

## ROBIN MORRIS COLLIN

**SUMMARY**      Chaired Professor of Law, path breaking scholar, distinguished teacher, and honored civic servant with a record of first and lasting accomplishments.

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**SKILLS & ABILITIES**      Conceptualize contemporary challenges and develop solutions in the context of the practice of law and legislation. Frame and develop traditional and new legal discourses of concern to contemporary clients, and the general public. Writing, public speaking, policy analysis, and leadership for professional and public audiences.

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**PROFESSORIAL EXPERIENCE**      **NORMA J. PAULUS PROFESSOR OF LAW, AND DIRECTOR OF THE CERTIFICATE PROGRAM IN SUSTAINABILITY, WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**

2003 - present

Courses: Sustainability, Remedies, Professional Responsibility, Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure.

**PROFESSOR OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF OREGON SCHOOL OF LAW**

1993 – 2003

Awarded David Brower Life Time Achievement Award, Public Interest Environmental Law Conference (2002), Orlando John Hollis Award for Distinction in Teaching (1998), The Hammer Award From Vice-President Al Gore (1998). Courses taught: Sustainability, Remedies, Cultural Property Law, Copyright, Professional Responsibility, Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Legislative and Administrative Processes (Hans Linde materials), Perspectives on the Law.

**VISITING PROFESSOR OF LAW, WASHINGTON AND LEE SCHOOL OF LAW**

1991 - 1993

**PROFESSOR OF LAW, MCGEORGE SCHOOL OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF THE PACIFIC**

1988 - 1991

**VISITING ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW, PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**

1987 -1988

**ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW, TULANE LAW SCHOOL, TULANE UNIVERSITY**

1984 - 1987

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## AWARDS

**JERRY HUDSON DISTINGUISHED TEACHER AWARD** 2014, Willamette University College of Law.

**OREGON WOMAN OF ACHIEVEMENT** 2012, Oregon Commission for Women.

**EQUALITY CHAMPION** 2011, the Oregon Convocation on Equality.

**ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE ACHIEVEMENT AWARD** 2010, US Environmental Protection Agency.

**LEADERSHIP AWARD** 2010, Oregon State Bar, Sustainable Futures Section.

**JUDITH RAMALEY AWARD FOR CIVIC ENGAGEMENT** 2009, Oregon Campus Compact.

**DAVID BROWER LIFE TIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD** 2002, Public Interest Environmental Law Conference.

**ORLANDO JOHN HOLLIS AWARD FOR DISTINCTION IN TEACHING** 1998, the University of Oregon School of Law.

**THE HAMMER AWARD** 1998, Vice-President Al Gore.

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## PRACTICE OF LAW

MARICOPA COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, Phoenix, Arizona. 1983 – 1984.  
Assistant County Attorney (prosecuted major felonies except homicides).

REED, GOLDSTEIN AND JENKINS-REED, Phoenix, Arizona. 1982 – 1983.  
Associate (litigation and client counseling in antitrust and other business litigation).

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION, CREDIT PRACTICES DIVISION, BUREAU OF CONSUMER PROTECTION. Washington, D.C. 1980 - 1982. (Staff Attorney for programs in Truth-in-Lending Act, Equal Credit Opportunity Act, and Fair Credit Reporting Acts).

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## EDUCATION

**ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW, TEMPE, ARIZONA, JURIS DOCTOR (1980)**

**UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, MADISON, WISCONSIN, POST GRADUATE STUDIES IN AFRICAN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURE (1977)** (Ford Foundation Fellow)

**THE COLORADO COLLEGE, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO, BACHELOR OF ARTS (HISTORY) (1976)** (PI GAMMA MU HONOR SOCIETY FOR THE SOCIAL SCIENCES)

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## BAR MEMBERSHIPS

**OREGON STATE BAR** (admitted 1999)

**UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT** (moved by my father, Professor John Peyton Morris, admitted 1984)

**STATE BAR OF ARIZONA** (admitted 1980)

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**PUBLICATIONS:** Robin Morris Collin and Robert William Collin editors, **ENERGY CHOICES: BOOKS HOW TO POWER THE FUTURE (2 volumes, edited volumes)**, Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger International Press, 2014.

Collin, Robin Morris and Robert W. Collin, **THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF SUSTAINABILITY (3 volumes, authored volumes)**. Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood Press, 2009.

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**PUBLICATIONS:** Forthcoming: Robin Morris Collin and Robert William Collin, **BOOK CHAPTERS** “Environmental Justice and Sustainability,” in **INTERNATIONAL HANDBOOK OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**, edited by Michael Redclift. Routledge Press Oxford UK, 2014.

Forthcoming: Robin Morris Collin, “Sustainability and Waste” in **TRASH TALKING: ENCYCLOPEDIA OF WASTE PRACTICES AROUND THE WORLD**, edited by Robert William Collin. ABC-Clio Press, Santa Barbara CA, 2015.

Robin Morris Collin, “Restoration and Redemption” in **MORAL GROUND: ETHICAL ACTION FOR A PLANET IN PERIL**, edited by Kathleen Dean Moore and Michael P. Nelson. Trinity University Press: San Antonio, TX, 2010. (Other essayists include the Dalai Lama, Archbishop Desmond Tutu, President Barack Obama, Terry Tempest Williams, Barbara Kingsolver, and Paul Hawken.) Online at [moralground.com/about/](http://moralground.com/about/).

Collin, Robin Morris and Robert W. Collin, “Forever Wild, Forever Free: Sustainability and Equity,” in Klaus Benesch and Kerstin Schmidt, eds., **FROM LANDSCAPE TO TECHNOSCAPE: CONCEPTS OF SPACE IN AMERICAN CULTURE**. Amsterdam: Rodopi Press, 2005.

Collin, Robin Morris and Robert W. Collin, “Environmental Reparations for Justice and Sustainability,” in **THE QUEST FOR ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE HUMAN RIGHTS AND THE POLITICS OF POLLUTION**, edited by Robert Bullard. Sierra Club Books, 2005.

Collin, Robert W. and Robin Morris Collin, “Urban Environmentalism and Race,” in **URBAN PLANNING AND THE AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY: IN THE SHADOWS**, edited by Marsha Ritzdorf and June Manning Thomas. Sage Publications, 1997.

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ARTICLES: PEER  
REVIEWED AND  
STUDENT EDITED

Robin Morris Collin, Sustainability and Environmental Justice: Why Race and Class (Still) Matter to Sustainability, Oregon State Bar, Sustainable Futures Section Newsletter, The Long View, Spring, 2010.

Robin Morris Collin, "Sustainability and the Challenges of Race, Gender and Poverty to Contemporary Scientific Cultures," in PUBLIKATIONEN der Bayerischen Amerika-Akademie / Publications of the Bavarian American Academy, Munchen/Munich, 2008.

Robin Morris Collin, Brown and Me: Brown's Theory of an Educational Remedy for Citizenship, 9 HOWARD SCROLL: THE SOCIAL JUSTICE LAW REVIEW 73 (Spring, 2006).

Robin Morris Collin, The Apocalyptic Vision, Environmentalism, and a Wider Embrace, ISLE: INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES IN LITERATURE AND ENVIRONMENT 13.1 (Winter, 2006).

Collin, Robert W. and Robin Morris Collin, "Sustainability and Environmental Justice: Is the Future Clean and Black?" 31 THE ENVIRONMENTAL LAW REPORTER 10968 - 10985 (2001).

Collin, Robin Morris and Robert W Collin, "The Next Generation of Environmental Decision Making: Beyond Land, Air and Water" THE OREGON LAWYER (1999).

Collin, Robert W. and Robin Morris Collin, "The Role of Communities in Environmental Decisions: Communities Speaking for Themselves," 13 J. OF ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND LITIGATION 37 - 89 (1998).

Collin, Robin Morris and Robert W. Collin, "Where Did All the Blue Skies Go: Sustainability and Equity: The New Paradigm," 9 J. OF ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND LITIGATION 399 - 460 (1994).

Collin, Robert W. and Robin Morris Collin. "Equity as the Basis of Implementing Sustainability: An Exploratory Essay," 96 W. VIRGINIA L. REV. 1173-1190 (1994).

Collin, Robin Morris, "Review of Federal Remedies for the Civil Practitioner: Review of Fourth Circuit Opinions in Civil Cases," 50

WASHINGTON & LEE L. REV. 235 (1993).

Collin, Robin Morris, "The Law and Stolen Art, Artifacts and Antiquities." 36 HOWARD L. J. 17 (1993).

Collin, Robin Morris, "An Examination into the Ethics of Trading in Cultural Artifacts," EUROPEAN CULTURAL HERITAGE NEWSLETTER (January 1991).

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Collin, Robin Morris, "Expanding Proprietary Rights in Art," 7 CARDOZO ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT L. J. 269 (1989).

Collin, Robin Morris and Robert W. Collin. "Racial Inequality in American Cities," 11 BLACK L. J. 177-197 (1989).

Collin, Robin Morris, "Consumer Debt and Usury," 15 PEPPERDINE L. REV. 15 (1988).

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BOOK REVIEWS

Robin Morris Collin, "**PRESUMED INCOMPETENT: THE INTERSECTIONS OF RACE AND CLASS FOR WOMEN IN ACADEMIA,**" 12 Seattle Journal for Social Justice 1 (2014).

Collin, Robin Morris, "Introduction to LatCrit IX Joint Symposium: Community Organizing and Direct Activism," 50 VILLANOVA L. REV. 101 (Spring 2005).

Review of **CHRONICLES FROM THE ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE FRONTLINE**, 44 ENVIRONMENT MAGAZINE No.7, page 43 (Sept 2002).

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICE (SELECTED)

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LAW SCHOOLS** (Sabbatical Site Evaluation Teams since 1991; Accreditation Review Committee 2002 - 2008)

**UNDERSTANDING RACISM (NOW UNITING TO UNDERSTAND RACISM)** 1996 – 2001 (faculty member; CLE diversity credit granted from the Oregon State Bar).

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PUBLIC SERVICE

**OREGON ADVOCACY COMMISSIONS, COMMISSION ON BLACK AFFAIRS,**

(SELECTED) Commissioner 2012 to present

**OREGON SUSTAINABILITY BOARD**, 2010 – present.

**OREGON ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE TASK FORCE**, 2008 – present (Founding Chair).

**NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY AND TECHNOLOGY (NACEPT), STANDING COMMITTEE ON SECTORS** 1999 - 2001 (Federal Advisory Committee advising the EPA on matter of policy).

**COMMON SENSE INITIATIVE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY** 1995-1999(Awarded the Hammer Award by Vice-President Al Gore).

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MAJOR PUBLIC  
SPEECHES  
(SELECTED)

**WRIGLEY LECTURER, ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY GLOBAL INSTITUTE OF SUSTAINABILITY**, November 2011. Address available online at [sustainability.asu.edu/media/video.php](http://sustainability.asu.edu/media/video.php)

**SKANNER FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP BREAKFAST**, January 2010. (Standing ovation from Senator Ron Wyden, Representative Blumenauer and others in attendance.) Address available online at <http://www.npmtc.com/media/videoplayer.php?filename=24th%20MLK%20KEYNOTE.flv>

**THE CITY CLUB OF PORTLAND**, Sustainability and Equity, Robin Morris Collin and Robert William Collin, January 2010. Address available online at <http://pdxcityclub.org/content/sustainability-and-environmental-racism>

**WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY**, April 2010 (Standing Ovation received)

**THE CHIEF'S REVIEW US FOREST SERVICE**, April 2010

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REFERENCES

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