepening Digital Divide, PANELIST, 44th Annual Health Law Professors Conference, AMERICAN SOCIETY OF LAW, MEDICINE, & ETHICS (ASLME) & NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, June 2021.

Telehealth: Quality, Privacy, and Access, INVITED PANELIST, THE PETRIE-FLOM CENTER FOR HEALTH LAW POLICY, BIOTECHNOLOGY, AND BIOETHICS AT HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, April 2021.

Access to Health Care and the Intellectually and Developmentally Disabled: Anti-Discrimination Law, Health Law, and Quality of Life, PANELIST, 43rd Annual Health Law Professors Conference, AMERICAN SOCIETY OF LAW, MEDICINE, & ETHICS (ASLME) & NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, June 2020. (*Cancelled due to Covid-19)

Shedding Light on Telemedicine & Overprescribing: The Need to Balance Access to Health Care and Quality of Care, PANELIST, Emerging Issues in Bioethics Symposium, AMERICAN JOURNAL OF LAW AND MEDICINE & BOSTON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, January 2020.

Comparing Models of Choice Since Olmstead: Why Alternative Methods of Decision-Making are Critical to Fulfilling the Promise of Community Inclusion, PANELIST, Olmstead at Twenty: The Past and Future of Community Integration, GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW & THE ATLANTA LEGAL AID SOCIETY, August 2019.

Telehealth, Children, & Pediatrics: Should the Doctor Make House Calls Again, Digitally?, PANELIST, 42nd Annual Health Law Professors Conference, AMERICAN SOCIETY OF LAW, MEDICINE, & ETHICS (ASLME) & LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO SCHOOL OF LAW, June 2019.

Seeing Differently: Disability, Race, & Law Through the Lens of Gaudium et Spes, CO-PRESENTER, Lovelette Interdisciplinary Series, SETON HALL UNIVERSITY, February 2019.

A Civil Right Protected or Discrimination Continued?: The Dilemma of the Employment of the Disabled in Sheltered Workshops, POSTER SESSION PARTICIPANT, Young Scholars' Workshop in Labor Relations, Marco Biagi Foundation, UNIVERSITY OF MODENA AND REGGIO EMILIA, March 2012.

BAR MEMBERSHIP/CERTIFICATIONS

- Ohio State Bar licensed, Supreme Court of Ohio, May 2008
- Certification in Civil and Constitutional Rights, American University Washington College of Law, May 2009

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Data Federal Corporation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Medicare Hearings and Appeals (worksite), Cleveland, OH

Attorney Advisor, October 2017-February 2018

Cuyahoga County Prosecutor's Office, Juvenile Justice Unit, Cleveland, OH Assistant

Prosecuting Attorney, July 2014-February 2017

City of Parma, Office of the Law Director, Parma, OH

Staff Attorney, May 2012-July 2014

SERVICE

Academic (Internal CSU Law)

- Age-Friendly University Workgroup-Cleveland State University (2024-25)
- Hiring Committee (2024-25)
- Wellness Committee (2024-24)
- Faculty Affairs Committee, Member (2023-24, 2024-25)
- Panelist, *Learning and Living Law and Justice*, Cleveland State Law Review Symposium (October 2024)
- Panelist, HIP/SPILO Housing Panel (January 2024)
- Panel Moderator, Healthcare Disparities and Access, CSU Law Journal of Law and Health (JLH) 2024 Symposium, "Expecting Inequity: Race, Class and Reproductive Justice" (February 2024)
- Panelist, Disability Disclosure & Accommodations , (October 2023)
- Faculty Advisor, First Generation Lawyers' Association, Cleveland State University College of Law (2022-Present)
- Faculty Advisor, Health Law Fellows Program, Cleveland State University College of Law (2022-Present)
- Faculty Advisor, Health Law Society, Cleveland State University College of Law (2021-Present)
- Co-Faculty Advisor, Journal of Law and Health, Cleveland State University College of Law (2021-23)

Academic/Legal (External to CSU Law)

American Association of Law Schools (AALS)

- AALS Section on Law Professors with Disabilities and Allies
 - Secretary (2024-25)
 - Executive Committee Member (2023-24)
- AALS Section on Law and Mental Disability
 - Program Chair (2024-25)

Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC)

- Expert Legal Panelist, webinar, Learning Series 4B: Ensuring Access to Telehealth for Patients with Sensory Disabilities is part of the Advancing Health Equity Through Telehealth: AAMC Learning Series, (December 2023)

- Co-Presenter, AAMC CHARGE Coffee Break (Collaborative for Health Equity: Act, Research, Generate Evidence), Health and Disability Law on the 33rd Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), (July 2023)

Non-Academic Service

- St. Francis de Sales Women's Choir, Member (2012-present)

HONORS

- Dean's Teacher, Cleveland State University College of Law, 2024-26
- SBA Distinguished Faculty Member of the Year (2023-24), Cleveland State University College of Law
- ASLME Expanding Perspectives Fellowship Program, 2022-23 Inaugural Fellow, American Society of Law, Medicine and Ethics (ASLME)
- University of Notre Dame, The Rev. Edward Frederick Sorin, C.S.C. Award to Alumnae of the University of Notre Dame (2022)
- Loyola University Chicago School of Law Commencement Public Service Award (2012)
- American University Washington College of Law Program on Law and Government Commencement Award (2009)
- Ave Maria School of Law Student Commencement Award (2007)
- University of Notre Dame, featured as one of the Distinguished Graduates in the Class of 2004 in Commencement News Release (2004)
- Tom McDermott Award, presented to an outstanding student who contributes to assisting people with disabilities in the Notre Dame community (2003)
- National Dean's List/Nominee for the International Mission on Diplomacy
- Parma Law Director's Outstanding Citizen Award
- Office of the Mayor Proclamation, City of Parma

REFERENCES

Angela Carmella
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 Seton Hall University School of Law
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