

# ANTONIA A. B. MICELI, JD, MPH, CPH

St. Louis University School of Law  
100 N. Tucker Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63101  
(314) 977-3448, [antonia.miceli@slu.edu](mailto:antonia.miceli@slu.edu)

---

## **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

**Professor and Director of Academic and Bar Exam Success**, July 2022 – Present

**Professor and Director of Academic Support and Bar Examination Preparation**, July 2019 – June 2022

**Associate Professor and Director of Academic Support and Bar Examination Preparation**, July 2016 – June 2019

**Instructor and Director of Bar Examination Preparation**, August 2011 – June 2016  
SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, St. Louis, MO

## **Courses:**

### **Introduction to Legal Studies and Teaching Fellows**

Teach and evaluate students in a course designed to introduce the first-year law student to the skills necessary for a successful academic experience in law school, including case reading and briefing, note taking in class, outlining, exam preparation, exam writing, time management, etc. Additionally, oversee and evaluate second and third year Teaching Fellows who run structured study groups to reinforce these skills.

### **Legal Methods**

Teach and evaluate students in a course designed to develop the student's ability to apply the analytical process needed to solve legal problems. The course considers the building blocks of legal reasoning within the context of problems that arise in certain first year substantive courses. Specific competencies include analogical and deductive reasoning, application of law to facts, issue spotting and exam taking.

### **Advanced Legal Methodology**

Teach and evaluate students in a course designed to reinforce the student's ability to read and synthesize statutes and cases, as well as identify relevant facts, and create legal work products, taught in the context of the Multistate Performance Test.

### **Advanced Legal Analysis and Strategies**

Teach and evaluate students in a course designed to reinforce bar examination study and

test-taking skills. Work one-on-one with students to evaluate and further develop their study skills and test-taking abilities through the use bar exam exercises and personal meeting time.

### **Workshops and Programs:**

#### **SLU Law Bar Prep Essay Writing Workshops**

Develop a syllabus, deliver a weekly lecture on bar exam preparation, and evaluate students on a weekly performance test or essay writing assignment with individualized feedback.

#### **SLU Law Bar Prep Information Sessions and Workshops**

Develop and present material on effective bar examination preparation; provide counseling to students and alumni regarding the bar exam application process and effective bar examination preparation; and evaluate and provide feedback to students and alumni on practice bar examination essays and performance tests.

#### **SLU Law Gateway to 1L Program**

Develop and update Gateway to 1L, an asynchronous program comprised of a series of online modules that provides 1Ls with a common background and understanding of the sources of law, the structure of the American legal system, and what it means to think and read like a lawyer. Gateway to 1L also introduces students to the 1L courses, so students have a better understanding of 1L course content and the relationship of the courses to one another.

#### **SLU Law First Generation Program**

Assist in the development and delivery of SLU Law First Generation Program, which begins with a series of asynchronous online modules for incoming 1L students covering issues such as stereotype threat, imposter syndrome, and isolation, and highlighting the different ways the Academic Resource Center can help 1Ls transition into the law school community. Throughout the academic year, the First Generation Program hosts information sessions and programming geared toward assisting first generation law students in making the transition not just into law school, but also into the legal profession.

### **Committees:**

Law School Pipeline Programs Working Group Chair, Fall 2020 - Present

Law School Ad Hoc COVID-19 Planning, Preparation and Response Committee, May 2020 – June 2021

Law School Search Committee for Assistant Director of Academic Support and Bar Examination Preparation Chair, Fall 2019 – Spring 2020

Law School Bar Examination and Bar Qualification Committee Chair, Fall 2017 – Fall 2019

Law School Working Group on Mental Health, Fall 2018 – Present

Law School Search Committee for Director of Inclusion and Diversity Education, Fall 2018 – Spring 2018  
Law School Bar Passage Working Group Co-Chair, Fall 2015 – Spring 2017  
Law School Working Group on Promotion, Fall 2014 – Spring 2016  
Law School Curriculum Committee, Fall 2012 – Spring 2017  
Graduate Academic Affairs Committee, Spring 2016  
Law School Creation of Faculty Advising Guidelines, Spring 2015  
Law School Move Captain, Summer 2013  
Law School Progress Committee on Bar Passage, Fall 2011 – Spring 2012

## **LEGAL PRACTICE EXPERIENCE**

**Law Clerk for the Honorable Audrey G. Fleissig**, June 2010 – July 2011  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI**, St. Louis, MO

**Associate Attorney in Business Litigation**, October 2008 – May 2010  
**THOMPSON COBURN LLP**, St. Louis, MO

**Law Clerk for the Honorable Rodney W. Sippel**, August 2006 – August 2008  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI**, St. Louis, MO

**Legal Intern for Ambassador Pierre-Richard Prosper**, Summer 2005  
**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE, OFFICE OF WAR CRIMES ISSUES**, Washington, DC

## **AWARDS**

**Enhancements in ASP Award**, Association of Academic Support Educators, May 2022

**Legal Scholar Award**, Missouri Lawyers Weekly Women's Justice Awards, April 2017

## **PUBLICATIONS**

MELISSA HALE, ANTONIA MICELI, TANIA SHAH, *THE ULTIMATE GUIDE TO THE UNIFORM BAR EXAMINATION* (Wolters Kluwer 2021).

Antonia Miceli, *Transforming Your Physical Space into an Online Space*, in *LAW TEACHING STRATEGIES FOR A NEW ERA: BEYOND THE PHYSICAL CLASSROOM* (Tessa Dysart and Tracy Norton, eds., Carolina Academic Press, 2021).

Antonia Miceli, *From a Distance: Providing Online Academic Support and Bar Exam Preparation to Law Students and Alumni During the COVID-19 Pandemic*, 65 *ST. LOUIS U.L.J.* (2021).

Antonia Miceli, Pamela Xaverius, and Leigh Tenkku, *The Effect of Paternal Involvement During Pregnancy on Adverse Birth Outcomes in Infants Born to Missouri Mothers With Sexually*

*Transmitted Infections (2010 – 2012).* (In Preparation).

Antonia Badway, *Controlling the Export of Dual-Use Technology in a Post-9/11 World*, 18 *TRANSNAT'L LAW* 431 (2005).

Joseph Fitzgerald and Antonia Badway, *Government Secrecy in the Age of Information*, *BIODEFENSE QUARTERLY*, Summer 2003, at 1, 1-2, 7.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

Presenter, Law School Admission Council: Law School Unmasked – Law School: What You Really Need to Know Program, “Outlining: Putting It All Together,” initially presented Summer 2022.

Presenter, Law School Admission Council: Law School Unmasked, “Expert Study Skills Module – Using Study Guides,” initially presented Summer 2022.

Presenter, Law School Admission Council: Law School Unmasked, “Expert Study Skills Module – Using Practice Questions,” initially presented Summer 2022.

Presenter, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, “Growing Pains: Leveraging Your Resources to Grow Your Department’s Impact (Even When You are a Department of One),” May 24, 2022.

Presenter, Wayne State University School of Law Faculty Meeting, “So, Your State Adopted the UBE...,” March 8, 2022.

Panelist, Law Teaching Strategies for a New Era: Beyond the Physical Classroom, “Designing the Law Courses of the Future,” July 22, 2021.

Presenter, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, “So, Your State Adopted the UBE... How to Transition Your Academic and Bar Prep Programs to the UBE,” May 25, 2021.

Panelist, Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis Program for Law Students, “Preparing for the Bar Exam During a Pandemic,” April 20, 2021.

Presenter, Duquesne University School of Law Bar Studies Department, “Open Forum with National Uniform Bar Examination (UBE) Experts,” March 26, 2021.

Organizer and Moderator, ASP Virtual Webinar hosted by Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law, “Lessons Learned from Pre-COVID Online Teaching,” May 1, 2020.

Moderator, ASP Virtual Webinar hosted by CALI, “ASP Virtual Webinar Featuring CALI Academic Success Fellowship,” April 1, 2020.

Presenter, 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Southwestern Consortium of Academic Success Professionals, "Integrating the Multistate Performance Test from Day One," March 6, 2020.

Presenter, New England Consortium of Academic Success Professionals, "Integrating the Multistate Performance Test from Day One," December 13, 2019

Presenter and Panelist, National Conference of Bar Examiner's Unpacking the Bar Exam: A Conference for Academic Support Professionals, "How Can We Work Together to Build Successful Lawyers?," September 18, 2019

Presenter, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, "Planting Seeds: Using Academic Support Skill Building and Language Across the Curriculum," May 22, 2019

Presenter, 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Southwestern Consortium of Academic Support Professionals, "Tales From Our Village," March 8, 2019

Presenter, St. Mary's School of Law UBE Transition Boot Camp, "Preparing Your Academic Support Department for the UBE," March 7, 2019

Presenter, Midwestern Academic Success and Bar Preparation Conference, "Change Ahead: A UBE Survival Guide from an Early Adopter," October 12, 2018

Discussion Group Panelist, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Conference, "Strategies for Bar Preparation and Success," August 6, 2018

Host School Representative, 2018 Association of Academic Support Educators National Conference, May 22-24, 2018

Poster Co-Presenter with T. Huy and D. Halloran, Academic Pediatric Association Southern Regional Meeting Joint Plenary Poster Session, "Does Glucose Gel Reduce NICU Admissions for Neonatal Hypoglycemia?" February 22, 2018

Presenter, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, "Opt-Out: A New Model for Academic Support to Increase Participation and Reduce Stigma," May 23, 2017

Presenter, Association of Academic Support Educators Annual Conference, "Free to Be You and Me: Helping Law Students Identify and Embrace Their Personal Learning Styles for Success in Law School and On the Bar Exam," May 24, 2016

Presenter, Central States Legal Writing Conference, "Building Up to the Bar," September 26, 2015  
Discussion Group Panelist, Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Conference, "Crossing the Bar: Current Character and Fitness Issues in Admission to the Profession," August 2014

Presenter, SLU LAW Faculty Teaching Workshop, "The Bar Exam Today," November 2013

## **PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

Law School Admission Council

Strategic Legal Education Working Group Member, August 2022 – Present

Helix Bar Review by Access Lex

Advisory Committee Member, November 2021 – Present

Center for Computer-Assisted Legal Instruction

Editorial Board Member, August 2019 – Present

Association of Academic Support Educators

Mentoring Committee, Member, 2021 – Present

Executive Board, Past President, 2020 - 2021

Executive Board, President, 2019 - 2020

Executive Board, President Elect, 2018 - 2019

Host of AASE 2018 National Conference, May 22-24, 2018

Executive Board, Host Representative, 2017 – 2018

Executive Board, Host Representative Elect, 2016 – 2017

Programming Committee, Co-Chair, 2016 – 2017

Bar Exam and Advocacy Committee, Member, 2013 – 2016

Vision for Children at Risk

Board Member, 2019 – Present

Community School

Community Parent Association, At-Large Board Member, 2019 – 2020

Grade Chair, 2018 – 2019

Parent Diversity Group, Member, 2018 – 2020

Faculty Appreciation Committee, 2017-2018

Phi Alpha Delta, John L. Sullivan Chapter

Faculty Member, Nominated and Initiated Fall 2018

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

St. Jude Magic Under the Stars Gala, Committee Member, 2017 – 2018

St. Jude Cosmic Rock-n-Bowl, Committee Member and Co-Host, 2013 – 2018

Friends of St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Side Events Chair, 2009-2013

## **LICENSES**

**California Bar**, admitted January 2007

**Missouri Bar**, admitted April 2007

**District of Columbia Bar**, admitted October 2008

**Illinois Bar**, admitted November 2008

**United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri**, admitted October 2009

## **EDUCATION**

**PhD in Public Health, St. Louis University School of Public Health and Social Justice, *In Progress***

**Master in Public Health, St. Louis University School of Public Health and Social Justice, May 2019**

Awards for Academic Achievement in Public Health and Highest GPA of MPH & MSPH Students, May 2019

Certified in Public Health, July 2019

Member, Alpha Sigma Nu Honor Society, St. Louis University Chapter, inducted February 25, 2018

**Juris Doctor with Distinction, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law, May 2006**

The Transnational Lawyer: Chief Managing Editor, 2005 – 2006

Dean's Scholarship for Academic Excellence, 2003 – 2006

Dean's Honor List, Spring 2006

Witkin Awards for Highest Grade: Health Law, Elder Law and Social Policy, Immigration and Nationality Law

**Bachelor of Arts in Natural Sciences Public Health, Johns Hopkins University, January 2003**

Dean's List, Spring 2001 and Fall 2002