

Anastacia Marie Greene

Experience:

August 2024 - present *University of Arkansas Little Rock, Bowen School of Law* Little Rock, AR

Assistant Professor

- Taught first-year Real Property I and Real Property II, Immigration Law, Secured Transactions, Int. Criminal Law, Client Interviewing Intersession.
- Engaged in faculty scholarship and service.
- Mentored and advised students.
- Coached Jessup Moot Court Competition Team
- Created Teams-Based Learning approach for Property Law courses. This approach involves creating teams of students, and creating regular quizzes that the teams can take together. These quizzes are taken at the beginning and end of each learning module. At the beginning of each module, team takes a brief Readiness Assessment Test on the reading assignment. At the end of the module, teams take a longer Assessment Exercise, which tests their knowledge and understanding of the material.
- Taught upper-level writing course (International Criminal Law). Assessed and edited student outlines and first drafts. Met with students to provide feedback on their outlines and first drafts. Assessed legal writing based on multi-factor rubric for final grade.
- Created assessments, including final exams for all courses, and Readiness Assessment Tests and Assessment Exercises for Property Law

July 2022 – August 2024 *University of Arkansas Little Rock, Bowen School of Law* Little Rock, AR

Director, Consumer Protection Clinic/Visiting Assistant Professor

- Directed and managed Consumer Protection Clinic. Created clinic policies and procedures.
- Supervised Consumer Clinic students; reviewing and editing students' written work, holding regular meetings with students, teaching students regarding best case management practices, providing feedback and guidance.
- Taught weekly clinical substantive course on consumer law and guide case rounds meetings to review ongoing clinic projects. Designed lesson plans and course structure.
- Gathered data for ongoing advocacy projects related to criminal eviction laws. Wrote scholarly article related to eviction law. Conducted CLE's and outreach related to consumer law.
- Managed caseload of consumer law cases, including landlord/tenant, debt collection, fraud, unfair and deceptive trade practices, repossessions and other consumer issues.

July 2019 – July 2022 *University of Florida Levin College of Law* Gainesville, FL

Immigration Clinical Fellow/Visiting Assistant Professor

- Launched and managed new Immigration Clinic. Created clinic policies and procedures.
- Supervised Immigration Clinic students; reviewing and editing students' written work, holding regular meetings with students, teaching students regarding best case management practices, providing feedback and guidance.
- Taught clinical and doctrinal courses on Immigration Law. Designed lesson plans and course structure.
- Managed caseload of immigration cases. Assisted low-income immigrants with nonimmigrant visa petitions, residency petitions, asylum cases and citizenship applications. Conducted outreach to immigrants.

Nov. 2017 – July 2019

John Marshall Law School

Chicago, IL

Supervising Attorney, Pro Bono Clinic

- Supervised and mentored law students representing low-income clients in a variety of legal matters, including foreclosures, civil rights, appeals and other areas. Covered clinic's docket of cases during academic breaks.
- Taught seminars on civil pro bono law and litigation practices. Designed classes and lesson plans, created simulated hearings and interviews. Reviewed, edited and gave feedback on students' written work.
- Supervised students conducting client intakes, drafting pleadings, and other documents. Supervised students in the courtroom, and assisted students to litigate cases in state, federal and administrative courts.

2015 – 2017

Catholic Charities Legal Assistance (CCLA)

Chicago, IL

Legal Service Program Director

- Supervised staff attorneys, law students, fellows and volunteer attorneys. Responsible for ensuring that department provides appropriate legal advice, brief services and direct representation on legal issues.
- Managed special projects involving family law and immigration law. Conducted monthly legal clinics at domestic violence agencies.
- Maintained individual caseload. Represented clients on consumer, housing, and family law cases. Advised on wide range of legal issues, including public benefits, advance care, and disability law.
- Gave CLE presentations to pro bono attorneys and provided legal training to volunteers. Provided feedback to volunteer attorneys on an ongoing basis.
- Responsible for grant management. Created reports and collected data. Oversaw case management systems.

2016 –2017

John Marshall Law School

Chicago, IL

Adjunct Professor, Family Law and Domestic Violence Clinic

- Designed classes and taught clinic students. Created lessons focused on consumer law and debt relief issues related to domestic violence.
- Assisted and supervised students to perform presentations for domestic violence survivors and agencies.
- Reviewed and gave feedback on students' written work. Gave final evaluations and grades.

2012 – 2015

Legal Assistance Foundation (LAF)

Chicago, IL

Staff Attorney

- Worked as housing attorney, specializing in subsidized housing issues. Represented clients in eviction cases and administrative hearings regarding termination of voucher assistance.
- Worked as consumer attorney, specializing in mortgage foreclosure and home ownership issues. Represented clients in cases involving: foreclosure, predatory lending, mortgage fraud, bankruptcy, utility connections, debt collection, payday loans/title loans, repossessions and other consumer law matters, litigating all issues.
- Supervised interns, paralegals and VISTA volunteers.
- Performed translations for Spanish-speaking clients.
- Handled all aspects of litigation. Drafted legal documents, including complaints, motions, briefs and orders.
- Conducted legal research. Argued motions. Conducted depositions. Negotiated and drafted settlement agreements.
- Conducted community outreach efforts, including creating a Consumer Law Clinic. Organized educational events, gave CLE presentations. Participated on the People with Disabilities Task Force and LEP Committee.

Staff Attorney, Immigrant Justice Project

- Litigation attorney, specializing in representing low-income immigrants on various legal matters.
- Represented indigent clients in consumer cases involving fraudulent real estate sales practices, predatory lending, breach of contract, identity theft, debt collection, auto fraud and Truth in Lending Act violations.
- Handled housing cases involving evictions, fair housing, discrimination and uninhabitable conditions.
- Obtained U-visas and VAWA immigration visas for victims of crime and domestic violence. Represented victims of domestic violence to obtain protective orders and child custody orders.
- Represented clients in arbitration, small court, district court and superior court; for legal and equitable remedies.
- Drafted legal documents, including complaints, motions, replies, interrogatories and orders; conducted legal research and wrote legal memoranda. Had primary responsibility for over 500 cases; handling all stages from initial client interview to legal judgment.
- Coordinated community outreach efforts; gave educational presentations on legal issues, appeared on Spanish-language radio shows, met with advocacy organizations and worked with pro bono attorneys.

Education :

Juris Doctor*Washington and Lee University School of Law*

Lexington, VA

- Staff writer for the *Washington and Lee Law Review*, Moot Court semi-finalist.
- Recipient of half-tuition Academic Merit Scholarship.

Bachelor of Arts Degree*Westminster College*

New Wilmington, PA

- **Double Major:** English and Spanish. **Minor:** History
- Achieved Dean's List five semesters; Member of Sigma Delta Pi Honorary Society. Studied abroad at the Univ. of Seville, Spain and the Univ. of Costa Rica. Fluent in Spanish.

Publications:

- *"Criminalization of Landlord/Tenant Law: Arkansas' Failure to Vacate Statute,"* 24 Conn. Pub. Int. L.J. 42 (2025)
- *What's Old is New: Can Past Immigration Laws Offer a New Way to Address Climate Migration?*, 9 Belmont L. Rev. 571 (2022)
- *Mens Rea and the Proposed Legal Definition of Ecocide*, Völkerrechtsblog, 07.07.2021
- *Symposium Exploring the Crime of Ecocide: Rights of Nature and Ecocide*, Opinio Juris, September 2020.
- *The Campaign to Make Ecocide an International Crime: Quixotic Quest or Moral Imperative?*, 30 Fordham Env'tl. L. Rev. 1 (2019).
- *Case Summary: People v. Bonilla*, ISBA Criminal Law Section Newsletter, Criminal Justice, December 2018.
- *Seen and Not Heard?: Children's Objections under the Hague Convention on International Abduction*. 13 U. Miami Int'l & Comp. L. Rev. 105-162 (2005).

Professional Affiliations:

Member of the Arkansas Bar, Illinois and North Carolina Bar. Member of Clinical Legal Education Association