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PRESENT POSITION Professor of Law, University of South Carolina (Assistant Professor, beginning 1978; Full Professor 1986)

Courses: Criminal Law; Evidence; Voting Rights

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Court's Expert in Redistricting Cases involving Alabama Congressional Districts (2001-02); Alabama State-wide School Board Districts (2001-02); Dallas County, Alabama County Commissioner Districts (2000).

Visiting Professor, Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, Spring 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002

Scholar in Residence, Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, Fall 1996, Spring 2003, 2004

Visiting Professor, Florida State University, Spring 1986

Faculty, CLEO Institute, University of Mississippi, Summer 1976; University of Richmond, Summer 1975

Adjunct Instructor, University of Tennessee College of Law, Sp. 1975

Trial Attorney, Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Voting Section, Washington, D.C., October 1975 to August 1978

BAR ADMISSION AND MEMBERSHIP

Admitted to practice: United States Supreme Court; United States Courts of Appeal for the Second, Fourth and Eleventh Circuits; United States District Court for the Eastern District of Tennessee. (Member, Tennessee Bar Association)

EDUCATION

J.D., 1974, The University of Tennessee, Class rank, Second; Member, Tennessee Law Review; Order of the Coif.

B.S.(Highest Distinction) 1968, Mississippi State University; General Science (Zoology Chemistry); Class Rank: First

M.Ed., 1969, Mississippi State University; Counseling

PUBLICATIONS

"Redistricting in a Post-*Shaw* Era: A Small Treatise Accompanied by Distracting Guidelines for Legislators, Litigants, and Courts," 36 U. OF RICH. L.R. 137 (2002)

"*Johnson v. DeSoto County*: A Small Minority Group Experiences Difficulty When It Claims Dilution of its Voting Strength Under Section 2 of the Voting Rights Act," 31 STET. L. REV. 325 (2002)(Robert Fourier)

"A Functional Analysis of Potential Voting Rights Act Liability May Demonstrate that Intentional Creation of Black Remedial Districts Cannot be Justified," 79 N.C.L.R. 101 (2001)

"Equal Protection for Bush?," LEGAL TIMES 56 (Dec. 11, 2000)

"May a Court Adopt a Temporary 'Remedial' Election Plan that Mirrors the Very Plan it has Enjoined for not Following Voting Rights Act Requirements?" WEST LEGAL NEWS (Oct. 7, 1996)

"Affirmative Racial Gerrymandering: Can Election Districts that were Created by Subordinating Standard Districting Criteria to Race ever Survive Strict Scrutiny?" WEST LEGAL NEWS (Apr. 9, 1996)

"Affirmative Racial Gerrymandering: Rhetoric and Reality," 26 CUMB. L. REV. 313 (1996)

"Race and Representation," LEGAL TIMES, Vol. XVIII; No. 33, 26 (Jan. 1, 1996)

"Affirmative Racial Gerrymandering: Fair Representation for Minorities or a Dangerous Recognition of Group Rights?," 26 RUT. L.J. 595 (Spring, 1995)

Conference Proceedings, The Supreme Court, Racial Politics and the Right to Vote, 44 AMER. L. REV. 1 (1994).

Comments on the Role of Section 2 in State Redistricting, 6 LA RAZA L.J. 50 (1993).

"Judges on the Ballot: Whose Bench is it?" LEGAL TIMES, Vol. XIV, No. 24, 28-29 (Nov. 4, 1991).

Minority Vote Dilution Suits and the Problem of Two Minority Groups: Can a "Rainbow Coalition" Claim the Protection of the Voting Rights Act? (with R. Murray) 21 PAC. L.J. 619 (1990).

Testimony, Oversight Hearings on Proposed Regulations Governing Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act, House Committee on the Judiciary, published by the Committee, 1986.

The Majority Vote Requirement: The Case Against Its Wholesale Elimination, 17 URBAN LAW 441 (1985).

"Voting Rights Under the Reagan Administration" (with Charles S. Bullock, III) in T. Yarborough (Ed.) Civil Rights Under the Reagan Administration (1985).

"Denial or Abridgment of the Right to Vote: What Does it Mean?" in Lorn S. Foster (Ed.), The Voting Rights Act, Consequences and Implications (1985).

"Reapportionment, the Courts, and the Voting Rights Act: A Resegregation of the Political Process?," 56 U. OF COL. L. REV. 1 (1984).

"Constitutional and Statutory Challenges to Election Structures: Dilution and the Value of the Right to Vote," 42 LA. LAW REV. 851 (1982).

PRESENTATIONS

Speaker (Respondent) North Carolina Law Review's Symposium, "Democracy in a New America" (Feb. 16, 2001)

Discussant, American Political Science Association, Panel on Racial Gerrymandering, September, 1995

"Comments on *Shaw v. Hunt* and *Veva v. Bush*," National Press Club Press Conference, sponsored by the Institute of Justice, Dec. 4, 1995.

"Affirmative Racial Gerrymandering – A Response to Professor Karlan;" Conference Commemorating the 30th Anniversary of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, Sponsored by the Birmingham Civil Rights Institute and Cumberland School of Law, Fall 1995.

"The Role of Race in Districting Decisions," National Voting Rights Symposium, Sponsored by the National Civil Rights Museum, Memphis, Tn., Spring, 1995.

Panelist, "The Supreme Court, Racial Politics and the Right to Vote," Sponsored by American University, Fall, 1994.

"Reconciling *Shaw v. Reno* with the Voting Rights Act," Symposium on *Shaw*, Rutgers (Camden) Law School (October, 1993).

"The Role of Section 2 in Reapportionment," Symposium on the Voting Rights Act, Sponsored by LaRaza Law Review, University of California at Berkeley, March 1992.

"Reapportionment and the Voting Rights Act," Symposium for the Florida Legislature, Sponsored by The Collins Center for Public Policy, November, 1991.

"The Voting Rights Act: An Experiment in Group Rights," Conference on Constitutionalism and Democracy in Central and Eastern Europe, University of Virginia, June, 1991.

"The Voting Rights Act and Reapportionment in the 1990's," Annual Meeting of the Virginia Bar Association, Local Government Law Section, Virginia Beach, June, 1991.

"Section 2 and Judicial Elections: The Defense Perspective," Voting Rights and Reapportionment Symposium, Tulane and Stetson Law Schools, Clearwater, FL, April, 1991.

"Reapportionment and the Voting Rights Act," Midyear Meeting, South Carolina Bar Association, Government Law Section, 1991.

"Federal Vote Buying Statutes," South Carolina Bar Association, Continuing Legal Education Program, 1990.

"Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act and Apportionment, 1990," Reapportionment in the 1990's, A Conference for Virginia Legislators, Center for Public Service, University of Virginia, 1989.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Member, Pre-Election Survey Team for the Georgian National Elections, Sponsored by the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs (October 1992).

Presenter-Workshop Leader, Conference on Nationalism in Central and Eastern Europe: "Is Europe Big Enough for All Europeans?" Sponsored by the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs, Budapest Hungary (December 1991).

Member, International Observer Team for the Bulgarian National Elections, sponsored by the National Democratic and Republican Institutes for International Affairs, Bulgaria (October 1991).

Member, Pre-election Survey Team for the Bulgarian National Elections, sponsored by the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs, Bulgaria (September 1991).

Moderator, U.S. Institute of Peace, Conference on Ethnic Conflict Resolution Under Rule of Law. Washington, June, 1991.

Witness, Oversight Hearings on Proposed Regulations Governing Section 5 of the Voting Right Act, House Committee on the Judiciary (November 20, 1985).

Past Member, South Carolina Advisory Board to the U.S. Civil Rights Commission.

Consultant, U.S. Civil Rights Commission Study of Reapportionment. (Mid 80's)

Participant-Presenter, Conference, Voting Rights and the Democratic Process: Where Do We Stand Today, Tulane Law School Center for Legal Studies on Intergovernmental Relations (March 29, 1985).

Participant-Presenter, Conference on the Voting Rights Act: Consequences and Implications, Pomona College, Claremont, California (February 3-4, 1983).

CONSULTANT TO THE FOLLOWING JURISDICTIONS ON MATTERS RELATED TO THE VOTING RIGHTS ACT:

Arkansas State Reapportionment Committee
Virginia Attorney General's Office
Florida Senate
South Carolina Senate
California Judicial Advisory Committee
New York City Charter Revision Committee
DeSoto County, Florida, Board of County Commissioners and School Board
Hardee County, Florida, Board of County Commissioners
Leon County, Florida, Board of County Commissioners
Liberty County, Florida, Board of County Commissioners
Darlington County, South Carolina
Kershaw County, South Carolina
Richland County, South Carolina
Charleston County, South Carolina, School Board
Sumter County, South Carolina
City of Augusta, Georgia
City of Niagara Falls, New York
City of Columbia, South Carolina
City of Arcadia, Florida
City of Sarasota, Florida
Town of Babylon, New York
Town of Hempstead, New York
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