

**Objective:** Meaningful volunteer work that will utilize my background and expertise in LGBTQ civil rights law and public policy experience.

**Qualifications Summary:** Twenty years teaching law to undergraduates and chairing the Paralegal Program at the Community College of Denver with a teaching emphasis on Constitutional law, including LGBTQ civil rights law and public policy, and criminal law. Nearly ten years in ligation practice focused on prosecuting plaintiff's civil rights claims, advocacy for LGBTQ civil rights policy initiatives and defending the criminally accused.

## Work History (Law Professor):

August 1998 to Current	<b>Community College of Denver (CCD) Denver, Colorado</b> (Adjunct faculty Fall 1998-Summer 2001; Department Chairperson Fall 2002-Current)
	Full-time faculty and administrative position with supervisory responsibility for one full-time and six part-time faculty. Responsible for all Paralegal Program functions including hiring, curriculum development, budgeting, compliance, course scheduling, and directing the internship program.
	Substantive courses taught include PAR 210: Sexual Orientation and the Law, PAR 209: Constitutional Law, PAR 205: Criminal Law, PAR 202: Evidence, and PAR 280: Internship.
Work History (Attorney):	
1994-1996	<b>Cook County Public Defender's Office Chicago, IL</b> (Attorney) Represented the indigent accused in misdemeanors and felonies.
1990-1994	Law Offices of Kenneth N. Flaxman Chicago, IL (Attorney) Civil rights, protest and criminal defense practice. Legislative and non-legislative public policy initiatives on behalf of the LGBTQ community through ACT UP\Chicago, the Cook County State's Attorney Task Force on Lesbian and Gay Issues and the National Lawyers Guild. Legal counsel for ACT UP\Chicago, civil rights practice on behalf of LGBTQ people before the State Human Rights Commission.
1989-1990	People's Law Office Chicago, IL (Legal Extern) Civil rights advocacy focused on police misconduct and the emerging LGBTQ civil rights movement. Member ACT UP\Chicago Women's Caucus.