

## Professor Shelby A. D. Moore

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### EDUCATION

**Harvard Law School**, Cambridge, Massachusetts  
*Masters of Laws*, June, 1992  
*Emphasis*: Jurisprudence, Criminal Law

**University of Baltimore Law School**, Baltimore, Maryland  
*Juris Doctor*, May, 1984  
*Honors*: Who's Who Among American Law Students  
*The Law Forum* Law Journal, Business Editor, Fall 1982 - Winter 1983  
Assistant Business Editor, Fall, 1982

**Towson State University**, Towson, Maryland  
*Bachelors of Arts*, 1981  
*Major*, Concentration: Law Enforcement/Corrections;  
*Minor*, English  
*Honors*: Member, Dean's List 1979-1981

### PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

**Professor of Law**, August, 1998 - Present  
**Associate Professor**, August, 1995 - 1998  
**Assistant Professor**, August, 1992 - 1995

*Property I, Property II, Criminal Law, Torts I, Torts II, Feminist Jurisprudence, Social Issues in Property Law Seminar, Criminal Corrections Seminar, The Politics of Race in America*

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**Scholarship**: *An Inconvenient Truth: Andrea Yates Was the Victim of Spousal Abuse: She Killed Her Children to Save Her Life* (Publication Pending)

*A Historical Look at Corpus Delicti in Kentucky: The Case of Jesse Iva Pate Warmke* (Publication Pending)

*Who Is Keeping The Gate?: What Do We Do When Prosecutors Breach the Ethical Responsibilities They Have Sworn to Uphold?* Annual Ethics Symposium: Prosecutorial Ethics, 47 S. Texas L. Review (2005)

*Remembering the Forgotten Ones: Protecting the Elderly From Financial Abuse*, 41 San Diego L. Review, 505 (2004) (with J. Schaefer)

*Understanding the Connection Between Domestic Violence, Crime and Poverty: How Welfare Reform May Keep Battered Women From Leaving Abusive Relationships*, 12 Tex. J. Women, 451 (2003)

*A Trust Analysis of a Gestational Carrier's Right to Abortion*, Fordham L. Rev. (2001)

*Questioning the Autonomy of Prosecutorial Charging Decisions: Recognizing the Need to Exercise Discretion - Knowing There Will Be Consequences for Crossing the Line*, 30 LA L. Rev. 257 (1999)

*The Battered Person Syndrome*, The Forensic Echo, Vol. 111, No. 4, (Mar. 1999)

*Doing Another's Bidding Under a Theory of Defense of Others: Shall We Protect the Unborn with Murder?* 86 Kentucky L.J. 257 (1997-1998)

*Requiring Landlords to Install and Maintain Smoke Alarms Under the Texas Smoke Detector Statute: A Matter of Life and Death*. 22 SETON HALL L.J. 143 (1997)

*Battered Woman Syndrome: Selling the Shadow to Support the Substance*, 68 HOWARD L. J. (Vol. 38) (1995)

*Real Estate Investment Trusts: Old Concept -- New Vision*, The Practical Real Estate Lawyer, Vol. 11, Winter, 1995 (ABA-ALI Publication)

**Prosecutor**, August, 1986 - August, 1991

**Baltimore City State's Attorney's Office**, Baltimore, Maryland

**Special Felony Narcotics Division** -- Prosecuted serious narcotics offenses including drug traffickers. Conducted wire taps. Charged, indicted, and arraigned cases. Worked with civic groups and schools regarding drug prevention. Conviction rate for narcotics, felony, and misdemeanor cases, approximately 95%.

October, 1990 - August, 1991

**Felony Trial Division** -- Tried murder, attempted murder, robbery and narcotics cases.

February, 1989 - October, 1990

**Misdemeanor Trial Division** -- Prepared, investigated and arraigned cases. Prosecuted adult offenders. Special Assignment -- Ambulance Regulation Violations.

March, 1988 - February, 1989

**Habitual Offender Unit -- Juvenile Division** -- Prosecuted narcotics cases involving juvenile repeat offenders.

February, 1987 - February, 1988

**Juvenile Division** -- Represented the State in juvenile delinquency matters including robbery, assault and theft cases. Conducted pretrial investigation.

August, 1986 - February, 1987

**Attorney -- Legal Service to the Elderly**, October, 1985 - August, 1986

Wrote wills and powers of attorney for senior citizens. Represented senior citizens in guardianship and competency matters. Liaison for nursing homes and senior citizen centers. Wrote Appellate briefs.

**Instructor**, September, 1985 - June, 1987

**University of Notre Dame of Maryland**

Taught 30-40 students torts, legal writing, corporations, and family law. (In first year of teaching, received highest possible evaluation from students and administrators).

**Associate**, November, 1984 - June, 1985

**Richard Shapiro, P.A.**

Engaged in criminal and civil litigation; worked as a summer associate and fall clerk prior to being hired as an attorney.

## PRESENTATIONS/PAPERS

- Presenter*, Topics: Establishing Expertise as an Ethical Expert Witness: Special Issues in Criminal Cases and Establishing Your Credentials as an Expert Witness, A Collaborative Effort of the Nat'l Center on Domestic, and Sexual Violence; Institute of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault, the University of Texas at Austin School of Social Work, Center for Social Work Research; and the University of Texas School of Law, January 12, 2009.
- Presenter*, Topic: The Detrimental Effects of Failing to Recognize Emotional Abuse: Legal & Psychological Ramification, October 3, 2008.
- Panelist*, Topic: The Full Spectrum of Domestic Violence From A Practical Perspective, October 3, 2008.
- Presenter*, Topic: Examining Abuse of Prosecutorial Discretion, National Black Prosecutors Annual Meeting, August, 2008.
- Presenter*, Topic: An inconvenient Truth: Considering the Probability that Andrea Yates was the Victim of Domestic Abuse, BFF Writing Workshop, University of Denver, June, 2008.
- Speaker*, Topic: Considering the Dramatic Increase of Women In Prison: Race Matters, University of Denver, March, 2007.
- Speaker*, Topic: Town of Castle Rock v. Gonzales: Considering Civil Remedies for Victims of Domestic Abuse, University of Denver, March, 2006.
- Presenter*, Topic: Understanding The Complexities of Home Owner Associations, South Texas College of Law/Houston Bar Association, June, 2007.
- Speaker*, Topic: The Aftermath of Town of Castle Rock v. Gonzales: Does a Protective Order Now Confer a Right Without a Remedy, Texas Bar Association, Advance Criminal Law Seminar, July, 2005.
- Presenter*, Topic: The Fallacy of Toleration, SW/SE People of Color Scholarship Conference, May, 2005.
- Presenter*, Topic: Questioning Whether the United States Should Maintain the Death Penalty, Dr. M.L. King, Jr., for TransAfrican Forum, January 17, 2005.
- Speaker*, Topic: The Republic Party, Trent Lott and Strom Thurmond: A Missed Opportunity for Meaningful Dialogue, South Texas College of Law Faculty Forum, October, 2004.
- Speaker*, Topic: Valuing Diversity, Houston Bar Association, September, 2004.
- Panelist*, Topic: Mapping a Successful Legal Career: The Value of Good Mentors, Houston Bar Association (Program for Summer Associates), June, 2004.
- Presenter*, Symposium: Subversive Legacies: Learning from History/Connecting the Future, University of Texas School of Law, November, 2002.
- Speaker*, Topic: Understanding Why Abused Women Commit Other Crimes, Texas Bar Association, Advance Criminal Law Seminar, July, 2002.
- Speaker*, Topic: Sexual Violence, Domestic Violence, and Stalking, Texas Bar Association, Advance Criminal Law Seminar, July, 2000.
- Planning Committee, Presenter*, Domestic Violence in Law Schools, University of Texas Law School, Texas Bar Association, April 15-16, 1999
- Speaker*, Topic: The Aftermath of Hopwood, 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the National Association of University of Land-Grant Colleges, November 15, 1998
- Presenter*, Topic: Abused Women Who Commit Crimes, Texas Council on Family Violence, 16th Annual Conference, October 6, 1997
- Speaker*, Topic: Current Theories on the Use of the Battered Woman Syndrome and Post-traumatic Stress Disorder Defenses, State Bar of Texas, April 28, 1997
- Presenter*, Topic: Prosecutorial Discretion in Charging, Joint Symposium, La Raza/African-American Journal of Law and Policy, University of California at Berkeley School of Law, Boalt Hall, March, 1997
- Presenter*, Symposium: Criminal Justice, Racial Injustice: African-Americans, Latinos and the

Racialization of Crime, University of California-Boalt Hall, March 8 & 9, 1997  
*Speaker*, Topic: The Effects of Race, Ethnicity and Gender on the Identification of Victims and Offenders, Harris County Judicial Education Seminar, June 7, 1996  
*Presenter*, Killing the Baby Killer -- A Plea for Mercy, A Plea for Justice, SW/SE People of Color Conference, May 30-June 2, 1996

*Panelist*, Topic: Are Battered Women Really Helpless?, 14th Annual Conference on Family Violence, October 12, 1995  
*Panelist*, Topic: What is the Battered Woman Syndrome? How Does it Work?, 14th Annual Conference on Family Violence, October 12, 1995  
*Panelist*, Topic: Women in Legal Education, Annual Conference on Women in Criminal Justice (University of Houston), April, 1995  
*Paper Presentation and Discussion*: Topic: Battered Woman Syndrome, March 29, 1995  
*Panelist*, Topic: Real Estate Investment Trusts, ABA National Meeting, August, 1994  
*Guest Speaker*, Japan-American Society Town Meeting, Public Broadcasting Television, October, 1994

## CONSULTANT/EXPERT

*Expert/Commentator*: Domestic Violence Monitoring Legislation), WB 39, March 5, 2009  
*Expert*: State v. Wright (Resentencing Decision) (ABC) Chanel 13, March 2, 2009  
*Expert Testimony*: State v. Wright, (Petition for Rehearing/Resentencing) 48 Hours Mysteries (CBS), October 2-3  
*Expert*, State v. Eisenberg, 48 Hours Mysteries (CBS) (Wife convicted of killing her abusive husband),  
*Expert/Consultant*, State v. Wright, (Wife convicted of killing her abusive husband by stabbing him 198 times) Spring, 2005 - present  
*Commentator*, State v. Wright, (NBC) Fall, 2004  
*Expert/Commentator*, State v. Harris, (Wife convicted of manslaughter for running down husband with her Mercedes) (NBC, 2), Spring, 2003  
*Expert/Commentator*, Gratz and Grutter decisions, (Prediction of whether Justice Sandra Day O'Connor would be the pivotal vote in the decision about the constitutionality of University of Michigan's undergraduate and law school admissions process) (Fox), Spring, 2003  
*Expert/Commentator*, State v. Bardford, (Discussing the implications of the indictment of Houston's Police Chief for perjury) (NBC, 2), Spring, 2003  
*Expert/Commentator*, State v. Walker, (Wealthy defendant brutally murders his ex-wife), (CNN - Court T.V.), Fall, 2002  
*Expert/Commentator*, (Discussing the Enron collapse and the criminal implications) (Fox, 26, NBC, 2), Fall, 2002  
*Expert/Consultant*, Blevins v. Homeowners Association, (Homeowners association wrongly forecloses on home of 82 year old widow), February, 2002  
*Commentator*, State v. Yates, (Discussing the life sentence given to Andrea Yates), (CNN), March, 2002  
*Expert/Consultant*, State v. Yates, (Mother killed her 5 children), July 5, 2001 - March, 2002  
*Expert*, State v. Yates, Evening News (CBS, 11), August 7, 2001  
*Expert*, Executing Juveniles, Sunday Morning Round Table (NBC, 2), August 4, 2001  
*Expert*, State v. Yates, "News at Noon" (live) (CBS, 11), August 1, 2001  
*Expert*, Executing the Retarded, (ABC, 13), June 4, 2001  
*Expert*, Crossroads, Host Regina Hall, Death Penalty, (ABC, 13), June 2000  
*Expert*, The Debra Duncan Show, Internet Stalking, (ABC, 13), February 29, 2000  
*Guest*, Law Talk, The Death Penalty, (April 2000)  
*Moderator*: Death Penalty Symposium, (October 24, 2000)  
*Planning Committee*, S.W. S.E. People of Color Scholarship Conference, (March 1999 - April 2000)  
*Guest*, Law Talk, Domestic Violence, (November 1999)  
*Consultant*, Homeowner Association Bill (assisted with drafting secondary bill March, 1999)

*Expert*, Homeowner Association Bill, Town Hall Meeting for Senator Rodney Ellis, February, 1999  
*Expert*, Percy L. Wayne Isgitt, P.C., Homeowner Association Agreements, September 1998 – present  
*Consultant*, Dunn, Kacal, Adams, Pappas & Law, P.C., (for attorney Andrew J. Sarne), Prescriptive Easements, Adversal Possession Issues, August, 1998  
*Expert*, Topic: Government v. The City Council 6, (KTRH, 740), March, 1998  
*Expert*, Topic: Government v. The City Council 6, (KTRH, 740), May 21, 1998  
*Expert*, Topic: State v. Louise Woodard, (KTRH, 740), 1998  
*Consultant*, In the Matter of Findeisen: Interpreted deeds to determine whether they conveyed away family mineral rights or surface rights only, October 1997 – January 1998  
*Commentator*, Topic: Propriety of the Death Penalty, Outlook Houston, (WB 39, KHTV), May 11, 1997  
*Expert*, Topic: The O.J. Simpson Trial/Domestic Violence, The Spirit of Texas This Morning, January 21, 1997  
*Appointed Expert* in the Matter of Angie Galligos, September 1996 (first case of its kind in the country to address employer's liability for spouse's abuse of partner in the workplace which results in the spouse's death or serious bodily injury)  
*Consultant*, Lidell, Sapp, Zivley, Hill & LaBoon, L.L.P., Re: Covenants, Hermann Hospital, Fall, 1996  
*Expert*, Topic: State v. Moon, Houston Chronicle, February 25, 1996  
*Expert*, Topic: State v. Moon, KHOU, Inc., Saturday Noon, Live, February 24, 1996  
*Consultant*: Domestic Violence Conference, Houston Chronicle, October 10, 1995  
*Expert*: Topic: Domestic Violence/Battered Woman Syndrome, Evening News, FOX, October 10, 1995  
*Expert*: Topic: Domestic Violence/Battered Woman Syndrome, Evening News, ABC, October 10, 1995  
*Live In-studio Interview*: Topic: Racial Implications of the Verdict in State v. O.J. Simpson, KTRS, October 4, 1995  
*Consultant*: Live Interview, Expert Commentary/State v. O.J. Simpson, Channel 11, October 3, 1995  
*News Interview*: State v. O.J. Simpson, KQUE, August, 1995  
*Consultant*: Purpose for Impaneling a Grand Jury, Houston Chronicle, June, 1995  
*Consultant*: Propriety of Reduction in Bail in a Case of Domestic Violence Where the Abuser, Upon Release, Shot and Killed the Victim, Houston Chronicle, May, 1995  
*News Interview*: Topic: Battered Woman Syndrome, KQUE, March 30, 1995  
*Live In-studio Interview*: Topic: Battered Woman Syndrome, KMJQ, March 30, 1995  
*Expert*: Topic: The Plight of Jurors Who Serve in Extended Trials, CBS, February, 1995  
*Expert*: Topic: Jury Selection Process for the O. J. Simpson Trial, Evening News, January, 1995  
*Consultant*: State v. O. J. Simpson, Houston Post, January 24, 1995  
*Consultant*: State v. O. J. Simpson, Fox News, January 22-23, 1995  
*Expert*: Topic: Breast Implant Trials (Evidentiary Considerations), CBS Evening News, November, 1994  
*Live In-studio Interview*: Topic: The Impact of the Media on Criminal Proceedings, *Public Broadcasting Television*, October, 1993

## HONORS/AWARDS/MEMBERSHIPS

*Recipient*, Godwin Gruber Research Professorship, Fall, 2003-August 2008  
*Appointment*, State Bar of Texas Professionalism Committee, 2003-Present  
 American Association of Law Schools – Minority Groups; Criminal Justice; Property; Law and Social Sciences and Teaching Method Sections, 1993-Present  
*Recipient*, Student Bar Association Award for Teacher Excellence, 1999/2000; 2001/2002; 2003/2004; 2004/2005 academic years  
*Recipient*, SBA Award for Availability to Students (Five occasions since 1998)  
*Recipient*, BLSA Law Professor of the Year, 1999-2000  
*Chair*, Teacher Development Committee, August, 2000-June, 2005  
*Presidential Appointment* - Presidential Rank Review Board (Appointed by the White House to assist in determining which corporate executives will be honored by the president for exceptional leadership, integrity, and personal conduct contributing to good government and a high degree of

public trust).

*Recipient*, Iota Phi Lambda, Inc., Outstanding Educator Award, Fall 1999

*Chair*, Minority Affairs Committee, August, 1997-August, 1998

(In accordance with **The President's Commission on Race**, the committee sponsored a panel discussion on the Supreme Court's Treatment of Race, Gender & National Origin Issues, March 31, 1998)

*Inspection Team Member* for Evaluation of National Christian University, Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board Universities Division, October, 1997

*Faculty Advisor*, Women's Legal Forum, 1994-Present

*Joint Faculty Advisor*, Black Law Students Association, 1994-Present

*Chair*, Subcommittee on Publications, American Bar Association (ABA) -- Real Property Section, Young Lawyer Division, 1994-1995

*Member*, ABA Criminal Law Section, 1994-Present

*Member*, ABA Juvenile Law Section, 1994-Present

*Member*, ABA Real Property Section, Young Lawyer Division, 1994

*Member*, ABA Real Property Section, Young Lawyer Division, Planning Board, 1994-1995

*Member*, American Inns of Court, September, 1993-Present

*Fellow*, John Ben Sheppard Public Leadership Forum, October, 1994

*Member*, Board of Directors, So La Ti Village Foster Care Center, 1995-2000

*Recipient*, SBA Award for Availability to Students, 1994-95; 1995-96; 1997-98

*Recipient*, Houston Young Black Achievers Award for Community Service, March, 1994

*Recipient*, American Trial Lawyers Association Award for Outstanding and Dedicated Service, 1988

*Member*, Texas Young Lawyers Association, Minority Bar Passage Program, Spring 1997-Present

*Member*, Houston Bar Association, Fall, 1996-Present