# Susan B. Heyman

Roger Williams University School of Law Ten Metacom Avenue Bristol, RI, 02809

401.254.4528 sheyman@rwu.edu 917.520.8494

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# Roger Williams University School of Law, Bristol, RI

Professor of Law, July 2018 – Present

Associate Professor of Law, August 2011- July 2018

Courses: Contracts, Business Organizations, Sales, White Collar Crime

# Cardozo School of Law, New York, NY

<u>Visiting Assistant Professor</u>, August 2010 – August 2011 <u>Visiting Professor from Practice</u>, August 2008 – August 2010 Courses: Contracts, Corporate Fraud/ White Collar Crime

Co-Director: The Samuel and Ronnie Heyman Center on Corporate Governance

# **Debevoise & Plimpton LLP,** New York, NY

<u>Litigation Associate</u>, September 2005 – August 2008

Corporate Associate, October 2002 – September 2004; August 2000 – August 2001

Summer Associate, May 1999-August 1999

# Honorable Robert E. Cowen, United States Court of Appeals, Third Circuit, Trenton, NJ

Law Clerk, September 2004–September 2005

# Honorable William H. Walls, United States District Court, District of New Jersey, Newark, NJ

Law Clerk, August 2001–August 2002

# Professors Lawrence A. Cunningham & Arthur J. Jacobson, Cardozo School of Law, New York, NY Professor Stewart E. Sterk, Cardozo School of Law, New York, NY

Research Assistant, Summer 1998

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Cardozo School of Law, New York, NY

J.D., *magna cum laude*, June 2000 Academic: Top 2%; 5/301

Honors: H. Bert and Ruth Mack Scholarship: merit award for entering students

Felix Frankfurter Award: conferred on the graduating student who best combines outstanding achievement, maturity, responsibility, diligence and judgment *Cardozo Law Review*: Executive Editor 1999-2000 (supervised work of entire

editorial board); Staff Member, 1998-1999

Samuel Belkin Scholar: faculty designated award for law school performance

Order of the Coif, Member

Teaching Assistant for Contracts and Property

# Brandeis University, Waltham, MA

B.A., summa cum laude, with Highest Honors in History, May 1997

Academic: Top 5%, GPA 3.87

Honors Thesis: Many Lives in One: Frederick Douglass' Quest for Self-Identity

Honors: The Barraclough Prize (most outstanding history thesis)

Member, Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Alpha Theta (History Honor Society)

Teaching Assistant for Symbolic Logic

#### **PUBLICATIONS AND WORKS IN PROGRESS**

*The Fifth Amendment and The Act of Production Doctrine* (work in progress)

Agency Costs and SEC Settlements (work in progress)

Digital Realty Trust v. Somers: Whistleblowers and Corporate Retaliation, 24 Roger Williams Univ. L. Rev. 78 (2019)

Corporate Privilege and an Individual's Right to Defend, 85 GEO. WASH. L. REV. 1112 (2017)

Rethinking Regulation Fair Disclosure and Corporate Free Speech, 36 CARDOZO L. REV. 1099 (2015)

*The Quiet Period in a Noisy World: Rethinking Securities Regulations and Corporate Free Speech*, 74 OHIO ST. L.J. 189 (2013)

Book Review, Contracts in the Real World: Stories of Popular Contracts and Why They Matter (2012)

The Missing Elements of Contract Damages, 85 TEMPLE L. REV. 119 (2011), with Mitchell L. Engler.

Bottoms-Up: An Alternative Approach for Investigating Corporate Malfeasance, 37 Am. J. CRIM. L. 102 (2010) (University of Texas)

Bringing Down the Bar: Accountants Challenge Meaning of Unauthorized Practice, 21 CARDOZO L. REV. 1425 (2000)

Student Contributor: New York Real Estate Reporter, August 1998

Assistant Editor: Corbin on Contracts (1998 Supplement)

#### CONFERENES AND SPEAKING ENGAGMENTS

Roger Williams University School of Law, Open Door Speaker Series, Moderator, *The Beauty of Due Diligence*, (upcoming 2019)

Professor Anthony J. Santoro, Business Law Lecture Series, Moderator, *Becoming a Valued Business Lawyer* (2019)

Roger Williams University School of Law, Open Door Speaker Series, Moderator, *Juggling – How Effective Transactional Lawyering Keeps Deals Together* (2018)

Roger Williams University School of Law, Open Door Speaker Series, Moderator, *Israel: The Start-up Nation* (2017)

Roger Williams University School of Law, Open Door Speaker Series, Moderator, *Building a Career in Regulatory Compliance* (2017)

Rhode Island Bar Association, Presenter, Corporate Privilege and an Individual's Right to Defend (2017)

Cardozo School of Law, Presenter, Pathways to Becoming a Law School Professor (2014)

# **TEACHING INTERESTS**

<u>Primary</u>: Contracts, Sales, Business Organizations, White Collar Crime, Internal Investigations, Securities Regulation

Additional: Criminal Law, Commercial Law, Property, Appellate Practice, Professional Responsibility

#### REFERENCES

# **Academic References**

Dean Michael Yelnosky, Roger Williams University School of Law, (401) 254-4607, myelnosky@rwu.edu

David Logan, Roger Williams University School of Law, (401) 254-4501, dlogan@rwu.edu

Professor Carl T. Bogus, Roger Williams University School of Law, (401) 254-4617, cbogus@rwu.edu

Dean Michael Yelnosky, Roger Williams University School of Law, (401) 254-4607, myelnosky@rwu.edu

Professor Tanya Monestier, Roger Williams University School of Law (401) 254-4518, tmonestier@rwu.edu

Professor Stewart E. Sterk, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, (212) 790-0230, sterk@yu.edu

Dean Melanie Leslie, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, (212) 790-0266, leslie@yu.edu

Professor Lawrence A. Cunningham, George Washington University Law School, (202) 994-0732, lacunningham@law.gwu.edu

Professor Mitchell L. Engler, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, (212)790-0217, engler@yu.edu

Professor Arthur J. Jacobson, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, (212) 790-0218, ajacobsn@yu.edu

# Judicial References

Honorable Robert E. Cowen, United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit, (609) 989-2188

Honorable William H. Walls, United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, (973) 645-2699

#### Private Practice Reference

Paul Brusiloff, Partner, Debevoise & Plimpton, (212) 909-6015, pdbrusiloff@debevoise.com

Anne C. Meyer, Counsel, Debevoise & Plimpton, (212) 909-7441, acmeyer@debevoise.com