

CURRICULUM VITAE
STEFAN J. PADFIELD
Assistant Professor, University of Akron School of Law

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2005-Present	Assistant Professor, University of Akron School of Law
2004-2005	Law Clerk to the Honorable William E. Smith U.S. District Court, Providence, Rhode Island
2002-2004	Corporate Associate, Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP, NY, NY
2001-2002	Law Clerk to the Honorable John R. Gibson U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit, Kansas City, Missouri
1992-1998	Staff Sergeant, United States Army Alaska & Ft. Leavenworth, KS
1991-1992	Special Sales Agent, The Prudential Providence, Rhode Island
1990-1991	Mental Health Worker, Butler Hospital Providence, Rhode Island

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

2001	J.D., University of Kansas School of Law <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Three-year, full-tuition Rice Scholarship recipient• Order of the Coif• Faculty Award for Outstanding Scholastic Achievement• Robert E. Edmonds Prize in Corporation and Securities Law• Symposium Editor, Law Review• National Moot Court Team Member
1990	B.A., Psychology, Brown University <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Teaching Assistant• Residential Counselor

SUBJECTS TAUGHT

- Basic Business Associations
- Securities Regulation
- Corporations
- Mergers & Acquisitions

PUBLICATIONS

- *Immaterial Lies: Why Courts Should Stop Condoning Intentional Misstatements as Immaterial under Securities Law* (in progress).
- *Finding State Action When Corporations Govern*, __ TEMPLE L. REV. __ (forthcoming 2009).
 - One of Top 10 Papers on SSRN for Journal of PIL: Other Issues in International Law for March 31 to May 30, and April 7 to June 6, 2009.
 - One of Top 10 Papers on SSRN for Journal of Corporate Governance International for March 26 to May 25, April 6 to June 5, 2009.
 - One of Top 10 Papers on SSRN for Journal of Corporate Governance: Social Responsibility & Social Impact for March 26, 2009 to May 25, 2009.
- *An argument for reduced dependence on materiality in dismissing frivolous lawsuits*, 2:4 SECURITIES LAW, REGULATION & COMPLIANCE 380 (Sept. 2009).
- *Is Puffery Material to Investors? Maybe We Should Ask Them*, 10 U. PA. J. BUS. & EMP. L. 339 (2008).
 - Cited and discussed in Cox, Hillman & Langevoort, *Securities Regulation: Cases and Materials* 608 (6th Ed. 2009).
 - Selected by the University of Akron Law Alumni Association for the 2008 Thomas G. Byers Memorial Award for Outstanding Faculty Publication.
 - Excerpted in Akron Law Magazine.
- *Who Should Do the Math? Materiality Issues in Disclosures That Require Investors to Calculate the Bottom Line*, 34 PEPP. L. REV. 927 (2007).
 - Reprinted in *Securities Law Review* 2008.
- *In Search of a Higher Standard: Rethinking Fiduciary Duties of Directors of Wholly-Owned Subsidiaries*, 10 FORDHAM J. CORP. & FIN. LAW 79 (2004).
- Comment, *Self-Incrimination and Acceptance of Responsibility in Prison Sex Offender Treatment Programs*, 49 U. KAN. L. REV. 487 (2001).

CONTEMPLATED PUBLICATION PROJECTS

- *Why Integrity is Material*
- *Having Your Cake and Eating It Too: Corporate Personality for Purposes of the Fourteenth Amendment, Collective Scierter, and Other Issues*
- *The Unnatural Separation of Liability and Control*
- *The Illegitimate Hegemony of Shareholder Wealth Maximization in Corporate Law*

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

- Presented Work-in-Progress at Central States Law School Association annual meeting at Capital University Law School (Oct. 24, 2009).
- Presented Work-in-Progress at Akron School of Law (April 27, 2009).
- Presented Work-in-Progress at Cumberland School of Law (Jan. 23, 2009).
- Invited to participate in roundtable workshop hosted by the Center for Business Law & Regulation at Case Western Reserve University School of Law (Oct. 31, 2008).
- Presented Work-in-Progress at Central States Law School Association annual meeting at Southern Illinois School of Law (Oct. 17, 2008).
- Presented Work-in-Progress at Roger Williams School of Law (Oct. 17, 2008).
- Presented paper idea at Akron School of Law Celebration of Scholarship (April 29, 2008).
- Commented on presentation by Prof. George W. Dent of Case Western Reserve University School of Law at Federalist Society speaker engagement (Mar. 31, 2008).
- Presented paper idea at Tenth Ohio Legal Scholars Workshop held at The Ohio State University School of Law (Jan. 26, 2008).
- Presented paper at Central States Law Schools Association annual meeting in Detroit, Michigan (Oct. 27, 2007).
- Presented paper at University of Akron Faculty Workshop Series in Akron, Ohio (Oct. 10, 2007).
- Presented paper idea at Eighth Ohio Legal Scholars Workshop held at Capital University Law School (Jan. 27, 2007).
- Presented paper at Seventh Ohio Legal Scholars Workshop held at Case Western Reserve University School of Law (June 23, 2006).
- CLE Presentation, *The Securities Offering Reform Rules* (May 18, 2006).

BLOGGING / INTERVIEWS

- Q&A published in *Investment vehicles, exec pay will come under tough scrutiny*, COLUMBUS BUSINESS FIRST (June 12, 2009).
- Weekly blogger on *Akron Law Café*, available at http://www.ohioverticals.com/blogs/akron_law_cafe/
- Quoted in Bailey Somers, *Companies Resist Litigation Cost Reporting*, LAW 360 (August 13, 2008), <http://securities.law360.com/articles/65792>.

SCHOOL OF LAW & UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES (PAST & PRESENT)

- Chair, Career Services/Judicial Clerkship Committee (Law School)
- Vice Chair, Admissions Committee (Law School)
- Member, Student Affairs Committee (University)
- Member, Technical Services Oversight Committee (Law School)
- AALS Representative (Alternate) (Law School)
- Admissions Ambassador (Law School)
- Moot Court Judge (Practice Rounds) (Law School)
- Faculty Advisor, Federalist Society (Law School)
- Member, Alumni & Student Affairs Committee (Law School)
- Member, Curriculum Committee (Law School)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Bar Admission, New York (2002)
- Member, Ohio State Bar Association
 - Corporate Counsel Section, Member
 - Corporate Law Committee, Member
- Member, American Bar Association
 - Section of Business Law
 - Committee on Mergers and Acquisitions
 - Committee on Corporate Governance
 - Committee on Middle Market and Small Business
 - Committee on Private Equity and Venture Capital
 - Committee on LLCs, Partnerships and Unincorporated Entities
 - Committee on Federal Regulation of Securities
 - Committee on Institutional Investors
 - Committee on International Use of U.S. Business Entities
 - Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar
 - Young Lawyers Division