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PROFESSIONAL:

Temple University Beasley School of Law, Philadelphia, PA (July, 1985- Present).

James E. Beasley Professor of Law (2007-12 rotation).

Charles Klein Professor of Law and Government (1993-96 rotation).

Professor of Law since 1992.

Courses regularly taught: Taxation, Corporate Taxation, Low Income Taxpayer Policy and Practice. Courses occasionally taught include International Tax, Introduction to International Business Law, International Fiscal Policy. Courses previously taught: Contracts, Estate and Gift Taxation, Taxation of Business Enterprises, Tax Policy.

Temple Law School Summer Program in Rome, Italy: Co-Director, '01, '07, '09, '13, '15; Director, '03, '09; Associate Director, '04; Guest Lecturer, '16; Faculty, '99.

Significant Committee Assignments: Chair, Curriculum Committee, 2015-Present; Chair, Faculty Selection and Recruitment Committee ('95-'97, '06-'08); member, ('90-93, '04-'06, '10-11); Faculty Review Committee, ('00-02, '13-'15); Law School Executive Committee ('91-'93 and '08-'10); Graduate Tax Program Committee ('85-Present). Faculty Secretary ('92-'93). Faculty Senate Steering Committee, '00-'01. Special research assignment, Spring, 1995.

Associate Professor of Law: July, 1989 - June, 1992.

Assistant Professor of Law: July, 1985 - June, 1989.

Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA:

Visiting Professor of Law: February, 2006 - June, 2006. Courses taught: Taxation, and Reading Group: Policy Issues in Fundamental Tax System Redesign.

William K. Jacobs, Jr. Visiting Professor of Law: February, 2004 - June, 2004. Courses taught: Taxation, and Reading Group: Policy Issues in Fundamental Tax System Redesign.

University of Pennsylvania Law School, Philadelphia, PA:

Visiting Professor of Law - Fall, 1998. Taught: Corporate Tax, International Tax.

Yale Law School, New Haven, CT: **Visiting Lecturer**, Fall, 1989. Taught: Corporate Tax.

Dechert LLP (formerly Dechert Price & Rhoads), Cira Centre, 2929 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104-2808.

Associate - September, 1979 - May, 1985. Practice concentrated in federal income taxation with emphasis in corporate and international taxation, reorganizations, liquidations, stock options, non-pension employee benefits and equipment leasing.

Summer Associate - Summer, 1977.

Law Clerk to the Honorable Edward N. Cahn, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. August, 1978 - September, 1979.

HONORS:

Named a Temple University Great Teacher, April, 2017. Received the Christian R. and Mary F. Lindback Foundation Award for Distinguished Teaching in April, 2007 and the Murray F. Shusterman Faculty Award (awarded by the Temple Law Alumni Association in recognition of excellence in teaching) in April, 2013.

EDUCATION:

Cornell Law School - J.D. Magna cum Laude, June 1978

Honors: Cornell Law Review - Editor
Order of the Coif; Pi Kappa Phi

Cornell University - B.A. Magna cum Laude in Psychology, January 1973

Honors: Dean's List, Mortar Board
Activities: Founding Member, Cuban Student Society, 1969
President, Algonquin Lodge Co-operative, 1971

PUBLICATIONS (Books and Law Review Articles):

Tax as Everylaw: Interpretation, Enforcement, and the Legitimacy of the IRS, (with Richard K. Greenstein), 69 TAX LAW. 493 (2016), reprinted in RIVISTA DI DIRITTO TRIBUTARIO (JOURNAL OF TAX LAW), <http://www.rivistadirittotributario.it/2016/08/30/la-legge-tributaria-ugualmente-problematica-tutti/>.

The Rule of Law as the Law of Standards: Interpreting the Internal Revenue Code (with Richard K. Greenstein), 64 DUKE L. J. ONLINE 53 (2015),

<http://dlj.law.duke.edu/2015/01/the-rule-of-law-as-a-law-of-standards-interpreting-the-internal-revenue-code/>.

It's Not a Rule: A Better Way to Understand the Definition of Income (with Richard K. Greenstein), 13 FLA. TAX REV. 101 (2012).

Defining Income, (with Richard K. Greenstein), 11 FLA. TAX REV. 295 (2011).

Paradise Kept: A Rule-Based Approach to the Analysis of Transactions Involving Disregarded Entities, 59 SMU L. REV. 491 (2006).

FEDERAL INCOME TAXATION, CASES AND MATERIALS (5th Ed.), with McDaniel, McMahon and Simmons (2004, Foundation Press).

SUPPLEMENT TO FEDERAL INCOME TAXATION, CASES AND MATERIALS (5th Ed.), with McDaniel, McMahon and Simmons (2005, 2006 Foundation Press).

FEDERAL INCOME TAXATION DISCUSSION PROBLEMS, with McDaniel, McMahon and Simmons (2004, Foundation Press) and 2005 REVISED EDITION (2005, Foundation Press).

FEDERAL INCOME TAXATION DISCUSSION PROBLEMS AND TEACHER'S MANUAL 2005 REVISED EDITION, with McDaniel, McMahon and Simmons (2005, Foundation Press).

Cubans Without Borders: The Possible Dream, 55 U. FLA. L. REV. 205 (2002).

Tax Counts: Bringing Money-Law to LatCrit, 78 DENVER L. REV. 575 (2001), reprinted as the initial piece in *Chapter 5, Race and Taxation*, in CRITICAL TAX THEORY: AN INTRODUCTION, 109, ANTHONY C. INFANTI AND BRIDGET J. CRAWFORD, EDS. (2009).

Lessons From LatCrit: Insiders and Outsiders, All at the Same Time, 53 U. MIAMI L. REV. 787 (1999).

Winner-Take-All Markets: Easing the Case for Progressive Taxation, (with Martin J. McMahon, Jr.), 4 FLA. TAX REV. 1 (1998), reprinted in 83 TAX NOTES 1075 (1999).

Untangling Tax Reform: Simple Taxes, Complex Choices, 33 SAN DIEGO L. REV. 1355 (1996).

Taxes, Power, and Personal Autonomy, 33 SAN DIEGO L. REV. 1 (1996).

Taxing Exits, 29 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 1087 (1996); condensed and reprinted as *Taxing Expatriation Exits from the Tax System*, 73 TAX NOTES 359 (October 21, 1996).

Distinguishing Interest from Damages: A Proposal for a New Perspective, 42 BUFF. L. REV. 373 (1992).

As It Should Be: A Rational Approach to the Aggregation of Employee Benefits Under Section 2039, 53 MO. L. REV. 15 (1988).

OTHER PUBLICATIONS:

For Good (Foreword), 68 TAX LAW. 421 (2015).

In INNOCENT SPOUSE Review, a Regrettable Omission, 132 TAX NOTES 163 (August 23, 2011).

The Best Job in the World, in CAREERS IN TAX LAW: PERSPECTIVES ON THE TAX PROFESSION AND WHAT IT HOLDS FOR YOU, 136 JOHN GAMINO, ROBB LONGMAN, AND MATTHEW SONTAG, EDS. (2009).

Op-ed: *Obama's Plan to Simplify Returns Would Make April 15 Less Taxing*, Philadelphia Inquirer, May 2, 2008.

Book Review: Slouching Toward Consumption: Bad Posture for American Democracy, 1 HARV. COLLEGE L. REV. 68 (2006).

Cash is not Everything, 12 BUS. LAW TODAY 61 (2003).

General Considerations in Transactions Involving Disregarded Entities, 6 TAX PLANNING FOR DOMESTIC & FOREIGN PARTNERSHIPS, LLCs, JOINT VENTURES & OTHER STRATEGIC ALLIANCES, 433 (Practising Law Institute, Louis S. Freeman, Ed. 2002). Updated in '03, '04, '05 and '06, and retitled *Making Something Out of Nothing: Domestic Tax Planning with Disregarded Entities*.

The Difference Between Expatriates and Mrs. Gregory: Citizenship Can Matter, 67 TAX NOTES 692 (May 1, 1995), *reprinted in* 10 TAX NOTES INT'L 1612 (May 8, 1995).

Treasury Should be Lauded for the Golden Parachute Regulations, 44 TAX NOTES 340 (July 17, 1989).

Book Review: FEDERAL INCOME TAXATION OF CORPORATIONS AND SHAREHOLDERS (5th Ed.), B. Bittker & J. Eustice, 61 TEMPLE L. REV. 431 (1988).

Ode to the GST: Of Taxes and Superstitions, 65 TAXES 9 (January, 1987).

Comments, Proposed Regulations on Section 280G (Golden Parachutes) (Principal Author), 90 TNT 37-16, Doc. 90-1308 (February 9, 1990).

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

American Bar Association Section of Taxation:

Vice-Chair, Publications, and Editor-in-Chief, THE TAX LAWYER, ('12-'15); Council Director,'09-'12 (primary responsibility for the Teaching Taxation, Low Income Taxpayers, Pro Bono, and Diversity Committees, as well as for the Young Lawyer's Forum); Secretary,'07-'09; Long Range Planning Task Force, Co-Chair, with Armando Gomez, of the Subcommittee on Pro Bono and Public Interest ('11-'12); Member, Fellowship Committee,'08-'11 and '16-present; Nominating Committee, present; Supervising Editor, American Bar Association Section of Taxation NEWS QUARTERLY, (formerly NEWSLETTER),'01-'06; Moderated, spoken at, or organized numerous panels at Section meetings, listed below.

Other:

Member, Board of Academic Advisors, Tannenwald Competition for Excellence in Tax Scholarship.

Member, Board of Visitors, Brigham Young University Law School, Jan. '01-'03.

Howard H. Rolapp Distinguished Visiting Scholar, University of Utah College of Law, Oct., 1999.

Chair, Tax Section, Association of American Law Schools 1997-98. Member of Executive Committee of the Section, 1994-1999.

Board Member and Planning Committee Member: Philadelphia Tax Conference (over 20 years).

Testified at the Treasury Hearings on the Proposed Golden Parachute Regulations, November 17, 1989, Washington, DC, on behalf of the Tax Section, Philadelphia Bar Association.

Speaker at national and international tax conferences, including: Taxation of Low Income Immigrant Workers: Building Policy and Programs to Address Inequity, Cornell Law School (Nov. 2016); La Democrazia dei Contribuente, University of Padova, Italy (Sept. '16); Inaugural International Taxpayer Rights Conference (Nov. '15); Law and Society Association Annual Meeting (June '13, '15); Critical Tax Conference (various – April '16 most recent); Tulane Tax Institute (Oct. '02, '12); Grapperhaus Colloquium (Jurisprudence and Tax), Ferrara, Italy, (Sept. 2010); Heart of America Tax Conference (Nov. '10 and '04); Southern Federal Tax Institute (Sept. '03); University of Texas Tax Conference (Oct. '03); CBIZ Annual Tax Conference (Nov. '03 and '05); American Bar Association Section of Taxation Committees: Diversity (Sept. '16); Family and Individual Tax (May '16); Formation of Tax Policy (Sept. '14); Teaching Tax (Jan. '02, '05, May '06, '07); Tax Structure and Simplification (Jan., '98), and Tax and Social Policy Forum (May '98); Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, (January, '94 and '15); LatCrit III, V, and VI, May, '98, '00, '01; invited speaker; 93rd Annual Meeting of the

American Society of International Law, March, '99.

MEMBERSHIPS:

American College of Tax Counsel; American Law Institute; International Fiscal Association; Association of American Law Schools (member of Tax Section Executive Committee, 1994-99, Chair, 1997-98); American Bar Association Section on Taxation; Philadelphia Bar Association, Tax Section (Member of Council, 1986-90).

LANGUAGES:

Native Spanish speaker; excellent comprehension of Italian and good speaking ability; fundamental (but steadily declining) knowledge of French.

VOLUNTEER WORK:

VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) – free tax preparation and review for low income individuals annually, 2011-present. Occasionally represent taxpayers pro bono.

HOBBIES:

Distance running, (completed the '04 and '06 Rome marathons and the '05, '07 and '08 Philadelphia marathons); cooking, gardening, learning Italian.