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**Education**

L.LM. Lewis and Clark Law School, Portland, OR

 Environmental and Natural Resource Law

August, 2008

 J.D. Loyola School of Law, New Orleans, LA

Graduated Cum Laude

Comment published in the *Loyola Law Review*

 Case note published in the *Loyola Law Review*

 Award for highest grade in Civil Procedure I

 Award for highest grade in Torts I

 Levy Scholar Award for Writing

Teaching Assistant for Legal Research and Writing May,1992

 B.A. Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA

 Broadcast Journalism, Major

 Political Science, Minor

 August, 1987

**Experience**

 Adjunct Professor: Member of faculty teaching “Business Law” to undergraduate students in both a traditional and online setting.

Crafton Hills College

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Adjunct Professor: Member of law faculty teaching law students “Contracts” and other courses in the legal field.

California Desert Trial Academy of Law

Indio, CA

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Attorney: Founder of law firm practicing in Social Security Disability and Immigration.

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 Associate Professor: Associate professor teaching both graduate and undergraduate online legal courses. Have successfully taught approximately 150 classes, namely “Business Law,” “Contracts,” “The Legal Environment” (MBA program), “Environmental Law,” “Legal Research & Writing,” “The American Constitution,” “Justice and Ethics,” “American National Government” and “Business and Ethics” (MBA program).

Ashford University

San Diego, CA

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 Attorney\*: Sole practitioner representing clients in contracts, business law, criminal law, personal injury and adoptions. Successfully argued before the Louisiana Court of Appeals and have never lost an appeal. \*(Louisiana licensed attorney.)

 Tureau Law Firm

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 3/1994 – 1/2008

**Publications**

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**Recent Works**

“Super-sized Environmental Injustice: Hurricane Katrina and the City of New Orleans” (article length)

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**Professional Memberships**

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