

TARA SKLAR, JD, MPH

University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
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EDUCATION AND RELATED STUDENT POSITIONS

University of Houston Law Center, Juris Doctor with Health Law & Policy Concentration, 2007

Dean's Scholarship Recipient, 2004-2007

Texas Department of Insurance, Associate in Health Policy, 2006-2007

Food and Drug Administration, Associate in Health Policy & Planning, 2006

MD Anderson Cancer Center, Associate in Clinical Ethics, 2005

University of Texas, Master of Public Health in Management, Policy, & Community Health, 2007

[Master's Thesis](#): *Government Initiatives to Expand Health Insurance*, Advisor Pauline Rosenau

City of Houston Mayor's Office, Health Law & Policy Analyst, 2005-2007

Tulane University, BA in Political Science, *magna cum laude*, 2002

Honors Thesis: *Moving for Medicine: Impact of State Medicaid Policy Variations on Access to Care*

EMPLOYMENT

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

The University of Arizona

James E. Rogers College of Law

Director, Health Law & Policy Program, 2018-present

Associate Scholar, 2021-present

Launched and oversee a [portfolio](#) of 35 health law courses offered at the graduate and undergraduate levels, along with five certificates. Developed curriculum in collaboration with seven University of Arizona colleges and global companies.

Courses: [Aging & the Law](#), 2022-present and [Telehealth Law & Policy](#), 2023-present

College of Medicine, Tucson

Associate Director, Telehealth Law & Policy, Arizona Telemedicine Program, 2021-present

Health Sciences

Senior Faculty Advisor and Chair, Innovations in Healthy Aging Advisory Council, 2021-2024

Course: [Paths to Education in Aging](#): A Mini Course, 2025-present

University of Melbourne

School of Population and Global Health

Founding Faculty Director of Aging Programs, 2013-2016; *Health Law Fellow*, 2016-2019

Established a Master of Aging degree by connecting nine University of Melbourne colleges.

Led an Aging Industry Advisory Network of 200 organizations across Australia, Asia, and New Zealand.

Courses: Public Health Leadership, 2013-2015 and Coursera MOOC, [Rethinking Aging](#), 2015-2019

Saint Louis University

School of Public Health and Social Justice

Adjunct Associate Professor, Health Management and Policy, 2011-2013

Course: Community Benefit Governance & Policy, 2011-2013

LEGAL & PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources Services Administration (HRSA)

Subject Matter Expert for Telehealth Policy, 2022-2024

Telehealth law and policy consultant under HRSA's Office for the Advancement of Telehealth.

Provided recommendations, developed best practice guides, and advised on nationwide telehealth law and policy issues for the telehealth.hhs.gov website.

Department of Health and Human Services, Southwest Telehealth Resource Center

Senior Advisor for Health Law & Policy, 2021-present

Perform this role as part of my work with the Arizona Telemedicine Program, College of Medicine-Tucson. Conduct research, provide presentations, and advise on telehealth policy questions from healthcare entities and individuals in Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, and Nevada.

State Bar of California

Professional Responsibility for Attorneys and Legal Paraprofessionals Research Advisor, 2021-2022

Advised the State Bar of California Board of Trustees and Office of Research & Institutional Accountability on applying principles of risk-based regulation for California legal professionals.

Carondelet Health Network/Ascension Health

Inaugural Director of Community Health, 2008-2010

Directed all aspects of the Community Benefit and Social Accountability Program. Expanded staff from a sole director to a 10-person department in two years with the support of a \$2 million private donation.

Bastyr Naturopathic University

Institutional Review Board Coordinator, 2002-2004

Performed preliminary review for clinical trial proposals on alternative and complementary therapies. Developed and led training sessions for Scientific Review Committee and Institutional Review Board.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Distinguished Public Service Scholar, University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law, 2023-2026

Rising Star in Legal Academia, 25th Clifford Symposium in Tort Law & Social Policy, 2019

Teaching Excellence in Innovation Award, University of Melbourne, 2016

Commitment to Excellence Award, Ascension Health & Carondelet Health Network, 2010

Healthcare Interdisciplinary Award, University of Texas Health Houston, 2007

Dunbar Award in Political Science for Academic Excellence, Tulane University, 2002

Dreyfus Award for Women's Health Advocacy, Newcomb College, 2002

SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

EDITORIAL SERVICE

[Associate Editor](#), J. GLOBAL BIOSECURITY, 2018-2024

PEER REVIEW FOR JOURNAL ARTICLES, GRANTS, BOOK PROPOSALS, AND CONFERENCE ABSTRACTS

2025: AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PUBLIC HEALTH; AMERICAN JOURNAL OF LAW & MEDICINE

2024: MILBANK QUARTERLY; JOURNAL OF GENERAL INTERNAL MEDICINE

2023: JOURNAL OF GENERAL INTERNAL MEDICINE; AMERICAN JOURNAL OF LAW & MEDICINE; JOURNAL OF LAW, MEDICINE, & ETHICS; MAYO CLINIC PROCEEDINGS: DIGITAL HEALTH

2022: JOURNAL OF GENERAL INTERNAL MEDICINE; AMERICAN JOURNAL OF LAW & MEDICINE; HEALTHCARE POLICY.
Reviewed grant proposals: Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), U of A Hispanic Serving Institution Seed Grants, and New Zealand Royal Society Marsden Fund Council
2021: AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PUBLIC HEALTH; JOURNAL OF LAW & BIOSCIENCES; JOURNAL OF GENERAL INTERNAL MEDICINE.
Reviewed book proposals in health law and bioethics: Oxford University Press, Cambridge University Press, and Computer-Assisted Legal Instruction (CALI)
Reviewed conference abstracts: American Public Health Association

LOCAL/STATE OUTREACH

Arizona Society for Hospital and Healthcare Association, Advisor, 2025-present
 Arizona Society for Healthcare Attorneys, Scholars Program, [Advisor](#), 2023-present
 Arizona Technology Council Public Policy Committee, Advisor, 2022-2023
 Arizona Bioethics Network, [Board Member](#), 2021-2022

NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL OUTREACH

Cross-State Telehealth Initiative, Johns Hopkins Medicine and Harvard Law, Member, 2025-present
 Association of American Law Schools, Aging & the Law Section, [Chair and Officer](#), 2022-2024
 LeadingAge University Advisory Council, [Member](#), 2022-2023
 National Consortium of Telehealth Resource Centers, [Telehealth Policy Expert](#), 2022 - present
 Southwest Telehealth Resource Center Team Member, [Senior Advisor](#), 2021- present
 Critical Path Institute, CURE Drug Repurposing Collaboratory, [Member](#), 2021- 2022
 Center for Telehealth and e-Health Law (CTeL), Advisory Board, [Member](#), 2021-2024
 Uniform Law Commission Study Committee on [Uniform Determination of Death Act](#), Observer, 2021-2022
 International Society for Cardiovascular Translational Research, [Advisory Board Member](#), 2021-present

COLLEGE COMMITTEES

Arizona Law, Enrichment Committee, Member 2024-2025
 Arizona Law, Faculty Awards Committee, Member, 2024
 Arizona Law, Hiring Committee for Marketing and Communications, 2022
 Arizona Law, Undergraduate and Master of Legal Studies Committee, Member, 2022-present
 Arizona Law, Professional & Executive Education Committee, Chair, 2021-2022
 Arizona Law, Future of Legal Education Committee, Member, 2021-2022
 Arizona Law, Health Law Society, Faculty Advisor, 2021-present

UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES

Arizona COM-T, B.S. Medical Device Development and Application, Committee Member, 2023-present
 Arizona College of Medicine–T, Telemedicine Program Director Search, Member, 2023-2024
 Graduate Interdisciplinary Program Innovations in Aging Executive Committee [Member](#), 2022-present
 Innovations in Healthy Aging Advisory Council, Chair, 2022-2024
 Arizona Telemedicine Program, Senior Leadership Team [Member](#), 2021-present
 Arizona Online Faculty Advisory Committee, Member, 2021-2022
 Arizona College of Medicine–Phoenix, Bioethics Degree, Advisory Committee, [Member](#), 2021-2024
 U of A Health Sciences Innovations in Healthy Aging Working Team, [Advisor](#), 2021-2024
 Banner Health and University of Arizona, Bioethics Committee, Member, 2021-2023

PUBLICATIONS

Accepted or published 6 book chapters, 9 peer-reviewed articles, 6 non-refereed law journal articles, 14 shorter works, and a forthcoming book with West Academic Publishing. Research is published in high-impact health and law journals, including the New England Journal of Medicine and Journal of Empirical Legal Studies.

SCHOLARLY BOOKS

Telehealth Law & Policy in a Nutshell, West Academic Publishing (forthcoming 2026).

CHAPTERS IN SCHOLARLY BOOKS

Tara Sklar, *Implementation and Enforcement of Quality and Safety in Long-Term Care*, in COVID-19 POLICY PLAYBOOK: LEGAL RECOMMENDATIONS FOR A SAFER, MORE EQUITABLE FUTURE, Scott Burris, et al., eds., Boston: Public Health Law Watch (2020-2021), 143-147 (Vol. I: [SSRN](#)) 126-130 (Vol. II: [SSRN](#)).

Michelle Newman, Robyn Golden, E. Tiburcio, **Tara Sklar**, & E. Jurkowski, *Workforce Development for an Aging Population*, in HEALTHY AGING THROUGH THE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH, Aaron Guest & Elaine Jurkowski, eds., American Public Health Assoc. Press, 225-242 (2021) ([SSRN](#)).

Tara Sklar & Kirin Goff, *Equity is Inextricably Linked to Healthcare*, in JURISPRUDENTIAL LEGACY OF RUTH BADER GINSBURG, A. Bartow & R. Vacca, eds., NYU Press, 207-221 (2023) ([SSRN](#)).

Kathryn Huber & **Tara Sklar**, *Digitally Enabled Medicaid in HCBS*, in DIGITAL HEALTHCARE OUTSIDE OF TRADITIONAL CLINICAL SETTINGS: ETHICAL, LEGAL, & REGULATORY CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES, I. Glenn Cohen, et. al., eds., Cambridge University Press, 185-195 (2024) ([SSRN](#)).

Diana Freed, Malya Levin, & **Tara Sklar**, *From Care to Technology-Facilitated Abuse: Law and Policy Approaches to Safeguard Against AgeTech Misuse*, in LAW, HEALTHCARE, AND THE AGING BRAIN & BODY, I. Glenn Cohen, eds., Cambridge University Press ([forthcoming 2026](#)).

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

Tara Sklar & Christopher Robertson, *Affordability Boards: The States' New Fix for Drug Pricing*, 381 New Engl. J. Med. 1301-1304 (2019) ([SSRN](#)).

Tara Sklar, Yamna Taouk, David Studdert, Matthew Spittal, Ron Patterson, & Marie Bismark, *Characteristics of Lawyers Who are Subject to Complaints and Misconduct Findings*, 17 J. Empirical Legal Stud. 2, 1-25 (2019) ([SSRN](#)).

Tara Sklar & Christopher Robertson, *Telehealth for an Aging Population: How Can Law Influence Adoption Among Providers, Payors & Patients?*, 46 Am. J. L. & Med. 311-324 (2020) ([SSRN](#)).

Mabel Crescioni & **Tara Sklar**, *The Research Exemption Carve Out: Understanding Research Participants Rights Under GDPR and U.S. Data Privacy Laws*, 60 Jurimetrics 1, 125-138 (2020) ([SSRN](#)).

Tara Sklar, J. Moore, M. Bismark, & Y. Taouk, *Vulnerability to Legal Misconduct: A Profile of Problem Lawyers in Victoria, Australia*, 27 Int'l J. Legal Profession 3, 269-289 (2020) ([SSRN](#)).

Shefali Milczarek-Desai & **Tara Sklar**, *The Return of Typhoid Mary? Immigrant Workers in Nursing Homes*, 1 J. Elder Pol'y 3, 175-198 (2021) ([SSRN](#)).

Stephanie Zawada, Kevin Ruff, **Tara Sklar**, & Bart Demaerschalk, *State-Based Barriers to Decentralized Clinical Trials*, 7 J. of Clinical & Translational Sci. 162, 1-4 (2023) ([SSRN](#)).

Priya Bathija, Elizabeth Krupinski, Jorge Rodriguez, & **Tara Sklar**, *Achieving Digital Health Equity by Personalizing the Patient Experience*, 4 Telemedicine Reports 1, 166-173 (2023) ([SSRN](#)).

Kathryn Huber & **Tara Sklar**, *Regulating Digital Healthcare for the Cognitively Impaired*, 19 J. OF HEALTH & LIFE SCI. L. 1, 97-114 (2024) ([SSRN](#)).

LAW REVIEW AND LAW JOURNAL ARTICLES

Tara Sklar & Rachel Zuraw, *Preparing to Age in Place: The Role of Medicaid Waivers in Elder Abuse Prevention*, 28 ANNALS HEALTH L. & LIFE SCI. 2, 195-224 (2019) ([SSRN](#)).

Tara Sklar, *Elderly Gun Ownership and the Wave of State Red Flag Laws: An Unintended Consequence That Could Help Many*, 27 ELDER L.J. 1 (2019), 101-115 ([SSRN](#)).

Rachel Zuraw & **Tara Sklar**, *Digital Health Privacy & Age: Quality and Safety Improvement in Long-Term Care*, 17 IND. HEALTH L. REV. 85-98 (2020) ([SSRN](#)).

Tara Sklar & Mabel Crescioni, *Research Participants' Rights to Data Protection in the Era of Open Science*, 69 DEPAUL L. REV. 2, 699-718 (2020) ([SSRN](#)).

Shefali Milczarek-Desai & **Tara Sklar**, *Immigrant Workers' Voices as Catalysts for Reform in the Long-Term Care Industry*, 3 ARIZ. ST. L. J. 891-946 (2023) ([SSRN](#)).

Tara Sklar & Kathryn Huber, *Advancing Virtual Care Practices Across the Cognitive Impairment Continuum*, 35 HEALTH MATRIX 191, 2025 ([SSRN](#)).

OTHER SCHOLARSHIP

Pandemics and Polarization: Implications of Partisan Budgeting for Responding to Public Health Emergencies, Book Review, 1 J. Global Biosecurity 2 (2019) ([text](#)).

Digital Health Privacy in Active-Aging Settings: Will the Law Let You Age Well?, 18 J. Active Aging 7, 34-43 (2019) (co-authored Richard Carmona, Christopher Robertson, & Kathleen Insel) ([SSRN](#)).

Law and Telemedicine in the Time of COVID-19, Blog, Arizona Telemedicine Program, May 7, 2020 ([text](#)).

How COVID-19 Could Drive Improvements in Care Facilities (Part I), Blog, Harvard Law School Bill of Health, May 29, 2020 (co-authored with Nicolas Terry) ([text](#)).

States are Making it Harder to Sue Nursing Homes Over COVID-19: Why Immunity from Lawsuits is a Problem, The Conversation, June 9, 2020 (co-authored with Nicolas Terry) ([text](#)).

How COVID-19 Could Drive Improvements in Care Facilities (Part II), Blog, Harvard Law School Bill of Health, June 10, 2020 (co-authored with Nicolas Terry) ([text](#)).

Why Aren't Nursing Home Aides Exposed to COVID-19 Taking Paid Sick Leave, The Conversation, November 24, 2020 (co-authored with Shefali Milczarek-Desai) ([text](#)).

Telehealth & the Future of Long-Term Care, Blog, Harvard Law School Bill of Health, April 6, 2021 ([text](#)).

Disentangling Telehealth from the PHE, Blog, Southwest Telehealth Resource Center, Jan. 12, 2023 ([text](#)).

Navigating Telehealth Legislative Changes, Blog, Arizona Telemedicine Program, April 27, 2023 ([text](#)).

What Does Talevski Tell Us About Future Nursing Home Litigation? Bulletin, American Health Law Association, July 6, 2023 (co-authored with Katherine Barnett,^o Arizona Law student) ([text](#)).

Extension of Telehealth Flexibilities, Blog, Southwest Telehealth Resource Center, Aug. 17, 2023 ([text](#)).

Pursuing an Interstate Medical Telemedicine Registration Compact, 2024 Future of Telehealth Regulation Symposium, Harvard Law School, Center for Health Law & Policy Innovation, Sept. 9, 2024 ([text](#)).

The States' Hodgepodge of Physician Licensure Regulations, Commentary, J. L., Med., & Ethics, October 22, 2024, (co-authored with Christopher Robertson) ([SSRN](#)).

MEDIA

INTERVIEW RECORDINGS WITH NEWS OUTLETS

Featured on major news outlets by video or audio, including Good Morning America and NPR Science Friday.

Regulating Digital Healthcare for the Cognitively Impaired, Speaking of Health Law, American Health Law Association (September 6, 2024) ([audio](#)).

Uncertainty About Telehealth Coverage Could Hamper its Use, NPR/KJZZ, April 30, 2024 ([audio](#)).

I Connect Collaborators,” University of Arizona Health Sciences News Stories, Nov. 1, 2023 ([video](#)).

How Patients Navigate Insurance Coverage for Weight-Loss Medications, Good Morning America, Cover Story on Telemedicine and Drugs Used for Weight Loss, October 17, 2023 ([video](#)).

Proposed Telemedicine Rules Could Impact Arizona’s Most Vulnerable, KOLD, Feb. 28, 2023 ([video](#)).

Home and Community-Based Services with Digital Health, Harvard Law Spotlight, Aug. 17, 2022 ([video](#)).

What Does HIPAA Actually Do?, National Public Radio Science Friday, June 24, 2022 ([audio](#)).

Legal Expert Wants You to Know About Long-Term Care, Health Connect, March 10, 2022 ([video](#)).

Future of Telemedicine, National Public Radio, All Sides with Ann Fisher, October 6, 2021 ([audio](#)).

When Can a Business or Institution Mandate COVID vaccines?, Arizona 360, June 18, 2021 ([video](#)).

Legal Experts Say Private Business Can Require Vaccinations, KOLD News, April 19, 2021 ([video](#)).

COVID Vaccine’s Rapid Approval and Public Trust, AZ Public Media, Dec. 18, 2020, ([video](#)).

COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution Underway in Arizona, Arizona 360, December 18, 2020 ([video](#)).

COVID-19 Highlighted Ignored Nursing Home Issues, KTAR News, September 14, 2020 ([audio](#)).

COVID-19 Brought to Light Issues in Nursing Homes, KOLD News, September 11, 2020 ([video](#)).

COVID-19 in Classrooms: What Should Schools Publicly Share?, KOLD News, Aug. 26, 2020 ([video](#)).

Are School Liable in the Event of a COVID-19 Outbreak?, Arizona360, August 14, 2020 ([video](#)).

COVID Precautions Employers Are Taking to Address Liabilities, Arizona 360, May 15, 2020 ([video](#)).

EXPERT INTERVIEWS AND CITED RESEARCH

Provided 38 interviews and quoted by prominent media outlets, including ABC News 538, Axios, Bloomberg Law, CBS News, Harvard Gazette, KFF Health News, Law360, MIT Technology Review, NPR, and The Verge.

“New Medicaid Federal Work Requirements Mean Less Leeway for the States,” CBS News, August 4, 2025 ([quote](#)) and Kaiser Family Foundation Health News, August 5, 2025 ([quote](#)).

“Doctors and Patients are Calling for More Telehealth.” MIT Technology Review, Feb. 21, 2025 ([quote](#)).

“Meet the Expert: Online Graduate Certificates in Health Law,” MHA Online, May 23, 2024, ([interview](#)).

“Spotlight: AALS Aging & the Law Section Leadership,” AALS News, Spring 2024, ([interview](#)).

“Healthcare Industry Sees Spate of New Data Sharing Suits,” Law360, April 16, 2024 ([quote](#)).

“Social Media Ads Inject New Angle in Ozempic Cases,” Law.com, March 15, 2024 ([quote](#))

“UA Law Launches Health Law & Policy Undergraduate Certificate,” Arizona Law, Jan. 9, 2024 ([quote](#)).

“Telehealth Summit Advances Dialogue and Networking Among Lawmakers, Providers, and Scholars,” Arizona Telemedicine Blog, Nov. 30, 2023 ([quote](#) and [photo slideshow](#)).

“Digital Health Technologies for an Aging Population,” Regulatory Review, October 31, 2024 ([quote](#)).

“Should Walmart be Data-Mining Your Ozempic Prescriptions?” The Verge, Oct. 9, 2023 ([quote](#)).

“Who Wins When Telehealth Companies Push Weight-Loss Drugs,” The Verge, Oct. 2, 2023 ([quote](#)).

“Private Equity’s Impact on the Nursing Home Industry,” Lex Magazine, Drexel University, 2023 ([quote](#)).

“AZ Telemedicine Program 2023 Policy Summit,” AZ Telemedicine Program, Sept. 13, 2023 ([interview](#)).

“Desai and Sklar Elevate Voices of Im/migrant Women in Long-Term Care in New Empirical Study,” UA James E. Rogers College of Law News, September 13, 2023 ([quote](#)).

“Second Annual Washington Summit on Health Aging,” UArizona Health Sciences, May 19, 2023 ([quote](#)).

“The Hardest Part of Red Flag Laws Isn’t Getting Them Passed,” ABC News 538, Feb. 17, 2023 ([quote](#)).

“Amazon Rx: Data Privacy and Amazon Clinic,” Healthline, November 18, 2022 ([quote](#)).

“Are You Prepared to Grow Old?” National Public Radio KJZZ, July 18, 2022 ([quote](#)).

“Long-Term Care After COVID-19,” Regulatory Review, June 25, 2022 ([quote](#)).

“How Much Data Does my Employer Have Access to?” Mozilla, June 24, 2022 ([quote](#)).

“Advocacy for Older Adults,” Health Sciences Connect, May 31, 2022 ([interview](#)).

“Ethical & Legal Frameworks to Support Health Aging,” Tomorrow is Here UAHS, May 17, 2022 ([quote](#)).

“The Law Professor Who’s Fighting for Your Health Rights,” Arizona Law, April 28, 2022 ([interview](#)).

“Confusion Over Health Privacy Law,” Bloomberg Law, August 17, 2021 ([quote](#)).

“Arizona Universities Plan to Tackle COVID-19,” Arizona Republic, August 6, 2021 ([quote](#)).

“Tying Colleges’ Hands,” Inside Higher Ed, June 30, 2021 ([quote](#)).

“An Expert Weighs In: Is Telemedicine Here to Stay?” MHA Online, June 21, 2021 ([interview](#)).

“America’s Nursing Homes Fight to Find Enough Caregivers,” Axios, June 9, 2021 ([quote](#)).

“Telehealth Works, but Upgrade is Still Needed,” The Harvard Gazette, April 8, 2021, ([quote](#)).

“Precarious Working Conditions of Nursing Home Employees,” Truthout, November 29, 2020 ([quote](#)).

“Why Nursing Home Aides Exposed to COVID-19 Aren’t Taking Sick Leave,” Associated Press News, Nov. 23, 2020 ([quote](#)) and featured in: Seattle Post-Intelligencer ([quote](#)) and Yahoo! Money ([quote](#)).

“Trump’s EO Doesn’t Protect Preexisting Conditions,” Healthline, September 28, 2020 ([quote](#)).

“Long-Term Care Faces ‘Defunding’ Calls,” McKnight’s Long-Term Care News, Sept. 10, 2020 ([quote](#)).

“COVID-19 Highlighted Longstanding Problems in Long-Term Care,” UANews, Sept. 10, 2020 ([interview](#)).

“Experts Call on Officials to Shore Up Pandemic Response,” Courthouse News, August 18, 2020 ([quote](#)).

“States Protect Nursing Homes from Coronavirus Lawsuits,” The National Interest, June 10, 2020 ([quote](#)).

“COVID Testing Should be Covered, but Patients are Asked to Pay,” AZ Daily Star, April 19, 2020 ([quote](#)).

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Led four national summits for the University of Arizona in Washington DC and Phoenix, Arizona, where I developed the annual summit theme, selected the speakers, and served as the Master of Ceremonies.

CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

Master of Ceremonies: [2023 Arizona Telehealth Policy Summit](#), University of Arizona, October, 24, 2023.

Master of Ceremonies: [2023 Innovations in Healthy Aging Summit](#), University of Arizona, May 24, 2023.

Master of Ceremonies: [2022 Arizona Telemedicine Policy Summit](#), University of Arizona, Nov. 15, 2022.

Master of Ceremonies: [2022 Innovations in Healthy Aging Summit](#), University of Arizona, June 8, 2022.

SYMPOSIA AND CONFERENCES

Presented at 28 national symposia and conferences, including Harvard Law School and Mass General Brigham.

Navigating Federal and State Telehealth Policies Affecting Tribal Healthcare, 2025 Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arizona 12th Annual Tribal Summit, September 24, 2025 (invited).

AI in Law and Medicine: Legal and Ethical Considerations, [2025 Arizona Society for Healthcare Attorneys Conference](#), September 19, 2025 (co-present with Gary Marchant) (invited).

From Care to Technology-Facilitated Threats and Abuse: Legal and Regulatory Approaches to Safeguard Against AgeTech Misuse, [2025 Harvard Law School Petrie-Flom Center Annual Conference](#), June 9, 2025 (co-present with Diana Freed) (submitted).

Navigating Telehealth's Crossroads: Access, Quality, and the Push for Parity, [2025 American Society for Law, Medicine, & Ethics Annual Health Law Professors Conference](#), June 4, 2025 (submitted).

Removing Licensure Barriers to Interstate Telehealth, 2025 Johns Hopkins University Policy Summit, May 20, 2025 (invited).

Marginalization of Older Adults, [2025 Annual Meeting Association of American Law Schools](#), Jan. 10, 2025 (Chair of AALS Aging & the Law Section – led main program, selected theme, and served as Moderator).

Advancing Virtual Care Practices Across the Cognitive Impairment Continuum, [2024 Arizona Bioethics Network Annual Conference on Chasing Innovation](#), April 26, 2024 (invited).

Advancing Virtual Care Practices Across the Cognitive Impairment Continuum, [2024 Case Western Reserve University's Cognitive Decline and the Law Conference](#), March 1, 2024 (invited).

Telehealth Year in Review: State and Federal Policy Updates, [2024 Arizona Society for Healthcare Attorneys Annual Conference](#), February 23, 2024 (invited).

Closing Care Gaps Through Telehealth Policy and Broadband Access, [2024 Arizona Rural & Public Health Policy Forum](#), February 6, 2024 (invited).

Immigrant Workers' Voices as Catalysts for Reform in the Long-Term Care Industry, [2024 Annual Meeting Association of American Law Schools](#), January 5, 2024 (submitted).

Equity is Inextricably Linked to Healthcare, [Conference on Jurisprudential Legacy of Ruth Bader Ginsburg](#), University of New Hampshire School of Law, Sep. 22, 2023 (co-present, with Kirin Goff) (invited).

Achieving Digital Health Equity & Inclusion for an Aging Population, [2023 American Society for Law, Medicine, & Ethics Annual Health Law Professors Conference](#), June 9, 2023 (submitted).

Health Equity & Digital Infrastructure, [2023 Arizona Society for Healthcare Attorneys Annual Conference](#), February 24, 2023 (invited).

Achieving Digital Health Equity, [2022 Mass General Brigham Symposium](#), Nov. 8, 2022 (invited).

Racial Justice in Long-Term Care, [2022 American Public Health Assoc. Conf.](#), Nov. 6, 2022 (submitted).

Implementation of Medical Device Development Education, 2022 International Society for Cardiovascular Translational Research Annual Meeting, Oct. 23, 2022 (invited).

The Return of Typhoid Mary? Immigrant Workers in Nursing Homes, 2022 American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, October 26, 2022 (submitted).

Digitally Enabled Medicaid Home & Community-Based Services, [2022 Harvard Law School Petrie-Flom Center Annual Conference](#), June 15, 2022 (co-present with Kathryn Huber) (submitted).

Racial Justice in Long-Term Care, 2022 American Society for Law, Medicine, & Ethics Annual Health Law Professors Conference, June 2, 2022 (submitted).

Racial Justice in Long-Term Care, 2022 American Society on Aging, April 12, 2022 (submitted).

Legal Barriers for Older Adults to Access Telehealth, [Journal of Law & Technology 2022 Symposium on Lawyering in the Digital Age](#), University of Richmond School of Law, February 4, 2022 (invited).

Telehealth Legislation, [2022 Annual AZ Rural & Public Health Policy Forum](#), Feb. 1, 2022 (invited).

Genetic Testing: Access, Rights, Privacy, & Consent, 2022 Pharmacogenomics & Precision Medicine Symposium, University of Arizona College of Medicine-Phoenix, January 14, 2022 (invited).

Racial Justice in Long-Term Care, [2022 Association of American Law Schools](#), Jan. 8, 2022 (submitted).

COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS RELATED TO RESEARCH OR TEACHING

During my time in current rank, I delivered over 60 presentations to universities, national, state, and local audiences with many offering continuing education credit for lawyers, physicians, and health professionals.

Federal Telehealth Policy: The Evolution of Medicare Telehealth Flexibilities, Arizona Telemedicine Council, October 16, 2025.

Health Law & Advocacy, UA Health Law Society and COM-T Advocacy and Policy Group, Sept. 17, 2025.

Foundations of Telehealth Law & Policy, Fall 2025 Telemedicine Training Program, September 9, 2025.

Telehealth & Heatwave Resilience, Arizona Telemedicine Council, April 16, 2025 (co-present, with Telehealth Law MLS Student Scholar, Amanda Hutt).

Federal Telehealth Policy: The Evolution of Medicare Telehealth Flexibilities, Arizona Telemedicine Council, April 16, 2025.

Health Law & Policy Career Forum, Arizona Hospital and Healthcare Association, Tucson Medical Center, and Arizona Law Health Law Society, April 9, 2025.

Foundations of Telehealth Law & Policy, Spring 2025 Telemedicine Training Program, April 1, 2025.

Interstate Telehealth Deregulation, Council of Economic Advisors, March 17, 2025.

^{Health}
Digital Health Legal Landscape: User Guide to State Data Privacy Laws, Arizona Society for Healthcare Attorneys and Arizona Law TechLaw, March 11, 2025, [webinar](#).

Telehealth Forecast 2025, Chronic Care Policy Alliance, Jan.28, 2025, [webinar](#).

Foundations of Telehealth Law & Policy, Winter 2025 Telemedicine Training Program, Jan. 28, 2025.

Harmonizing International Telehealth Regulations, Arizona Telemedicine Council, Jan. 15, 2025 (co-present, with Telehealth Law JD Student Scholar Masoud Ghorbani).

Telehealth Policy Evolution, Arizona Telemedicine Council, Jan. 15, 2025.

Arizona Law, Health Law & Policy Program Information Session, Health Law Society, October 28, 2024.

Regulating Telehealth and Weight-Loss Drugs: Access and Marketing Practices, Arizona Telemedicine Council, October 16, 2024 (co-present, with Telehealth Law JD Student Scholar Allison Rascon).

Foundations of Telehealth Law & Policy, Fall 2024 Telemedicine Training Program, September 17, 2024.

State Telehealth Policy Development, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Aug 13, 2024.

Aging & the Law Scholarship Sharing Session, Association of American Law Schools, Aug. 13, 2024.

Strengthening Arizona's Direct Care Workforce with Digital Health Training, Banner, July 17, 2024.

Access to Telemental Health, National Consortium of Telehealth Resource Centers, June 12, 2024, [webinar](#).

Come As You Are?: Democratizing Healthcare Through Black Church - Telehealth Initiatives, Arizona Telemedicine Program, May 23, 2024 (co-present, with Meighan Parker), [webinar](#).

Advancing Virtual Care Practices Across the Cognitive Impairment Continuum, Syracuse University College of Law, April 24, 2024.

Foundations of Telehealth Law & Policy, Spring 2024 Telemedicine Training Program, April 23, 2024.

Closing Care Gaps Through Telehealth Policy, Arizona Telemedicine Council, April 17, 2024.

Artificial Intelligence Enabling Radiological Devices, International Society for Cardiovascular Translational Research, NYU Langone Health, and Purdue University, April 10, 2024.

Bridging the Gap Between Bench and Policy, University of Arizona College of Medicine, April 2, 2024.

State Telehealth Policy, AZ Telemedicine Program, Mar. 12, 2024 (co-present, with Quinn Shean), [webinar](#).

Prescribing in Telehealth, AZ Telemedicine Program, Feb. 13, 2024 (co-present, with Beju Shah), [webinar](#).

Arizona Law Health Law & Policy Program, University of Arizona Foundation, February 12, 2024.

Telehealth Across State Lines: Impact of State Medical Licensing on College Student Mental Health, University of Arizona College of Medicine, Dec. 5, 2023 (co-present, with Rachel Conrad), [webinar](#).

Telehealth and the Future of Professional Regulation, Arizona Telemedicine Program / Southwest Telehealth Resource Center, webinar, October 11, 2023 (co-present, with Kristen Madison), [webinar](#).

Digital Inclusion and Telehealth, [2023 Digital Inclusion Celebration Summit](#), October 3, 2023.

Telehealth Prescribing of Non-Controlled Substances, Center for Telehealth & eHealth Law, Sept. 28, 2023.

Role of Health Information Technology in Health Disparities, University of Maryland, August 15, 2023.

Regulatory Innovation in Telehealth and Virtual Care, Oklahoma State University, May 9, 2023.

Addressing Digital Health Equity, Arizona Telemedicine Training Program, May 1, 2023.

Elder Abuse: Causes, Consequences, and Prevention, National Center on Elder Abuse, April 25, 2023.

Telehealth Prescribing of Controlled Substances, Arizona Telemedicine Council, April 19, 2023.

Navigating Telehealth Legislative and Policy Changes Beyond the Public Health Emergency, Arizona Telemedicine Program / Southwest Telehealth Resource Center, CME Program, April 12, 2023, [webinar](#).

Telehealth Policy Landscape, [Arizona Society for Healthcare Attorneys](#) CLE Program, Mar. 29, 2023.

Prescribing of Controlled Substances, Center for Telehealth & eHealth Law, Mar. 23, 2023, [webinar](#).

Digital Health Equity in Arizona, Arizona Department of Health Services, March 21, 2023.

Disparities & Equitable Access in Telehealth, Arizona Telemedicine Training Program, February 6, 2023.

Federal & State Telehealth Legislative 2023 Update, AZ Telemedicine Council, Jan. 18, 2023, [webinar](#).

Professional Pathways in Health Law, Arizona Society for Healthcare Attorneys, October 24, 2022.

Transforming Legal Education for the Future Health Workforce, UA College of Pharmacy, Sept. 1, 2022.

Health Disparities in Telemedicine, Southwest Telehealth Resource Center, August 15, 2022, [webinar](#).

Telehealth State and Federal Policy Updates, Arizona Telemedicine Council, July 20, 2022.

Developing a Multidisciplinary Elder Law Program, AALS Aging & the Law, June 28, 2022, [webinar](#).

HIPAA in Clinical Research, Dignity Health and Barrow Neurological Institute, June 23, 2022, [webinar](#).

Is Telehealth Substitutive or Additive? Center for Telehealth & eHealth Law, Digital Summit, June 9, 2022.

Racial Justice in Long-Term Care, UA Hispanic Serving Institution, April 14, 2022.

Disparities & Equitable Access in Telehealth, Arizona Telemedicine Training Program, February 7, 2022.

Long-Term Care as the Frontier for Home Diagnostics, 2022 UA Board of Visitors Meeting, Feb. 4, 2022.

Training the Future Workforce in Innovations in Healthy Aging, UA Health Sciences, January 27, 2022.

Long-Term Care as the Frontier for Home Use Digital Health, HealthTech Connect, Dec. 3, 2021.

Advancing DEI in Healthcare Leadership, [Drug Information Association](#), November 16, 2021, [webinar](#).

Career Pathways in Regulatory Science, Roche Tissue Diagnostics, October 26, 2021, [webinar](#).

Justice Ginsburg's Health Law Jurisprudence, UA College of Public Health, October 13, 2021, [webinar](#).

AWARDED GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Arizona Law, Health Law & Policy Fellow, Faculty Director, Goff Family Foundation, 2022-2024, \$55,000 to support a .2 FTE Fellow.

Racial Justice in Long-Term Care: Amplifying the Voices of Immigrant Workers, Co-PI with Shefali Milczarek-Desai, University of Arizona Hispanic Serving Institution, 2021, \$15,000 to support research team related to conducting an empirical legal paper.

Arizona Law Health Law & Policy Program, Faculty Director, Alumnus Patrick O'Brien, JD, PharmD, Donation, 2021, \$50,000 to support health law and policy scholarships for PharmD students.