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EDUCATION

University of Arkansas at Little Rock
William H. Bowen School of Law, J.D. 1982

- Class Rank 1/97
- Editor-in-Chief, UALR LAW JOURNAL

University of Arkansas at Little Rock, B.A. 1979

- *Magna cum laude*

EMPLOYMENT

University of Arkansas at Little Rock
William H. Bowen School of Law

- 1986-1989, Assistant Professor
- 1989-1994, Associate Professor
- 1994-present, Professor
- 1990, tenure granted
- 2000-2001, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

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- 1984-1986, Associate

The Hon. Richard S. Arnold
United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit

- 1982-1984, Law clerk

PRIMARY COURSES

- Business Associations
- Securities Regulation
- Sales Transactions
- Drafting Contracts

PUBLICATIONS

Losing Faith: Limited Liability Companies in Arkansas and the Fiduciary Duties of Loyalty and Good Faith, forthcoming in UALR L. REV. (May 2009).

Municipal Bonds as “Non-Securities”: *Financial Security Assurance, Inc. v. Stephens, Inc.*, 500 F.3d 1276 (11th Cir. 2007), 36 SEC. REG. L.J. 22 (Spring 2008).

A License To Lie, Cheat, and Steal? Restriction or Elimination of Fiduciary Duties in Arkansas Limited Liability Companies, 60 ARK. L. REV. 643 (2007).

Shielding Volunteers From Tort Liability – Congress Expands the Safety Zone, Ark. Law. Fall 1997, 34.

Director-Exculpation Clauses Under the Arkansas Business Corporation Act of 1987, 15 U.ARK. LITTLE ROCK L.J. 337 (1993).

With M. Wierzbowski, *Zagadnienia prawne posyskiwania kapitalow amerykanskich dla inwestowania w polskie papiery wartosciowe [Legal Issues Concerning American Capital Investment in Polish Securities]*, 48 PANSTOW I PRAWO [STATE AND LAW] 70 (May 1993).

Protecting the Rights of Minority Shareholders in Close Corporations Under the New Arkansas Business Corporation Act, 44 ARK. L. REV. 1 (1991).

Waive the Fifth or Lose the Case: Total Preclusion Orders and the Civil Defendant’s Dilemma, 39 SYRACUSE L. REV. 1161 (1988).

SCHOLARSHIP IN PROGRESS

FRANCES S. FENDLER, PRIVATE PLACEMENTS AND LIMITED OFFERINGS OF SECURITIES IN ARKANSAS (book) (projected completion Fall 2009).

BAR ADMISSIONS

Arkansas Supreme Court, September 8, 1982 (high paper, Arkansas Bar Examination, July 1982).

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Arkansas, July 29, 1983.

United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit, August 10, 1983.

District of Columbia Court of Appeals, August 10, 1984 (inactive status).

United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, November 30, 1984.

United States District Court for the District of Columbia, December 3, 1984.

AWARDS

Arkansas Bar Association Best of CLE Award, Securities Law, 1992.

Faculty Excellence Award in Service, 1993.

Arkansas Bar Association's Excellence in Legal Writing Award, June 10, 1998.

Faculty Excellence Award in Teaching, 2008.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Bar Association

- Section of Business Law
 - Committee on Partnerships and Unincorporated Business Organizations
 - Subcommittee on the Model Limited Liability Company Act

Arkansas Bar Association

- House of Delegates (1990-1993)
- Member, Task Force on the Code of Judicial Conduct
- Member, Task Force on Professionalism

Bar Association of the District of Columbia

Pulaski County Bar Association

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