

RESUME
SHARON ANGLIN TREAT

EMPLOYMENT

Executive Director, *National Legislative Association on Prescription Drug Prices*, Hallowell, Maine, www.nlarx.org, (2004-). Direct national nonpartisan, nonprofit organization of state legislators working to advance legislation and policies to reduce prescription drug prices. Organization acts as a clearinghouse of information and research for state policymakers, providing information including policy research on issues and best practices, through newsletters, meetings, conferences, testimony and presentations. Maintain website and electronic newsletter, and oversee policy research and organizational development. Coordinate the Legislative Working Group on Prescription Drugs and Trade.

Coordinator, *Environmental Studies Program, Colby College*, Waterville, Maine (2000-04). Oversaw speaker series and internship program, website design and maintenance, produced weekly and annual newsletters, participated in campus and statewide sustainability initiatives, advised students on career and internship options, taught environmental law.

Adjunct Lecturer, *Environmental Studies and Law*. Colby College, Environmental Law (2002-04); University of Maine Law School, Environmental Torts (1996-99); Bowdoin College, Environmental Law (1999); University of Southern Maine, Environmental Law (1996-98); University of New England, Environmental Law & Policy (1995-96).

Attorney, *Law Office of Sharon Treat*. Hallowell, Maine (1990-96). Environmental and natural resources practice representing municipalities, environmental organizations and individuals in solid waste, air pollution and land use cases.

Staff Attorney, *Natural Resources Council of Maine*, Augusta, Maine (1986-90). Legislative and administrative advocacy on issues including solid waste, toxic use reduction and growth management. Principal author of comprehensive recycling and solid waste law.

Associate Attorney, *Ball, Livingston & Tykulsker*, Newark, N.J. (1985-86). Litigation and administrative advocacy practice included environmental law, employment discrimination and labor law.

Assistant Deputy Public Advocate, *New Jersey Department of the Public Advocate*, Trenton, N.J. (1982-85). Litigation and administrative advocacy practice included environmental and employment law.

LEGISLATIVE SERVICE

Maine Senate Majority Leader, 2002-04; **Assistant Majority Leader**, 2000-02.

Managed legislative staff of 7 providing services to 18-member Democratic caucus, including constituent services, policy research and bill drafting, design and maintenance of interactive website, and media communications.

Maine State Senator, District 18, Kennebec County, 1996-2004; **Maine State Representative**, Districts 91/92, 1990-96. **Major initiatives:** Health care legislation including regulation of health insurance and sponsoring the Dirigo Health plan to provide universal access to health insurance; prescription drug pricing, access and PBM regulation; environmental protection including toxics, mercury, invasive species, smart growth and downtown preservation, and cleanup of nuclear power plant; peer support and other initiatives for laid-off and part-time workers; insurance reform; school and library internet access.

Senate Chair: Advisory Commission on Radioactive Waste & Decommissioning; Joint Standing Committee on Natural Resources; Smart Growth Task Force; Governor Baxter School Study; study committees on MTBE, fuel alternatives, and hazardous site liability; Commission to Study the Unemployment Compensation System; Commission on Telecommunications Equipment for Persons with Disabilities. **Member:** Joint Standing Committee on Utilities & Energy, Joint Standing Committee on Labor; Legislative Rules Committee; Legislative Apportionment Commission; National Legislative Association on Prescription Drug Prices; Mercury Products Advisory Council; Advisory Board, NCSL Women's Network; NCSL Environment & Natural Resources Committee (Chair, 1998-99); NCSL Advisory Council on Energy.

House Chair: Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary; Joint Standing Committee on Health & Human Services. **Vice Chair:** Commission on Property Rights and Public Health, Safety & Welfare. **Member:** Legislative Rules Committee; Legislative Apportionment Commission. **Vice Chair:** Commission on Property Rights and Public Health, Safety & Welfare.

EDUCATION

Georgetown University Law Center. J.D. with honors, 1982. Clinic experience: Employment Discrimination Clinic. Dean's List; Labor Law II Award.

Princeton University. Woodrow Wilson School of Public & International Affairs. A.B. 1978. Activities: Reporter, *Daily Princetonian*; Co-founder, Students for Responsible Energy Policies; Volunteer, New Jersey PIRG. Employed throughout college.

Henry Toll Fellow, Council of State Governments (1993); **Flemming Fellow,** Center for Policy Alternatives (1995); **Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University,** Henry Brooks Fellowship, Program for State and Local Government Executives (1997); **Eleanor Roosevelt Global Leadership Institute,** Center for Policy Alternatives (2001).

BAR MEMBERSHIPS

Member, State of Maine Bar since 1987

Member, U.S. Supreme Court Bar since 1986

Member, State of New Jersey Bar, 1983 – 1986

Member, Third Circuit Court of Appeals and U.S. District Court of New Jersey since 1985

RECENT PRESENTATIONS

Speaker on Pharmacy Benefit Managers at First Annual Conference and Business Meeting of The Public Sector HealthCare Roundtable (Alexandria, VA, November 2005)

Panelist, American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, “Innovative Organizational Responses to Issues in the Pharmaceutical Sector: The National Legislative Association on Prescription Drug Prices,” (Philadelphia, PA, December 2005)

Panelist, National Association of Community Pharmacists Annual Meeting, Town Meeting on Pharmacy Benefit Management Issues (Ft. Lauderdale, FL, October 2005)

Moderator and Panelist, Unaffiliated Workshop on State Responses to Prescription Drug Access and Affordability, National Conference of State Legislators Annual Meeting, (Seattle, WA, August 2005)

Presentation to the NW-PBM Quarterly Educational Meeting: “Filling in the Gaps: How States are Responding to the Challenges of Accessing Affordable Drugs” (Seattle, WA, May 2005)

Keynote Speaker, Community Pharmacies of Indiana Annual Convention, “Why States Should Regulate PBMs” (Lafayette, Indiana, October 2004)

Plenary Speaker, Annual Meeting, National Association of Community Pharmacies, "State Regulation of PBMs" (Washington, D.C., May 2004)
Workshop speaker, Families USA Health Action Conference, "Curbing Drug Prices: What Can be Done Locally," (Washington, D.C., January 2004)
Workshop speaker, Center for Policy Alternatives Summit of the States, "Health Care for All," (Washington, D.C., December 2003)
Briefing for members of the Rhode Island Legislature, "Dirigo Health and Maine Rx," (Providence, R.I., November 2003)
Plenary speaker, US Health and Human Service Conference, "Medicaid Pharmacy Waivers and Rebate Authority, Lessons from Maine," (Tampa, Florida, October 2003)
Plenary Speaker, National Conference of State Legislatures Health Care Conference, "Dirigo Health," (Denver CO, September 2003)

AWARDS

2005: Clifton Rodgers Lifetime Achievement Award, Maine Deaf Advisory Council.
2004: Maine Equal Justice Project; Unity College Women's Environmental Leadership Award; Maine Peoples "Alliance Against the Tide" Award.
1999: Edie Beaulieu Award for championing Maine workers from the AFL-CIO; Presidents' Award for efforts on behalf of Maine libraries, Maine Library Association and Association of School Libraries.
1998: Named Outstanding Advocate for the Needs of the Deaf Community, Deaf Advisory Council; Award from Alpha One for Legislative Leadership on Disabilities Issues; Congress of Lakes Association Recognition; Maine Women's Lobby Award; Maine Audubon Society Recognition.
1997: Maine Audubon Society Friend of Conservation.
1996: Maine Libraries' Award for Leadership on Telecommunications; Maine Peoples Alliance "Against the Tide" Award.
1995: Family Planning Association of Maine Award.
1993: Named "Legislator of the Year" by the National Association of Social Workers, Maine Chapter; Senior Legislative Advocacy Coalition Award for Advocacy on Behalf of Maine's Elderly.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Board of Directors: Maine Equal Justice Project; Hubbard Free Library. **Advisory Board:** Theatre at Monmouth; Hallowell Gaslight Theater; Planned Parenthood of Northern New England. **Member:** American Public Health Association; Maine State Bar Association; Kennebec County Bar Association; Natural Resources Council of Maine; Princeton Alumni Schools Committee; Gardiner Library Association; Maine Women's Lobby; WILL/WAND, Women's Legislative Lobby. **Past board member:** Justice Action Group; Maine Volunteer Lakes Monitoring Association; Northeast Action; Maine Association of Conservation Commissions; Princeton Class of 1978 Foundation; Maine Peoples Resource Center; Maine Citizen Leadership Fund; Deaf Advisory Council; Maine Academic Decathlon. **Past member:** Gardiner Rotary Club; School Administrative District 11 Technology Committee; Sustainable Maine.