

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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#### *Employment:*

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#### *Personal Background & Education:*

- born Galion, Ohio, January 11, 1968;
- Ohio Northern University (B.A., high distinction, 1990);
- Ohio State University (J.D., 1993)
- Bar, State of Ohio (1993);
- U.S. District Court, Southern District and Northern District of Ohio (1995);
- United States Supreme Court (2004).

#### *Awards & Recognitions:*

- Columbus' Top 25 Women Lawyers, Super Lawyers, 2012, 2011;
- Columbus' Top 50, Super Lawyers, 2012;
- Ohio's Top 50, Super Lawyers, 2012;
- Ohio's Top 50 Women Lawyers, Super Lawyers, 2012;
- Avvo Superb Rating (10), 2012, 2011
- Lawdragon 3000, Leading Lawyers in America, Lawdragon, 2011;
- Super Lawyers Award, Top Lawyers in Ohio, 2012 (Product Liability), 2011, 2010;
- AV Peer Review rated, Martindale-Hubbell; 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008
- Litigation Counsel of America, Trial Lawyer Honor Society, Fellowship, 2008;
- Columbus' Top Lawyers, *Business First*, March 26, 2004;
- Million Dollar Advocates Hall of Fame, 2005;
- Ohio Super Lawyers, Rising Stars—Top 40 Lawyers Under 40, 2005, 2006, 2007;
- Strathmore's Who's Who, lifetime;
- Madison Who's Who, 2006;
- Lawdragon 500 Leading Plaintiff's Lawyers in America, 2007.

#### *Professional Memberships:*

- Ohio Women's Bar Association (President, 1999-2000; President-Elect, 1998-1999; Vice-President, 1997-1998; Chairperson, Legislative Committee, 1995-1998; Chairperson, Membership Committee, 1998-1999);

- Ohio Association for Justice (Board of Trustees, 2000-current; Chairperson, Federal Courts, 2009 – current; Chairperson, Employment Law, 2002-2003; Membership Committee, 1994-1996; Chairperson, 1999-2000);
- American Association for Justice (Chairperson, New Lawyers Division, Public Image Committee, 1997-1998; Ohio Delegate for Women’s Caucus, 1999-2000);
- Central Ohio Association for Justice (President, 2005-2006; Vice-President, 2004-2005, Secretary, 2003-2004, Treasurer, 2002-2003; Board of Trustees, 1999-present; Chairperson, Pro Bono Committee, 2006-current; Chairperson, Newsletter Committee, 1998-1999; Chairperson, Membership Committee, 1996-1997);
- Columbus Bar Association (Chair, Law Firm Finance Committee, 2005-2006);
- Ohio Employment Lawyers Association.

***Speaking & Presenting:***

- Nailing it Down: The Lawyers’ Guide to Hanging Out Your Shingle, Ohio Association for Justice Annual Convention (May 4, 2012);
- Iqbal/Twombly: The Disappearance of Notice Pleading, Ohio Association for Justice Annual Convention, (May 3, 2012);
- For What it’s Wuerth: The *Wuerth-Erwin* Dilemma, The Southwest Ohio Trial Lawyer Association, (October 20, 2011);
- Guest Speaker on America's Workforce Radio, Host Ed "Flash" Ferenc, May 5, 2011, [http://www.awfradio.com/podcasts/awfradio\\_podcasts.xml](http://www.awfradio.com/podcasts/awfradio_podcasts.xml);
- Panel Speaker; Presenter, “Lions, Tigers, and Plaintiff’s Attorneys,” Employers Resource Association, March 9, 2011;
- Mock Trial Faculty, Personal Injury Trial Practice, National Board of Trial Advocates (2008);
- Sexual Harassment Mock Trial Instructor, Ohio Association for Justice Annual Convention (May 8, 2008);
- Restoring Trust in Justice, Personal Injury Trial Practice: Find out How Others are Winning, Ohio Academy of Trial Lawyers Annual Convention (May 25, 2006);
- Personal Diversity: Recognize, Embrace and Capitalize, Successful Solos, Ohio Academy of Trial Lawyers Annual Convention (May 26, 2006);
- 2004 Trial Strategies Seminar, “Trial Advocacy Tactics” and Panel Question and Answer, Franklin County Trial Lawyers Association, Columbus, Ohio (October 19, 2004);
- Successful Handling of Wrongful Death Cases in Ohio, “Simplifying Complicated Issues in Wrongful Death Cases,” Lorman Education Services, Worthington, Ohio (March 12, 2004);
- PI Guerilla Seminar, “Common Problems Lawyers Face and How to Solve Them,” Franklin County Trial Lawyers Association, Columbus, Ohio (January 21, 2003);
- Proof of Damages, “Plaintiff’s Perspective on Developing and Proving Damages,”

- and “Plaintiff’s Perspective on Arguing Damages at Trial,” PESI, Columbus, Ohio (November 29, 2000);
- The Woman Advocate, “The Woman Lawyer in the Courtroom,” Ohio State Bar Association and CLE Institute, Columbus, Ohio (September 7, 2000);
  - Faculty, Trial Advocacy Seminar, Ohio Academy of Trial Lawyers, Columbus, Ohio (annually, 2000 to present);
  - How to Get and Work with Attorneys, Solidarity ’99, Columbus, Ohio (May 24, 1999);
  - “Complex Litigation and Discovery Abuse: What Do I Do Now?,” Advanced Discovery Seminar, Ohio Academy of Trial Lawyers, Strongsville, Ohio (March 5, 1999);
  - Co-Chair of the 1999 Discovery/Evidence Seminars, “Forms, Motions and Experts after Kuhmo Tire,” Ohio Academy of Trial Lawyers, Strongsville and Columbus, Ohio (September 10 and 17, 1999);
  - Discovery in Complex Litigation, Ohio Academy of Trial Lawyers, New Lawyer’s Seminar, 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention, Cincinnati, Ohio (May 21, 1998);
  - Latex Glove Allergies, Association of Trial Lawyers of America 1997 Annual Convention, San Diego, California (July 21, 1997);
  - Attorneys and Disability Rights, Solidarity ’97, Columbus, Ohio (May 29, 1997);
  - Latex Allergies, Ohio Academy of Trial Lawyers, Litigation at Sunrise, 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention, Cleveland, Ohio (April 25, 1997);
  - Patients' Responsibilities, Prescriptions for Pharmacist Liability, Ohio Pharmacists Association (1995);
  - Summertime Fun Can Be Dangerous, WCVO, 104.9 FM, "Everybody's Talking" (July 6, 1995).

***Publications:***

- “The Disappearance of Notice Pleading: The Iqbal/Twombly Dilemma,” Ohio Trial Magazine, Winter Issue 2011 (December 9, 2011).

***Significant Reported Cases:***

*Incarnato v. Metropolitan Prop. and Cas. Ins. Co.* (1996), 668 N.E.2d 920, 76 Ohio St. 3d 562;  
*Hamlin v. Motel Six, et al.*, (2000), Ohio App. LEXIS 2439 (Insurance Law);

*Perrine v. MPW Industrial Serv.*, 213 F. Supp.2d 835 (S.D. Ohio 2002) (Employment Law);

*The Estate of Roger Clay, Deceased, v. Suzuki Motor Corp., et al.* (Case No. 00CVB06-5541), Franklin County Common Pleas Court, Judge Hogan, Jury Verdict \$4.5 million, February 4, 2003; Multidistrict Litigation (MDL) in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania for Latex Glove Litigation (1996-2004); (Product Liability and Wrongful Death law);

MDL in the Eastern District of Louisiana for Vioxx Litigation (2004-2010); (Product Liability and Mass tort law);

*Cramblit, et al. v. City of Columbus*, Case No. C2 05 301, Southern District of Ohio, putative class action involving government employees subject to unreasonable medical examinations, violations of the Americans with Disabilities Act, Fourth Amendment unreasonable search and seizure and violations of other Constitutional rights in; (Employment and Constitutional Rights Law);

*Landsberg, et al. v. Acton Enterprises*, Case No. C2-05-500, Southern District of Ohio, putative class and collective action involving violations of the Wage and Hour laws and overtime pay for non-exempt employees in; (Employment and Labor Law);

*Lewis v. The Huntington Bank*, United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio, Case No. 2:11-cv-00058, before the Honorable Judge Marbley (Employment, Labor Law, Collective and Class Action);

*Heibel v. U.S. Bank, NA*, United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio, Case No. 2:11-CV-00593, before the Honorable Judge Sargus (Employment, Labor Law, Collective and Class Action).

**AREAS OF PRACTICE:** Employment and Wrongful Discharge Law, Labor Law, Civil Rights, Whistleblower Law and Qui Tam, Products Liability, Pharmaceutical and Drug Litigation, Class Actions, Collective Actions, Personal Injury, Wrongful Death, Insurance Law, Litigation, Appeals.