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EXPERIENCE

James E. Rogers College of Law, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ

Associate Clinical Professor and Director, Domestic Violence Law Clinic Director, Community Law Group July 2017 – current July 2014 – July 2018

- Supervise students in providing holistic legal services in family law and immigration cases, including domestic violence, custody, abuse & neglect, and asylum cases.
- Teaching: Family Law, Domestic Violence Law Clinic, Seminar on Children and Domestic Violence.

Levin Center for Public Service and Public Interest Law, Stanford Law School, Stanford, CA Assistant Director September 2011 – June 2014

- Directed and supervised students in research projects regarding civil legal services and access to justice, including evaluations of pilot projects and research on the impact of federal and state policies and laws.
- Planned and implemented public interest programming, including trainings, roundtables, and annual symposia.

Legal Aid Society of the District of Columbia, Washington, DC

- Staff Attorney November 2010 August 2011; Loaned Associate, 2008
 Provided direct legal services to clients in District of Columbia Superior Court in domestic violence, child custody, divorce, and child support matters.
 - Assisted in the development and implementation of Legal Aid's innovative child support project, employing a multidimensional strategy including individual casework, community outreach, and policy and legislative advocacy.
 - Collaborated with other advocacy organizations to maximize legal services for low-income client community.

Break The Cycle, Washington, DC

Staff Attorney

August 2009 - November 2010

- Provided direct legal services to young survivors of dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- Provided technical assistance to organizations servicing teens and young adults regarding legal issues specific to experiencing domestic violence.
- Engaged in community outreach and education to promote understanding of healthy relationships.

Steptoe & Johnson LLP, Washington, DC

Associate

October 2005 - August 2009; Summer Associate, 2004

- Conducted internal investigations and provided compliance advice with respect to U.S. and foreign anticorruption and export control laws and regulations.
- Engaged in legislative and administrative advocacy regarding child victims of trafficking in collaboration with the Women's Refugee Commission.
- Represented pro bono clients in obtaining asylum in the United States.

EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania Law School, *Philadelphia, PA* J.D. 2005

- Associate Editor, Journal of Constitutional Law
- Founding Member and Membership Chair, American Constitution Society

Wesleyan University, *Middletown, CT B.A. in History 1999*

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PUBLICATIONS

ARTICLES

- Negar Katirai, Judicial Revictimization: A Barrier to Family Justice (forthcoming).
- Negar Katirai, Choosing Nonstatus: Asylum Law in the Age of Administrative Closure (forthcoming).
- Paul Robinson, Negar Katirai et. al., Codifying Shari'A: International Norms, Legality & the Freedom to Invent New Forms, 2 AM. J. COMP. L. 1 (2007).
- Negar Katirai, NGO Regulations in Iran, 7 INT'L J. NON-PROFIT L. 28 (2005).

LEGAL BRIEFS

- Brief for Susan McLaughlin as Amicus Curiae, McLaughlin v. Jones, 243 Ariz. 29, 401 P.3d 492 (2017).
- Brief for L. M. Oakley as Amicus Curiae, Turner v. Steiner, 242 Ariz. 494 P.3d 110 (Ct. App. 2017).
- Brief for Susan McLaughlin as Amicus Curiae, McLaughlin v. Jones, 240 Ariz. 560, 382 P.3d 118 (Ct. App. 2016).

OPINION PIECES

- Sanctuary cities are not breaking the law, but Trump Is, The Hill, May 12, 2017.
- Who are the real bad hombres? Garnett News, May 12, 2017.
- We need unity in Arizona, Arizona Star, Mar. 18, 2017.
- Family Court is no place for ICE, Texas Trib., Mar. 1, 2017.
- We must protect the Violence Against Women Act, Ms. Mag., Feb. 6, 2017.
- Scapegoats in Trump's America, USA Today, Feb. 1, 2017.
- Hate towards Muslims is growing and it's Trump's Fault, Time Mag., Dec. 2, 2016.

FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

- Women's Foundation of Southern Arizona (\$50,000)
- Tucson Public Voices Fellow, The Op-Ed Project, 2017-2018

OTHER

- Member, Association of Muslim American Lawyers, Iranian-American Bar Association, Association of Family and Conciliation Courts, State Bar of Arizona Family Law Council.
- Spanish (fluent); Persian/Farsi (fluent); French (proficient).