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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT MERCY SCHOOL OF LAW, Detroit, MI

Assistant Professor of Law

June 2026-Present

Director, Litigation Practice Clinic

June 2026-Present

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN LAW SCHOOL, Ann Arbor, MI

Clinical Teaching Fellow, Civil-Criminal Litigation Clinic

Jul. 2023-Jun. 2026

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL, Detroit, MI

Appellate Advocacy Adjunct Professor

Sept. 2023-May 2024

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS CHICAGO SCHOOL OF LAW, Chicago, IL

Supervisory Attorney, Pro Bono Litigation Clinic

Nov. 2019-Aug. 2023

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO SCHOOL OF LAW, Chicago, IL

Legal Writing Adjunct Professor

Aug. 2018-May 2020

PUBLICATIONS

Sarah Sallen, *Stigma-Based Credentials: Reentry, Record-Based Exclusion, and the Rights of Permatemps*, 63 SAN DIEGO L. REV. (forthcoming 2026).

Bulatovic, Marija, Sallen, Sarah, & Reising, Virginia, *Development of a Referral Pathway to Address Health-Harming Legal Needs at a Federally Qualified Health Center*, 124 AJN, AM. J. NURS. 54 (2024).

Gene Griffin and Sarah Sallen, *Considering Child Trauma Issues in Juvenile Court Sentencing*, 34 CHILD. LEGAL RTS. J. 1 (2013).

Sarah Sallen, *Getting at the Root of the Problem: A Trauma-Informed Child Welfare System*, 32 CHILD. LEGAL RTS. J. 68 (2012).

OTHER LEGAL EXPERIENCE

LEGAL AID CHICAGO, Chicago, IL

Juvenile Expungement Staff Attorney

Jan. 2018-Nov. 2019

CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, CHANCERY DIVISION, Chicago, IL

Staff Attorney to the Honorable Pamela Meyerson

Aug. 2016-Jan. 2018

MICHIGAN CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER, Detroit, MI

Staff Attorney and Education Advocate

Jan. 2014-Jan. 2018

EDUCATION

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO SCHOOL OF LAW, Chicago, IL

May 2013

Juris Doctor; Certificates in Public Interest Law and Child and Family Law

Law Journal: Children's Legal Rights Journal, Editor-in-Chief (2012–2013)

Activities: Public Interest Law Society, President, Auction Chair; ChildLaw Legal Writing Tutor; Cabrini Green Legal Aid, Expungement Help Desk Volunteer; Law Related Education, Volunteer Teacher

TUFTS UNIVERSITY, Medford, MA

May 2008

Bachelor of Arts, magna cum laude, Human Development and Political Science

BAR ADMISSIONS

Michigan

Illinois

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan

United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois