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Professor Janutis joined Capital University Law School in 2002. She teaches courses on Civil Procedure, Remedies, Complex Litigation and Conflict of Laws. Before coming to Capital, Professor Janutis served as a visiting assistant professor at the University of Illinois College of Law. She was a visiting professor of law for spring 2007 at the University of Nevada Las Vegas William S. Boyd College of Law. Professor Janutis previously served as a law clerk for The Hon. Harlington Wood Jr., of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit. Professor Janutis also practiced with the Chicago law firm of Winston & Strawn, where her practice focused primarily on commercial litigation matters, including antitrust litigation, contract disputes, business torts and products liability. Additionally, she represented juveniles in delinquency and abuse and neglect proceedings on a pro bono basis.

Professor Janutis' areas of research include civil procedure, remedies and complex litigation, specifically issues pertaining to jurisdiction, venue and punitive damages. Her casebook, *Cases and Problems on Remedies*, of which she is a co-author, has been adopted by numerous law schools across the country and will be published in its fourth edition by Foundation Press in spring 2008. Her recent articles on punitive damages can be found in the *Akron Law Review*, *Mississippi Law Journal* and *San Diego Law Review*.

In fall 2007, Professor Janutis was named Director of Faculty Development at Capital. In this role, she is responsible for supporting and promoting teaching and faculty scholarship. She has served on the executive committee of the Association of American Law Schools Section on Remedies and is a founding member of the Ohio Legal Scholarship Workshops, which serves to promote research and scholarship among junior law faculty members in Ohio and Northern Kentucky.

Professor Janutis holds a J.D., summa cum laude, from the University of Illinois College of Law and a B.S. in journalism from Northwestern University.