
ADMISSIONS

Licensed in Pennsylvania since 2007, PA Attorney ID #206275

EDUCATION

Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA

PhD, Anthropology, December 2010. Dissertation: "Social and Legal Implications of DNA Ancestry Tests"

University of North Carolina School of Law, Chapel Hill, NC

JD, May 2007

Earned Dean's List every semester; Merit Scholarship every semester; Certificate of Merit for highest grade in Privacy Law, Spring 2007; American Constitution Society, President, 2006-2007, Vice-President, 2005-2006; Studied International Human Rights Law in Galway, Republic of Ireland, Summer 2006

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Graduate studies (doctoral program) in Biomedical Sciences - Human Genetics concentration, 2002-2003

Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA

BA with Honors and High Distinction, Anthropology, May 2002

EXPERIENCE

Law Office of Jennifer K. Wagner, State College, PA

Solo Practitioner, 2007 - Present

- Privacy, Discrimination, Landlord/Tenant (commercial & residential), Real Estate, Contracts, Genetics, and Health
- Civil practice comprised of consulting, transactional, and litigation services
- 2014-2015 AAAS Congressional Fellow; served in the Office of U.S. Senator Edward J. Markey
 - Policy portfolio included judiciary, privacy, health, consumer protection, and environmental issues

Geisinger Health System, Danville, PA

Associate Director of Bioethics Research and Assistant Professor, 2015-Present

- Conducted bioethical, legal, and anthropological research related to precision and genomic medicine, patient experience, and community engagement

Albert Einstein College of Medicine; Bronx, NY

Assistant Professor, Department of Epidemiology and Population Health, Division of Bioethics, March 2014 – April 2014

University of Pennsylvania, Center for the Integration of Genetic Healthcare Technology (Penn CIGHT),

Perelman School of Medicine, Division of Translational Medicine & Human Genetics; Philadelphia, PA

Research Associate, July 2011 – March 2014

- Conducted ethical, legal, and social implications (ELSI) research of genetic technologies, including privacy and property law, DNA fingerprinting, molecular photofitting, the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act, sports-related DNA testing and collective bargaining, and racial disparities in health and justice contexts.
- Earned a prestigious K99/R00 NIH Pathway to Independence Award from the National Human Genome Research Institute for "Multidisciplinary Study of Race, Appearance, Ancestry, Discrimination & Prejudice"
- Analyzed policy and attended numerous policy-related conferences and workshops.
- Cited by the U.S. Supreme Court (J. Kennedy, writing for the majority) in *Maryland v. King*, 569 U.S. – (2013)

Duke University, Institute for Genome Sciences & Policy (Duke IGSP); Durham, NC

Post-Doctoral Researcher, July 2010 - July 2011

- Conducted ethical, legal, and social implications (ELSI) research of genetic technologies, including personal genomics services and direct-to-consumer genetic tests

Glenn, Mills, Fisher & Mahoney, P.A., Durham, NC

Summer Associate, Summers 2005 and 2006; Landlord/Tenant, Personal Injury, Will Contests, etc.

Mediation, Inc., Chapel Hill, NC

Legal Assistant/Office Manager, 2003-2004

Law Office of Elizabeth Gervais-Gruen, Chapel Hill, NC
Legal Assistant, Summer 2003; Immigration

SELECTED PRO BONO PROJECTS

Genomics Law Report, Contributing Editor; <http://www.genomicslawreport.com/index.php/author/wagjen>

PA Bar Association/Young Lawyers Division Statewide Mock Trial Competition, Bellefonte, PA
Volunteer Juror at District Level, Spring 2009, Spring 2010, Spring 2012, Spring 2013, Spring 2014

Guest columnist, The Daily Collegian, University Park, PA
"Reading Lease Can Help Grow Relationship with Landlord," Aug 24, 2009; "Be Cautious When Signing New Lease," Aug 5, 2009; "Guidance for Students Moving Out," Jul 29, 2009

Penn State University-Dickinson School of Law, University Park, PA
Volunteer Juror for Mock Trial Competitions, Spring 2008

Glenn, Mills & Fisher, P.A., Durham, NC, Fall 2004 and Fall 2005
Assisted with negligence action filed with the North Carolina Industrial Commission; excessive use of force §1983 claim

Immigration Outreach Project, Chapel Hill, NC
Assisted with identifying immigration consequences of certain North Carolina criminal charges, Spring 2004

SELECTED LEGAL PRESENTATIONS

Annual Meeting of the American Society of Human Genetics, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

- "Ready or not, here they come: law enforcement and third-party access to genomic databases." October 2016.

Workshop on Social Implications of Genomic Technologies in the Justice System, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Institute for Genomic Biology (IGB), Urbana-Champaign, IL.

- "Human Genomes, Human Rights: Research and Applications to Ensure the Dignity and Equality of All Human Beings." May 2014

DNA Applications in Human Rights and Human Trafficking Workshop, Duke University, Durham, NC.

- "Update on the Priority 3 Refugee Program." September 2013

Centre County Bar Association "Lunch & Learn" Presentations (1 credit CLEs), Bellefonte, PA

- "Employment Discrimination and Genetic Information: Advising Clients on Title II of the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act." January 2011
- "The Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act." July 2009

Landlord Rights Seminar, State College, PA

- "Navigating the Jungle of Landlord-Tenant Law." Part of the landlord/tenant rights seminar series for local residents sponsored by the State College Borough. April 2008 and April 2010

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Wagner JK. "Sideline GINA: The Impact of Personal Genomics and Collective Bargaining in Professional Sports." *Va Sports & Entertainment LJ*. 2013; 12:81-125.
- SH Katsanis and JK Wagner. "Characterization of the Standard and Recommended CODIS Markers." *Journal of Forensic Sciences*. 2013 Jan; 58 Suppl 1:S169-72. doi: 10.1111/j.1556-4029.2012.02253.x. Epub 2012 Aug 24.
- Wagner J. Cockamamie state laws threaten the genetic rights movement. *Nature Medicine*. 2012; 18(4):485 doi:10.1038/nm0412-485
- Wagner, JK. "Understanding FDA Regulation of DTC Genetic Tests Within the Context of Administrative Law." *American Journal of Human Genetics* 2010; 87:451-456.
- Wagner, JK. "Just the Facts Ma'am: Removing the Drama from DNA Dragnets." *NC JOLT*. 2009; 11(1): 51-101.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Centre County Bar Association, member since 2007

Pennsylvania Bar Association, member since 2007

American Bar Association, member since 2004

American Constitution Society, member since 2004

American Association for the Advancement of Science, member since 2009

American Society of Human Genetics, member since 2008

American Association of Physical Anthropologists, member since 2008
American Association of Anthropological Genetics, member since 2007