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Education

JD, Vanderbilt University School of Law, 1985.
Major: Doctor of Jurisprudence

BA, Vanderbilt University, 1982.
Major: Economics with Related Work in Mathematics

Professional Positions

Academic - Post-Secondary

Chair, Department of Economics and Finance, Arkansas State University (January 2012-Present).

Associate Professor of Business Law, Arkansas State University. (August 2010 - Present).

Assistant Professor of Business Law, Arkansas State University. (August 15, 2005 - August 2010).

Professional

Attorney, Yost and Robertson PLC. (1986 - 2005).

President, Williamson County Escrow & Title Inc. (1989 - 2005).

Licensures, Certifications, and Memberships

License to Practice Law, State of Arkansas. (January 2008 - Present).

License to Practice Law, State of Tennessee. (October 1985 - Present).

Member, Academy of Legal Studies in Business and various regional affiliates.

TEACHING

Teaching Experience

Arkansas State University Fall 2005-Present Courses Taught

LAW 2023, Legal Environment of Business
REI 3413, Real Estate Practice
REI 4413, Real Estate Law
LAW 4043, Law of Business Organizations
REI 4593, Special Problems in Real Estate
FIN 4893, Special Problems Employment Law

RESEARCH

Published Intellectual Contributions

Refereed Journal Articles

- Robertson, P. Q., Robertson, J. (2012). Christopher v. Smith Kline Beecham Corp. *Journal of Business Administration Online*, 11(2).
- Robertson, J., Robertson, P. Q. (2012). Motions to Compel Arbitration and Suits on the Underlying Merits. *Business Law Review*, 45, 19.
- Robertson, P. Q., Robertson, J. (2011). The Ku Klux Klan Act and the Intracorporate Conspiracy Doctrine. *Business Law Review*, 44, 235-255.
- Robertson, P. Q., Dancer, T. (2010). Deductibility of Work-Related Educational Expenses. *Journal of Accountancy* (Dec. 2010), 42-45 plus 2-page online supplement.
- Robertson, P. Q., Robertson, J. (2010). Grumbling, Retaliation, and the Fair Labor Standards Act: Kasten v. St. Gobain Performance Plastics Corp. *Business Law Review*, 43, 133-149.
- Robertson, P. Q. (2009). In Sickness and in Health: Recent Judicial Developments in Americans with Disabilities Act Association Discrimination Cases. *Employee Responsibilities and Rights Journal*, 21(3), 171-193.
- Robertson, P. Q., Lewis, J. M. (2009). Donor's Remorse and Broken Promises: The Enforceability of Charitable Pledges. *Journal of Legal, Ethical, and Regulatory Issues*, 12(2), 15-27.
- Robertson, P. Q., Robertson, J. (2009). How Much You Keep: Eschelmann v. Agere and Tax Gross-Ups in Employment Discrimination Cases. *Business Law Review*, 42, 127-138.
- Robertson, J., Robertson, P. Q. (2008). Multi-State Taxation and Captive REITS: Wal-Mart's "Rollback" of Taxes. *Business Law Review*, 41 (Spring 2008), pp. 89-108.
- Robertson, P. Q. (2007). Kickbacks, RESPA and the Title Insurance Industry: How to Get a Foot in the (Courthouse) Door". *Real Estate Law Journal*, 36(3), pages 270-297.

Conference Proceedings

- Robertson, P. Q., Dancer, T. (2008). Educating Your Teacher Clients- An Update on Deductible Travel Expenses While Pursuing Future Studies. Proceedings of Academy of Accounting, Finance, and Economics.
- Robertson, P. Q. (2008). We've Always Done it This Way: Information, Ethics, and Antitrust in Real Estate Sales. Proceedings of International Academy of Business and Public Administration Disciplines.

Presentations Given

- Robertson, J., Robertson, P. Q., "Interpreting 'Aiding and Abetting' in the Criminal Tax Law," Midwest Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL. (February 28, 2013).

- Robertson, P. Q., Robertson, J., "Windfall Taxes as Creditable Income Taxes," Midwest Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL. (February 28, 2013).
- Robertson, P. Q., Robertson, J., "Manifest Disregard in Arbitration Post-Hall Street," Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, Kansas City, MO. (August 11, 2012).
- Robertson, J., Robertson, P. Q., "Plain Language in the Tax Law," Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, Kansas City, MO. (August 10, 2012).
- Robertson, J., Robertson, P. Q., "Motions to Compel Arbitration and Suits on the Underlying Merits," North Atlantic Regional Business Law Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA. (March 31, 2012).
- Robertson, P. Q., Robertson, J., "Salesmen Minus Enthusiasm? Pharmaceutical Sales Reps and the Fair Labor Standards Act," Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA. (August 11, 2011).
- Robertson, P. Q., Robertson, J., "The Ku Klux Klan Act and the Intracorporate Conspiracy Doctrine," North Atlantic Regional Business Law Association Annual Meeting, Waltham, MA. (April 2, 2011).
- Robertson, P. Q., ASU Pre-Law Club, Panel Discussion, "Women in Law," ASU Pre-Law Club, Jonesboro, AR. (2010).
- Robertson, P. Q., "Interstate Land Sales Full Disclosure Act of 1968: Big News in 2010," Southeastern Association of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, Charleston, SC. (November 12, 2010).
- Robertson, P. Q., "Grumbling, Retaliation and the Fair Labor Standards Act: *Kasten V. Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics Corp.*," North Atlantic Regional Business Law Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA. (April 10, 2010).
- Robertson, P. Q., "Accountants' Negligence Liability to Non-Clients: New Cases, Same Old Confusion," Academy of Accounting Finance and Economics Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA. (December 10, 2009).
- Robertson, P. Q., "We've Always Done it This Way: Information, Ethics, and Antitrust in Real Estate Sales," International Academy of Business and Public Administration Disciplines Conference, Memphis, TN. (October 27, 2008).
- Robertson, J. F., Robertson, P. Q., "Multi-State Taxation and Captive REITS: Wal-Mart's Rollback of Taxes," North Atlantic Regional Business Law Association Annual Meeting, Providence, RI. (April 5, 2008).
- Robertson, P. Q., Lewis, J. M., "Donor's Remorse and Broken Promises: The Enforceability of Charitable Pledges," Academy of Legal Ethical and Regulatory Issues Conference, Tunica, MS. (April 4, 2008).
- Robertson, P. Q., "The Catch-22 of the Americans with Disabilities Act: Post-Secondary Students with Disabilities," Southeastern Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, Memphis, TN. (November 2007).
- Robertson, P. Q., "Students with Disabilities - the ADA and College Students (Catch-22)," Arkansas College Teachers of Economics and Business Annual Meeting, Arkadelphia, AR. (October 2007).

Robertson, P. Q., "Kickbacks, RESPA and the Title Insurance Industry: Getting a Foot in the (Courthouse) Door," MidAtlantic Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, St. Michael's, MD. (March 2007).

Moore, L., Robertson, P. Q., "Tax Increment Financing Issues: Origins and Issues in Arkansas, Missouri & Tennessee," Arkansas College Teachers of Economics and Business Annual Meeting, Conway AR. (October 6, 2006).

Robertson, P. Q., "The Right to Die: Gonzales v. Oregon," Midwest Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL. (March 2006).

Robertson, P. Q., "Fifth Amendment Taking Clarified: Rent Caps, Gas Prices and the Substantial Advancement of Legitimate State Interests," Southeastern Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA. (November 2005).

SERVICE

Department Service

Department Chair Economics and Finance. (January 2012 - Present).

Committee Member, Green Business. (2009 – 2010).

Committee Member, Law Curriculum Committee. (2005 - Present).

Committee Chair, Promotion Retention and Tenure. (August 2011 - December 2011).

Committee Member, Curriculum. (2008 - 2011).

Committee Member, Faculty Search Committee. (2008).

Committee Member, Faculty Grievance Committee. (2006 - 2007).

Committee Member, Recruiting. (2005 - 2007).

College Service

Faculty Adviser, Phi Beta Lambda. (2008 - Present).

Committee Member, Promotion, Retention and Tenure. (August 2011 - December 2011).

Committee Member, Student Professional Development. (August 2011 - December 2011).

Committee Member, Curriculum Committee. (September 2010 - December 2011).

Committee Member, Scholarship and Honors. (2009 - 2011).

Committee Member, Assessment. (2007 - Present).

Committee Chair, Scholarship and Honors. (2009 - August 2011).

Committee Member, Recruiting. (2005 - 2009).

University Service

Committee Chair, Undergraduate Admissions Appeals Committee. (2011 - Present).

Committee Member, Honors Awards Committee. (2011).

Committee Member, University Student Disciplinary Committee. (2009 - 2011).

Secretary and Council Member, University Honors Council. (2009 - August 2011).

Honors Awards Committee- ASU. (2007 – 2009; 2013- Present).

Guest Judge, ASU Moot Court Team, Jonesboro, AR. (2008 - Present).

Special Institutional Assignment, University Assessment. (May 2008).

Disabilities Services Committee- ASU. (2006 - 2007).

Parliamentarian & Chair; Bylaws Committee, Faculty Women's Club. (2005 - 2007).

Professional Service

Member of Board of Editors, Business Law Review, Jonesboro, AR. (April 2010 - Present).

Reviewer, Journal of Employment & Labor Law. (June 2010 - Present).

Public Service

Board Member, PACES (Parents and Children Educational Services), Jonesboro, AR. (August 2010 - Present).

Elder, First Presbyterian Church, Jonesboro, AR. (January 2009 - Present).

Chair, Organizer, and Volunteer at Affiliate Site of City Youth Ministries Summer Feeding Program, Jonesboro, AR. (May 2011 - August 2011).

Board Member, First Presbyterian Church Preschool, Jonesboro, AR. (June 2010 - December 2010).

Member, Cardiology Associates Foundation Education Committee, Jonesboro, AR. (2006 - 2008).

Awards and Honors

College of Business Internal Service Award, ASU College of Business. (April 18, 2011).

Presidential Excellence Award, Arkansas Phi Beta Lambda. (April 16, 2011).

College of Business Summer Research Grants (Summers 2007, 2008).