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EDUCATION:

Juris Doctor (1978), University of Mississippi Law Center, Oxford, Miss.
Bachelor of Arts (1974), Wells College, Aurora, N.Y.
Visiting Researcher (1990-91), Harvard University Law School, Cambridge, Mass.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

1983-present Ithaca College, School of Business (Ithaca, NY)

(Full) Professor of Legal Studies & Coordinator of the Legal Studies Program

On-Line Courses taught include:

- Law for Managers –an MBA law course.
- Forensic Law- a graduate course dealing with fraud law.
- Legal Environment of Business, I- an introductory law course.
- Commercial Law- a junior level law course dealing with the UCC.

Courses taught at Ithaca College:

- o Legal Environment of Business I
- o Commercial Law
- o Legal Research Seminar
- o Legal Studies Capstone (Seminar)
- o International Law
- o Employment Law
- o Internships and Independent Studies in law

2007 United States Military Academy (West Point, NY)

Visiting Professor

Course taught: Commercial Law

1999 State University of New York at Binghamton (Binghamton, NY)

Visiting Professor

Course taught: Employment Law

1990-91 Suffolk University School of Business (Boston, MA)

Visiting Professor

Courses taught include:

- Legal Environment of Business (in the MBA program)
- Commercial Law (in the undergraduate program)

- 1986, 1993 **Cornell University School of Hotel Administration (Ithaca, NY)**
Visiting Professor
Course taught:
- The Law of Innkeeping for graduates and undergraduates
- 1981-83 **Cornell University School of Law (Ithaca, NY)**
Visiting Professor
Course taught:
- Practice Training II: Instruction in appellate advocacy, memorandum and brief writing, oral advocacy. (Limited to first-year law students.)

LEGAL EXPERIENCE:

- 2000-2010 **Law Firm of Jonathan O. Albanese (Ithaca, NY)**
Associate Attorney
Responsible for preparing legal documents and client consultation in all matters pertaining to real estate law.
- 1987-90 **Law Firm of Friedlander, Friedlander, Reizes & Joch (Ithaca, NY)**
Associate Attorney
Responsible for preparing legal memoranda and pleadings for ongoing litigation in state and federal courts.
- 1983-85 **Law Firm of Patricia Oesterle (Ithaca, NY)**
Associate Attorney
Responsible for preparing legal research.
- 1983-84 **Office of Legal Affairs, Ithaca College (Ithaca, NY)**
Special Assistant to the President
Responsible for coordinating legal activities at the College and working with outside counsel.
- 1979 **Legal Services Corporation (Ithaca, NY)**
Attorney Researcher
Responsible for preparing and researching memoranda of law for Paul Bennett, Director, on a gratis basis.
- 1978-79 **Law firm of Boyce Holleman, P.A. (Gulfport, MS)**
Associate Attorney

Responsible for client intake and litigation in over 100 cases, including personal injury, worker's compensation, matrimonial, wills and estates, age and sex discrimination. Practices in both state and federal courts; prepared resolutions for the Harrison County Board of Supervisors; represented the Harrison County School Board; worked directly with local government.

Mississippi Judicial College, University of Mississippi (Oxford, MS)

Legal Researcher

Responsible for researching and writing briefs for state appellate courts as referred by practicing attorneys.

University of Mississippi Law Center (Oxford, MS)

Legal Researcher for Professor William Shaw,

Responsible for conducting a review of substantive and procedural obstacles to implementation of the Rehabilitation Act for submission at the State Legislature of Mississippi.

North Mississippi Rural Legal Services (Oxford, MS)

Researched and prepared pleading for attorneys.

PUBLICATIONS:

Books

2014 *Labor Relations*, Bridgepoint Education, Inc. (Expected publication November, 2014)

2012 *Business Law for Managers*, Bridgepoint Education, Inc.

1993 *Study Guide to John E. H. Sherry's Law of Innkeepers*, Cornell University Press.

1993 *Student Services and the Law*, Chapter on Civil Rights, Jossey-Bass, Inc., Publishers.

Journals/Magazines/Proceedings

2014 Barken, M., Seaquist, G. and Bramhandkar, A. "New York City's Public Health Initiatives: Obesity and the Nanny State," accepted for publication in the 2014 issue of the *North East Journal of Legal Studies*.

2013 Barken, M., Bramhandkar, A. and Seaquist, G., "Congressional Insider Trading Runs Deep-Will the STOCK Act Only Skin the Surface?" accepted for publication in the 2013 issue of the *North East Journal of Legal Studies*.

2011 Seaquist, G., Bramhandkar, A. and Barken, M., "Credit Ratings and Free Speech," *North East Journal of Legal Studies*, 25: 21-40.

- 2010 Barken, M. and Seaquist, G., "Telling Your Parents You're Drinking Too Much-FERPA's Parental Notification Exception," No
- 2009 Bramhandkar, A., Seaquist, G., "New York's New [Home Equity Theft Prevention Act](#)", *Northeast Journal of Legal Studies*, Fall 2009. (DB)
- 2008 Barken, M., Bramhandkar, A., Seaquist, G., [Hotel](#) Liability for Bedbug and Pest Infestations, *Northeast Journal of Legal Studies*, Fall 2008 (DB)
- 2007 Seaquist, G., "First Amendment Rights of Faculty and Students": A Perspective, *Northeast Journal of Legal Studies*, Spring 2007. (DB)
- 2006 Seaquist, G., Barken, M., Barken, J., "Racial Discrimination at Private Clubs", *Northeast Journal of Legal Studies*, Spring 2006. (DB)
- 2006 Seaquist, G., Bramhandkar, A., "The Whole Truth? The Problem with "Truth in Lending" *The New York State Bar Association Journal*, 78 (5) (2006.) (DB)
- 2006 Seaquist, G. and Bramhandkar, A., "That Vexing APR Figure," *The New York State Bar Journal*
- 2005 Seaquist, G., Bramhandkar, A., "Finding a Safe Harbor with ERISA", *Northeast Journal of Legal Studies*, Spring 2005. (DB)
- 2004 Seaquist, G., Barken, M., "Criminal Liability for Amusement Park Deaths", *Northeast Journal of Legal Studies*, 2004. (DB)
- 2003 Seaquist, G., Kelly, E. and Barken, M., "College and University Liability for Student Suicides," *Northeast Journal of Legal Studies* 2003.
- 2003 Seaquist, G. and Barken, M. "Sulfite Allergies: FDA Regulation and the Failure to Warn," with *Business Law Review*, Spring 2003.
- 2003 Seaquist, G. and Barken, M., "Product Liability and Regulatory Law: A Case Study Teaching Methodology," *Journal of Legal Studies Education* 20(2), 2003.
- 2002 Seaquist, G. and Kelly, E., "Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress in Divorce: New York's Reluctance to Enter the Fray," *Buffalo Women's Law Journal*, Vol. X, 51-67 (2002).
- 2002 Seaquist, G. and Barken, M., "Use of Exculpatory Clauses is Subject to a Wide Variety of Definitions and Circumstances," *New York State Bar Journal*, Mar/Apr(2002).
- 2002 Seaquist, G. and Barken, M. "Should Amusement Parks be Federal Regulated?" *North Atlantic Regional Business Law Review*, Spring (2002).
- 2002 Seaquist, G. and Barken, M. "Background of General Obligations Law Section 5-326: An Update," *New York State Bar Journal*, 74(3): 25, Mar/Apr (2002).

- 1999 Seaquist, G. and Kelly, E., "Faculty Dismissal Because of Enrollment Declines," Journal of Law & Education
- 1996 Seaquist, G. and Kelly, E., "Employer Rights and Liability in Regulating Provocative Dress in the Work Place," Labor Law Journal, October 1996.
- 1995 Kelly, E. and Seaquist, G. "Employer Liability for Sexual Harassment After Harris: What Are the Standards in Hostile Environment Cases?", Midwest Law Review, Vol. 13, 20-32, Co-authored with E. Kelly.
- 1994 "Liabilities in Colleges and Universities for Assaults on Students: An Update," Journal of Legal Studies in Business, Co-authored with E. Kelly.
- 1994 "NLRB v. Lechmere: Union Quest for Access," Journal of Labor Research, XV (2), 155-167, Co-authored with E. Kelly, A. Oakes and L. Clark.
- 1990 "Accreditation and the Business Law Curriculum." Panel discussant (with Professor Marlene Barken) at the Annual Meeting of the North Atlantic Regional Business Law Association, Suffolk University Law School, Boston, Mass., April 21, 1990.
- 1990 "Drafting Effective Exculpatory Clauses," The New York State Bar Journal, Vol. 62, No. 5, July, 1990. Co-authored with M. Barken.
- 1989 "The Accountant Liability Seminar: A Joint Venture," The Journal of Legal Education Studies, Vol. 7, No. 1/2, Fall 1988/Spring 1989. Co-authored with A. Massa.
- 1988 "Liability for the Unintentional Results of Intentional Acts." The Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the North Atlantic Regional Business Law Conference (volume to be announced).Co-authored with M. Barken.
- 1987 "Insiders Outside the Law," The Ithaca College Quarterly, March, 1987.
- 1987 "An Inquiry Into the Enforceability of the Insider Trading Sanctions Act (ITSA) of 1984: The Record of Prosecution Thus Far, and the Prospects for the Future." The Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the North American Trade and Finance Fourth International Conference, January, 1987.
- 1986 "Negotiating Checks: A Participatory Methodology," The Journal of Legal Education Studies, Spring 1986.

"Introducing the Topic of the Attorney-Client Relationship into the Basic Business Law Course: A Teaching Methodology." The Proceedings of the Northeastern Regional Business Law Association, Spring, 1986. Co-authored with M. Barken.

SERVICE

2014

Chair, All-College Tenure and Promotion Committee

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:

1978-79 Ithaca College (Ithaca, NY)

Executive Assistant to the President, Ithaca College, Ithaca, N.Y., 1978-1983.

Provided staff support and reported directly to the president of a college enrolling approximately 5,000 graduates and undergraduates, with a \$40 million operating budget; acted as the liaison with attorneys for the college in such matters as contracts, employment discrimination, personnel matters, copyright and personal injury suits. Direct responsibilities to the Ithaca College Board of Trustees; organizational responsibilities for major events; coordination of special events and analysis of reports. Served on various search committees for vice-presidents; Affirmative Action Advisory Group Chairperson; Racial Awareness Task Force.

1989-90 Ithaca College School of Business (Ithaca, NY)

1991-92 Chair, Department of Management, School of Business, Ithaca College, Ithaca, N.Y.,

Responsible for supervision of eight tenure-track positions in a department beginning its first year of AACSB accreditation.

AWARDS:

The Charles A. Dana Award for outstanding teaching and research in the Ithaca College School of Business, 1987

Delta Mu Delta Honorary Society, 1986

President's Recognition Award for Outstanding Teaching and Scholarship, 1995

Who's Who in the World

ORGANIZATIONS:

Academy of Legal Studies in Business

Mississippi Bar (admitted 1978) and the New York Bar (admitted 1981).

Civil War Commission Board Member (Tompkins County) (2013-present)

History Center of Tompkins County Board Member (2013-present)
