# SAMUEL T. BRANDAO

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

Tulane Civil Rights and Federal Practice Clinic Clinical Assistant Professor of Law

2016-present

Committee Service: Academic Affairs (2021 – present)

Faculty Handbook Revisions (2020-2021)

Assessments (2018-2020)

Career Development (2017-2018)

Student Service: Honor Board, Faculty Advisor (2017 – present)

Southeast Louisiana Legal Services

Skadden Fellow and Staff Attorney, Housing Unit

2014-2016

United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

Law Clerk

Circuit Judge Jacques L. Wiener, Jr.

2013-2014

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana

Law Clerk

District Judge Eldon E. Fallon

2012-2013

Barrasso Usdin Kupperman Freeman & Sarver, L.L.C.

Summer Associate

Fishman Haygood Phelps Walmsley Willis & Swanson, L.L.P.

Summer 2011

### **EDUCATION**

Tulane University Law School

Juris Doctor, summa cum laude, 2012

Articles Editor, Tulane Law Review, Volume 86 (2011-2012)

Student Attorney, Civil Litigation Clinic

**Environmental Law Certificate** 

John Minor Wisdom Award

Yale University

B.A. in English, 2003

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Supreme Court Preview and Supreme Court Update, Federal Bar Association Civil Rights Insider, Fall and Spring issues, Fall 2017 – present

Comment: Louisiana's Mono Lake: The Public Trust Doctrine and Oil Company Liability for

Louisiana's Vanishing Wetlands, Tulane Law Review, Volume 86, Fall 2011

## SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Section 1983: Qualified Immunity and Other Obstacles to Civil Rights Enforcement, American

Association of Law Schools Clinical Conference – virtual, upcoming May 9-13, 2022

Moderator, *Displacing Humans: Criminal Law Enforcement, Education, Digital Gaming, and Automation of the Legal Profession*, 2019 Gordon Gamm Comparative Law and Justice Symposium: The Implications of Artificial Intelligence for a Just Society – New Orleans, Louisiana, November 8, 2019

Algorithm and Blues: Big Data, Artificial Intelligence, and the End of Civil Rights, Junior/Senior Faculty Conference – New Orleans, Louisiana, November 1-2, 2019

Engaging with the Media: Priorities & Pitfalls among Clinical Practice Fields; and WIP discussant: Unleashing Section 504's Hidden Powers to Protect Students with Disabilities by Claire Raj, University of South Carolina School of Law; Southern Clinical Conference – New Orleans, Louisiana, October 11-12, 2019

Health, Disabilities, and Veterans Law, Clinical Law Review Writers' Workshop, New York University School of Law – New York, New York, September 21, 2019

Artificial Intelligence: Implications for the Civil Rights of People with Disabilities, New Scholars Workshop: Immigration and Civil Rights, Southeastern Association of Law Schools – Boca Raton, Florida, July 31, 2019

Overspecialized and Underprepared, American Association of Law Schools Clinical Conference – San Francisco, California, May 5, 2019

### AWARD

Skadden Foundation Writing Stipend (2019)

### **VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE**

Organist, Salem Church – Alliance for Affordable Energy, New Orleans – Court-Appointed Special Advocates, New Orleans – American Civil Liberties Union, New Orleans – Start the Adventure in Reading (STAIR), New Orleans – America Reads Program, New Haven