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Professional Positions

DB&S Steel LLC, Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania

President and CEO, 2016 – 2019.

University of New Mexico School of Law, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dean and Professor of Law, 2013 – 2015.

University of Pittsburgh School of Law, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Professor of Law, 1997 – 2013;
Dean, 1999 – 2005;
Interim Dean, 1998 – 1999;
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, 1996 – 1998;
Director/Co-Director, Clinic Programs, 1990 – 2013;
Associate Professor of Law, 1994 – 1997;
Assistant Professor of Law, 1990 – 1994.

University of Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, Michigan

Clinical Assistant Professor of Law and Supervising Attorney, Child Advocacy Law Clinic, 1987 – 1990.

The University of Chicago School of Law, Chicago, Illinois

Bigelow Teaching Fellow and Lecturer in Law, 1986 – 1987.

The Cook County State's Attorney Office, Chicago, Illinois

Assistant State's Attorney, Criminal Appeals Division, April – August 1987.

Michigan Court of Appeals, Southfield, Michigan

Judicial law clerk to Judge William R. Beasley, August 1985 – August 1986.

Ernst & Whinney, CPAs, Jackson, Michigan

Staff Auditor, 1980 – 1982.

Education

University of Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, Michigan
J.D., conferred 1985
Magna Cum Laude
Order of the Coif

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan
B.B.A. in Accounting and Finance, conferred May 1980
With Highest Distinction

Courses Taught

Antitrust
Constitutional Law
Civil Procedure/ Legal Process
Legal Analysis and Writing
Lawyering
Child Welfare Law Seminar
Child Welfare Law Clinic/ Child Advocacy Law Clinic
Civil Procedure
Law and Behavioral Biology

Publications

Books

SUPPLEMENTING SOCRATES: TOWARD AN EFFICIENT USE OF FORMATIVE ASSESSMENTS AND INSTRUCTIONAL INTERVENTIONS IN THE FIRST YEAR OF LAW SCHOOL (Evensen, D. H., Stratman, J. F, and Herring, D. J., eds.) (Carolina Academic Press, under contract).

HERRING, D., EVERYDAY LAW FOR CHILDREN (Paradigm Publishers 2006).

HERRING, D., THE PUBLIC FAMILY: EXPLORING ITS ROLE IN DEMOCRATIC SOCIETIES (University of Pittsburgh Press 2003).

HERRING, D., AGENCY ATTORNEY TRAINING MANUAL: ACHIEVING TIMELY PERMANENCY FOR CHILDREN BY IMPLEMENTING THE PRIVATE MODEL OF LEGAL REPRESENTATION FOR THE STATE AGENCY IN CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT MATTERS (U.S. Department of Health and Human Services 1991).

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Articles and Chapters

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Herring, D. & Lynch, C., *Measuring Law Student Learning Outcomes: 2013 Lawyering Class*, UNM School of Law Research Paper No. 2014-09.

Herring, D., *Evolutionary Perspectives on Child Welfare Law*, in *THE EVOLUTION OF VIOLENCE* 53 (T. K. Shackelford and R. D. Hansen, eds.) (Springer 2013).

Goodkind, S., Shook, J., Kim, K. H., Pohlig, R. T., & Herring D., *From child welfare to juvenile justice: Race, gender, and service experiences*, 11 *YOUTH VIOLENCE AND JUVENILE JUSTICE* 249 (2013).

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Herring, D. & Lynch, C., *Enhancing Traditional Law Teaching to Produce Measurable Gains*, 19 *LEGAL WRITING: THE JOURNAL OF THE LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE* 1 (2013).

Herring, D. & Lynch, C., *Teaching Skills of Legal Analysis: Does the Emperor Have Any Clothes?*, 18 *LEGAL WRITING: THE JOURNAL OF THE LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE* 85 (2012).

Herring, D., *Evolutionary Theory and Behavioral Biology Research: Implications for Law*, in *APPLIED EVOLUTIONARY PSYCHOLOGY* 234 (S. C. Roberts, ed.) (Oxford University Press 2012).

Shook, J., Goodkind, S., Pohlig, R. T., Schelbe, L., Herring, D. J., Kim, K. H., *Patterns of Mental Health, Substance Abuse, and Justice System Involvement Among Youth Aging Out of Child Welfare*, 81 *AMERICAN JOURNAL OF ORTHOPSYCHIATRY* 420 (2011).

Herring, D., *Fathers and child maltreatment: A research agenda based on evolutionary theory and behavioral biology research*, 31 *CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES REVIEW* 935 (2009).

Herring, D., Shook, J., Goodkind, S., and Kim, K. H., *Evolutionary Theory and Kinship Foster Care: An Initial Test of Two Hypotheses*, 38 *CAPITAL UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW* 291 (2009).

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Herring, D., *Kinship Foster Care: Implications of Behavioral Biology Research*, 56 BUFFALO LAW REVIEW 495 (2008).

Herring, D., *The Multiethnic Placement Act: Threat to Foster Child Safety and Wellbeing?*, 41 MICHIGAN JOURNAL OF LAW REFORM 89 (2007).

Herring, D., *Legal Scholarship, Humility, and the Scientific Method*, 25 QUINNIPIAC LAW REVIEW 867 (2007).

Herring, D., *Foster Care Safety and the Kinship Cue of Attitude Similarity*, 7 MINNESOTA JOURNAL OF LAW, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY 355 (2006).

Herring, D., *Foster Care Placement: Reducing the Risk of Sibling Incest*, 37 MICHIGAN JOURNAL OF LAW REFORM 4 (2004).

Herring, D., *Child Placement Decisions: The Relevance of Facial Resemblance and Biological Relationships*, 43 JURIMETRICS 387 (2003).

Herring, D., *Behavioral Genetics and the Best Interests of the Child Decision Rule*, 36 MICHIGAN JOURNAL OF LAW REFORM 1 (2002).

Herring, D., *Troxel and the Rhetoric of Associational Respect*, 62 UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH LAW REVIEW 649 (2001).

Herring, D., *The Adoption and Safe Families Act—Hope and Its Subversion*, 34 FAMILY LAW QUARTERLY 329 (2000).

Herring, D., *Clinical Legal Education: Energy and Transformation*, 31 TOLEDO LAW REVIEW 621 (2000).

Herring, D., *Involuntary Termination of Parental Rights Proceedings: The Role of the Public Child Welfare Agency Caseworker*, 1 INTERDISCIPLINARY REPORT ON AT-RISK CHILDREN & FAMILIES 3 (1998).

Herring, D., *Rearranging the Family: Diversity, Pluralism, Social Tolerance and Child Custody Disputes*, 5 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA INTERDISCIPLINARY LAW JOURNAL 301 (1996).

Herring, D., *Exploring the Political Roles of the Family: Justifications for Permanency Planning for Children*, 26 LOYOLA CHICAGO LAW JOURNAL 183 (1995).

Herring, D., *The Michigan Agency Attorney Project*, in CHILDREN CAN'T WAIT: REDUCING DELAYS IN OUT OF HOME CARE (K. Cahn & P. Johnson, eds.) (Child Welfare League of America 1993).

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Herring, D., *Legal Representation for the State Child Welfare Agency in Civil Child Protection Proceedings: A Comparative Study*, 24 TOLEDO LAW REVIEW 603 (1993).

Herring, D., *Inclusion of the 'Reasonable Efforts' Requirement in Termination of Parental Rights Statutes: Punishing the Child for the Failures of the State Child Welfare System*, 54 UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH LAW REVIEW 139 (1992).

Herring, D., *Permanency Planning as a Force for Reform of the Child Welfare System*, 7 The PENNSYLVANIA CHILD ADVOCATE PROTECTIVE SERVICES QUARTERLY 5 (Summer 1992).

Herring, D., *Permanency Planning: The Role of the Child's Attorney*, in LAWYERS FOR CHILDREN (American Bar Association Center on Children and the Law 1990).

Awards

University of Pittsburgh Chancellor's Distinguished Teaching Award, 1998.

Allegheny County Court Appointed Special Advocates Program Children's Voice Award, 1997.

University of Pittsburgh Black Law Students Association Outstanding Faculty Member Award, 2001 – 2002.

Clinical Legal Education Association Special Award for the Defense of Academic Freedom, 2002.

Service

State of New Mexico

Chair, New Mexico Statewide Judicial Nominating Commission (role mandated by the New Mexico Constitution for the Dean of the University of New Mexico School of Law), 2013 – 2015.

Chair, New Mexico Judicial Compensation Commission, 2013 – 2015.

Chair, New Mexico Judicial Education and Training Advisory Committee, 2013 – 2015.

Convener, New Mexico Bar Exam Reform Task Force, 2014 – 2015.

Service (continued)

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Allegheny County

KidsVoice, Founding Board Member for non-profit organization providing legal representation to all dependent children in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, 1993 – 2013.

Allegheny County Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA), Founder and Board Member, 1994 – 2009.

Allegheny County Permanency Planning Task Force, Co-chair and Member, 1991 – 2001.

Allegheny County Bar Association Law Fellows, Member, 1998 – 2013.

United Way of Southwestern Pennsylvania, Funding Review Team Member, 1993 – 98.

Pennsylvania State Attorney General's Child Death Review Board, Member, 1991 – 93.

University of Pittsburgh

Dick Thornburgh Forum for Law and Public Policy, Advisory Board Member, 2000 – 13.

Johnson Institute for Responsible Leadership, Advisory Board Member, 2010 – 13.

Provost's Committee for Faculty Diversity, Chair, 2001 – 03.

Center on Race and Social Problems, Participating Member, 2000 – 13.

Provost's Committee on Development and Fundraising, Member, 2004 – 05.

Dean's Council, Member, 1998 – 2005.

University of Pittsburgh School of Law, 1990 – 2013

Grant funding for law school programs – Secured numerous grants to support empirical research (U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Allegheny County Department of Human Services) and law school clinic programs (U.S. Department of Education, Legal Services Corporation, U.S. Internal Revenue Service, Pennsylvania Interest on Lawyers Trust Accounts, the Heinz Endowments). The grants for law school clinic programs funded the establishment and growth of several clinics at the School, including the Elder Law Clinic, Health Law Clinic, Family Law Clinic, Immigration Law Clinic, Community Economic Development Clinic, Environmental Law Clinic, and Low Income Taxpayer Clinic.

Multiple faculty and ad hoc committees, serving as chair on a regular basis.