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**EXPERIENCE:**

*August 2005 - Present* THE JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL/UIC School of Law  
Professor - Torts, Products Liability, Complex Litigation  
School Activities: Faculty Advisor, Latino Law Students' Association (LLSA); Organizer and supervisor, LLSA Tutoring program at Legal Prep Charter School; Advisor and Judge, various moot court teams; presenter, various Pre-Legal Education Programs; Organized and supervised several Illinois Latino Law Student Association Law School Forum for high school and college students.  
Professional and Community Activities: member, ABA Section of Legal Education; member AALS Committee on Bar Admission & Lawyer Performance.  
Honors and Awards: Teacher of the Year, Fall 2007.

*Fall 2021* LOYOLA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, professor: Torts

*Summer 2012* JMLS LLM Program in Beijing, China  
Professor - Lawyering Skills

*Summers, 2012, 2009* LOYOLA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, Rome Summer Abroad Program  
Professor - Comparative Products Liability

*Fall 2003 - Summer 2005* UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI-KANSAS CITY  
Professor - Civil Procedure, Torts, Products Liability, Race & Law  
School Activities: Faculty Advisor, Hispanic Law Students' Association; Faculty Advisor, Coalition for Equal Access to Education; member Decanal Committee on Inclusion & Empowerment.  
Professional and Community Activities: member, ABA Section of Legal Education; member, AALS Sections on Civil Procedure and Minorities in Legal Education; member Society of American Law Teachers.  
Consultant, Kansas Advisory Committee on Hispanic Affairs (KACHA), Member, Board of Directors, Kansas Legal Services.

*Fall 2004* THE JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL  
Visiting Professor - Torts, Products Liability

*Spring 2003* SANTA CLARA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW  
Visiting Professor - Civil Procedure II, Products Liability

*August 1991  
to Spring 2003* WASHBURN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW  
Professor  
Civil procedure, Complex litigation, Torts, and Products Liability.

*Fall 2001* DEPAUL UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW  
Visiting Professor - Civil Procedure

*Fall 2002 &  
Spring 1998* UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI-KANSAS CITY  
School of Law  
Visiting Professor – Torts

*February 1987  
to July 1991* HOLLEB & COFF  
Chicago, Illinois  
Associate - Commercial Litigation

*June 1985  
to February 1987* PETERSON, ROSS  
Chicago, Illinois  
Associate - Medical Malpractice/Products Liability

*December 1984  
to May 1985* HONORABLE MILES LORD, Chief Judge  
U.S. District Court for the District of  
Minnesota - Judicial Extern

**EDUCATION:**

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA  
SCHOOL OF LAW  
Minneapolis, Minnesota  
J.D. 1985

Activities: Editor, Journal of Law & Inequality  
Editor, writer, and cartoonist, Quaere (Law School newspaper)  
Third World Caucus; Hispanic Caucus; Minority Hiring Committee;  
Minnesota Justice Foundation; Volunteer, Legal Aid Society

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
Ames, Iowa  
Graduate Studies, 1972-1974  
Major: Analytical and Physical Chemistry  
Graduate Assistant: Assisted in teaching undergraduate general and analytical Chemistry.

MANKATO STATE UNIVERSITY (now Minnesota State University at Mankato)  
Mankato, Minnesota  
B.S., magna cum laude, 1973  
Major: Chemistry, Minor: Biology

**ACTIVITIES:**

- May 1, 2022: appointed to the Comité Editorial Colex, a committee of academics tasked with assessing scholarship of young Spanish Law School professors.
- May 1, 2023: appointed to the Scientific Committee to assess and evaluate the presentations at the Justicia: Discapacidad y Digitalización Conference to be held September 27 & 28 at the University of Sevilla School of Law in Spain.
- May 1, 2023, appointed to the Scientific Committee to assess and evaluate the presentations at the La Resolución Alternativa en Litigios en la Sociedad Digital Conference to be held September 14 & 15 at the University of Malaga School of Law in Spain.

R. Lasso, Perez Ricardo, K, Olken, S, Hunt, C, Schwinn, S, McMurtry-Chubb, T, Organized and was a panelist in the After 400 Years: Addressing Racism and White Supremacy at UIC Law School Town Hall, August 2021

### **PUBLICATIONS:**

#### **Articles Published (2002-present):**

- *A Blueprint for Using Assessments to Achieve Learning Outcomes and Improve Students' Learning*, 12 *Elon Law Review* 1 (2020)
- "Is Our Students Learning?: Using Assessments to Measure and Improve Law School Learning," 15 *Barry Law Rev* 73 (2010).
- *Some Potential Casualties of Moving Beyond the Black/White Paradigm to Build Racial Coalitions*, 12 *Wash. & Lee Race and Ethnic Ancestry Law Journal* 80 (2005).
- *From the Paper Chase to the Digital Chase: Technology and the Challenge of Teaching 21<sup>st</sup> Century Law Students*, 43 *Santa Clara Law Review* 1 (October, 2002).
- *In a Classroom Somewhere in the Very-Near Future*, *Lessons from the Web*, *Jurist* (online), at <http://jurist.law.pitt.edu/lessons/lessept02.php> (September 2002)

#### **Other Publications:**

- Co-author (with Professor Leticia Fontestad, University of Malaga School of Law) of an article in Spanish and English about Extradition between the U.S. and the EU in Death Penalty Cases), which will be sent for publication during the fall of 2023.
- Authored the chapters on Negligence, Professional Liability, and Products Liability as co-author (with professor Bruce Ottley, DePaul Law School) of the 2023 edition of the *Illinois Tort Law* book which was published by Lexis-Nexis/Mathew Bender in May of 2024. Have been the co-author of LexisNexis/Mathew Bender's *Illinois Tort Law* since 2006.

#### **Books:**

- *Products Liability & Safety: An American Approach*. (Self-published)

#### **Presentations (2012-present):**

- THE USE OF PRIVATE CLASS ACTIONS TO ACCOMPLISH PUBLIC GOOD: THE LICATA V FACEBOOK CASE, School of Law, University of Malaga, Spain, May 14, 2019.
- ACCIONES COLECTIVAS E INTERESES DIFUSOS EN EL SISTEMA NORTEAMERICANO: ANÁLISIS COMPARATIVO DEL CASO DEEP WATER HORIZON Y DEL PRESTIGE, Jornadas Internacionales Sobre Derecho Procesal Y Derecho Maritimo, Facultad De Derecho, Universidad De Malaga, May 13, 2019.

- (Paper presented at a Conference on Civil Procedure and Maritime Law at the University of Malaga)
- The Use of Collective Actions in cases of Mass Harms: A comparative Analysis, School of Law, Universitat Jaume I, Castellon de La Plana, Spain, May 9, 10, 2019.
  - Conducted a three-day workshop, FROM LEARNING OBJECTIVES TO LEARNING OUTCOMES: USING MULTIPLE ASSESSMENTS TO IMPROVE STUDENT LEARNING, to the law school faculty at the Pontifical Catholic University of Puerto Rico, May 7 to 10, 2018
  - Mock Torts Class - JMLS PIPELINE PROGRAM, Friday, April 27, 2018
  - The Effect of Technology on the Evolution of Procedural Law in the Area of Mass Harms, School of Law, Universitat Jaume I, Castellon de La Plana, Spain, May 5, 6, 2017
  - Individual Feedback on Multiple Assessments: the Critical Role of Teaching Assistants, 2017 AALS Annual Meeting, January 4, 2017.
  - Mock Torts Class, JMLS Open House for Admitted Students, November 19, 2016
  - Collective Actions in the U.S. and Spain: A Comparative Analysis, School of Law, Universitat Jaume I, Castellon de La Plana, Spain, May 3, 4, 2016.
  - Mock Torts Class, JMLS Admitted Diverse Student Day, March 29, 2014.
  - Mock Torts Class, 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Illinois Latino Law Student Association's Law Forum, JMLS, March 1, 2014.

**Service to the Community**

- Legal Prep Charter Academy: Board of Directors. Organized and supervised a group of UIC LLSA students who provided tutoring to improve Legal Prep students' learning skills.