

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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Dean, Henry W. Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication  
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### EDUCATION

B.S., Criminology, North Georgia College, 1986  
M.A., Journalism, University of Georgia, 1992  
Ph.D., Mass Communication, University of Florida, 1995.

### ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Dean, Henry W. Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication  
University of Georgia, July 2013-present

Chief academic officer, with responsibility for academic programs, budget, development and strategic vision for journalism and mass communication program.

Associate Professor, School of Journalism  
Facilitator, Office of the Provost, Mizzou Advantage, February 2010-June 2013

Half-time appointment in Provost-level initiative to build interdisciplinary networks of collaborators around core strengths within the University. Identify, build and maintain a series of research networks aimed at raising the stature of the University and increasing external funding.

*Executive Director, National Freedom of Information Coalition, July 2005-July 2010*

Serve as executive director for state FOI membership group with 501c3 status. Direct supervisor for three staff members in the Freedom of Information Center; plan budget, oversee expenditures and approve all activities of research center dedicated to furthering study of governmental access policy. Responsible for \$609,000 annual budget and administration of a \$2 million grant from the John S. and James L. Knight Foundation.

*Executive Director, Freedom of Information Center, University of Missouri, July 2000- July 2005*

Direct supervisor for two staff members in the Freedom of Information Center; plan budget, oversee expenditures and approve all activities of research center dedicated to furthering study of governmental access policy.

*Editorial Department Chair, Missouri School of Journalism, Jan. 2003- July 2005*

Editorial Sequence Head, University of Missouri School of Journalism, January 2003-present. Administrative responsibility for a department of more than 45 faculty and a budget of \$1.3 million. Responsibilities include course scheduling, budgeting, course evaluation, portfolio assessment, hiring of new faculty, shepherding faculty through the tenure and promotion process, recruiting students and serving as the departmental representative to the School's Executive Committee. The School's Editorial Department includes News-Editorial, Magazine and Photojournalism sequences, as well as the *Columbia Missourian*.

*Journalism Division Head, Southern Methodist University, Spring 1997-Spring 1999*

Administrative head of journalism department. Responsible for course assignments, adjunct faculty hiring, student concerns, journalism internship program and a variety of other administrative tasks. Represent journalism faculty on the center-wide Academic Council.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Professor and Dean, Henry W. Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication, July 2013-present

Professor, Missouri School of Journalism, Fall 1999-June 2013

Teach courses including Journalism and Democracy, Controls of Information, Reporting, and Principles of American Journalism. Assist student chapter of Society of Professional Journalists, serve as advisor to journalism students, conduct scholarly research and perform service duties.

Assistant Professor, Southern Methodist University, 1996-1999

Teach courses including Reporting, Editing, Feature Writing, Mass Media and Society, Computer-Assisted Reporting, Investigative Reporting and Media Law. Assist student chapter of Society of Professional Journalists, serve as advisor to journalism students, conduct scholarly research and perform service duties.

Assistant Professor, Georgia Southern University, Fall 1995-Spring 1996

Taught Reporting, Media Law, Journalism History, Introduction to Mass Media and Mass Media and Society. Assist student chapter of Society of Professional Journalists, serve as advisor to journalism students, conduct scholarly research and perform other service duties.

## ACADEMIC RESEARCH

### BOOKS

Stephanie Craft and Charles N. Davis, *Principles of American Journalism*, Routledge Press (2013).

Charles N. Davis and David Cuillier, eds., *Transparency 2.0: Digital Data and Privacy in a Wired World*, Peter Lang (2014).

David Cuillier and Charles N. Davis, *The Art of Access: Practical Strategies for Acquiring Public Records*, Congressional Quarterly Press (2010).

Charles N. Davis and Sigman L. Splichal, eds., *Access Denied: Freedom of Information in the Information Age*, Iowa State University Press (2001).

### REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

Daxton “Chip” Stewart and Charles N. Davis, “Bringing Back Full Disclosure: A Call for Dismantling FOIA,” 21 *Communication Law & Policy* XXX (Fall 2016).

Aimee Edmondson and Charles N. Davis, “Prisoners of Private Industry: Economic Development and State Sunshine Laws,” 16 *Communication Law & Policy* 317 (Summer 2011).

“Using Secrecy to Fight Terrorism: Access, Homeland Security and the ‘Mosaic Theory,’” *Continuum: the journal of media and cultural studies*, Vol. 25, Issue 2 (2011). Michelle Albert and Charles N. Davis.

“Expanding Privacy Rationales Under the Federal Freedom of Information Act: Stigmatization as Talisman,” *Social Science Computer Review* Vol. 23, No. 4 (Winter 2006), pp. 453-462.

“Conceptualizations of Privacy in Electronic Information,” 28 *International Journal of Public Administration* 567-580 (2005).

“Electronic Access to Information and the Privacy Paradox: Rethinking ‘Practical Obscurity’ and its Impact on Electronic Freedom of Information,” *Social Science Computer Review* Vol. 21, No. 1 (Spring 2003), pp. 15-25.

"Of Joint Ventures, Sock Puppets and New Media Synergy: Codes of Ethics and the Emergence of Institutional Conflicts of Interest," *Journal of Mass Media Ethics*, Vol. 15, No. 4, (Winter 2001). Charles N. Davis and Stephanie L. Craft.

“A Dangerous Precedent: The Influence of *Critical Mass III* on Exemption 4 of the Federal Freedom of Information Act,” *5 Communication Law & Policy* 182 (Winter 2000). Charles N. Davis

“Personal Jurisdiction in On-line Expression Cases: Rejecting Minimum Contacts in Favor of Affirmative Acts,”<sup>14</sup> *International Review of Law, Computers & Technology* 43 (Winter 2000). Charles N. Davis

“Guardians of Access: Local Prosecutors and Open Meetings Laws,” *3 Communications Law & Policy* 35 (1998). Charles N. Davis, Sandra F. Chance (University of Florida) and Bill F. Chamberlin (University of Florida).

“Privatized Government Functions and Freedom of Information: A Functional Approach.” *75 Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly* 464 (Winter 1998). Matthew Bunker, Associate Professor (University of Alabama) and Charles N. Davis.

“The First Amendment As A Sword: Positive Liberty Doctrine and the FCC’s Must-Carry Rules,” *Journal of Broadcast & Electronic Media*. 40, 77-95 (1996). Dr. Matthew Bunker, Assistant Professor (University of Alabama) and Charles N. Davis.

“Confidential News Source Policy After *Cohen v. Cowles Media*: A National Study,” *Newspaper Research Journal*, Vol. 17, No. 3-4, Summer/Fall 1996, 88-97. Charles N. Davis, Susan D. Ross (Washington State University) and Paul H. Gates, Jr. (Appalachian State University).

“Libel Law Before and Statements of Opinion (Before and) After *Milkovich v. Lorain Journal*.” *Newspaper Research Journal*, Vol. 15, No. 3-4 (Summer-Fall 1995). Charles N. Davis.

“Scaling the Ivory Tower: Access to University Presidential Search Records.” *Journal of College and University Law*, Notre Dame University Law School, Winter 1994-1995. Charles N. Davis.

## LAW REVIEWS

Scott Reinardy and Charles N. Davis, “A Real Home Field Advantage: Access to Public University Foundation Records,” *34 Journal of Law & Education* 389 (2005).

“The Public Interest Be Damned: Lower Court Treatment of the Reporters Committee “Central Purpose” Reformulation,” *Administrative Law Review*, Vol. 54, No. 3 (Fall 2002) Martin E. Halstuk and Charles N. Davis.

“Access to Discovery Records in Florida Criminal Trials: Public Records, Public Justice.” *Journal of Law & Public Policy*, Vol. 6, No. 2 (Fall 1994).

“If You Do the Crime, Will You Do The Time? Enforcement of State Sunshine Law Provisions.” *Urban Law Review*, Winter 1996. Charles N. Davis, Dr. Milagros Rivera Sanchez, Assistant Professor, University of Florida and Bill F. Chamberlin, Eminent Scholar, University of Florida.

## BOOK CHAPTERS

Foreword to Mitchell Pearlman, *Lifting the Veil of Secrecy*, LawFirst Publishing The Connecticut Bar Association, New Britain, CT 2010 (in press).

“Revenge of the Jammie Surfers: The Inevitable Clash of E-governance and Informational Privacy Over Online Court Records,” in *Handbook of Public Information Systems*, 3d ed., David Garson, ed., Taylor & Francis (2009) (in press).

“Federal Freedom of Information Act-Driven Coverage of the Department of Homeland Security: A Pilot Study,” in *Selected Essays on State Open Government Law and Practice in a Post 9/11 World*, Jeffrey Addicott and Ema Garcia, eds., Lawyers & Judges Publishing Co., 263-271 (2008).

“Obstacles or Access: Reconsidering Anonymous Access to Government Information in a Post-Sept. 11 Environment,” in G. David Garson. *Managing the Virtual State: Public Information Technology and E-Governance*. Boston: Jones & Bartlett, est. 2005.

“Privacy Considerations in Electronic Judicial Records: When Constitutional Rights Collide” in *Handbook of Public Information Systems*, 2d ed., David Garson, ed., Taylor & Francis (2005).

"Newsgathering," in *Communication and the Law*, Wat Hopkins, ed., (Vision Press: Northport, AL 2001).

“Rethinking Harmful Words: The Demise of the Critical Education Model and Discourse in the Schoolhouse,” in *The Death of Discourse*, Rita Whillock and David Slayden, eds., (Sage Publications, 1998).

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Film Review, "Burma VJ," *Journal of Mass Media Ethics*, Winter 2010.

Congress Should Make Office of Administration Subject to the Freedom of Information Act, *JURIST*, May 20, 2009, located at:  
<http://jurist.law.pitt.edu/hotline/2009/05/congress-should-make-white-house-office.php>

"Campaign Season exposes holes in FOI laws," *IRE Journal*, Sept./Oct. 2008, pp. 34.

"Wall Street: Transparency?" *Columbia Missourian*, Oct 4, 2008.

"The Secrecy Report Card Is In, and the News Is Not Good," *Publisher's Auxiliary*, October 2008.

"Beware Governors With Blackberrys," *Tampa Tribune*, Oct. 26, 2008.

"Creative, Effective Requests," *IRE Journal*, Nov./Dec. 2008, 34.

"CBS'S Ad Policy – A Comment." *Feedback*, May 2004.

"Keeping secrets from the public," solicited column run on Knight-Ridder News Service. Picked up by more than 40 newspapers nationally, April 2004.

"Bush policies hush up public information," *The Billings, Montana, Gazette*, March 2, 2003.

"The signs were there: the genesis of post-September 11 Freedom of Information Policy." In *Journalism and terrorism: How the war on terrorism has changed American journalism*, pp. 39-52, Nashville, TN: First Amendment Center, Oct. 2002.

"Estate Tax Benefits Media Moguls," *Editor & Publisher Online*, June 19, 2002.

"A Civics Lesson in Open Records," *Kansas City Star*, June 8, 2001

"A Killer Campaign," *Columbia Journalism Review*, Jan/Feb. 2001, p. 9.

"Teaching CAR for the First Time: A Beginner's Lessons," *Uplink* (the newsletter for the National Institute for Computer Assisted Reporting), January 1998.

"Access Denied: Research Reveals Little Enforcement of State Access Law," *Quill*, October 1996.

"Hugo Lafayette Black" and "Freedom of Information Act," entries in *History of the Mass Media in the United States: An Encyclopedia*, Margaret Blanchard, ed., (Garland Publishing Co., New York, 1996).

“Privatized Public Records Pose Real Problems,” editorial syndicated by the American Library Association’s First Amendment Op-Ed Service, appeared in the Tuscaloosa, Ala., *News*, the Casper, Wyo. *Star-Tribune* and 11 other newspapers.

“Superseding the Supreme Court: The New Federalism and State Constitutional Supremacy.” *Communications and the Law*, Vol. 17, No. 1 (1995).

*A Citizen’s Guide to Government In The Sunshine*, 2d ed., 1994 (First Amendment Foundation: Tallahassee, FL).

“Special Report: Council’s recommendations could chart future of computerized access,” *The Brechner Report*, Vol. 17, No. 9 (December 1993).

#### COURT CITATIONS OF PUBLISHED WORKS

U.S. Supreme Court (2003), *Office of the Independent Counsel v. Favish* (certiorari granted)

Halstuk, Martin E. & Davis, Charles N. (2002). “The Public Interest Be Damned: Lower-Court Treatment of the Reporters Committee ‘Central Purpose’ Reformulation,” *Administrative Law Review*, Vol.54, No.3, Summer 2002, pp. 983-1024. **Quoted and cited** in an amicus brief filed jointly by Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, American Society of Newspaper Editors, Society of Professional Journalists, National Press Club, et al., in the above FOIA case.

U.S. Supreme Court (2003), *City of Chicago v. U.S. Department of Treasury* (certiorari granted)

Halstuk, Martin E. & Davis, Charles N. (2002). “The Public Interest Be Damned: Lower-Court Treatment of the Reporters Committee ‘Central Purpose’ Reformulation,” *Administrative Law Review*, Vol.54, No.3, Summer 2002, pp. 983-1024. **Cited in** an amicus brief filed jointly by Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, the American Society of Newspaper Editors, Society of Professional Journalists, National Press Club, et al., in the above FOIA case.

Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals (2002), *City of Chicago v. U.S. Dept. of Treasury* –

Halstuk, Martin E. & Davis, Charles N. (2002). “The Public Interest Be Damned: Lower-Court Treatment of the Reporters Committee ‘Central Purpose’ Reformulation,” *Administrative Law Review*, Vol.54, No.3, Summer 2002, pp. 983-1024. **Cited in** an amicus brief filed by Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, et al., in the above FOIA case.

## Testimony

Anthony Lorenzo vs. City of Venice, et al., Case No. 2008 CA 8108 SC, Sarasota County, Florida, Sept. 15, 2009.

## CONFERENCE PAPERS

Scott Reinardy and Charles N. Davis, "A Real Home Field Advantage: The Public Records Status of University Foundations," Law Division, AEJMC National Meeting, Toronto, Ontario, August 4-8, 2004.

Rene Qun Chen and Charles N. Davis, "Public Access to GIS Information: Legal Issues Concerning the Technology," Law Division, AEJMC National Meeting, Miami, Fla., August 9-12, 2002.

"Electronic Access to Information and the Privacy Paradox: Rethinking Practical Obscurity." Presented to the 29<sup>th</sup> Research Conference on Information, Communication and Internet Policy, Arlington, Virginia, Oct. 27-29, 2001.

"The Public Interest Be Damned: Lower Court Treatment of the Reporters Committee "Central Purpose" Formulation," Martin E. Halstuk and Charles N. Davis, TOP FACULTY PAPER, Law Division, AEJMC National Meeting, Washington, D.C., August 9-12, 2001.

"Of Joint Ventures, Sock Puppets and New Media Synergy: Codes of Ethics and the Emergence of Institutional Conflicts of Interest," Charles N. Davis and Stephanie L. Craft. Presented to the 2000 AEJMC National Conference, Phoenix, AZ, August 8-12, 2000. TOP FACULTY PAPER, ETHICS DIVISION

"Personal Jurisdiction and On-line Libel Cases: Rejecting Minimum Contacts in Favor of Affirmative Acts," Cyberlaw 1999, British and Irish Legal and Technology Association Annual Meeting, March 18-21, 1999, York, United Kingdom.

"Privatized Government Functions and Freedom of Information: Public Accountability in an Age of Private Governance." Presented to the 1997 AEJMC National Conference, Chicago, Ill., July 30-August 2, 1997. Matthew Bunker, Associate Professor, University of Alabama, and Charles N. Davis.

"Privatization and Access to Public Records: A Functional Approach." Presented to the 1996 AEJMC Regional Colloquium, March 13-15, 1996.



“Enforcement of State Open Government Laws: A Survey of Local Prosecutors.” Accepted for presentation at the 1996 AEJMC Regional Colloquium, Roanoke, Va., March 11-13, 1996.

“A Conversation with the Attorneys General: A Survey of State Attorneys General Regarding Open Meetings Law Enforcement.” Presented at the 1995 AEJMC National Conference, Washington, D.C.

“Confidential Source Policy After Cohen v. Cowles Media: A Survey of the Top 100 Daily Newspapers.” Presented at the 1995 AEJMC National Conference, Washington, D.C.

“When They Get Behind Closed Doors: An Examination of Open Meetings Laws and the Role of the State Attorney General in Open Meetings Law Enforcement.” Presented at the 1995 AEJMC Regional Colloquium, Gainesville, Fla.

“Was Milton PC?: University Speech Codes and the Critical Education Model.” Presented at “Milton and Areopagitica: 350<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference,” Tampa, FL., Nov. 17-19, 1994.

“If You Do the Crime, Will You Do the Time? Enforcement of State Sunshine Law Provisions.” Presented at the 1994 AEJMC National Convention, Atlanta, Ga.

“Access to University Presidential Search Records.” Presented at the 1994 AEJMC National Convention, Atlanta, Ga.

“Scaling the Ivory Tower: Access to University Presidential Search Records.” Presented at the 1994 AEJMC Regional Colloquium, Charleston, S.C.

“The New Federalism: State Constitutional Protections for Freedom of Speech.” Presented at the 1994 AEJMC Regional Colloquium, Charleston, S.C.

“Libel Law After Milkovich v. Lorain Journal.” Presented at the 1993 AEJMC Regional Colloquium, Tuscaloosa, AL.

“Georgia’s Open Records Law: One Step Forward, One Step Back.” Presented at the 1993 AEJMC Regional Colloquium, Tuscaloosa, AL.

“The Gainesville Student Murder Files and Access Law In Florida.” Honorable Mention, 1993 University of Florida Graduate Student Research Forum, Gainesville, FL.

“Access to Discovery Records In Florida Criminal Trials: Public Records, Public Justice.” Presented at the 1993 AEJMC National Convention, Kansas City, Mo.

“Access to Discovery Records In Florida Criminal Trials, Public Records, Public Justice.” Presented at the 1993 AEJMC Regional Colloquium, Tuscaloosa, AL.

## GRANTS

PI, \$2.0 million, James S. and John L. Knight Foundation, to support operations of the National Freedom of Information Coalition, 2010-2013.

PI, \$1.7 million, James S. and John L. Knight Foundation, to support operations of the National Freedom of Information Coalition, 2005-2009.

Co-PI, \$500,000 award, U.S. State Department, Curriculum Reform for Moscow State University.

PI, \$25,000 grant from Rockefeller Family Fund for study of homeland security and freedom of information issues

## HONORS/GRANTS

Mizzou '39 Mentor, 2010

Scripps-Howard Foundation National Journalism Teacher of the Year, 2008

University of Missouri Faculty-Alumni Award for Teaching Excellence, 2008

Excellence in Education Award (“recognizing MU educators who support and value co-curricular learning”), 2003

Honorary Inductee, Golden Key National Honor Society, 2003

Provost’s Outstanding Junior Faculty Teaching Award, 2001

Top Faculty Paper Award, AEJMC Law Division, 2001.

Top Faculty Paper Award, AEJMC Ethics Division, 2000.

SPJ Sunshine Award, 1998, for work furthering freedom of information in the United States.

Recipient of 1998 Outstanding Faculty Teacher Award elected by the SMU student body.

James H. Ottaway Fellowship, American Press Institute, \$1,000 award to attend journalism training session at API, 1998.

Selected as an ASNE Institute for Journalism Excellence Fellow, 1997. Spent summer residency on the copy desk of *The Dallas Morning News*.

Recipient of \$6,210 grant from the University of Florida Division of Sponsored Research in 1994 for national study of state access laws under the direction of Dr. Bill F. Chamberlin, Joseph L. Brechner Eminent Scholar in Mass Communications.

Outstanding Graduate Research Award, University of Florida College of Journalism and Communications, 1994.

Selected as a student judge for the Peabody Awards for Broadcast Excellence, University of Georgia, 1988.

#### TESTIMONY

Missouri Senate, Senate Commerce and Environment Committee, testified on several bills related to open meetings and open records, S.B. 1020, 889 and 1016, Jan. 27, 2004.

Missouri House, Judiciary Committee, testified on HB 870, Feb. 25, 2004.

#### MASS COMMUNICATION WORK EXPERIENCE

March 1985-November 1986

*Staff Writer, The Athens Banner-Herald, Athens, Ga.*

Served as a general assignment sports reporter. Started covering Little League baseball, high school golf and tennis. Later covered local events including University of Georgia spring sports, high school football and civic softball leagues, PGA golf events, compiled agate box scores and updates, assisted with layout and production.

November 1986-December 1987

*Staff Reporter, Athens Observer, Athens, Ga.*

Police, political beat reporter for alternative weekly. Covered trials, city council meetings, neighborhoods. Responsible for weekly police blotter coverage as well as news features on a variety of subjects for an award-winning alternative newspaper.

December 1987-December 1992

*Staff Writer, Managing Editor, Lafferty Publications, Atlanta, Ga.*

Hired as an intern in 1987. Accepted a full-time position in 1988. Eventually promoted to managing editor in 1990. Covered international finance and breaking business news stories around the world, specializing in electronic payments and banking technology. Launched new publications, edited and helped produce books, magazines, newsletters,

and marketing brochures. Coordinated editorial assignments, planned upcoming features and developed story ideas.

1993-Present

Free-lance journalist

Provide articles to a number of business and trade publications such as *Quill*, *Columbia Journalism review*, *E-Commerce Report*, *Distribution Management Briefing*, *Direct Delivery*, *Electronic Commerce Report*, *Institutional Investor*, *Global Business Reporter*, *Retail Banker International* and *Electronic Payments International*.

June-August 1997, 1998

*ASNE Academic-in-Residence, The Dallas Morning News, Dallas, Tex.*

As a participant in the American Society of Newspaper Editors' Institute for Journalism Excellence in 1997 and again as a summer hire in 1998, worked as a copy editor on the sports desk and as a member of the News/Projects reporting team.

## SERVICE

To the University of Georgia:

Search Committee, Vice President for Instruction, 2014

Search Committee, Associate Provost, 2014

Search Committee, Vice President for Marketing and Communications, 2015

To the journalism profession:

[OpentheGovernment.org](http://OpentheGovernment.org) Steering Committee, 2006-present

[Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas](#)

Advisory council member 1997-1999

[National Freedom of Information Coalition](#)

Board Member, 2001-2004

Missouri Press Association

Legislative Committee, 2000-2002

Society of Professional Journalists

Chapter Adviser, MU Student Chapter, 1999-present

President, Dallas professional chapter, 1998-1999

Member, National Freedom of Information Committee, 1997-1999

Member, Journalism Education Committee, 1998-1999

Texas Sunshine Chair, 1997-1999

At-large Campus Affairs Director, 1999-2002 term

Co-Chair, Freedom of Information Committee, 2001-2006

Chapter Adviser, MU, 1999-present

Communication Law & Policy

Manuscript reviewer, 2001-present

Journalism Monographs

Manuscript Reviewer, 2009-present

Open Government: A Journal on Freedom of Information

Editorial Board member, 2007-present

International Press Institute

North America Committee, 2015-

AEJMC Law Division

Bibliographer, 1994-1995

Professional Freedom & Responsibility Chair, 1996-1997

Membership Chair, 1997-1998

Research Chair, 1998-1999

Tenure and Promotion Reviews

Colorado State University

Loyola University

Oklahoma State University

Lehigh University

OTHER CONFERENCES ATTENDED

1992 Florida Press Association Freedom of Information Conference, Tampa, Fla.

1993 Florida Bar Association Media Law Conference, Miami, Fla.

1993 Florida Society of Newspaper Editors Freedom of Information Conference, Tampa, Fla.

1994 Florida Bar Media Law Conference, West Palm Beach, Fla.

1995 Society of Professional Journalists National Convention, Minneapolis, Minn.

1996 National Freedom of Information Coalition Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.

1997 SPJ National Convention, Denver, Colo.

1997 Texas Freedom of Information Foundation Annual Meeting, Austin TX.

1998 SPJ National Convention, Los Angeles, California

#### INVITED PRESENTATIONS

“Open Government in Texas,” invited by the Office of Attorney General, Dec. 12-13, 2005, Austin, Texas

“Developments in State FOI,” New England Associated Press News Editors Association, North Conway, NH, Oct. 10-12, 2005.

National Conference of State Legislatures, NCSL Energy Institute on Energy Security, “FOI Developments,” Nov. 17-28, 2003, Denver, Colo.

Council of State Governments, Homeland Security Briefing Series, “Information Wars: Right to Know vs. Need to Know,” Nov. 19, 2003.

“FOI Developments in the States,” Iowa Freedom of Information Council Annual Meeting, Sept. 21, 2006, Des Moines, IA.

Invited Speaker, Virginia Coalition for Open Government 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Meeting, Richmond, Va., Nov. 17, 2006.

#### OTHER PRESENTATIONS

Panelist, “Freedom of Information,” Sept. 14, 2006, The Association for Women in Communications Annual Professional Conference, Kansas City, Mo.

Panelist/Instructor, “Access to Government Records and Meetings,” 1993 Florida Scholastic Press Association Summer Journalism Institute, Gainesville, FL, June 19-24.

Panelist, "Symposium Defining Diversity," 1993 Diversity Symposium sponsored by the University of Florida and the First Amendment Foundation, October 20, 1993.

Panelist, "FOI First Aid," 1994 Society of Professional Journalists/Atlanta Press Club Freedom of Information Conference, Atlanta, Ga., January 8, 1994.

Keynote Speaker at the Georgia First Amendment Foundation Founder's Dinner, Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 8, 1994.

Speaker, "First Amendment Rights of High School Journalists," Florida Scholastic Press Association Summer Journalism Institute, Gainesville, FL, June 28, 1995.

Speaker, "FOI Developments in Georgia," Society of Professional Journalists, Macon, Ga., Professional Chapter, Nov. 8, 1995.

Speaker, "Trends in Enforcing the Public's Right to Know," National Freedom of Information Conference, April 22-24, 1996, Freedom Forum, Washington, D.C.

Speaker, Project Freedom Workshop for Texas High School Teachers, July 9, 1996, Kilgore, TX.

Panelist, "Privatization and the Threat to Public Records," SPJ National Convention, Oct. 6, 1997, Denver, Colo.

Panelist, "Access to Texas Courts," Freedom of Information of Texas State Conference, Oct. 11, 1997, Austin, Texas.

Moderator, "On-Line Access," Freedom of Information of Texas State Conference, Sept. 12, 1998, Austin, Texas.

Instructor, "Covering Police Operations," Texas Press Association Photojournalism Workshop, April 6, 1998, Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Texas.

"Freedom of Speech in a Complex Democracy," First Amendment Institute, Dallas, TX Jan. 29-30, 2000.

President's Lecture, "Some Thoughts on the Independence of the Press," William Woods University, Fulton, Mo., Oct. 18, 2002.

Panelist, The Lucius W. Nieman Symposium, Marquette University, Nov. 6, 2002.

#### Freedom of Information/Media Law Training

The New Scientist, FOI Training Workshop for Editorial Staff, June 1, 2007

Judge, Edward R. Murrow Awards, 2014-present