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Katie Cronin is the Pro Bono Manager at Stinson Leonard Street LLP, where she develops and implements the firm's pro bono program and serves as its external ambassador to the public interest legal community, judiciary, bar associations, in-house law departments, and law schools. Ms. Cronin regularly accepts pro bono referrals from agencies working with survivors of human trafficking and provides support to attorneys working on those matters throughout the firm. She formerly served as Clinical Associate Professor at the University of Kansas School of Law with a joint appointment in the School of Medicine and as Director of the Medical-Legal Partnership (MLP) Clinic. The MLP is a collaboration between the School of Law and the University of Kansas Hospital that integrates free legal services into comprehensive patient care. Working under Ms. Cronin's supervision, law students participating in the MLP provided free legal assistance to low-income patients, including human trafficking survivors, and engaged in interprofessional learning with colleagues in the Schools of Medicine, Nursing, and Pharmacy. During her time at KU, Ms. Cronin helped to implement a screening guideline to aid in the identification of human trafficking survivors in the hospital's Emergency Department and taught a course on Human Trafficking Law & Policy. Ms. Cronin received her JD from Vanderbilt Law School and her BSW from the University of Missouri-Columbia.

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