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Education

Case Western Reserve University, School of Law - *Cleveland, OH*
Juris Doctor, May 2008

Honors

Paul J. Hergengröeder Award in Trial Tactics
CALI Excellence for the Future Award in Trial Tactics, Fall 2007
Dean's Honor List: Fall 2007, Spring 2008.

Case Western Reserve University, School of Medicine, Department of Bioethics - *Cleveland, OH*
Master of Arts in Bioethics, May 2008

University of Minnesota, School of Public Health - *Minneapolis, MN*
Master of Public Health in Epidemiology, August 2005

Honors

University of Minnesota School of Public Health, Dr. J. Arthur Meyers Endowment Recipient

University of Minnesota, College of Biological Sciences - *Saint Paul, MN*
Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry, Microbiology, Genetics and Cell Biology, December 2002

Honors

University of Minnesota Biological Sciences Alumni Society Scholar
University of Minnesota Harriet B. Snyder and Esther Snyder Merrill Scholar

Experience

Mayo Clinic, Mayo College of Medicine, Program in Professionalism & Bioethics – *Rochester, MN*
Post-Doctoral Fellow, September 2008 to Present

Currently conducting research and analysis of health care and biomedical research policy, with a focus on ethical, legal and social issues in genomic research and biobank based research.

The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland, Community Advocacy Program – *Cleveland, OH*

Clerk, October 2007 to April 2008

Clerked for a medical/legal collaboration that seeks to increase access to medical and legal services for low-income families. Assisted in Social Security Disability Benefit claims, special education law, assisted in policy research and advocacy, assisted in program planning and evaluation.

Office of the Ramsey County Attorney, Civil Division – *Saint Paul, MN*

Law Clerk, June 2007 to August 2007

Clerked and served as a certified student attorney for the child protection unit in the civil division. Represented the county and county social workers in child protection hearings including dispositional review hearings, admit/deny hearings, pretrial, and trial.

Case Western Reserve University, Kramer Law Clinic Center - *Cleveland, OH*

Law Clerk, May 2006 to May 2007

Clerked for the Health Law Clinic. Wrote pre-trial memos for Social Security Disability hearings, conducted legal research and writing regarding Social Security benefits and special education legislation, conducted factual research and client interviews.

University of Minnesota, School of Public Health, Division of Epidemiology - *Minneapolis, MN*

Research Assistant, June 2005 to August 2005

Conducted genetic epidemiology and population genetics research focusing on heart disease and stature. Worked on the National Heart and Blood Institute Family Heart Study.

Minnesota Department of Health, Health Promotion and Chronic Disease, Director's Office

-*Minneapolis, MN*

Paraprofessional Student Worker Senior, October 2004 to June 2005

Member of the CDC funded Chronic Disease Genomics Project. Conducted research and analysis regarding the implementation and regulation of genomic policies in public health.

University of Minnesota, College of Veterinary Medicine, Department of Veterinary Biosciences - *Saint Paul, MN*

Senior Laboratory Technician/Student Researcher, December 1999 to June 2004

Conducted biochemistry and genetic research focusing on canine and equine neuromuscular genomics.

Volunteer Experience

Shanxi Evergreen Service, *Yuci Shanxi, China* - June 2004 to September 2004

Collaborated with an American NGO and the local Chinese public health system to conduct research regarding patient compliance to the World Health Organization's tuberculosis therapy program in rural China.

Languages

Conversational Chinese

Selected Publications

Ni JX, Strand MA, Wu JT, Wang XB, Wang YG, Duan XQ et al. (2005). Effect of the Health Belief Model on Health Beliefs and Standardized Medication of Pulmonary Tuberculosis Patients. (in Chinese) *Chinese General Practice* 8(23), 1936-1938.

Wu JT, Hendrickson JA, Yi Y, George AL, Henthorn PS, Hitte C, Galibert F, Rutherford MS, and Mickelson JR. Radiation hybrid and comparative mapping of 38 canine heart ESTs. (2004). *Animal Genetics* 35, 420-421.

Mickelson JR, Wu JT, Morrison LY, Swinburne JE, Binns MM, Reed KM, and Alexander L.J. (2003). Eighty three previously unreported equine microsatellite loci. *Animal Genetics* 34, 71-74.

Hendrickson JA, Wu JT, Hitte C, Galibert F, Mickelson JR, and Rutherford MS. (2004). Radiation hybrid and comparative mapping of 83 canine brain ESTs. *Animal Genetics* 35, 414-417.