

# June T. Tai

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **The University of Iowa College of Law**

*Clinical Professor and Director, Field Placement Program*

*Clinical Associate Professor and Director, Field Placement Program*

*Lecturer in Legal Instruction and Director, Field Placement Program*

**Iowa City, IA**

*July 2022-present*

*January 2020-June 2022*

*August 2016 – December 2019*

- Courses taught: General Field Placement, Advanced Field Placement, Principles of Contract Drafting, Intellectual Property Advocacy.
- Supervised field work for up to 25 second- and third-year students each fall and spring semester.
- Coordinated and conduct outreach to field placement supervisors with emphasis on expanding field placement sites in Eastern Iowa and corporate in-house counsel settings.
- Established DC-based field placement program and New York Pro Bono Scholars Program.
- Supported development of Poverty Law Practicum.
- Conducted continuing legal education programs related to supervision of law students in field placement programs.
- Advised students on internship/externship application and selection.
- Developed instructional videos, classroom notes, and other curricular materials for use by adjunct lecturers and faculty teaching externship seminars.
- Developed website and database to manage administrative needs of the Field Placement Program.
- Drafted materials for and coordinated Prosecutor Intern Program.
- Interfaced with a cross-functional group including Citizen Lawyer Program, Student Services, Career Services, and Financial Aid to support student-centered programming.

## EDUCATION

### **The University of Chicago Law School, J.D.**

Copy Editor, CHICAGO JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

Staff Member, THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO LAW SCHOOL ROUNDTABLE

President, *Asian Pacific American Law Students Association*

Legal Clinic, *Institute for Justice Clinic on Entrepreneurship*

**University of California at Berkeley**, B.S., Mechanical Engineering, Minor in History of Art

## LEGAL EMPLOYMENT

### **Deere & Company**

*Senior Attorney, Litigation and Product Liability Group*

**Moline, IL**

*July 2012 – July 2016*

### **Farella Braun + Martel LLP**

*Associate, Intellectual Property & Technology Group*

**San Francisco, CA**

*September 2006 – July 2012*

### **Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP**

*Associate (Rotated through both Corporate and Litigation departments)*

*Summer Associate*

**San Francisco, CA**

*October 2003 – August 2006*

## PRESENTATIONS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES

**Association of American Law Schools Conference on Clinical Legal Education**, St. Louis, May 1-5, 2024

- *Externship Supervision*. Invited Speaker, New Clinicians Conference
- Concurrent session, *Round and Round We Go: A Multidisciplinary Approach to Case Rounds* (with Megan Bess and Nira Geevargis)
- AAPI Clinicians Workshop, *Unfinished Sorties about Asian American Identity*
- Presenter and Discussant for Works in Progress, *Communication and Pedagogy*

*How I Write: A Panel Discussion*, **AALS Section on Clinical Legal Education Externship Subcommittee**, (with Linda Smith and Laurent Valestro), virtual, April 12, 2024

*Data, Data, Data*, **AALS Section on Clinical Legal Education Externship Subcommittee and CLEA Externship Committee**, (with Meg Reuter, Neha Lall, and Kate Devlin Joyce), virtual, Oct. 24, 2023

*Advice for submitting Your Clinical Conference Speaking Proposal*, **AALS Section on Clinical Legal Education Externship Subcommittee and CLEA Externship Committee**, (with Nira Geevargis and Anne Gordon), virtual, Sept. 20, 2023

*The Chicken AND the Egg: Using Reflection Essays to Develop Storytelling Skills and Using Storytelling to Develop Reflection Skills*, **Ninth Applied Legal Storytelling Conference**, The City Law School, City, University of London, July 27, 2023

*Successful Strategies for Supervision*, **Clinical Legal Education Association New Clinicians Conference**, (with Kendall Kerew and Amanda Rivas), Golden Gate University School of Law, April 27, 2023

*ChatGPT, AI & Externship Seminars: Keeping Reflective Practice Original\**, **AALS Section on Clinical Education, Externships Subcommittee**, (with Nira Geevargis), virtual, Feb. 24, 2023

*Evaluating the Present: Responding to Current Challenges*, plenary (with Liliana Zaragoza and Dana Thompson), **Midwest Conference on Clinical Education**, Drake University Law School, October 29 2022 (invited)

*Happy Hour: Envisioning Your Ideal Administrative Support for Externship Programs* (with Elizabeth Grant and Sarah Wolking), **Externships 11**, Pepperdine Caruso School of Law, October 8, 2022

*End of semester reflection*, **AALS Section on Clinical Education, Externships Subcommittee** (with Gillian Dutton, Amy Sankaran, and Sue Schechter), virtual, December 10, 2021

**Association of American Law Schools Clinical, Externship & Experiential Law Program Directors Workshop**, virtual, June 10, 2021, Concurrent Session Facilitator, *Virtual Externships: A New Lay of the Land* (with Dena Bauman) (invited)

*Remote Externships: The Future, The Present, What Now?*, **AALS Section on Clinical Education, Externships Subcommittee** (with Gillian Dutton, Amy Sankaran, and Sue Schechter), virtual, March 12, 2021

**Clinical Legal Education Association New Clinicians Conference**, Small Group Discussion Facilitator (invited), virtual, June 15-18, 2020

*Responses to the Coronavirus: Summer Session Logistics and Tips*, **AALS International and Semester Away Externships Subcommittee** (with Gillian Dutton, Amy Sankaran, and Sue Schechter), virtual, April 10, 2020

*International And Semester Away Externships --- the Start of the New School Year*, **AALS International and Semester Away Externships Subcommittee** (with Amy Sankaran), virtual, September 13, 2019

**Association of American Law Schools Conference on Clinical Legal Education**, San Francisco, May 4-7, 2019

- Externships Working Group Facilitator (working group discussions for faculty who teach externship classes; over 60 participants)
- Discussant for Works in Progress, Employment & Entrepreneurship

**Association of American Law Schools Conference on Clinical Legal Education**, Chicago, May 2, 2018, Discussant for Works in Progress, Law & Society: Corporate/Non-Profit & Indian Law Group

*Summer Field Placement Programs*, **AALS International and Semester Away Externships Subcommittee** (with Kate Devlin Joyce and Laura Fry), virtual, April 13, 2018

**Externships 9**, *Social Responsibility and Justice: Fostering the Ethos in All Students* (with Cynthia Wilson and Laura Fry), University of Georgia, March 9, 2018

**Midwest Clinical Legal Education Conference**, *Using "Why-Storming" to Navigate Clinical Transitions* (with Emily Hughes, John S. Allen, Bram Elias, Daria Fisher Page, Alison K. Guernsey), University of Kansas, October 14, 2017

**Using Technology Tools in Your Synchronous Remote Externship Seminar**, AALS International and Semester Away Externships Subcommittee, (with Sarah Shalf), virtual, November 17, 2017

*Summer Field Placement Programs*, **AALS International and Semester Away Externships Subcommittee** (with Kate Devlin Joyce and Laura Fry), virtual, May 19, 2017

## **OTHER PRESENTATIONS**

*Revisiting the First Year (and Beyond)*, University of Iowa College of Law Food for Thought, February 20, 2024

*The NextGen Bar Exam: A Preview of the Next Frontier*, University of Iowa College of Law Food for Thought, January 30, 2024

*Building a Field Placement Program: Three Components of the Educational Experience*, University of Iowa College of Law, September 18, 2019

*Field Placement Program: 2016-17 Update*, University of Iowa College of Law Food for Thought, April 10, 2017

*University of Iowa Law School Field Placement Program*, University of Iowa College of Law, May 10, 2016

## **CLE PRESENTATIONS**

*Cultural Humility in the Magistrate's Courtroom*, 2022 Iowa Magistrate Conference, Ankeny, Iowa, June 16, 2022 (with Nickole Miller)

*Strategies for Effective and Ethical Supervision of Virtual Law Student Interns*, virtual, Linn County Bar Association, April 15, 2021

*Supervising Law Students Working Virtually: Ethical Considerations for Lawyering in a Pandemic*, virtual, January 15, 2021 (with Dr. Brian Farrell, Amanda Elkins)

Panelist, Iowa State Bar Association Business Law Section Ethics CLE, Iowa City, Iowa, September 27, 2019

*Ethical Issues in Supervising Law Student Externs*, Iowa City, Iowa, January 17, 2019 (with John S. Allen)

*Effective & Ethical Supervision of Law Student Externs*, Coralville, Iowa, January 13, 2017 (with Linda McGuire)

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND ASSOCIATIONS**

### **American Association of Law Schools Section on Clinical Legal Education**

Member of 2023 Conference on Clinical Education Planning Committee

Co-Chair of International and Semester Away Externships Subcommittee, July 2017-June 2023

Externship Membership Committee, July 2017-June 2023

Participant in Teaching Methodologies Subcommittee's externship teaching rounds, Fall 2016, Fall 2019

Participant in AALS Externship Committee Teaching Methodologies Subcommittee Faculty Shadow Program May 2021-June 2022

### **Center for the Study of Applied Legal Education**

Researcher, June 2022-present

Board Member, December 2022-present

### **Clinical Legal Education Association**

Board Member, January 2022-present

Co-Chair, Externship Committee, January 2021 to present

Member, Externship Committee, January 2019 to December 2020

Clinicians' Crew Co-Facilitator, September 2020 to May 2021; September 2021- present

### **American Bar Association**

### **Iowa State Bar Association**

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Megan Bess, Nira Geevargis, & June T. Tai, *Case Rounds Redefined: Multidisciplinary Perspectives in Reflective Practice*, forthcoming in 75 Wash. U. J.L.& Pol'y. \_\_\_ (2024)

Robert R. Kuehn, Margaret Reuter, David A. Santacrose, June T. Tai, and G.S. Hans, *2022-23 Survey of Applied Legal Education*, Center for the Study of Applied Legal Education (forthcoming September 2023)

Externships chapter in *CLEA Handbook for New Clinical Teachers*, 10<sup>th</sup> edition (2023) (with Denise Platfoot Lacey and Amy Sankaran)

CLEA Externship Committee, *Virtual Externship Survey Report*, August 2021

June T. Tai, *The Virtual Summer Internship: Preparing for a Second Season*, Iowa Lawyer (May 2021)

**ADMISSIONS**

Iowa, California (inactive), Illinois (RIHC, withdrew 2016), and United States Patent and Trademark Office