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Professional Experience:

July 1, 2018- **Professor of Law, Northeastern University School of Law**

August 13, 2012 - **Dean and Professor of Law, Northeastern University School of Law:**  
July 1, 2018

Recruited six tenure-track faculty members (top scholars in contemporary fields (five women; two African-Americans, two members of the LGBTQ community).

Recruited 12 non-tenure track faculty members (10 women, three professors of color).

Re-designed Cooperative Legal Education and Career Offices and improved placement outcomes (from 80% to 90% in most recent year).

Created nation's first Associate Dean for Interdisciplinary Education position in a law school.

Built full-time research and writing program with experiential component.

Recruited Assistant Dean for Bar Preparation – Mass. First-Time Pass Rate of 90% reached second in state (after Harvard).

Brought *Journal of Legal Education* to Northeastern and serve as an Editor.

Launched Online Master's in Legal Studies and certificate programs in Intellectual Property, Business Law, Human Resources, and Health Law.

Built Certificate Program in Health Care Compliance with D'Amore-McKim School of Business.

Created Master's in Media Advocacy Program with Northeastern's School of Journalism (launched August 2018).

Grew LL.M. Program from 11 to 36 students.

Launched clinics in Intellectual Property, Immigration Law, and Public Health Litigation.

Reformed Law School Grading System boosting students job prospects.

Launched Centers in Health Policy and Law; Law, Innovation and Creativity; and Public Interest Advocacy and Collaboration.

Added J.D. Concentrations in Health Law; Business Law; Intellectual Property; and Legal Design.

Secured funding for a Legal Innovation Laboratory, NuLawLab.

Inaugurated 3+3 program with five Northeastern Undergraduate Departments enabling qualified freshmen to earn a J.D. in six years.

Founded and led reading group for local lawyers, judges and members of the faculty (eight books per year).

Additional  
Positions and  
Awards

Co-Editor, *Journal of Legal Education* (with Robert Dinerstein and Margaret Woo).

Co-Editor, *SSRN Legal Education Journal* (with Hannah Arterian).

Member, Executive Committee, AALS Section on Empirical Study of Legal Education and the Legal Profession.

Co-Recipient of the Quintin Johnstone Award for Distinguished Service to the Profession from the Connecticut Law Tribune – June 13, 2013.

Distinguished Service Award from the University of Connecticut Alumni/ae Association – Oct. 10, 2012.

April 27, 2007-  
August 12, 2012

**Dean and Thomas F. Gallivan, Jr. Professor of Real Property Law,  
University of Connecticut School of Law:**

Recruited eight tenure-track faculty members, including four persons of color and one member of the LGBT community.

Launched Semester in Washington, D.C., Program.

Initiated Center for Energy and Environmental Law, including certificate program for J.D. students.

Started Combined Law Program at the undergraduate campus, creating route for high school seniors into Law School.

Began S.J.D. program for foreign students – Lectured in China to recruit students.

Initiated Junior Faculty Support program with \$100,000 private gift.

Secured endowed professorship – Anthony J. Smits Professor of Global Commerce.

Created online community for graduates.

Named Law School's first Pro Bono Coordinator and implemented pro bono pledge program.

Partnered with the Connecticut Bar Association to bring CBA membership to every faculty member and to create the Tapping Reeve Legal Educator Award.

Taught first -year Property each spring.

Led reading group (with Darcy Kirk) for local lawyers, judges, and members of the faculty.

July 1, 2004 -  
April 26, 2007

**Associate Dean for Research, The University of Connecticut School of Law:** Assisted the Dean with allocating research leaves and grants, planning sabbaticals, and coordinating law school support with outside research funding.

July 1, 2003

**Thomas F. Gallivan, Jr. Professor of Real Property Law, The University of Connecticut School of Law:** This professorship provided funds to organize a conference each year relating to property law. Topics included property tax reform and smart growth; press coverage of *Kelo v. New London*; and housing for the elderly. The 2012 conference was

entitled *From McMansion to Multifamily: The Economic and Demographic Transformation of Connecticut's Housing Market*.

- July 1, 1999 -  
July 1, 2004      **Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, The University of Connecticut School of Law.**
- July 1, 1992 -      **Professor of Law, The University of Connecticut School of Law.**  
I primarily taught Property, Constitutional Law, and Jurisprudence. (Associate Professor since 1989) (on leave 1997-1998, 1993-1994).
- August 1997 -  
June 1998      **Visiting Professor of Law, Boston College Law School.**  
I taught Property, Administrative Law, and Contemporary Legal Theory.
- July 1, 1993 -  
December 1994      **Assistant to the President, TravelersGroup Inc.** (on leave from teaching). I helped launch a pilot project in which life insurance agents of one Travelers subsidiary were permitted, once properly licensed, to sell homeowners and automobile insurance underwritten by a different subsidiary. I also worked on improving internal financial reports and other aspects of integrating Travelers Insurance Company into the new and larger TravelersGroup.
- August 1988 -  
July 1989      **Professor in Residence, Appellate Staff of the Civil Division of the Department of Justice.** I prepared appellate briefs and argued cases on behalf of the U.S. government in the U.S. Circuit Courts of Appeals.
- September 1983 -  
August 1988      **Associate Professor, University of Miami School of Law.**  
I taught the basic first-year Property course and advanced courses or seminars in eminent domain law, and jurisprudence. I also taught administrative law, landlord/tenant law and a seminar in constitutional limits on economic regulation. (**Assistant Professor, University of Miami School of Law 1983-1987**).
- June 1982 -  
June 1983      **Law Clerk** to Judge Irving R. Kaufman of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit.
- 1981 - 1982      **Instructor, University of Miami Law School of Law.** I taught Legal Writing, Moot Court, and Ethics to first-year students and substantive courses in Broadcast Regulation and Antitrust.
- Summer 1980      **Summer Associate, Rifkind & Sterling, Beverly Hills, Calif.**
- Summer 1979      **Summer Associate, Irell & Manella, Los Angeles, Calif.**

## Publications:

### Academic

GETTING TO MAYBE: HOW TO EXCEL ON LAW SCHOOL EXAMS (with Michael Fischl) (Carolina Academic Press 1999) (combines study guide tips with sustained analysis of how exams rely on patterned ambiguity within law) (roughly 125,000 copies sold) (2d Edition forthcoming 2021).

*COVID19 – The First Post-Truth Pandemic*, American Journal of Public Health 110 no. 7 (July 1, 2020) pp. 945-46 (with Wendy Parmet)

*50 More Ways to Promote Scholarship within a Law School Community*, 68 J. LEGAL EDUC. (with Steven Wilf) (forthcoming).

*The Future of Legal Scholarship Symposium: An Introduction*, 66 J. LEGAL EDUC. 2 (2016) (summarizing symposium issue built on conference held at Northeastern in April 2016).

*Saving the Canary*, 66 SYRACUSE L. REV. 479 (2016) (tribute essay for Rick Matasar reflecting on current challenges facing legal education).

*If it Quacks Like a Lame Duck, Can it Lead the Free World?: The Case for Relaxing Presidential Term Limits*, 43 CONN. L. REV. 1097 (2011).

*Big Ideas*, 40 CONN. L. REV. 1237 (2008) (introductory essay for festschrift for Professor Carol Weisbrod).

*Reel to Real*, 75 UNIV. OF MISSOURI-KANSAS CITY L. REV. 1177 (2007) (playful essay using movie ratings as a tool to teach the meaning of precedent).

*Felix Cohen's Brand of Legal Realism*, 38 CONN. L. REV. 593 (2006) (introductory essay for symposium issue celebrating publication of 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of Cohen's Federal Indian Law Handbook - Nell Jessup Newton, editor).

*Beyond Reason and Interest*, 57 U. MIAMI L. REV. 593 (2003) (review essay of PIERRE SCHLAG, THE ENCHANTMENT OF REASON).

*Free States or Red States: The Supreme Court's Role in Recent Election Law Disputes*, 35 CONN. L. REV. 1535 (2003) (reply to Jim Gardner's article criticizing Supreme Court's election law cases).

*Changing the Subject: Cognitive Theory and the Teaching of Law*, 67 BROOKLYN L. REV. 987 (2002).

*CLS 2001*, 22 CARDOZO L. REV. 701 (2001) (introductory essay for symposium issue concerning Duncan Kennedy's A CRITIQUE OF ADJUDICATION).

*Will They Come When you Call?*, 32 CONN. L. REV. 1631 (2000) (tribute essay on leadership rhetoric and the role of a law school dean).

*Campaign Reform for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Putting Mouth Where the Money Is*, 30 CONN. L. REV. 779 (1998) (proposing U.S. constitutional amendment requiring debates for political candidates).

*Structuring Campaigns: A Reply to Professors Foley and Smith*, 30 CONN. L. REV. 897 (1998) (defending amendment proposal).

*Losing Our Religion*, 28 CONN. L. REV. 269 (1996) (challenging Professor Kathleen Sullivan's constitutional analysis of school vouchers).

*The Case of the Speluncean Explorers: Contemporary Proceedings*, 61 GEORGE WASH. L. REV. 1754 (1993) (contemporary wrinkle on Lon Fuller's classic).

*First Principles*, 25 CONN. L. REV. 923 (1993) (responds to Professor Frederick Schauer's article defending Constitutional Positivism; my point is that positivism and its imagined opposite, natural law, actually share the same understanding of the rule of law).

*The Hidden Structure of Takings Law*, 64 S. CAL. L. REV. 1393 (1991) (comprehensive analysis of constitutional protection of private property) (also excerpted in A PROPERTY ANTHOLOGY (2<sup>nd</sup> ed., Richard Chused, Editor, Anderson Publishing 1997)).

*The Politics of Legal Semiotics*, 69 TEX. L. REV. 1779 (1991) (exploring intellectual connections between progressive politics and semiotic methods of legal study).

*Can Rights Move Left?*, 88 MICH. L. REV. 1622 (1990) (review essay on JEREMY WALDRON, THE RIGHT TO PRIVATE PROPERTY).

*A Bedtime Story*, 74 VIRGINIA L. REV. 915 (1988) (employing everyday example to illustrate basic legal reasoning techniques) (now used in at least 10 law schools).

*Searching for the Status Quo*, 7 CARDOZO L. REV. 743 (1986) (review essay on *Takings: Private Property and the Power of Eminent Domain* by Richard Epstein).

“*The New York City Fiscal Crisis*”, a case study published in ETHICS AND POLITICS: CASES AND COMMENTS, Nelson Hill Publishers, (A. Gutmann and D. Thompson eds., 1984) pp. 44-59.

## Popular

**“Fighting Coronavirus Means Relying on the Truth -- Not Political Fiction,”** *The Hartford Courant* (February 23, 2020). (with Wendy Parmet)

“The Problems of Living in a Post Truth World,” *Hartford Courant*, June 9, 2019 (with Wendy Parmet)

“Ask What the Bar Can Do for Law Schools,” *New York Law Journal*, April 18, 2016

“Changing the How but Not the Why,” *New York Law Journal*, April 20, 2015

“A Law Degree is No Job Guarantee,” Letter to *The New York Times*, September 2, 2015

“‘Brain Surgeon’ Lawyering in Crises isn’t Enough,” (with Paul Lippe), *ABA Journal*, May 22, 2014

“Theory Makes Successful Lawyering Possible,” *New York Law Journal*, April 21, 2014

“Why Nation’s Young People are Rejecting Law School,” *National Law Journal*, November 18, 2013

“‘Tomorrow’s Lawyers’, A Compelling Read for Today’s Attorneys,” *Massachusetts Lawyers Weekly*, September 23, 2013

“With All Due Respect, Mr. President” (with William Henderson), *American Bar Association Journal*. September 5, 2013.

“You Could Look It Up,” *preLaw* magazine, Fall 2013

“The Role of Strategic Thinking in Legal Training” (with Alan M. Klinger), *New York Law Journal* April, 2013: S5.

“Only Law Schools that Tackle Costs, Graduate Client-Centered Lawyers will Survive—A Dean’s View,” *American Bar Association Journal*, February 21, 2013

“The Evolution of the American Law School,” *Connecticut Law Tribune*, January 2, 2012.

Personal Blog on UConn Today (University’s online newspaper), Entries included “The Politics of Calculus;” “Who Killed the Bookstore?;” and “Getting Beyond Gridlock.”

Brief comments from Connecticut Bar Foundation symposium on the Future of the Legal Profession held at Yale Law School on October 29, 2005 published as “Supplemental Comments of Jeremy R. Paul,” 24 QLR 601 (2006).

“Raise House Price,” *Hartford Courant*, June 26, 2005 (brief commentary in section analyzing suggested responses to U.S. Supreme Court eminent domain decision in *Kelo v. New London*).

“Calling All Problem Solvers, Freedom Fighters,” *Connecticut Law Tribune* (August 19, 2002) (commenting on various career paths open to students entering law school).

“Getting the Big Things Right,” *Providence Journal* (October 30, 2000) (commenting on rhetoric and slogans of the 2000 presidential campaign).

“Test Taking Tips” (with Professor Michael Fischl) available online between 1998-2002 at <http://www.lexis.com/lawschool> (exam advice for law students).

“Repeal the 22<sup>nd</sup> Amendment: Term Limits Have Crippled Three Presidents,” *Cleveland Plain Dealer*, February 16, 1999 (decrying lame-duck status of second term presidents and urging return to the original constitutional system) (also printed in *Legal Times*, February 22, 1999, and *Fulton County Daily Report*, March 5, 1999).

“Is the President a Waffler?,” *The Washington Monthly*, April 1996, pp. 36-40 (defending President Clinton’s first term and arguing that “waffling” is in the eye of the beholder) (received letter from President Clinton complimenting me on the original manuscript).



“Proposed Property Law is Based on False Premise,” *Hartford Courant*, April 9, 1995 (criticizing legislation introduced in Congress that would compensate landowners forced to comply with environmental and other regulations).

“High Court Meddles in Property Rights,” *Hartford Courant*, July 11, 1994 (criticizing the Court’s decision in *Dolan v. City of Tigard*, 114 S. Ct. 2309 (1994)).

“New Take on Property,” 45 *Harvard Law Bulletin* 17 (1993) (reviewing Professor Joseph Singer’s Property Casebook).

“Taking Stock of Takings Law After Lucas,” *Legal Times*, July 13, 1992 (criticizing the Court’s decision in *Lucas v. South Carolina Coastal Council* 112 S.Ct 2886 (1992), (also printed in the *Connecticut Law Tribune*, June 20, 1992, and the *New Jersey Law Journal*, August 3, 1992).

“The Future of Abortion after the Supreme Court Decision,” *Hartford Courant*, June 30, 1992 (explaining *Planned Parenthood v. Casey*, 112 S. Ct. 2791 (1992) the day after decision was rendered).

“Voters Should Reject Quayle’s Campaign of Smear and Innuendo,” *New Haven Register*, June 24, 1992 (highlighting divisive nature of the Vice-President’s attack on “the cultural elite”).

“Thomas’ Past Condemns Him to Public Hypocrisy,” *Connecticut Law Tribune*, September 23, 1991 (criticizing President Bush’s selection and Clarence Thomas’ testimony before the Senate — written prior to Anita Hill’s revelations).

“Superficial Land Ruling Will Generate More Litigation,” *Miami Review*, June 22, 1987 (analyzing *First English Evangelical Lutheran Church of Glendale v. County of Los Angeles*, 107 S. Ct. 2378 (1987)).

Education:

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, J.D. *cum laude*, 1981.

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, A.B. with Honors in the Political Economy Program, 1978.

University and Professional Service:

Chair ABA Site Inspection Team for Albany Law School, February 2020.

Member of Northeastern University Provost Search Committee, 2019.

Member of Northeastern University Faculty Senate, 2016-2017.

Member of Search Committee for Vice Provost for Business Planning and Administration, Northeastern University, 2017.

Chaired ABA Site Inspection Team for University of California, Irvine Law School Oct. 2016.

Member, OSCAR (Online System for Clerkship Application and Review), 2014-17 (advised federal judiciary on clerkship applications).

Served on ABA Site Teams for Arizona State and University of Cincinnati, November 2010.

Served on NEASC Inspection Teams for University of New Hampshire (2014) and Vermont Law School (2015).

Served one year on AALS Nominating Committee and one year on AALS Curriculum Committee.

Chaired UCONN search committees leading to selection of the University's Chief of Police and the naming of Interim Director of the Thomas J. Dodd Research Center 2011-12.

Served on UCONN's Executive Audit and Compliance Committee for three years.

Chaired UCONN search committee that led to the selection of new Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, 2007-2008.

Served 2000-2007 as UCONN Law School's delegate to the AALS and was the representative to the University Senate from 2000-2003 and again from 2008-2010.

Speaking and  
Public Service:

In Sept. 2020 I will serve on the Constitution Day panel here at Northeastern University, commenting on the principal address by Yale Law Professor Jack Balkin.

In August 2020, I delivered opening remarks at a virtual symposium co-sponsored by the University of Miami School of Law and the Journal of Legal Education, titled Power, Privilege and Transformation: Lessons from the Pandemic for On-Line Legal Education.

In July 2020, I spoke to the Northeastern University School of Law Faculty concerning the recent US Supreme Court cases involving subpoenas for President Trump's financial records.

In Spring 2019, I served as our Dean's Representative to the Western Hemisphere meeting of the International Association of American Law Schools held in Santo Domingo.

In Spring 2018, I co-organized a weekly course at Northeastern for the Boston Community on The Rule of Law in an Age of Polarization and Rapid Change. We had roughly 60 attendees each week on topics as varied as judicial nominations, the role of judicial review, free speech on campus, income inequality, and press coverage of government.

In January 2017 I was co-organizer and panelist for the symposium chosen through the Open Topics process at the annual meeting of the AALS. Our focus was Why the Decline of Law and Legal Education Matters (And what we might do about it).

I have delivered lectures to students and/or faculty about law school exams at Brooklyn Law School, University of Colorado, University of Connecticut, Cornell, Syracuse, Valparaiso, and Wayne State.

In fall 2011, I traveled to Beijing and Shanghai, where I delivered lectures on legal education at China University of Political Science and Law; Tsinghua University; the University of International Business and Economics; and Shanghai University.

Served as a member of the Board of Directors of the Connecticut Civil Liberties Union, January 2000-April 2007. Twice served on the search committee to locate a new executive director, and on the search committee to help find a new legal director. Also chaired the Development Committee.

Served several years on Board of Planned Parenthood of Connecticut (later Planned Parenthood of New England), including stint as Vice President and chair of strategic planning committee. Also served in 1980s on Board of Planned Parenthood of Greater Miami.

Served more than 10 years on the Advisory Board of the *Connecticut Law Tribune*, including one year as the Board's vice-chair. Contributed editorial columns to this journal and helped select submissions by other members.

Chaired the Fellows and Education Program Committee of the Connecticut Bar Foundation from 2006-2008.

Served as sole interlocutor at a joint appearance of Connecticut's two candidates for Attorney General sponsored by the Business Council of Fairfield County, October 2011. Moderated a debate between these candidates on UCONN's campus, September 2011.

Lectured frequently to BLSA groups in the Northeast on Exam Taking Skills.

Delivered lectures over 15 years at various law schools throughout the country to roughly 60 students, most of whom were entering Law School under the auspices of Law Preview. My topics have been Property Law and Exam Taking Strategies for Law Students and the relationship between such strategies and becoming a successful lawyer.

At the invitation of Haifa University in Haifa, Israel, I taught a six-day condensed course to 19 students in American Legal Realism.

Professional  
Associations:

Admitted, New York Bar, October 4, 1982.

Admitted, Bar of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit, November 1988.

Admitted, Bar of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, June 1989.

Personal:

Born 1956. Married to Laurel Ann Leff, August 29, 1981. Two children: Jason Alexander Paul, born 1986; Russell Simon Paul, born 1989.