

SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY™

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ABOUT SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY



Saint Louis University is one of the oldest and most prestigious Catholic universities in the United States. Founded in 1818, the University is recognized nationally for world-class academics, life-changing research and a strong commitment to faith and service.

Guided by its enduring Jesuit mission, Saint Louis University offers students a highly rigorous and deeply transformative education that empowers them to become bold, confident leaders.

As a nationally recognized leader in research and innovation, SLU is a Research-1 (R1) university, advancing groundbreaking discoveries in St. Louis and around the world.

In 2024, Saint Louis University educated more students than ever before and experienced unprecedented international enrollment: 15,334 students, from all 50 states and 100 countries. SLU's campus in Madrid, Spain, enrolled 1,246 students last fall.

A dedication to values-based education and social justice has earned Saint Louis University widespread acclaim and bolstered its status as a character-building college. SLU offers more than 180 community engagement courses, and 75 percent of SLU students volunteer each year.

SLU is also a catalyst for urban renewal in the heart of a vibrant city. More than \$1.2 billion in housing, retail and business development is underway in Midtown St. Louis, and the University is in the center of the neighborhood's growth.

Inspired by its pioneering spirit, Saint Louis University continues to move forward, committed to serve a higher purpose while seeking the greater good.

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

One of the country's top colleges (The Princeton Review, *The Wall Street Journal* and *U.S. News & World Report* magazine) – and the No. 13 Catholic college in America (Niche)

RESEARCH

SLU's R1 status places the University in an elite group of U.S. research universities. SLU has increased research expenditures by 104% over the last eight years.

SERVICE

1.6 million hours of service completed by the SLU community annually

ENDOWMENT

\$1.9 billion, an increase of 74% over the last decade

ATHLETICS

NCAA Division I, Atlantic 10 Conference

MASCOT

The Billiken, a mythical good-luck figure who represents "things as they ought to be"

ALUMNI

134,336 alumni in 50 states and 154 countries

ORDER OF EVENTS

PRESIDING

Twinette Johnson
Dean and Professor of Law

PROCESSIONAL

"Pomp and Circumstance"

"AMAZING GRACE"

Performed by Anahi Casas Perez and Sara Gottman
Class of 2025

INVOCATION

Afonso Seixas Nunes, S.J.
Assistant Professor of Law

WELCOME

Twinette Johnson
Dean and Professor of Law

PRESENTATION OF FACULTY MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Twinette Johnson
Dean and Professor of Law

FACULTY MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Marcia McCormick
Professor of Law

REMARKS

Allison Schultz
Valedictorian, Class of 2025

THE JOHN C. SHEPHERD GRADUATION SPEAKER

Hon. Mary R. Russell
Chief Justice
Supreme Court of Missouri

Presentation of Degree Candidates

Jon Baris
Dean of Students

BENEDICTION

Afonso Seixas Nunes, S.J.
Assistant Professor of Law

RECESSIONAL

"Trumpet Voluntary"

MASTER OF LAWS**Luca Minet Munoz**

Bachelor of Laws,
French and Spanish Law,
Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne/
Complutense University, 2023
Master's Degree,
International and European
Business Law,
Paris Dauphine University, 2024

Jalia Nabadda (D)

Bachelor of Laws,
Uganda Christian University, 2020
Diploma in Legal Practice, Law
Development Center Kampala,
2022

Valentine Soullignac

Bachelor of Law,
Private Law, Paris II Panthéon
Assas, 2023
Bachelor of Economics,
Corporate Finance,
Paris II Panthéon Assas, 2023
Master's Degree,
Corporate and Tax Law,
Paris Dauphine University, 2024

Ali Touhami Elouazzani

Bachelor of Law,
Toulouse University Capitole, 2021
Master's Degree,
International Business Law,
Toulouse University Capitole, 2022
Master's Degree,
International and European
Business Law,
Paris Dauphine University, 2023

Erika Anaid Vasquez Murcio

Bachelor of Law and Finances,
Tecnológico de Monterrey, 2022

JURIS DOCTOR**Richard James Ables**

Bachelor of Science,
Truman State University, 2022

Jackie Aboud

Bachelor of Arts, California State
University, San Bernardino, 2016
Master of Arts, California State
University, San Bernardino, 2019
Concentration in Intellectual
Property Law

Tiwaladeoluwa A. Adedibu

Bachelor of Arts,
Purdue University, 2022
Concentration in International
and Comparative Law

Colby Ray Aldridge

Bachelor of Science,
Northern Arizona University, 2019

Emily Clark Arauz

Bachelor of Arts,
Utah Valley University, 2021
Concentration in International
and Comparative Law

Gabrielle Leigh Aronson

Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2021

Koteiba Azzam

Bachelor of Arts,
Texas State University, 2020

Elaine Chantelle Badr

Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2022

Ryan Alan Barber

Bachelor of Arts,
Rockhurst University, 2022

Sydnie I. Barney

Bachelor of Arts,
University of California, Los
Angeles, 2021

Alexa Marie Benson

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Saint
Louis, 2017

Sophia Nicole Berte

Bachelor of Science,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Egan Biggs

Bachelor of Arts,
Culver-Stockton College, 2022
Concentration in Employment
Law

Anthony L. Binaei

Bachelor of Science,
Quincy University, 2021

Breanna M. Booker

Bachelor of Science,
Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville, 2019
Master of Arts,
Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville, 2022
Concentration in Health Law

Colin Gerard Braun

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Keeley Marissa Sabine Braun (D)

Bachelor of Science,
Truman State University, 2019

Nathan Alexander Johnson Brown

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Richard Groll Browne IV

Bachelor of Science,
Texas Christian University, 2022

Housam Bukhari

Bachelor of Science,
Aston University, 2018
Concentration in International
and Comparative Law

Erika Lynn Burton

Bachelor of Arts,
McKendree University, 2021

Anahi Elizabeth Casas Perez

Bachelor of Arts,
Pepperdine University, 2022
Concentration in Employment
Law

Gabriella N. Cepeda

Bachelor of Arts,
University of South Florida, 2021
Concentration in Intellectual
Property Law

Stephen Chapman

Bachelor of Arts,
Indiana University Bloomington,
2019

Jessica Mingee Chong

Bachelor of Fine Arts,
Ohio State University, 2021

Jonathan Hsien-An Chu

Bachelor of Music,
Vanderbilt University, 2003
Master of Music,
The Juilliard School, 2005
Concentration in Employment
Law

Ezell Travion Rico Cody (A)

Bachelor of Arts,
Webster University, 2016

Brett Colton

Bachelor of Science,
Culver-Stockton College, 2020

Amber Cooley

Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2021

Matthew Finnegan Coughlin

Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2022

Megan C. Cronin

Bachelor of Science,
California State University,
Sacramento, 2022

Chaniese Danielle Crowe

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Northern Iowa, 2015
Master of Health Care
Administration,
Des Moines University, 2020

Tory D. Davidson

Bachelor of Science,
Truman State University, 2015

Alexander W. Davis (A)

Bachelor of Science,
University of Alabama, 2021

Hailey Davis

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Saint
Louis, 2022

Charles R. Dennert

Bachelor of Arts,
Marquette University, 2022

Isabella Marie Dixon

Bachelor of Science,
Fordham University, 2020

Samantha Margaret Dovin

Bachelor of Science,
Saint Louis University, 2022

Claire Elizabeth Dreller

Bachelor of Science,
Indiana University Bloomington,
2020

Krupa Dudani

Bachelor of Science,
University of Georgia, 2017
Concentration in Employment
Law

Jay Parker Dunham

Bachelor of Science,
Southwest Baptist University,
2022

Amanda Marie Ellis

Bachelor of Arts,
Rockhurst University, 2021

Michaela Kathryn Ellison

Bachelor of Arts,
Hardin-Simmons University, 2018
Concentration in Health Law

Nathan William Elmer

Bachelor of Science,
Missouri University of Science
and Technology, 2022
Concentration in Intellectual
Property Law

Amanda M. English

Bachelor of Science,
Drury University, 2020

Maleah Alaine Fallahi

Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2020

Matthew B. Favazza

Bachelor of Arts,
Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville, 2020

Abigail Barris Fierstos

Bachelor of Arts,
Denison University, 2022

Alleigh Marie Fine (D)

Bachelor of Arts,
Carthage College, 2020
Master of Public Health in Health
Management and Policy,
Saint Louis University, 2025
Dual Degree J.D./M.P.H.-H.M.P.
Concentration in Health Law

Thomas McIntyre Finn

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Iowa, 2021

Nolan Forthaus (A)

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Mississippi, 2022

Matthew Joseph Fuhr

Bachelor of Science,
Bradley University, 2005
Master of Science,
Bradley University, 2005

John Scott Garrett

Bachelor of Science,
Xavier University, 2022

Tiffany René Garris (D)

Bachelor of Science,
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute,
2010
Bachelor of Science in Nursing,
Union University, 2017
Master of Health Administration,
Saint Louis University, 2025
Dual Degree J.D./M.H.A.

Sydney Tobin Gaughan

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Arkansas, 2022

D'André Jovan Gaye

Bachelor of Arts,
University of North Carolina at
Chapel Hill, 2022
Concentration in Health Law

Matthew David Gelfman

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Texas at Austin, 2022

Trinity AshLee Gore

Bachelor of Arts,
Southern Illinois University
Carbondale, 2022

Dylan C. Gossett

Bachelor of Science,
Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville, 2022

Sara Lynn Gottman

Bachelor of Music,
Millikin University, 2006
Master of Music,
Washington University in St.
Louis, 2008
Concentration in Employment Law

Katherine Elizabeth Gundersen
Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2022
Concentration in Employment Law

Anisha Venkata Guru
Bachelor of Science,
University of Wisconsin -
Madison, 2022

Lesley Kyle Hane
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2004
Master of Legal Studies,
Washington University in St.
Louis, 2021

Brian McDonnell Hayes
Bachelor of Science,
Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville, 2016
Master of Business Administration,
Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville, 2020

Ian Tobias Heidler
Bachelor of Health Science,
Georgia Southern University, 2021

Charles Christopher Heinze
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2021

Caitlin Helmus
Bachelor of Science,
Indiana University Bloomington, 2021

Taylor I. Hitchcock (D)
Bachelor of Science,
Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville, 2019

Andrew John Holder
Bachelor of Arts,
Truman State University, 2022

Jacob D. Holland
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2021

Riley Kathryn Holleran (D)
Bachelor of Arts,
Miami University, 2021
Master of Health Administration,
Saint Louis University, 2025
Dual Degree J.D./M.H.A.
Concentration in Health Law

Danica May Howell
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Providence, 2017
Bachelor of Science,
University of Providence, 2017

Christa A. Huelskamp (D)
Bachelor of Arts,
Lindenwood University, 2016
Concentration in International and
Comparative Law

Sarah Anne Hunter
Bachelor of Science,
Nebraska Wesleyan University,
2019
Concentration in Employment Law

Mary Louise Jackson
Bachelor of Science,
University of Alabama at
Birmingham, 2021
Concentration in Health Law

Latianna Johnson
Bachelor of Arts,
Lindenwood University, 2021

Morgan Johnson
Bachelor of Arts,
Samford University, 2019

Patrick Johnson
Bachelor of Arts,
Hope College, 2020

Alexandra Camille Jones
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2020
Concentration in Employment Law

Courtney Maurice Jordan
Bachelor of Science,
Webster University, 2019
Concentration in Intellectual
Property Law

Natalie D. Jostes
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Southern Indiana, 2022

Lauren Kelley (D)
Bachelor of Health Services
Administration,
Florida International University,
2016
Master of Business
Administration, Concordia
University, St. Paul, 2019

Benjamin Kelly
Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2022
Concentration in Health Law

Rene Lelesi Kina
Bachelor of Arts,
Washington University in Saint
Louis, 2022

Jessica M. Kolditz
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Graceann Bethellen Kruse
Bachelor of Science,
Iowa State University, 2021
Master of Accounting,
Iowa State University, 2022

Margaret Emily Everett Krussel
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Tennessee, 2020

Anna Joyce Laughlin
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2021

Olukorede T. Lawal
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Illinois Urbana-
Champaign, 2021

Jennifer Lee
Bachelor of Science,
University of Texas at Dallas, 2020

Michael Austin Lhotak
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2012

Crystal Daniella Lindner
Bachelor of Science,
College of Charleston, 2022

Christina Caroline Lutton
Bachelor of Arts,
Loyola University Maryland, 2022

Brian Lawrence Mackenzie
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2019

Sydney Payton Marino
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Noah W. Marlar
Bachelor of Arts,
McKendree University, 2022

Nathan A. Maulding
Bachelor of Arts,
William Woods University, 2022
Concentration in International
and Comparative Law

Marissa Dawn Mayfield
Bachelor of Arts,
Drury University, 2022

Alison Kristina McCarthy
Bachelor of Arts,
Indiana University Bloomington,
2017

Collin J. McDonough
Bachelor of Science,
Truman State University, 2022

Connor Patrick McDonough
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Trevion Devante Onique McGhaw (A)
Bachelor of Science,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2016
Concentration in Intellectual
Property Law

Michael T. McIntyre
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Saint
Louis, 2018

Nicole C. Mense
Bachelor of Science,
University of Central Missouri,
2020

Zachary Brett Morley
Bachelor of Science,
Saint Louis University, 2019
Concentrations in Employment
Law and Intellectual Property
Law

Dominic Richard Moro
Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2022

Christine Nicole Moser
Bachelor of Science,
Vanderbilt University, 2022
Concentration in Health Law

Antwonisha Renee Murray
Bachelor of Science,
Harris-Stowe State University,
2021

Noelle Marie Murray (A)
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Saint
Louis, 2022

Delaney Patricia Nelson
Bachelor of Science,
Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville, 2022

Charles Alexander Nicholson
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Colorado Boulder, 2015
Master of Business Administration,
Saint Louis University, 2024
Dual Degree J.D./M.B.A.

Brendan M. Noble
Bachelor of Science,
Saint Louis University, 2022

Anna Nogalski
Bachelor of Science,
University of Oklahoma, 2022
Concentration in Health Law

Denisha Nandi Odie
Bachelor of Science,
Stevenson University, 2020
Master of Science,
University of Maryland -
Baltimore, 2023

Michelle Nicole Onder
Bachelor of Science,
Saint Louis University, 2020
Master of Public Health,
Saint Louis University, 2022
Concentration in Health Law

Anjali Patel
Bachelor of Arts,
Marquette University, 2021

Michael A. Patterson
Bachelor of Arts,
Marquette University, 2022

Janisha Kache' Pealer
Bachelor of Arts,
Greenville University, 2017

Alexis M. Piskulic
Bachelor of Arts,
Purdue University, 2022
Master of Public Health in Health
Management and Policy,
Saint Louis University, 2026
Dual Degree J.D./M.P.H.-H.M.P.
Concentration in Health Law

Kaleb Rasmussen (D)
Bachelor of Science,
University of Utah, 2020
Master of Health Administration,
Saint Louis University, 2025
Dual Degree J.D./M.H.A.
Concentration in Health Law

Gracie Ann Ricci
Bachelor of Science,
Birmingham-Southern College,
2022
Master of Science in Sociology,
Saint Louis University, 2025
Dual Degree J.D./M.S.
Concentration in International
and Comparative Law

Jaylen Christian Riley
Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Oliver Davis Rolfe
Bachelor of Arts,
High Point University, 2021

Ramie Kate Ruble
Bachelor of Science,
University of Alabama, 2018

Aimen Salem
Bachelor of Science,
University of Illinois Urbana-
Champaign, 2021

Ryan J. Sandifer
Bachelor of Science,
University of Illinois Urbana-
Champaign, 2021

Alyssa McKenzie Savage

Bachelor of Arts,
Lindenwood University, 2020

Margaret Morton Schmid

Bachelor of Arts,
Miami University - Oxford, 2022

Morgan Ashley Schmidt

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Abigail D. Schneider (D)

Bachelor of Arts,
Missouri State University, 2014

Allison Leigh Schultz

Bachelor of Arts,
DePauw University, 2017

Jonah Albert Schwartz

Bachelor of Science,
Tulane University, 2020

Emily Seidl

Bachelor of Arts,
Marquette University, 2022
Concentration in International
and Comparative Law

Erin Sexauer

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2011

Bradley Simontacchi

Bachelor of Science,
Missouri State University -
Springfield, 2022

Scott Michael Sinamon

Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2022
Concentration in Employment
Law

Hannah Jo Skaff

Bachelor of Science,
Saint Louis University, 2022

Nicholas Andres Sondon

Bachelor of Arts,
Chestnut Hill College, 2022
Concentration in Employment
Law

Jenna Marie Southerland

*Bachelor of Science in Business
Administration,*
Texas A&M University, 2022
Master of Accounting,
Saint Louis University, 2024
Dual Degree J.D./M.Acc.

Evan Thomas Spears

*Bachelor of Science in Business
Administration,*
McKendree University, 2021
Master of Business Administration,
McKendree University, 2022

Caitlyn Michelle Specketer

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2021

Nathaniel David Stachowski

Bachelor of Arts,
Missouri Baptist University, 2013
Master of Science,
Missouri Baptist University, 2014

Abrianna Amanda Evette Steele

Bachelor of Arts,
The University of Texas at Austin,
2019

Kristina Michele Stevenson

Bachelor of Science,
Saint Louis University, 2021
Master of Business Administration,
Saint Louis University, 2022

Bailey Marie Stewart

Bachelor of Science,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Brooke Anika Teson

Bachelor of Arts,
Lindenwood University, 2021
Concentration in Employment
Law

Benjamin L. Thal

Bachelor of Science,
Maryville University of Saint
Louis, 2020

Haley Elizabeth Trammell (D)

Bachelor of Arts,
Western Governors University, 2021

Anthony Richard Tretter

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia, 2021

Matthew Steven Trottier (D)

Bachelor of Science,
Saint Louis University, 2012
Master of Business Administration,
Webster University, 2016

Martell Chavies Turner

Bachelor of Arts,
Webster University, 2021
Concentration in International
and Comparative Law

Anirudh V. Vadlamani

Bachelor of Science,
University of Kansas, 2020
Master of Business Administration,
University of Kansas, 2022

Kevin Gerard Valleroy

Bachelor of Science,
Truman State University, 2021

Cameryn Leigh Varble (A)

Bachelor of Arts,
Quincy University, 2022

Clayton H. Varley

Bachelor of Arts,
Missouri Baptist University, 2020

Kenneth J. Viehland

Bachelor of Arts,
Loyola University Chicago, 2022

Allison Ann Wachter

Bachelor of Science,
Saint Louis University, 2022

Andrew Gregory Wachter

Bachelor of Science,
Miami University, 2022

Katelyn Madison Wall

Bachelor of Arts,
Arkansas State University, 2021

Vivian Faith Washington

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Columbia,
2022

Thomas Reedy Webb

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Kentucky, 2020
Concentration in International
and Comparative Law

Jackson Wendling

Bachelor of Science,
University of Nebraska - Lincoln,
2019

Addisyn Marie Wheeler

Bachelor of Science,
Missouri State University, 2022

Adeli M. Wickham

Bachelor of Science,
Andrews University, 2017

Jermeha Monique Williams

Bachelor of Arts,
University of Missouri - Kansas
City, 2019
Concentration in Employment
Law

Sara Elizabeth Worrell

Bachelor of Arts,
Eureka College, 2021

Drue Elizabeth Young

Bachelor of Arts,
Saint Louis University, 2023

Adrien G. Zambrano

Bachelor of Arts,
Truman State University, 2017

Isabella Maria Zoog

Bachelor of Arts,
Webster University, 2020

THE 2025 JOHN C. SHEPHERD

Graduation Speaker

John C. Shepherd, a 1951 graduate of Saint Louis University School of Law, was an internationally recognized trial attorney with an extensive background in the law. He was a senior partner at the law firm of Armstrong, Teasdale, Schlafly & Davis. Prior to his position with the firm, he was the senior partner and chief executive officer of Shepherd, Sandberg & Phoenix.

Shepherd lectured on trial techniques throughout the United States, Canada, England, Ireland, Scotland, Australia and New Zealand. As one who fulfilled a variety of leadership positions within the legal profession, his work with the American Bar Association's Summer Internship Program was particularly rewarding. Shepherd and his colleagues played a role in helping the program become a model for many cities.

He was a past president of the American Bar Association, chairman of the House of Delegates of the American Bar Association, the state delegate for Missouri to the

American Bar Association and president of the Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis. Shepherd also served as chairman of the Board of Overseers for the Hoover Institute, and was a member of the Board of Trustees for the United States Supreme Court Historical Society. He was also on the Board of Directors for Barnes Jewish Hospital, the Municipal Theatre Association and Illinois College.

Shepherd was the recipient of numerous awards and honors, which include among them the Honorary Master of the Bench, the Middle Temple and the Honorary Life Member of the Law Society of England and Wales. He was also given the Lon O. Hocker Memorial Trial Award from the Missouri Bar Foundation, the Award of Honor from the St. Louis Lawyers Association, the Award of Merit from the Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis and the Alumni Merit Award from Saint Louis University.

THE 2025 JOHN C. SHEPHERD GRADUATION SPEAKER

Hon. Mary R. Russell

CHIEF JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF MISSOURI

The Honorable Mary R. Russell is a seventh-generation Missourian, and one of five children raised on a dairy farm in Ralls County. Judge Russell was educated in Hannibal public schools and was valedictorian of her high school graduating class. She earned a Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science, summa cum laude, in communications and print media from Truman State University and earned her Juris Doctor from the University of Missouri-Columbia School of Law.

Judge Russell was appointed to the Supreme Court of Missouri in September 2004 and retained by the voters in November 2006 and November 2018 for 12-year terms. She served as Chief Justice from July 2013 to June 2015 and is currently serving a second term from July 2023 to June 2025. Prior to her appointment to the Supreme Court, Judge Russell served as a judge on the Missouri Court of Appeals, Eastern District, from 1995 to 2004 and as its Chief Judge from 1999 to 2000. Prior to her appointment to the bench, she was a partner at Clayton & Rhodes Law Office in Hannibal from 1984 to 1995, and a law clerk for the Honorable George Gunn of the Supreme Court of Missouri from 1983 to 1984.

Judge Russell is a member of The Missouri Bar, Illinois Bar Association, Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association, Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis, Lawyers' Association of St. Louis, Springfield Metropolitan Bar Association, 10th Circuit Bar Association, Cole County Bar Association, American Bar Association, National Association of Women Judges, Women Lawyers Association of St. Louis, Mid-Missouri Women Lawyers' Association, and the Elwood L. Thomas Inn of Court.

Judge Russell is a volunteer judge for the Lewis and Clark Middle School "truancy court" in Jefferson City and a mentor for members of The Missouri Bar and others. She is a continuing legal education lecturer and instructor for the Missouri Judicial College, National Appellate Judges' Conference, and National District Attorneys Association.

Judge Russell's civic and charitable activities include membership in the Rotary Clubs of Jefferson City and Kirkwood, Blue Springs Lions Club, Zonta in Jefferson City, Grace Episcopal Church in Jefferson City, PEO BW Chapter in Jefferson City, the University of Missouri Alumni Association, St. Louis Forum, Missouri Women's Forum, and the Board of Directors of the Matthews-Dickey Boys' and Girls' Club of St. Louis and Missouri CASA. Judge Russell speaks to students and adults on Constitution Day, the YMCA Youth in Government State Leadership Program, the American Legion Youth in Government, and Missouri Girls' State. She also reads to elementary students for Read Across America and is a judge for the We the People state finals.

Judge Russell has been awarded The Missouri Bar Honorable Theodore McMillian Judicial Excellence Award, Ingram's "50 Missourians You Should Know," Missouri Lawyers Media Woman of the Year, the Daily Record Women's Justice Award, Rotarian of the Year, Zonta "Woman of Achievement," the Women Lawyers Association of St. Louis Woman of the Year, Henry Toll Fellow, the University of Missouri Citation of Merit Alumni Award, the University of Missouri-Columbia Faculty/Alumni Award, Legal Services of Eastern Missouri Equal Justice Award, Kirkwood Citizen of the Year, and the Truman State University Outstanding Alumni Award.

THE FACULTY

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Jamille Fields Allsbrook
Assistant Professor

Richard C. Amelung
Professor Emeritus of Legal Research

John J. Ammann
*McDonnell Professor of Justice
in American Society Emeritus*

Kathryn P. Banks
*Associate Professor; Associate
Dean for Experiential Education;
Director, Children's Permanency
Clinic*

Lauren E. Bartlett
*Professor; Director
Human Rights at Home Clinic*

Jon Baris
Dean of Students

Petina Benigno
*Assistant Director, Academic
and Bar Exam Success*

Matthew E. Braun
*Director of the Law Library; Assistant
Library Professor of Law*

S. Paige Canfield
*Professor; Director, Appellate
Advocacy*

Kathleen E. Casey
*Head of Reference and Faculty
Services; Assistant Professor of
Legal Research*

A.J. Chivetta
Professor of Practice

Belinda Dantley
*Assistant Dean for Diversity, Equity
and Inclusion*

Isaak I. Dore
*Distinguished Professor of Law and
Philosophy Emeritus*

Michael C. Duff
Professor

Danielle Pelfrey Duryea
Assistant Professor

Monica Eppinger
Associate Professor

Susan A. FitzGibbon
Professor Emerita

Chad W. Flanders
Professor

Bradley E.S. Fogel
Professor

Robert Gatter
Professor

Barbara J. Gilchrist
Faculty Emerita

Kelly Gillespie
*Professor; Director, Center for
Health Law Studies*

Jesse A. Goldner
*John D. Valentine Professor of Law
Emeritus*

Marcia A. Goldsmith
Professor

Joel K. Goldstein
*Vincent C. Immel Professor of Law
Emeritus*

Thomas L. Greaney
*Chester A. Myers Professor of Law
Emeritus*

John M. Griesbach
Associate Professor

Marsha Griggs
Associate Professor

Malcolm J Harkins III
Professor of Practice

Lynn K. Hartke
Assistant Professor of Legal Research

Jeremiah Ho
Associate Professor

Alan J. Howard
Professor Emeritus

Sandra H. Johnson
Professor Emerita

Twinette Johnson
Dean; Professor

William P. Johnson
Professor

Samuel P. Jordan
Professor

Nancy H. Kaufman
Professor Emerita

Melvin D. Kennedy
Professor of Practice

Michael Korybut
Professor

Kerrin M. Kowach
Professor

David A. Lander
Professor of Practice

Jeffrey E. Lewis
Dean Emeritus; Professor

Yvette Joy Liebesman
Professor

Dana M. Malkus
*Professor; Associate Dean for
Academic Affairs; Director,
Entrepreneurship and Community
Development Clinic*

Marcia L. McCormick
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