

Curriculum Vitae

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Last Name *First Name* *Middle Initial*

EDUCATION: *Provide the following information on each baccalaureate and post-baccalaureate degree*

DEGREE	DEPARTMENT/DISCIPLINE	INSTITUTION	DATE AWARDED
J.D.	Law	Notre Dame Law School	2006
B.A.	Bachelor of Arts	Xavier University of Louisiana	2002

EMPLOYEMENT HISTORY: *Beginning with your current position, provide the following information on each position held since completing the terminal degree in your field:*

Start/End Dates	Title, Department (Asst.Prof; Asst. Librarian, etc.)	Institution	Include Promotion Dates (as applicable)
2020–present	Associate Professor of Law	University of Kansas School of Law	n/a
2019–present	Faculty Associate, Berkman Klein Center for Internet & Society	Harvard University	n/a
2013–present	Healthcare and Privacy Compliance Consultant	Self-employment	n/a
2017–2020	Inaugural Faculty Fellow and Assistant Professor, Institute for Privacy Protection	Seton Hall Law School	Promoted to Assistant Professor in 2018.
2015–2017	Compliance Manager, Health & Wellness Solutions Business Unit	Panasonic North America	n/a
2009–2013	Senior Compliance and HIPAA Privacy Officer, Office of Ethics, Compliance and Corporate Integrity	Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences	n/a
2007–2009	Research Compliance Assistant. Senior Auditor/Specialist, Office of Research Compliance	Weill Cornell Medical College	Promoted to specialist/auditor in 2008.
2006–2007	Compliance Coordinator/Policy Analyst	Capital Area Human Services Mental Healthcare District	n/a

KU Teaching Record

A. List of Courses Taught Beginning with the current semester, please provide the following

- Torts
- Privacy Law
- The Practice of Privacy Law
- Human Dignity, Discernment, Justice and AI (Honors 195)
- Marginalized Bodies in Literature, Medicine, and the Law
- Independent Research (Various topics in Privacy Law)
- AI Governance and Privacy Law (Honors 28252)

B. Advising Record

- **KU Privacy and Cybersecurity Society (Fall 2021-2024)**
 - Provide career advice to students interested in privacy and security
 - Liaise with KU alumni in privacy and security in order to create opportunities for students interested in privacy and security as a career
 - Spearheaded the International Association for Privacy Professionals certification(s) access for students at KU by partnering with interested students, the Dean's Office, and Career Services. At Seton Hall, I spearheaded this development in 2018-2020 by partnering with the Dean's office, Career Services, and interested students.
- **Independent Research Projects, Faculty Supervisor (Spring 2022)**
 - Provided substantive guidance, organization advice, accountability, and feedback for students pursuing independent research and scholarly writing
- **Kansas Journal of Public Policy, Faculty Advisor when Journal Requested to Partner with my PrivacyPraxis annual conference to replace its annual conference. Summer 2021-Spring of 2022**
 - Provided substantive guidance on equity in representation in scholarly conferences
 - Encouraged collaboration and due regard of recommendations as a matter of prioritizing equity in representation to prevent homogenous panel composition to journal editors (journal and symposium/conference)
 - Recruited speakers for panels
 - Recruited keynote speaker: Kimberly Mutcherson, Dean of Rutgers Law
 - Contributed budget allocation of time and effort of project manager (portion of FTE) based on my conference budget resources.
- **Academic and Professional Advising**
 - Provide academic and professional advising to current law students related to curricular choices, career strategies, and experiences of inequity and marginalization.
 - Provide self-care and wellness training to students and faculty including pranayama and restorative yoga who experience inequity and marginalization.

C. Honors and Awards for Research and Teaching (University-wide)

- AI Governance Inaugural Fellow, Center for Center for Cyber-Social Dynamics (appointed in the Spring of 2025)
- Linda D. Ferrell and Richard C. Tombari Honors Faculty Fellow 2023-present (3 year appointment)
- Self Fellows Lecture, *Privacy and Privacy Law*, Fall 2022
- *Faculty Facilitator, Center for Teaching Excellence, New Faculty Foundations*, Spring 2022

- *Presenter, The Commons, Spotlight on Care Series, Radical Self-care, Spring 2022*
- *Center for Teaching Excellence Grant, Course Redesign for Marginalized Bodies in Literature, Medicine, and Law 2021-2022*
- *Presenter/Student Facilitator, School for Social Welfare, Radical Self-care, Fall 2021*
- *Faculty Facilitator, Center for Teaching Excellence, The Urgency of Radical Self-care, Spring 2021*
- *Presenter/Student Presenter, School for Social Welfare, Anti-fragility & Self-care, Fall 2020*
- *Presenter, School for Social Welfare, Self-care, Fall 2020*

Research Record

A. Research Publications and/or Creative Works

- **Book Projects (3)**
 - *Kansas Personal Injury Law, Lexis Nexis (published August 22, 2024)*
 - *Marronage and Modernity: Privacy, Technology, and Black Liberation, (forthcoming 2027)*
 - *Privacy and Race Casebook (forthcoming 2027)*
- **University-wide Scholarly Programming (4)**
 - *Inaugural AI/ML Governance Bootcamp Summer 2026*
 - *Wellness in Our Democracy: Misinformation & Program Series Summer 2022-present*
 - *PrivacyPraxis Annual Conference 2020-present*
 - *Honors Faculty Fellow Programming 2023-present*
- **Major Publications or Creative Works (5)**
 - *Right of Passage: Racial Privacy and The Quest for Whiteness in Our Herrenvolk Democratic Republic (draft 2025)*
 - *School Choice is Curriculum Choice Part I: Education Savings Accounts and the Right to Privacy in Home Education (draft 2025)*
 - *Kansas Personal Injury, 2024-2025 Edition, Lexis Nexis (Book) including chapter 2 on privacy torts in the State of Kansas (First edition published in August 2024; Revised second edition forthcoming in August 2025)*
 - *The Golem In The Machine: FERPA, Dirty Data, and Digital Distortion in the Education Record, Washington and Lee Law Review, Vol 78:5 (2022)*
 - *The Right To Be and Become: Black Home-Educators As Child Privacy Protectors, Michigan Journal of Race and Law Vol. 25.1 (August 2020)*
- **Minor Publications or Creative Works (5)**
 - *Louisiana, A Battlefield for Racial Privacy: Colonial Karens and the Tignon Law of 1786 to Naomi Drake 1949-1965 (draft 2025)*
 - *Liberatory Technologies-A Framework for AI Legitimacy in Education and Jurisprudence (co-authored draft with David Tamez, PhD 2025)*
 - *D-E-I-Sisyphus/DICSYPHUS: Why No Faculty of Color Should Ever Be Pressured to Serve on Any Diversity Committee, Ever Again And How To Say No If Anyone Asks You To Do So (draft 2020)*
 - *Black Data Traditions and the Praxis of Childhood Preservation and Anti-subordination in Child Education in the USA and UK. in S. Livingstone and K. Pothong (Eds). Education data futures:*

- Critical, regulatory and practical reflections. 5Rights Foundation (2022)
- o The Soft Shoe and Shuffle of Law School Hiring Committee Practices, UCLA Law Review Discourse, 69 UCLA L. Rev. Disc. (2021)
- o Parallel Pandemics: The American Problem of Anti-enforcement, Rational Distrust and COVID-19, Seton Hall Law Review Vol. 52 (2021)

B. Scholarly Presentations

Presentations after appointment at KU Law

1. Racial Privacy: An American Tradition, AALS Conference, San Francisco, CA Defamation and Privacy Group (2025)
2. Human Dignity, Discernment, Justice and AI, KU Honors Faculty, Lawrence, KS (2025)
3. Modern Marronage and Opacite, KU Honors/Common Cause, Lawrence, KS (2024)
4. Over 230 Years of Black American Home Education as Child Data Protection and Educational Opportunity Ignored By American Jurisprudence, Global Home Education Conference, Manchester, UK, July 2024
5. Passing Power: The American Tradition of Racial and Ethnic Privacy, Lutie Lytle Conference and Writing Workshop, Duke Law, June 2024
6. Passing Power: The American Tradition of Racial and Ethnic Privacy, Georgia State School of Law, April 29, 2024
7. Back to Basics: Avoiding AI's Ethical Pitfalls, AI and Ethics, KU Law and the Media Conference, Kansas City, Missouri April 12, 2024 36th Annual Media and the Law Seminar
8. Wellness in Our Democracy Program: Historical Fact, Whiteness, and the Challenge to Preserve our Democracy, February 21, 2024
9. Education for Freedom Praxis: The Enduring Significance for Black Home Education, International School Choice and Reform Conference, Madrid, Spain January 2024
10. Wellness in Our Democracy Program: Octavia Butler and Democracy in the US, December 2023
11. Wellness in Our Democracy Program on Environmental Justice and Climate Change: Ogallala Aquifer, September 2023
12. KU Honors Program Panel October 2023
13. KU Honors Signature Alumni Event Co-Host November 2023
14. Marronage and Modernity: Privacy, Technology, and Black Liberation, Chapters Three and Four, Slavery Past, Present, and Future, 7th Global Meeting, Webster University in Accra, Ghana July 2-8, 2023
15. Marronage and Modernity: Privacy, Technology, and Black Liberation, Chapters Three and Four, 17th Annual Lutie Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Workshop and Writing Retreat, June 22-29, 2023
16. Fixing Student & Child Privacy Laws: Practical Solutions, June 13, 2023
17. Passing Power: The American Tradition of Racial and Ethnic Privacy, Privacy Law Scholars Conference, University of Colorado School of Law June 2, 2023
18. Marronage and Modernity: Privacy, Technology, and Black Liberation, Chapters Three and Four, University of Nebraska School of Law Faculty Colloquium, April 28, 2023
19. Artificial Intelligence and Ethics CLE, Joseph Hollander & Craft, April 19, 2023
20. Self Fellows Lecture, Fall 2022, *Privacy and Privacy Law*

21. *The Commons, Spotlight on Care Series, Radical Self-care, 2022*
22. Foundations of Law As a Social Determinant of Health and Legal History Parts I-III; Marginalized Bodies in the Law Lecture, University of Kansas, on January 20, 2022
23. Citizenship, Dignity, and Bodily Security, Marginalized Bodies in the Law Lecture on January 27, 2022
24. Legal Foundations: Class, Race, and Other-Based Disparities, Marginalized Bodies in the Law Lecture, University of Kansas on February 3, 2022
25. Eugenics and Disability, Marginalized Bodies in the Law Lecture, University of Kansas on February 24, 2022
26. Women and U.S. Healthcare, Marginalized Bodies in the Law Lecture, University of Kansas on March 31, 2022
27. Phenotype, Blood Quantum, Transgender Identity & the Law, Marginalized Bodies in the Law Lecture, University of Kansas on April 7, 2022
28. Medical Debacles from Experimentation to the Plague, Marginalized Bodies in the Law Lecture, University of Kansas on April 14, 2022
29. Anti-Asian Sentiment & Health, Marginalized Bodies in the Law Lecture, University of Kansas on April 21, 2022
30. Introductory Remarks, PrivacyPraxis Conference, Spring 2022
31. *The Golem In The Machine: FERPA, Dirty Data, and Digital Distortion in the Education Record*, University of Kansas, Hall Center for the Humanities, May 2021.
32. *Parallel Pandemics and Rational Distrust*, Guest Lecturer, Marginalized Bodies & Medicine In Literature, University of Kansas Department of English, April 2021.
33. *The Urgency of Radical Self-Care*, University of Kansas Center for Teaching Excellence Learning Community, April 2021.
34. *The Golem In The Machine: FERPA, Dirty Data, and Digital Distortion in the Education Record*, Drake Law School, April 2021.
35. *Comparative Digital Privacy Seminar*, Guest Lecturer, Harvard Law School, March 2021.
36. *Inaugural Virtual Privacy Praxis Conference*, created and convened, University of Kansas School of Law February 2021.
37. *Privacy Law Opportunities*, University of Kansas School of Law, February 2021.
38. *The Golem In The Machine: FERPA, Dirty Data, and Digital Distortion in the Education Record*, Missouri University School of Law, December 2020.
39. *The Golem In The Machine: FERPA, Dirty Data, and Digital Distortion in the Education Record*, Washington & Lee School of Law, November 2020.
40. *Regulatory Regimes: How The EU and U.S. Approach the Regulation of Privacy, Healthcare, and Artificial Intelligence*, Seton Hall Law Review Symposium, November 2020.
41. *First Meditation: Radical Self-Care As Anti-Fragility/Past is Present*, Berkman Klein Center for Internet & Society, Harvard Law School, October 2020.

Presentations before appointment at KU Law

42. *Engaging Community Trust Through Policy Prototyping*, Let's Talk About Privacy Webinar Series, MIT Lab/Center for Civic Media, June 2020.
43. *Blockchain, Cannabis, and Privacy*, Webinar, International Cannabis Bar Association, March 2020.

44. *Blockchain, Cannabis, and Fintech*, Webinar, International Cannabis Bar Association February 2020.
45. *The Right To Be and Become: Black Home-Educators As Child Privacy Protectors*, University of Kansas School of Law, November 2019.
46. *Child Privacy and Artificial Intelligence*, Gamm Symposium at Tulane University Law, November 2019.
47. *Child Privacy and Artificial Intelligence*, Second Istanbul Privacy Symposium: Law, Ethics, and Technology, Istanbul Bilgi University, Istanbul, Turkey, Invited November 2019.
48. *Black Parents As Child Privacy Protectors*, Lutie Lytle Conference and Writing Workshop, Summer 2019.
49. *Black Parents As Child Privacy Protectors*, Privacy Law Scholars Conference, Summer 2019.
50. *Black Parents and Child Privacy Protection*, 4th National People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference, Spring 2019.
51. *General Data Protection Regulation and Blockchain*, NJICLE Corporate Counsel Institute Panel on AI, Spring 2019.
52. *What Life Sciences Companies Need to Know About Employee Use of Social Media*, Porzio Compliance Forum, Seton Hall Law School, Spring 2018.
53. *African-American Homeschooling: Parental Protection of Child Privacy and Personhood*, Lutie Lytle Conference and Writing Retreat, Summer 2018.
54. *Artificial Intelligence and the Law, Future of AI*, Seton Hall Law Conference, Spring 2018.
55. *TMI: The Privacy Risk of Social Media Addiction*, Institute for Privacy Protection School Outreach Program, Fall 2017.
56. *DSRIP-NY and Telehealth*, Panasonic N.A., Health and Wellness Business Unit, Fall 2016.
57. *Patient Privacy and Telehealth*, Panasonic N.A., Health and Wellness Business Unit, Spring 2015.
58. *HIPAA & Patient Privacy Protection*, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Fall 2012.
59. *Stanford v. Roche: Getting Our Contracts Right*, Compliance Committee, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Fall 2011.
60. *Fair Market Value Analysis Under Stark and Anti-kickback*, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Spring 2009.
61. *Cultural Competencies: Physicians and Compliance Administrators*, Research Compliance, Weill Cornell Medical School, Fall 2008.
62. *A Poisoned Gift? Primary Healthcare and Dependency in Post-Apartheid South Africa*; Alliance For International Minority Scholars Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, Summer 2003.
63. *Monetary Policy and Dollarization in Nicaragua and Cuba*, Study Abroad Student Conference, Xavier University of Louisiana, Fall 2002.
64. *I Hear You, Do You Hear Me?: Community Health Needs, Social Capital, and Communication in Post Apartheid South Africa*; Valley Trust, Bothas Hills, South Africa, Summer 2001.

C. Grants and/or other Funded Projects

- *Global Home Education Conference*, Manchester, UK July 2024
- *The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation and Hall Center for the Humanities The Global Humanities Institute 2022, Chronic Conditions: Childhood and Social Suffering in Global Africa, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania, (Summer 2022)*
- *The Andrew Mellon Foundation Grant, Stories For All Hall Center Recipient and Rotating Co-PI 2020-*

2024, *The Jurisprudence and Child Privacy Praxis in Black and Native American Home education.*

- *Center for Teaching Excellence Grant, Course Redesign for Marginalized Bodies in Literature, Medicine, and Law 2021-2022*
- *Public Scholars, Op-Ed Project 2020-2022*
- *PrivacyPraxis Conference Funding, KU School of Law, 2020-present*

Service Record

A. University of Kansas

- University-Wide
 - AI/ML Strategy Group 2023-present
 - Faculty Senate until 2028
 - Faculty Compensation Committee until 2028
 - Faculty Research Committee until 2027
 - Judicial Board until 2026
 - Ongoing wellness advising to undergraduate honors students
 - Ongoing wellness advising of minoritized students who have experienced barriers to belonging in the undergrad honors program. Specifically, I train students in the process of return to sender (RTS) instead of carrying or giving credit to other people's anxieties about their perceived differences. We focus on historical and experienced ground truth to decenter projected stereotypes, micro/macro-aggressions, micro/macro-invalidations, etc,. The result is the elimination or silencing of the noisy distractions minoritized students encounter in predominantly White institutions.
 - Formal and Informal Advising to undergraduate students both Honors and non-Honors students
- Law School
 - Knights and Bishops, Law School Chess Club, Faculty Advisor, 2024-Present
 - Research Assistant Advisor to five students (currently 4 law students and 1 honors undergraduate student) 2021-present
 - Privacy and Cybersecurity Law Student Organization, faculty advisor, 2021-present
 - Library Committee, 2023-Present
 - Faculty Workshops and Lectureships Committee 2020-present
 - Spearheaded partnership between Career Services, the Dean's Office, and students for funded International Association for Privacy Professionals certifications for students. 2021
 - Spearheaded and developed strategy for the partnership with The Lutie Lytle, Black Women Law Faculty Workshop to secure conference occurs at KU Law in 2025 2021-present
 - Informal wellness and restorative yoga (breathwork and meditation) practices for Black Law Students Association during social unrest and killings in 2020-2021. Provided guidance and training on self-care and wellness.
 - Ongoing wellness advising to law students 2020-present
 - Weekly and weekend law student pomodoro sessions to enhance understanding of case-law and legal analyses. 2022-present

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B. Professional Service Outside the University

- National
 - Board Member, Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities Committee on AI in Higher Education, 2022-present
 - Mis/Disinfo Work Group, Berkman Klein Center for Internet and Society, Harvard University 2022-present
 - Member, Association of American Law Schools, Defamation and Privacy Section 2021-present
 - Executive Committee Member Balance & Well-Being in Legal, Association of American Law Schools 2021-Present
 - Executive Committee Member, Association of American Law Schools Children and the Law Section, 2020-present
 - Executive Board Member, Green Aid, 2019-present
 - Advisory Board Member, Let's Talk About Privacy, MIT Lab/Center for Civic Media, 2019-present
 - Member and Advisor, Lutie Lytle, Black Women Law Faculty Workshop, 2018-present