

Jamie Langowski

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ACADEMIC AND WORK EXPERIENCE

Suffolk University Law School Housing Discrimination Testing Program

Boston, MA

Assistant Director & Clinical Fellow

June 2012 – June 2021

Assistant Director & Practitioner in Residence

July 2021 – May 2022

Administrative Director & Practitioner in Residence

July 2022 – Present

Teaching

- Co-teach LAW 2957 – Housing Discrimination, Hybrid Course, since Fall 2017.
- LAW 2413 Intro to Professional Skills, Summer Intercession 2017.
- Co-taught Housing Discrimination Law, Theory & Practice: Brainstorming and Implementing Solutions to Discrimination, Spring 2013, Spring 2014, Spring 2015.

Program Management, Supervision, and Investigations

- Co-developed and co-directed the program from its inception.
- Lead grant writer and successfully applied for over \$4 million in funding from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and non-profit foundations.
- Conducted discrimination tests throughout Massachusetts, analyzed test data, and drafted findings reports.
- Responsible for detailed quarterly and annual grant reporting (the program has consistently received the highest grant rating of “excellent” from HUD for the grant work).
- Developed relationships and collaborated with government agencies and non-profits.
- Recruited and trained law students from multiple law schools and community members to be housing discrimination testers.

PUBLICATIONS

- Jamie Langowski et al., *Qualified Renters Need Not Apply: Race and Voucher Discrimination in the Metro Boston Rental Housing Market*, 28 GEO. J. ON POVERTY L. & POL’Y 35 (2020).
- Jamie Langowski et al., *Transcending Prejudice: Gender Identity and Expression-Based Discrimination in the Metro Boston Rental Housing Market*, YALE J.L. & FEMINISM, Vol. 29, p. 321 (2018).
- Jamie Langowski, *Discrimination with a Smile*, [Pride Guide](#), 2018.
- William Berman and Jamie Langowski, *Supreme Court Upholds a Critical Tool in the Struggle for Inclusive Communities*, [Human Rights at Home Blog](#), June 25, 2015.
- William Berman, Jamie Langowski, and Seth Urbanoski, *Lingering Lead: Strategies for Eliminating Familial Status Discrimination Due to Lead Paint*, 2 BEARING WITNESS: J.L. & SOC. RESP. 22 (2014).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Office of John Connolly, Boston City Councilor At-Large

Boston, MA

Director of Policy and Communications

December 2008 – March 2012

- Developed relationships with media and drafted marketed press releases and press advisories.
- Responsible for management and oversight of the council office and staff.
- Collaborated with other council offices, the Mayor's office, city departments, constituents, and advocacy organizations to address constituent matters.
- Recruited, hired, and supervised office interns and developed relationships with universities and high schools in order to recruit talented individuals.
- Researched and developed government policies and designed and executed a legislative calendar for a wide variety of policy platforms, including: environmental, education, LGBTQ, and public health matters.

Law Offices of Howard Friedman

Boston, MA

Law Clerk

August 2008 – December 2008

Co-op Student

November 2007 – February 2008 (Full-time), March 2008 – May 2008 (Part-time)

- Provided support for attorneys in civil rights practice.
- Evaluated potential cases and claims, prepared documentation, and worked closely with clients.
- Served as primary contact for client communications during wrongful conviction civil suit that resulted in a \$3.8 million settlement.
- Reviewed and catalogued thousands of the client's documents related to time spent in prison and assisted with drafting of the mediation memo.

EDUCATION

Northeastern University School of Law

Boston, MA

Juris Doctor

May 2008

St. Cloud State University

St. Cloud, MN

Bachelor of Arts, *magna cum laude*, in English Literature

May 2002

BAR ADMISSIONS

Washington (active) and Massachusetts (inactive)

PRESENTATIONS

Pedagogy:

- AALS Clinical Conference: Co-presenter, *Use the Force: Incorporating JEDI throughout your curriculum*, May 11, 2022
- AALS Clinical Conference: Co-presenter, *Implicit Bias 201: Strategies for incorporating implicit bias training throughout a course*, May 1, 2021

- Suffolk University: Panelist, *An Exploration of race/ethnicity curriculum materials used to create an inclusive classroom*, October 9, 2020
- AALS Clinical Conference: Co-presenter, *Race, Identity, Competency? Expanding Our Understanding*, May 7, 2019
- New England Clinical Conference: Co-presenter, *Contextualizing Conversations: Tools for Constructive Student Engagement in Challenging Moments*, October 12, 2018
- AALS Clinical Conference: Co-presenter, *Rules of Engagement: Teaching Students to Navigate Difficult Conversations with Purpose and Professionalism*, May 1, 2018
- AALS Clinical Conference: Co-presenter, *Contextualizing Conversations with Students on Race and Privilege: Creating Space for and Facilitating Discussions*, May 8, 2017

Fair Housing:

- University of Tennessee: Co-presenter, *Critical Conversations on Race, Redlining and Its Legacy*, March 11, 2021
- Arlington Human Rights Commission: Panelist, *Equity & Affordable Housing in Arlington Virtual Panel*, December 21, 2020
- Ford Hall Forum webinar: Panelist, *Qualified Renters Need Not Apply: Race and Voucher Discrimination in the Metro Boston Housing Market*, September 16, 2020
- Massachusetts Association of Realtors webinar: Co-presenter, *Fair Housing – Past to Present*, August 20, 2020
- The Boston Foundation webinar: Presenter, *Qualified Renters Need Not Apply: Race and Voucher Discrimination in the Metro Boston Rental Housing Market*, July 1, 2020
- 2019 HUD FHIP/FHAP Conference: Presenter, *Testing: The Basics & Beyond*, September 12, 2019
- Massachusetts Fair Housing + Civil Rights Conference: Panelist, *Fair Housing Testing I*, April 12, 2018
- Suffolk University Law School Fair Housing Conference: Presenter, *The Life of a Test*, October 26, 2017 & October 27, 2017
- Lavender Law Conference and Career Fair: Panelist, *Welcome Home: The Fight for LGBT Friendly Housing*, August, 2, 2017
- AALS Clinical Conference: Work in Progress, *Transcending Prejudice: An Empirical Study of the Prevalence of Housing Discrimination Based on Gender Identity in Greater Boston*, May 3, 2016
- Urban Edge Staff Training: Presenter, *Fair Housing Basics*, November 12, 2015
- Suffolk University Law School Fair Housing Conference: Presenter, *Coordinating Effective Tests*, March 13, 2015