

## CURRICULUM VITAE

University of Idaho

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**RANK OR TITLE:** Associate Vice President and Chief Executive Officer, University of Idaho  
Boise, Southwest Idaho.

**DEPARTMENT:** UI Boise (Administrative); College of Law (Faculty Appointment)

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**DATE OF FIRST EMPLOYMENT AT UI:** July 1, 2006

**DATE OF TENURE:** July 1, 2011

**DATE OF PRESENT RANK OR TITLE:** August 11, 2014

**EDUCATION BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL:**

**Degrees:**

J.D., 2000, University of Michigan Law School, Cum Laude  
Executive Editor, *Michigan Law Review*  
Child Advocacy Law Clinic Member  
Howard & Howard Leadership Scholarship Recipient  
Black Law Student Alliance

B.A./B.S. 1990, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX, in History and Political Science,  
with emphasis in the History of United States Foreign Policy, research methodology, and  
comparative politics.

Summer Semester Abroad at Oxford, England and Salzburg, Austria  
Political Science Symposium President  
Association of Black Students Vice-President  
SMU Learning Enhancement Center, Writing Tutor  
Japanese Student English Tutor and Liaison

**Certificates and Licenses:**

Texas State Bar #84027832/Inactive

**EXPERIENCE:****Teaching, Extension and Research Appointments:****Associate Vice President, Chief Executive Officer, University of Idaho – Boise, Southwest Idaho. 2014-Present**

As the University's senior administrator in the most populace region of the state I represent University of Idaho interests in outreach, economic development, and academic programing in my region. Duties include:

- Assess the effectiveness of UI programming including extension, research, outreach, and academics and make programmatic, staffing, and strategic recommendations the President and Provost based on observations.
- Manage UI facilities and staff in the most populous county in Idaho.
- Work collegially with other university units to determine the best programming for the region.
- Represent the President of the University of Idaho in the region.
- Collaborate programmatically and in advocacy with other educational institutions in the region.
- Serve on boards and in non-profit organizations to provide University leadership and advocacy in position outreach function.
- Engage in outreach to under-represented groups.
- Coordinating administrator for the President's Latino Advisory Council with focused effort on enrollment, supporting research, and outreach with respect to Idaho's Latino population.
- Manage the Boise Center annual budget.

**Interim Dean, University of Idaho College of Law, 2013-2014**

Served as the interim dean when the appointed dean became the University interim President.

- Led the College of Law.
- Requested and received accreditation (acquiescence) approval from the American Bar Association for expanding the College's 3<sup>rd</sup> year in Boise to a 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year law program.
- Established the College of Law 2<sup>nd</sup> year in Boise Program, including work on curricular design with College faculty, faculty and staff hires and assignments, and the student selection process.
- Engaged in significant development work and increased mid-level donor base by 50%
- Began law externship program with Shoshone Bannock tribe, the last tribal nation located in Idaho to establish such a program.
- Member of Provost Council and advised in University level strategic planning.
- Directly supervised Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs, Associate Dean of Students and Facilities, Assistant Dean of Outreach and Development, Associate Dean of Library and Technology Services, Director of Clinics and Externships.
- Managed the College of Law budget.

**Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs, 2012-Summer 2013**

- Supervised faculty in the execution of their assignments.
- Drafted faculty position descriptions and negotiated teaching and service assignments with faculty, wrote faculty annual reviews.
- Mentored new faculty members.
- Worked in conjunction with the Dean on strategic planning and developed the academic plan for expanding the College of Law in Boise.
- Supervised the recruiting and hiring process for new faculty members.
- Scheduled classes for the College of Law.
- Worked on University wide instruction issues in the Associate Deans Council.
- Worked towards creating a safe and respectful learning environment for students from all backgrounds.

**Associate Professor, Tenured, University of Idaho College of Law, Fall 2006-Present.**

- Developed courses in my area of expertise.
- Mentored students and student groups in my academic interest area (Commercial Law, Diversity related groups)
- Split my assigned time between instruction, service, and scholarship.
- See Accomplishments, Service, Scholarship, Presentations, and Awards below.

**Non-Academic Employment including Armed Forces:****Nissan North America, Inc., Counsel, September 2002 – June 2006.**

In house corporate counsel advising primarily Nissan North America's captive automobile finance affiliate Nissan Motor Acceptance Corporation and its Division Infiniti Financial Services and supervising the Bankruptcy, Titles and Administrative Compliance Team. Primary areas of practice: providing general business legal advice, supervising legal compliance activities in all 5 national sales regions, advising executive management team regarding compliance and business operations, implementing nation-wide legal and compliance strategies, providing Bankruptcy compliance advice, responding to Administrative Agency complaints and investigations, drafting arbitration agreements and supervising arbitrations, advising client in all areas relevant to titles and security interests in collateral, advising collection personnel in the execution of collection activities on behalf of the company, and advising client in compliance regarding the Soldier and Sailor's Civil Relief Act. Additional areas of practice: providing consumer finance compliance advice, drafting vendor contracts, advising Nissan's Remarketing Department on the sale of matured lease vehicles and repossessed retail and lease units in all U.S. jurisdictions, addressing consumer complaints, drafting and revising retail installment and lease contract forms, advising the client on off-shoring call center functions, addressing issues of larger commercial bankruptcies involving vendors and dealers, providing real time legal advice, and supervising certain litigation matters.

**Law Office of Michael A. Satz, 2002 – May 2007**

Private law practice advising individuals and small entrepreneurial business enterprises in the following areas: business formation and appropriate business form and structure, incorporation, commercial and private contracts, commercial law, real estate law, deceptive trade practices, trusts, wills and estates.

**Carrington, Coleman, Sloman & Blumenthal, LLP, Assoc Attorney, 2000 - 2002**

Predominantly a general business litigation and bankruptcy practice with the firm. The practice included making oral arguments and drafting legal briefs before federal district and bankruptcy courts and state courts, management of commercial arbitration cases, representation of banking interests multinational manufacturing, mortgage, leasing, and agricultural bankruptcies as well as smaller chapter 13 individual bankruptcies.

**Summer Clerkships:**

Carrington, Coleman, Sloman and Blumenthal, LLP, Summers 1998, 1999

Thompson and Knight, PC, Summers 1998, 1999

Luce, Forward, Hamilton and Scripps, LLC, Summer 1999

**SMU Inner City Experience, Summer 1997**

Directed a tutoring program for inner city youths in basic scholastic skills.

**United States Navy, Lieutenant, 1988- 1997**

I began my career in the Navy as an enlisted service-member while I completed my college education and basic officer training. I then became a Surface Warfare Officer stationed on the amphibious assault ships USS Dubuque and USS San Bernardino in Sasebo, Japan. My duties on these vessels included *Command Managed Equal Opportunity Officer, Legal Officer, Repair Officer (managed \$10 million repair budget), Damage Control Assistant, Deck/Weapons Officer, Combat Information Center Officer.*

Additionally, I fulfilled the following operational responsibilities during my tours of duty: Officer of the Deck (underway), Combat Information Center Watch Officer (underway), and Command Duty Officer, in port.

**TEACHING ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

**Areas of Specialization:** Commercial/Consumer Law; Critical Legal Perspectives including Race, Religious tolerance/acceptance, Gender, Gender-identity, and Sexuality,

**Courses Taught:**University of Idaho College of Law:

Contracts (1 semester 4 credit course combining what was Previously Contracts I & II): Spring 2012, 2013

Contracts I, Law 813, Fall 2006 - 2011

Contracts II, Law 814, Spring 2006 - 2011

Creditor's Rights and Secured Transactions, Law 925, Spring 2006 - 2009

Critical Legal Studies, Law 901, Fall 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013

Consumer Law, Law 901-14, Fall 2008, Fall 2011

Property Security (combining Article 9 and Basic Real Estate Finance), Law 925, Spring 2010, 2011, Fall 2012

Sale of Goods, Law 924, Fall 2014

University of Idaho College of Law/University of Idaho College of Art & Architecture Joint Class:

Architecture and the Law, Law 901, Spring 2008 - 2010

**Faculty Advising:**

Faculty Founder advisor to *the Crit*, a critical studies journal published by the University of Idaho College of Law ([www.thecritui.com](http://www.thecritui.com)) – 2007-2013.

Faculty advisor to the Multi-Cultural Law Caucus – 2007- 2013.

Faculty advisory to the Outlaws (LGBTQA student group) – 2012-13 (The group's primary advisor was on sabbatical)

Co-Founded the College of Law Diversity Mentors Group (2008- Present), where students and faculty of diverse backgrounds meet throughout the semester to discuss important scholastic, social, and personal issues in the hopes of bettering the College of Law experience for our students.

Faculty Founder and Advisor to the Black Law Students Association – 2009 – 2013

Upper Division Writing Requirement Advisor

2007 – Advised 6 Students

2008 – Advised 12 Students

2009 – Advised 15 Students

2010 – Advised 11 Students

2011 – Advised 9 Students

2012 – Advised 7 Students

2013 – Advised 8 Students

**Courses Developed:**

**Sales:** Developed this course as a first time offering for the College of Law – Boise campus teaching the fundamentals of the commercial sales system from the Uniform Commercial Code Article 2.

**Critical Legal Studies:** Developed this course as a first time offering at the College of Law. The course objectives were to introduce students to critical scholarship dealing with the law, race, gender, gender identity, sexuality, religion, and equality.

**Consumer Law:** Developed this course as a first time offering at the College of Law. The course's objectives were to introduce students to the complex body of laws that govern the most common consumer transactions and to enable students to effectively practice law in this area.

**Architecture and the Law:** Co-Developed this course with Associate Professor Roman Montoto of the College of Art and Architecture. The course's objectives were to provide an interdisciplinary learning experience to both law and architecture students, prepare both groups

of students for professional practice in their chosen fields, and sensitize students to demands and approaches used by other professionals in a business setting.

**Property Security:** Developed this course as a first time offering combining both secured finance for personal property under the Uniform Commercial Code and real estate under state statutory and common law.

**Contracts:** Re-designed the Contracts I & II curriculum to fit in a single semester, 4 credit course from a 2 semester offering.

### **SCHOLARSHIP ACCOPMLISHMENTS:**

#### **Publications:**

*How the Payday Predator Hides Among Us: The predatory Nature of the Payday Loan Industry and Its Use of Consumer Arbitration to Further Discriminatory Lending Practices*, 20 TEMPLE POL. & CIV. RGTS. L. REV. 101

*Situational Prototyping: Architecture and Law Organizational Practicum*, 8 INTERN'L J. OF KNOWLEDGE, CULTURE AND CHANGE MANAGEMENT 20 (2009) co-author. (Refereed journal).

*Mandatory Binding Arbitration: Our Legal History Demands Balanced Reform*, 44 IDAHO L. REV. 19 (2007)

*Representing Victims of Domestic Violence in Property Distribution Proceedings After the Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005*, 41 FAM. L. Q. 275 (2007) co-author.

#### **Scholarly Presentations:**

Panelist, University of Idaho Cultural Literacy and Competence Symposium, *Critical Pedagogy*, Moderated by Angela Harris, April 21, 2104.

Welcome Speaker, 2014 University of Idaho College of Law Native Law Conference, March 28, 2014.

Speaker: The Importance of Graduate School, Native American Pipeline Event, University of Idaho College of Law, October 16, 2013.

*Reprising the Critique of Rights in the Area of Consumer Financial Rights*, Critical Legal Studies Conference: *Momentum; Critical Thought, Critical Action*, October 21, 2011

Panelist, Sow, and Cultivate: Critical Thought and Critical Action, a Critical Legal Studies Conference, 2010, for a panel entitled "Utilizing Critical Legal Studies to Effect Social Change."

*Predatory and Discriminatory Practices of the Payday Loan Industry*, John Mercer Langston Writing Workshop, Southern Methodist University, June 27, 2010.

Panelist for the Idaho State Bar Annual Winter Bankruptcy Conference “Highlighting Changes to the Bankruptcy Code from the Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005”, February 29, 2008 at the University Inn, Moscow, ID.

## **SERVICE:**

### **Major University Assignments:**

#### University of Idaho

- University Wide Promotion Committee, 2010
- President’s Council on Diversity, 2009-2012
- University of Idaho Leadership Academy, 2011-2012
- Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs, 2012 – Present
- Human Rights, Access and Inclusion Complaint Investigating Officer, 2012-2013
- Boise Center Executive Committee, 2013 – Present
- Dean’s Working Group on Reclassification, 2013
- Provost’s Council, 2013 – Present
- President’s Round Table, 2013 – Present
- Focus for the Future Working Groups, 2014 – 2015
- Leadership Academy – 2010-2011

#### University of Idaho College of Law Committees:

- Diversity Committee, 2006-2012; Committee Chair 2007-2008; Co-Chair 2009-2012
- Faculty Appointments Committee, 2007-Present
- Student Engagement Committee, 2006-2009
- Director of Admissions Search Committee, 2008-2009
- Associate Dean of Students Search Committee, 2009
- Director of Public Services Search Committee, 2011
- Business Law and Entrepreneurship Emphasis Development Committee, 2010-2011
- Faculty Support Administrative Assistant Search Committee, 2011
- Early Welcome Faculty member, 2009; 2011, 2012
- Admissions Committee, 2012
- Curriculum Committee, 2012- 2013
- Tenure and Promotion Standards Review Committee, 2012- 2013
- Ad Hoc Committee on Future Planning, 2013 – 2014

2007: Faculty Founder of *the Crit*: a multimedia online critical studies journal published by the University of Idaho College of Law. [www.thecritui.com](http://www.thecritui.com)

2009: Faculty Founder of the Black Law Student’s Association (Pending Approval by the Student Bar Association). Idaho’s BLSA chapter officially makes Idaho the 49<sup>th</sup> state to have a BLSA chapter (the last state in the country with a law school).

2009, 2011, 2012: Faculty Advisor for the College of Law Early Welcome Program and Orientation.

2009-2010: Co-Coordinated and Arranged the first and second inter-University Diversity Reception for Diverse Faculty and Staff hosted by the College of Law.

**Professional Service:**

Educate Idaho Network Steering Committee Member – January 2016 – Present

Neighbors United Steering Committee (umbrella group for organizations providing refugee assistance in Southern Idaho) – April 2015 – Present

University of Idaho Latino Advisory Council – 2014 – Present

Idaho Technology Council Board of Trustees – 2014 – Present

Boise Valley Economic Partnership Board Member – December 2014 – Present

Treasure Valley Education Partnership Board Member and Core Team Member – November, 2014 – Present; vice-Chair 2015-present.

Boise Metro Chamber of Commerce Board Member – August 2014 – Present

Idaho State Board of Education Local Operations Committee - Southwest Region – August 2014 – Present

Idaho State Board of Education Local Operations Committee – Southeast Region – September 2014 – Present

Idaho Law Foundation Board Member, June 2013 – June 2014.

Speaker, Latah County Human Rights Task Force, Martin Luther King Jr./Human Rights Day, January 20, 2014

Taught a CLE entitled “The Importance of Workplace Climate in the Practice of Law” for the Idaho State Bar Association, November 4, 2013

Opening Speaker for Morris Dees of the Southern Poverty Law Center, Bellwood Lecture Series, in Boise and Moscow, October 7 & 8, 2013

Presented to the Inns of Court, District 2, in Twin Falls, Idaho “The State of Legal Education and the Role of the College of Law in Educating Idaho Lawyers” September 18, 2013

Speaker, Ray McNichols American Inn of Court, September 12, 2013



Taught a CLE entitled Federal and State Consumer Protection Law, a Layered Approach to the Kootenai County Bar Association, October 29, 2012

Proposed and supervised the organization of The crit 2012 Conference: Deconstructionism, October 19-20, 2012

UNITY (umbrella organization for University of Idaho multicultural groups) Graduation Keynote Speaker; 2012

Proposed and supervised the organization of Momentum: Critical Thought, Critical Action, a Critical Legal Studies Conference, October 21-22, 2011.

Proposed and organized Uproot, Sow, and Cultivate: Critical Thought and Critical Action, a Critical Legal Studies Conference. 2010.

Member of the Society of American Law Teachers, 2008- 2013

### **Community Service**

Black History Month presentation at Franklin Elementary School, Pullman, WA – February 19, 2014.

Women’s Self Defense Seminar – 2008 – 2012. Free self-defense and situational awareness seminar conducted annually for the benefit of the women in the Moscow/Pullman communities.

Law enforcement self-defense training for the Latah County Sheriff’s Office – 2008-2011

Speaker, Dallas Independent School District, John F. Kennedy Learning Center, 2003-2006. Annual event tutoring 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade students at an inner city school about legal careers and corporations.

USO Volunteer, 2006-2007.

### **Honors and Awards:**

Recognized by The National Jurist as a national leader in diversity education in law school in “Why Diversity Matters,” National Jurist, Fall 2015 Edition.

Idaho Business Review Leader in the Law: Educator – 2013

University of Idaho Alumni Award of Excellence – Honored Mentor, 2008