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Biography

I love the study and practice of law and am interested in public policy generally. I have had the privilege of holding faculty positions at several faculties of law and prior to academia I practiced as a tax lawyer with Stikeman Elliott LLP in their Toronto and London (UK) offices. I am most happy when a student proclaims that she went home and was talking to her roommate/parent/neighbour about some issue that came up in class and then explains with commitment why she now agrees or disagrees with the position she expressed in class. I have received teaching awards from McGill, UBC, and Queen's and am a recipient of the 3M National Teaching Fellowship. I am interested in all areas of tax law and policy, although most of my work to date has focused on corporate and international income taxation and aspects of tax administration. I aim to contribute to three broad strands of the tax literature: using a discrete area of tax law to illuminate a larger tax concept, promoting distributive justice, and exploring how the tax system is used as an instrument for social and economic change.

Industry Expertise

Education/Learning, Public Policy, Research, Writing and Editing

Areas of Expertise

Tax Policy, International Taxation, Income Taxation, Corporate Taxation, Tax Treaties, Business Law

Affiliations

Institute for Research on Public Policy: Director, Nova Scotia Liquor Commission: Director, Canadian Tax Foundation: Member Board of Governors, Canada Revenue Agency?s Offshore Compliance Advisory Committee: Vice-Chair, Department of Finance?s tax expenditures review advisory group: Member

Education

York University, Osgoode Hall Law School LLM Taxation

University of British Columbia LLB

Accomplishments

3M National Teaching Fellow

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H Heward Stikeman Chair in the Law of Taxation McGill Faculty of Law

John W Durnford Teaching Excellence Award McGill Law Students Association, McGill University

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Don MacDougall Faculty Scholar Award UBC

Law Students' Society Teaching Excellence Award Queen's University

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