

Lauren Rousseau

Associate Professor

Before coming to Cooley, Professor Rousseau served as vice president, general counsel and corporate secretary for Plastech Engineered Products, Inc., of Dearborn, Mich., a mid-size automotive supplier she joined in 1997. At Plastech, Professor Rousseau managed the legal department and staff, worked with outside counsel, participated in significant business acquisitions, divestitures, and financial and corporate restructurings.

Professor Rousseau recently published an article in the *Rutgers Journal of Law & Urban Policy* addressing the privacy rights of prospective jurors faced with intrusive questions by judges and attorneys during the jury impaneling process. Professor Rousseau has also published articles concerning electronic discovery in the litigation context and the Class Action Fairness Act, which was signed into law by President Bush in 2005.



Experience

Cooley Law School has a faculty that has distinguished itself in both scholarly achievement and the practice of law. Each faculty member has been selected for his or her academic background, coupled with experience as a practicing attorney.

Success

“There are no secrets to success. It is simply the result of hard work, self-discipline, and the determination to succeed.”

EDUCATION

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

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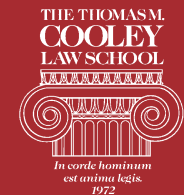
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COURSES

PROFESSOR ROUSSEAU TEACHES CIVIL PROCEDURE I AND II, AS WELL AS GENERAL PRACTICE EXTERNSHIP CLASSES.

BACKGROUND

PROFESSOR ROUSSEAU SERVED ON THE PLASTECH BOARD OF DIRECTORS FROM 1998 TO 2004. BEFORE JOINING PLASTECH, PROFESSOR ROUSSEAU WAS A SENIOR LITIGATION ATTORNEY IN THE FORD MOTOR COMPANY OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL AND AN ASSOCIATE ATTORNEY FOR THE DYKEMA GOSSETT LAW FIRM IN DETROIT, MICHIGAN, SPECIALIZING IN EMPLOYMENT LITIGATION. PROFESSOR ROUSSEAU HAS ALSO SERVED ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF FIRST STEP, A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION PROVIDING SERVICES TO VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND ABUSE, AND ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMITTEE OF THE OAKLAND COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION.

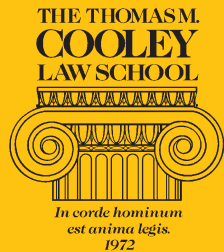


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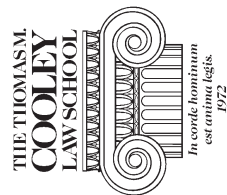
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