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EDUCATION

Ph.D., M.A. (Philosophy) University of California Riverside, June 2015

Ph.D. (Law) King's College University of London, Feb. 2006

LL.M. (International & Comparative Law), Georgetown University Law Center, Feb. 1996

Graduated with *distinction*, first in graduating class

J.D. American University Washington College of Law, May 1985

B.A. (Economics and Political Science) Duquesne University, Dec. 1981

Magna cum laude

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

University of Pittsburgh School of Law, Pittsburgh, PA, July 2023-present

Associated Faculty, Department of Philosophy

Vice Dean (March 1, 2025-present)

Professor of Law & John E. Murray Faculty Scholar

Touro University Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center, Central Islip, NY, Aug. 2019-June 2023

Associate Dean for Academic Affairs (July 2021-June 2023)

Professor of Law (July 2020-June 2023)

Visiting Professor of Law (2019-2020)

Durham University Law School, Durham, U.K., Oct. 2014-July 2020

Professor of Commercial Law

Co-Director, Institute for Commercial and Corporate Law

Administrative Roles: Academic Affairs and Globalization

St. Chad's and University Colleges

Columbia Law School, New York, NY, Fall 2018

Visiting Scholar

Jilin University School of Law, Changchun China

Distinguished Visiting Professor of Global Legal Studies, Dec. 2017-Dec. 2027

Visiting Professor of Law, Sept.-Nov. 2015, Center for Jurisprudence Research

Swansea University College of Law, Swansea, U.K., Jan. 2012-Sept. 2014

Professor of Law; Dean and Head of College

University of Nottingham School of Law, Nottingham, U.K., July 2009-Sept. 2011

Special Professor of Law

Northeastern University School of Law, Boston, MA, July 2008-July 2009

Visiting Professor of Law

University of La Verne College of Law, Ontario, CA, Aug. 2002–Dec. 2011

Associate Dean for Academic Affairs & Professor of Law from June 1, 2009

Professor of Law (tenured as of Aug. 1, 2007) from Aug. 1, 2005

Associate Professor of Law, Aug. 1, 2002–July 31, 2005

University of East Anglia Law School, U.K., Sept. 2000–July 2002

Senior Lecturer in Law (Associate Professor)

University of Trier Faculty of Law, Rhineland-Palatinate, Germany, Nov. 2001-Jan. 2002

Visiting Professor of the Common Law

Aberystwyth University, Aberystwyth, U.K., Jan. 1998–Aug. 2000

Lecturer in Law (Assistant Professor)

Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, DC, Summer 2000

Visiting Professor of Law

University of California Irvine, Dept. of Economics, Irvine, CA, Summer 2000

Lecturer in Economics

UCLA School of Law, Los Angeles, CA, Summer 1999

Visiting Scholar

COURSES TAUGHT

Bankruptcy, Business Organizations, Commercial Law, Comparative Law, Contracts, Corporations, International Commercial Arbitration, International Business Transactions, International Financial Law, International Trade Law, Jurisprudence, Law and Behavioral Economics, Law and Development, Law, Capitalism and Distributive Justice Seminar, Law and Economics, Mergers and Acquisitions, Philosophy of Private Law Seminar, Public International Law, Public Procurement Law, Sales, Secured Transactions

SELECT HONORS AND AWARDS

John E. Murray Faculty Scholar, University of Pittsburgh

Dean's Fellow, University of California Riverside

Elected Member, American Law Institute (as of December 14, 2018)

Fellow, American Bar Foundation

Fellow, European Law Institute

European Society of International Law Book Prize 2019: *THE MISERY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW: CONFRONTATIONS WITH INJUSTICE IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY* (Oxford University Press 2018)(with Margot Salomon & Muthucumaraswamy Sornarajah)

Fellow, Royal Society of the Arts (2018-2020)

Merit Award, Durham University, July 2019

Senior Fellow, British Higher Education Academy

Thomas Bradbury Chetwood S.J. Prize, Georgetown University

PUBLICATIONS

Legal Scholarship Network: <http://ssrn.com/author=332252>

Books (authored)

JOHN LINARELLI & ALVEENA SHAH, MURRAY ON CONTRACTS: CASES AND MATERIALS (Carolina Academic Press 8th ed. forthcoming 2026)

RON BRAND & JOHN LINARELLI, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS FUNDAMENTALS (West Academic Publishers 3rd ed. forthcoming 2027)

JOHN LINARELLI, MARGOT E. SALOMON, & MUTHUCUMARASWAMY SORNARAJAH, THE MISERY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW: CONFRONTATIONS WITH INJUSTICE IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY (Oxford University Press 2018)

SUE ARROWSMITH, JOHN LINARELLI, & DON WALLACE JR., REGULATING PUBLIC PROCUREMENT: NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES (Aspen/Kluwer 2000)

Books (edited)

ELGAR CONCISE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF LEGAL THEORY AND PHILOSOPHY (Edward Elgar, forthcoming 2026)

THE FUTURE OF COMMERCIAL LAW: WAYS FORWARD FOR CHANGE AND REFORM (John Linarelli & Orkun Akseli eds., Hart 2020)

RESEARCH HANDBOOK ON GLOBAL JUSTICE AND INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW (John Linarelli ed., Edward Elgar 2013)

GLOBAL JUSTICE AND INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW: OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES (Chi Carmody, Frank Garcia, & John Linarelli eds., Cambridge University Press 2012). Part of the ASIL Studies in International Legal Theory Series.

Book Chapters

Equality, in THE SOCIAL CONTRACT (Fred D'Agostino & Amir Paz-Fuchs eds. Elgar, forthcoming 2027)

Normative Jurisprudence, in ELGAR CONCISE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF LEGAL THEORY AND PHILOSOPHY (Edward Elgar, forthcoming 2027)

Contract Law and Advances in Artificial Intelligence in RESEARCH HANDBOOK ON THE LAW OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (Woodrow Barfield & Ugo Pagallo eds., Edward Elgar 2nd ed. 2025)

Artificial Intelligence and Contract Formation: Back to Contract as Bargain? in EMERGING ISSUES AT THE INTERSECTION OF COMMERCIAL LAW AND TECHNOLOGY (Stacy-Ann Elvy & Nancy Kim eds., Cambridge University Press 2025)

Multilateral Rules on Government Procurement, in THE INTERNATIONAL LAW OF ECONOMIC INTEGRATION (Julien Chaisse & Christoph Hermann eds., Oxford University Press 2025)

Globalizing Public Procurement Law and Policy: The Early Period, in REFORMING PUBLIC PROCUREMENT LAW: LIBER AMICORUM IN HONOUR OF SUE ARROWSMITH (Annamaria La Chimia & Martin Trybus co-eds. Bloomsbury Hart 2024)

A Philosophy of Contract Law for Artificial Intelligence: Shared Intentionality, in

CONTRACTING AND CONTRACT LAW IN THE AGE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (Martin Ebers, Cristina Poncibo, & Mimi Zhou eds. Hart 2022)

Transatlantic Divisions in Methods of Inquiry About Law: What it Means for International Law, in HANDBOOK ON RESEARCH METHODS IN INTERNATIONAL LAW 28 (Rossana Deplano & Nicholas Tsagourias eds., Edward Elgar 2021)

Global Legal Pluralism and Commercial Law, in THE OXFORD HANDBOOK ON GLOBAL LEGAL PLURALISM 689 (Paul Schiff Berman ed., Oxford University Press 2020)

Behavioral Comparative Law: Its Relevance to Global Commercial Law Making, in THE FUTURE OF COMMERCIAL LAW: WAYS FORWARD FOR CHANGE AND REFORM 69 (Orkun Akseli & John Linarelli eds., Hart 2020)

Legal Certainty: A Common Law View and a Critique, in THE SHIFTING MEANING OF LEGAL CERTAINTY IN COMPARATIVE AND TRANSNATIONAL LAW 159 (Mark Fenwick, Mathias Siems, & Stefan Wrzka eds., Hart 2017)

Law, Rights and Development, in RESEARCH HANDBOOK ON GLOBAL JUSTICE AND INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW 301 (John Linarelli ed., Edward Elgar 2013)

Global Procurement Law in Times of Crisis: New Buy American Policies and Options in the WTO Legal System, in THE WTO REGIME ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT: CHALLENGE AND REFORM 773 (Sue Arrowsmith & Robert Anderson eds., Cambridge University Press 2011)

The Limited Case for Permitting SME Procurement Preferences in the WTO Agreement on Government Procurement, in THE WTO REGIME ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT: CHALLENGE AND REFORM 444 (Sue Arrowsmith & Robert Anderson eds., Cambridge University Press 2011)

Principles of Fairness for International Economic Treaties: Constructivism and Contractualism, in TRADE AS THE GUARANTOR OF PEACE, LIBERTY AND SECURITY? – CRITICAL, HISTORICAL, AND EMPIRICAL PERSPECTIVES 124 (Padideh Alai, Tomer Broude & Colin Picker eds., American Society of International Law 2006)

TRIPS, Biotechnology and the Public Domain: What Role Will World Trade Law Play? in AGRICULTURE AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE: LAW, POLICY AND THE WTO 193 (Chris Rodgers & Michael Cardwell eds., CABI 2003)

Informing the WTO's Transparency Agenda: Law, Economics and International Relations Theory, in PUBLIC PROCUREMENT: THE CONTINUING REVOLUTION 235 (Sue Arrowsmith & Martin Trybus eds., Kluwer 2003)

Model Practices in Judicial Reform: A Report on Experiences Outside the Region, in JUSTICE BEYOND OUR BORDERS: JUDICIAL REFORM FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN 1 (Christina Biebesheimer & Francisco Meija eds., Johns Hopkins University Press 2000). Co-authored with Carolyn Herzog. Funding provided by the Inter-American Development Bank Civil Society Unit. Translated into Spanish

The Economics of Sovereignty, in RENEGOTIATING WESTPHALIA: ESSAYS AND COMMENTARY ON THE EUROPEAN AND CONCEPTUAL FOUNDATIONS OF MODERN INTERNATIONAL LAW 351 (Chris Harding & Chin Leng Lim eds., Springer 1999)

Private Participation in Public Projects: Some Strategic Issues, in PUBLIC PROCUREMENT: GLOBAL REVOLUTION 259 (Sue Arrowsmith & Arwel Davies eds., Kluwer 1998)

Corruption in Developing Countries and in Countries in Transition: Legal and Economic Perspectives, in PUBLIC PROCUREMENT: GLOBAL REVOLUTION 125 (Sue Arrowsmith & Arwel Davies eds., Kluwer 1998)

Articles

The New American Private Law of Digital Assets, — J. L. & COM. — (2026). University of Manchester Hallsworth Conference Issue: Digital and Sustainable Futures: What role for Digital Assets and Private Law?

The Cognitive Science of Comparative Law: An Emerging Field of Study?, 57 GEO. J. INT'L L. — (forthcoming 2026). Accepted for special Study and Analysis of International Law Scholarship (SAILS) issue

A Naturalized Jurisprudence for International Law: Implications for Justice in the Global Economy, 58 GEO WASH. INTL L. REV. 49 (2026)

Theorizing a Transnational Contract Law: What Role for the CISG?, 25 WASH. U. GLOBAL LEGAL STUD. REV. 435 (2026)

Reparations and the International Law Origin Story, 11 J. RACE, GENDER, & ETHNICITY 102 (2022)

Inequality and Access to Credit: A Social Contract Framework, 41 LAW & CONTEMP. PROBS. 165 (2021). Reviewed in Sabrina Minhas, *Promoting Justice in Credit Markets*, REGULATORY REVIEW (MAY 20, 2021), <https://www.theregreview.org/2021/05/20/minhas-promoting-justice-credit-markets/>.

Artificial General Intelligence and Contract, 24 UNIFORM L. REV. 330 (2019)(Special Issue on Transnational Commercial Law and the Technology/Digital Economy 2019). Reviewed in Nancy Kim, *Bargaining with an AI*, JOTWELL, Mar. 19, 2021

Debt in Just Societies: A General Framework for Regulating Credit, 14 REGULATION & GOVERNANCE 409 (2020)

Luck, Justice, and Systemic Financial Risk, 34 J. APPLIED PHIL. 331 (2017)

Toward a Political Theory for Private International Law, 26 DUKE J. COMP. & INT'L L. 299 (2016)

Concept and Contract in the Future of International Law, 67 RUTGERS L. REV. 61 (2015)

How Trade Law Changed: Why It Should Change Again, 66 MERCER L. REV. 621 (2014)

Redesigning Global Trade Institutions, 18 SW. J. INT'L L. 75 (2011)

Organizations Matter: They are Institutions, After All, 6 J. INSTITUTIONAL ECON. 83 (2010). Invited response to article by Richard Posner

Analytical Jurisprudence and the Concept of Commercial Law, 114 PENN ST. L. REV. 119 (2009)

When Does Might Make Right?: Using Force for Regime Change, 40 J. SOCIAL PHIL. 343 (2009)

Did Nietzsche Say Anything to Economists or About Economics?, review essay (invited) of Jürgen G. Backhaus & Wolfgang Drechsler, FRIEDRICH NIETZSCHE (1844-1900): ECONOMY AND SOCIETY, in 26 RESEARCH IN THE HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THOUGHT AND METHODOLOGY 117

(Warren J. Samuels, Jeff E. Biddle, & Ross B. Emmett eds. 2008)

What do We Owe Each Other in the Global Economic Order?: Constructivist and Contractualist Accounts, 15 FLA. ST. J. TRANSNAT'L L. & POL'Y 181 (2006)

The WTO Agreement on Government Procurement and the UNCITRAL Model Procurement Law: A View from Outside the Region, 1 ASIAN J. WTO & HEALTH L. & POL'Y 317 (2006)

Nietzsche in Law's Cathedral: Beyond Reason and Postmodernism, 53 CATH. U. L. REV. 413 (2004), *reprinted in* NIETZSCHE AND LAW 237 (Francis J. Mootz III & Peter Goodrich eds., Ashgate 2008)

Treaty Governance, Intellectual Property and Biodiversity, 6 ENVT'L L. REV. 21 (2004)

The Economics of Uniform Laws and Uniform Law Making, 48 WAYNE L. REV. 1387 (2003)

Trade Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights and Biotechnology: European Aspects, 6 SINGAPORE J. INT'L & COMP. L. 406 (2002)

Economic Sanctions and the US Supreme Court: Crosby v. National Foreign Trade Council, 10 PUB. PROCUREMENT L. REV. NA91 (2001)

The Role of Dispute Settlement in World Trade Law: Some Lessons from the Kodak-Fuji Dispute, 31 GEO. J. INT'L L. 263 (2000)

United States Economic Sanctions Imposed by Sub-Central Governments: The Supreme Court Declares the Massachusetts Myanmar Law Unconstitutional, 2000 INT'L TRADE L. & REG. 116 (2000)

Violence Against Women and the Asylum Process, 60 ALBANY L. REV. 977 (1997)

Changes to Bid Protest Jurisdiction of the United States Federal Courts, 6 PUB. PROCUREMENT L. REV. CS117 (1997)

The Proposed Freedom from Government Competition Act of 1997, 5 PUB. PROCUREMENT L. REV. CS208 (1997)

China and the WTO Agreement on Government Procurement, 5 PUB. PROCUREMENT L. REV. CS54 (1996)

Women, Just Implementation of Asylum Policy, and Our Commitment to Human Dignity and Freedom, 3 HUMAN RIGHTS BRIEF 13 (1996)

Anglo-American Jurisprudence and Latin America, 20 FORDHAM INT'L L. J. 50 (1996)

Peace-Building, 24 DENV. J. INT'L L. POL'Y 253 (1996)

The European Bank for Reconstruction and Development and the Post-Cold War Era, 16 U. PA. J. INT'L ECON. L. 373 (1995)

The European Bank for Reconstruction and Development: Legal and Policy Issues, 18 B.C. INT'L & COMP. L. REV. 361 (1995)

International Trade Relations and the Separation of Powers Under the United States Constitution, 13 PENN ST. INT'L L. REV. 203 (1995)

An Examination of the Proposed Crime of Intervention in the Draft Code of Crimes Against the Peace and Security of Mankind, 18 SUFFOLK TRANSNAT'L L. REV. 1 (1995)

China and the GATT Agreement on Government Procurement, 8 COLUM. J. ASIAN L. 185 (1994)

Proceedings

International Law: Practical Authority, Global Justice, 103 AM. SOC'Y INT'L L. PROC. 382 (2009)

Reasonable Pluralism and International Law, 105 AM. SOC'Y INT'L L. PROC. 455 (2012)

The Economics of Private Law Harmonization, 96 AM. SOC'Y INT'L L. PROC. 339 (2002)

Internationalism in Legal Education: The United Kingdom Experience, 93 AM. SOC. INT'L L. PROC. 359 (2000)

Book Reviews

Review of INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW AFTER THE GLOBAL ECONOMIC CRISIS: A TALE OF FRAGMENTED DISCIPLINES (Chin Leng Lim & Bryan Mercurio eds., Cambridge University Press 2015), 65 INT'L & COMP. L. Q. 764 (2016)

Review of MATTHIAS RISSE, ON GLOBAL JUSTICE (Princeton University Press 2012), 16 J. INT'L ECON. L. 959 (2013). Quoted by Princeton University Press

Review of SUSAN BROWN-SHAFII, PROMOTING GOOD GOVERNANCE, DEVELOPMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Palgrave 2011), 42 PUB. CONT. L. J. 765 (2012)

Review of WTO LAW AND PROCESS: THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE 2005 AND 2006 ANNUAL WTO CONFERENCES (Federico Ortino & Sergey Ripinsky eds., BIICL 2007), Global Law Books and European Law Books Review Program of the NYU Jean Monnet Center, <http://www.globallawbooks.org/home.asp>

Review of PUBLIC PROCUREMENT: (THE INTERNATIONAL LIBRARY OF CRITICAL WRITINGS IN ECONOMICS SERIES) (Sue Arrowsmith & Keith Hartley eds., Edward Elgar 2003), 29 LOCAL GOV'T STUD. 137 (2003)

Review of JAN DALHUISEN, INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL, FINANCIAL AND TRADE LAW (Hart 2001), 21 LEGAL STUD. 526 (2001)

Review of THE EU, THE WTO AND THE NAFTA: TOWARDS A COMMON LAW OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE (Joseph Weiler, ed., Oxford University Press 2001), 10 PUB. PROCUREMENT L. REV. 341 (2001)

Review of CHRISTER AHLSTRÖM, THE STATUS OF MULTILATERAL EXPORT CONTROL REGIMES - AN EXAMINATION OF LEGAL AND NON-LEGAL AGREEMENTS IN INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION (Iustus Forlag 1999), 20 AUSTRALIAN Y.B INT'L L. 356 (2000)

Review of LAW AND ECONOMICS (THE INTERNATIONAL LIBRARY OF CRITICAL WRITINGS IN ECONOMICS SERIES 81 (Richard A. Posner & Francesco Parisi eds., Cheltenham: Edward Elgar 2007), 17 WISC. INT'L L. J. 509 (1999)

Miscellaneous

SMALL AND MEDIUM SIZE ENTERPRISES AND EXPORT-LED GROWTH: ARE THERE ROLES FOR PUBLIC PROCUREMENT PROGRAMS? Lead author. (International Trade Centre (UNCTAD/WTO 1999)). Funded by the International Trade Centre (UNCTAD/WTO) in Geneva, Switzerland. Translated into Russian

Reporter, 1994 Annual Meeting, American Society of International Law. *Immigration and Sovereignty, National Responses to Bad Aliens*, 88 AM. SOC'Y INT'L L. PROC. 439 (1994)

SELECT MEDIA

Oxford Business Law Blog, "Global Legal Pluralism and Commercial Law," Feb. 13, 2019, <https://www.law.ox.ac.uk/business-law-blog/blog/2019/02/global-legal-pluralism-and-commercial-law>

Guest blogger, The Finreg Blog, Duke Global Financial Markets Center, "Debt in Just Societies: Toward a General Framework for Regulating Credit, Jan. 18, 2019, <https://sites.duke.edu/thefinregblog/2019/01/18/debt-in-just-societies-a-general-framework-for-regulating-credit/>

OUPblog, "The Universality of International Law," Sept. 3, 2018, <https://blog.oup.com/2018/09/universality-international-law/>

Tedx Talk, "Debt, Inequality, and Law for Capitalists," March 11, 2016, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UYqdLc5hN48>

Oxford Business Law Blog, "Debt in Just Societies," Oct. 4, 2016, <https://www.law.ox.ac.uk/business-law-blog/blog/2016/10/debt-just-societies>

Guest blogger, Business Law Prof Blog, May 2016, http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/business_law/

"The Concept of International Law" Discussion Paper, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy blog, f: Fletcher International Law and..., Mar. 24, 2009

KEYNOTES

Jilin University School of Law 70th Anniversary Conference, "Remarks on the 70th Anniversary of Jilin University School of Law," Sept. 8, 2018

Centre for the Study of European Contract Law Conference, "European Private Law at the Time of Growing Inequality," University of Amsterdam, Sept. 30, 2016. Topic: "Inequality and Financial Markets"

Plenary Panel, 21st Annual Common Core of European Private Law: "Property and Inequality in the 21st Century," June 12-13, 2015, University of Gothenburg, Sweden. Topic: "Property and Inequality: Two Paradigms." Lecture notes at https://www.researchgate.net/publication/280565636_Property_and_Inequality_Two_Paradigms

PRESENTATIONS, PANELS, & CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

Sovereignty—Collective and Individual Symposium, Cornell Law School, co-sponsored by the Trudeau Foundation, May 18, 2026.

Consumer Law Scholars Conference, UC Berkeley, Workshop Session. Paper: "Making Digital Assets Safer," March 5-6, 2026

18th Annual International Contracts Conference (KCON), University of Florida Levin College of Law. Paper: "A Shared Intentions Theory of Contract Law," Feb. 19-20, 2026

Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting 2026, Comparative Law Section Panel, “The Role of Lawyers and Legal Education in Advancing Rule of Law,” January 8, 2026

Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting 2026, Commercial and Consumer Law Section Panel, “Innovation and Impact: A Tribute to Juliet Moringiello, January 6, 2026

International Panel, VI Scientific Conference, *On the Understanding of Law and Jurisprudence*, November 21, 2025, University of Szczecin, Poland. Presentation: “Jurisprudence and Moral Psychology”

Association of American Law Schools Section on Financial Regulation Mid-Year Meeting, August 8, 2025. Paper: “Making Digital Assets Safer”

Digital and Sustainable Futures: What Role for Digital Assets and Private Law? Conference, University of Manchester, May 19-20, 2025, Financial Inclusion, Sustainable Futures, and Technology Panel, Presentation: On the Role of Technology and AI. Funding: Hallsworth Conference Fund

Artificial Intelligence in Contracting Workshop, University of Vienna, Oct. 21-22 2024. Topic: “New Mechanisms of Attribution”

15th Annual Transnational Commercial Law Teachers Conference, University of Manchester, Paper (with Eric Schaffer): “Improving Sovereign Debt Workouts Through Creditor and Debtor Disclosures,” Oct. 5-6, 2024

Jilin University School of Law, Changchun China, Legal Education Developments in the Digital and AI Age, Sept. 7-9, 2024

Southeastern Association of Law Schools (SEALS) Annual Conference, Panel: Consumer Law, Commercial Law, and Bankruptcy Workshop: Current Issues in Consumer Debt, July 25, 2024

Southeastern Association of Law Schools (SEALS) Annual Conference, Panel: Consumer Law, Commercial Law, and Bankruptcy Workshop: Pedagogy and Assessments in Consumer Law, Commercial Law, and Bankruptcy Courses, July 26, 2024

Transnational Legal and Political Theory Workshop, University at Buffalo School of Law, Baldy Center for Law and Policy, May 17-18, 2024. Commentator on Paper by Charles Schultz, King’s College London, “Arbitration as Law Beyond the State”

American Law Institute – European Law Institute Webinar, Feb. 8, 2024, “The Use of Automated Decision-Making and Consumer Law.”

Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting 2024, Scholarship Section Panel Chair, Defending Democracy in the Law School, Jan. 6, 2024

Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting 2024, Scholarship Section Panel Chair, New Voices on Methods of Defending Democracy Research and Scholarship, Jan. 5, 2024

American Society of International Law Mid-Year Meeting, University of Pittsburgh, Nov. 9-11, 2023, Commentator on the Corporate Actors and International Law Panel. Two papers: Ji Ma, “The Privatization of Soft International Law” and Kish Parella, “Markets and Treaties”

14th Transnational Commercial Law Teachers Conference, Elon University, Oct. 6, 2023, “Chip Wars, Mandatory Rules, and Transnational Commercial Law”

Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting 2023, The Comparative Law Classroom panel, Jan. 4, 2023, Co-Sponsored by the Comparative Law and East Asian Law and Society Sections

Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting 2023, Comparative Law Section Works in Progress Panel, Comparative Law Section, Jan. 5, 2023, Paper: “Behavioral Comparative Law: An Emerging Field?”

Journal of Race, Gender, and Ethnicity Symposium, Feb. 16, 2022, Panel: Globalism and Restorative Justice, Paper: “Justice, Reparations, and the Origins of International Law”

Law and Society Annual Meeting, May 27-30, 2021, Panel: Global Legal Pluralism: Philosophical and Historical Perspectives, Paper: “The History and Future of Plural Commercial Normative Orders: Fintech, Machine Learning, and the New Normative Order for Finance”

Contracts and Contract Law in the Age of AI Conference, University of Turin, Feb. 12, 2021. Paper: “Artificial Intelligence and Contract Law: Rethinking Contract Theory”

University of Sheffield School of Law, Institute for Corporate and Commercial Law, Workshop, Dec. 14, 2020, “Inequality and Access to Credit: A Social Contract Framework”

American Society of International Law Mid-Year Meeting, Oct. 29-30, 2020, Paper: “A Cognitive Turn for International Law: Implications for Understanding Global Justice”

Co-Organizer, with Steven Schwarcz (Duke), Iris Chiu (UCL), and N. Orkun Akseli (Manchester), Financial Inclusion, Access to Credit, and Sustainable Finance Symposium, to be published in *Law and Contemporary Problems*, Spring 2021

Fifth Global Procurement Conference, University of Rome Vor Tergata, July 6-8, 2020. Session (with Caroline Nicholas, UN Office of Legal Affairs): “Raising Public Procurement from Local to Global Standards: Worth It?”

University of Luxembourg Faculty of Law Scholarship Workshop, “More Misery: Why it is Difficult for International Law to Address Inequality,” Dec. 18, 2019

Class Crits Conference XII, Nov. 15-16, 2019, Western New England University School of Law, Paper: “Inequality and Access to Credit: A Social Contract Framework”

European Society of International Law Annual Conference 2019, “Conversation with the ESIL Book Prize Winner,” Athens, Greece, Sept. 14, 2019

Private Law Consortium, “Artificial General Intelligence and Contract,” Bar-Ilan University, Tel Aviv, Israel, June 3-4, 2019 (Consortium members: Bar Ilan, Durham, City Hong Kong, NUS, Penn, Rotterdam, Trento, Tromso, UCL, and Vanderbilt)

Financial Inclusion and Access to Credit Symposium, Durham Castle, “Regulating Access to Credit: From Financial Stability to Distributive Justice, May 28, 2019. Co-organizer

University of Liverpool London Workshop on International Law, the “Left Behinds” and the Populism Fatigue, “When Rights and Reasons Fail: How to Think About Populism and International Law,” May 2, 2019

Boston College Clough Center for the Study of Constitutional Democracy Workshop on Consent, Coercion, and Democracy: Trade and Foreign Relations in the Trump Era, “Trade Agreements, Renegotiation, and the Structure of Coercion,” Mar. 14, 2019

Guest Lecture in Justice in the Global Economy course at Boston College Law School, in which book, *Misery of International Law* is assigned reading, Mar. 13, 2019

Seminar, Warwick University School of Law on book, *The Misery of International Law*, Oct. 31, 2018

Tenth Annual Transnational Commercial Law Teacher's Conference, University Carlos III de Madrid, "The Law and Economics of Blockchain: Implications for Commercial Codes and Commercial Transactions," Oct. 18-19, 2018

Symposium on Challenges and Cooperation Opportunities Amid the Globalization of Legal Education, Jilin University School of Law, "The History of Legal Education in the United States and England: Why it Matters Today," Sept. 8, 2018

Symposium Co-Organizer, When Corporate and International Law Meet: Corporate Agency in a Global Context, American Society of International Law, Washington DC, May 11, 2018. Co-sponsored by Durham and Jilin (China) University Law Schools. Paper: "Tribes, Corporations, and Harm"

The Neglected Methodologies of International Law: Empirical, Socio-Legal and Comparative, Leicester University Workshop, Jan. 31, 2018. Paper: "Why Method Matters for International Law – and for Comparative International Law"

Lecture, Renmin University Law School, Chinese University of Political Science and Law, and Jilin University School of Law, "Cost-Benefit Analysis of Financial Regulation and Distributive Justice," Oct. 17, 2017

UNCITRAL 50th Anniversary Congress Modernizing International Trade Law to Support Innovation and Sustainable Development. Invited to moderate panel, July 4-6, 2017

Fairness in Law-making Conference, Queen's University Belfast School of Law, Panel 1: The Concept of Fairness, May 19, 2017

Society of Legal Scholars (SLS) Annual Seminar, Feb. 27-28, 2017, Durham University, "The Future of Commercial Law: Ways Forward for Harmonization." £10,000 SLS funding. Co-organizer and principal investigator

Lecture, Leeds University, "Debt in Just Societies," Feb. 13, 2017.

Panelist. Socio-Legal Studies Annual Conference, University of Lancaster UK, April 5-7, 2016, Topic: "Debt in Just Societies"

Panelist, Institutions and Human Behavior Third Annual World Interdisciplinary Network for Institutional Research (WINIR) conference, Sept. 2-5, 2016, Boston MA, Topic: "Debt in Just Societies"

Global Law and Comparative Law in Discussion, Durham University July 12, 2016. Panel: Framing the Comparative, the International, and the Global. Topic: "The Aims of Moral Theories About Global Law"

Economic Assessment of International Commercial Law Reform Workshop, Commercial Law Centre, Harris Manchester College, University of Oxford., invited participant, Mar. 29-30, 2016 and various other dates, including at UNIDROIT (Rome) Oct. 8-9, 2018, April 10-11, 2019 (paper presented on cost-benefit analysis), Sept. 15, 2022

Panelist, Public Procurement Global Revolution VII, University of Nottingham, June 15-16, 2015, Topic: “Shareholder Derivative Litigation and Debarment: An Assessment and Future Prospects”

International Law Association (ILA) British Branch Spring Conference: Foundations & Futures of International Law, May 23-24, 2014. Paper: “The Analytical and the Normative in the Philosophy of International Law”

American Society of International Law (ASIL) International Legal Theory Interest Group Symposium, Human Rights in Emergencies, May 16, 2014, Tillar House, Washington, DC. Panel Chair: “Norms and Exceptions”

World Bank Global Forum on Law, Justice and Development, Second Colloquium on Suspension and Debarment, May 15, 2014, Washington DC. Panel: “Who Should be the Decision-maker?”

International Conference on Comparative Law and Development, University of Delhi, Mar. 21-23, 2014, “Law and Development”

Cardiff University, Law School Seminar, “Luck, Justice and Systemic Financial Risk,” Dec. 4, 2013

Symposium on Socio-Legal and Theoretical Perspectives on International Economic Law, University College London Faculty of Laws, Nov. 14-15, 2013. Paper: “Luck, Justice, and Systemic Financial Risk”

Modern Law Review Seminar, Centre for Law and Society in a Global Context, School of Law, Queen Mary University of London, Nov. 8-9, 2013, Authority in a Transnational Age, Panel Chair, “The State and its Authority”

London School of Economics, Laboratory for the Advanced Research on the Global Economy in the LSE Centre for the Study of Human Rights, Oct. 31, 2013. Event: Greed, Humanity and the Neoliberal Retreat in International Law. Commentator on paper by M. Sornarajah

School of Law, Queen Mary University of London, Seminar Series on Transnationalism, Legal Theory and History Research Group, Oct. 23, 2013. Paper: “On the Philosophy of Transnational Law.”

Mercer University Law Review Symposium, Mercer University School of Law, October 11, 2013. Paper: “Why Trade Law Changed: Why it Should Change Again.” Lead Articles issue

Society of Legal Scholars Annual Conference, University of Edinburgh, Sept. 3-4, 2013, Open A Section, special session to inaugurate new section on International Economic Law. Paper: “Luck, Justice, and Systemic Financial Risk”

Public Procurement: Global Revolution VI, University of Nottingham, June 24-25, 2013, Paper: “Development Bank Procurement and Anti-Corruption Policies and the Rise of Global Administrative Law”

Global Challenges – Global Law: A Symposium on the Future of International Law and Global Governance, Swansea University, June 6-7, 2013. Paper: “Concept and Contract in the Future of International Economic Law”

American Society of International Law (ASIL) Private International Law Interest Group and

Duke University School of Law Centre for Comparative and International Law Symposium, What is Private International Law, Nov. 1-2, 2012. Paper: "Private International Law, Obligation and Authority"

American Society of International Law (ASIL) International Legal Theory Interest Group Symposium, Legal Positivism in International Legal Theory: Hart's Legacy, Nov. 11, 2011, Tillar House, Washington, DC. Paper: "Developing a Legal Positivist Account of Public International Law"

American Society of International Law (ASIL) 105th Annual Meeting, Harmony and Dissonance in International Law, Mar. 23-26, 2011, Panel: International Legal Theory Interest Group Panel: Harmony and Dissonance in International Legal Theory. Paper: "Reasonable Pluralism and International Law"

2021: International Law: Ten Years from Now, Feb. 26, 2011 Symposium, *Southwestern Journal of International Law* and International Law Association (American Branch) International Law Weekend-West. International Trade Law Panel. Paper: "Redesigning Global Trade Institutions"

Public Procurement: Global Revolution V, Sept. 9-10, 2010, University of Copenhagen, Denmark. Paper: "Global Procurement Law in Times of Crisis: New Buy American Policies and Options in the WTO Legal System." Panel Chair: "Current Issues for the GPA"

What Makes States Successful? Afghanistan and the Future of State Building, April 14-17, 2010, University of La Verne. Conference Co-Organizer with Vice Admiral (Ret.) Bruce MacDonald (former head, US Navy Judge Advocate General) and Robert C. O'Brien, California Managing Partner, Arent Fox. US State Department Public-Private Partnership funded

International Law Students Association (ILSA) Annual Fall Conference, Global Financial Reform, Oct. 8-9, 2009. Thomas Cooley Law School, Lansing Michigan. Two panels, one on global procurement liberalization and the global economic crisis and the other on law and development

Association of American Law Schools (AALS) Conference on Business Associations, June 7-10, 2009, Long Beach California. Paper: "Contractualism and Corporate Law"

American Society of International Law (ASIL) 103rd Annual Meeting, International Law as Law, Mar. 25-28, 2009, Panel: "Visions from International Law: Insights from Normative Theories." Paper: "International Law: Practical Authority, Global Justice"

Co-organizer, American Society of International Law (ASIL) International Legal Theory Interest Group Symposium, "Distributive Justice and International Economic Law," Nov. 8, 2008, Tillar House, Washington, DC

Association of American Law Schools (AALS) Mid-Year Meeting: What is Wrong with the Way We Teach and Write International Law?, June 17-20, 2007, Vancouver B.C. Paper: "Might Does Not Make Right: Thinking Through Stromseth, Wippman and Brooks"

Rethinking the Social Contract: The Social Contract and the Modern Welfare State, April 18-20, 2007, Rhodes House, Oxford University. Paper: "Contractualism and the Moral Evaluation of International Institutions: The Case of Odious Debt." Conference funded by the Foundation for Law, Justice and Society, associated with Wolfson College Oxford.

2nd Annual International Conference on Asian and WTO Law and Policy: Rules, Practices and Policies in Government Procurement, July 27-28, 2006, National Taiwan University. Paper: “The New Law and Development Movement and the Revised UN Model Law on Procurement of Goods, Construction and Services.” Sponsored by the National Taiwan University College of Law, Asian Centre for WTO and International Health Law and Policy

Public Procurement: Global Revolution III, June 19-20, 2006, University of Nottingham, UK. Paper: “Public Procurement in Times of Wars and Catastrophes: Iraq and Other Cases”

American Society of International Law (ASIL) International Economic Law Annual Conference, Feb. 24-26, 2005, American University Washington College of Law, Washington DC. Conference Theme: “Does Free Trade Guarantee Peace, Liberty and Security?” Paper: “Principles of Fairness for International Economic Treaties: Constructivism and Contractualism”

American Society of International Law (ASIL) 96th Annual Meeting, Mar. 13-16, 2002. Panel: Why (Not) Uniform Legal Solutions? Paper: “The Economics of Private Law Harmonization”

Public Procurement: Global Revolution II, Sept. 6-7, 2001, University of Nottingham, UK. Paper: “Informing the WTO’s Transparency Agenda: Law, Economics and International Relations Theory”

Conference sponsored by US Department of Agriculture and University of Arkansas Centre for Agricultural Law Research and Information, at the USDA’s National Agricultural Library, Greenbelt, Maryland, USA, May 14-15, 2001. Paper: “TRIPS, Biotechnology and the Public Domain: What Role Will World Trade Law Play?” Funding provided by the US Department of Agriculture and the University of Arkansas

American Society of International Law (ASIL) 93rd Annual Meeting, Washington DC, Mar. 1999. Panel: The Challenges and Methods of Integrating International and Comparative Law into Traditional Law School Classes

American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Yale University, May 1998. Session: Positive Political Theory and Legislation II: Constructing Governmental Institutions. Paper, “The Constitutional Economics of Europe: Internal Exit and Strategic Interaction of National and European Institutions”

King’s College, University of London, Constructing Constitutions Seminar, Feb. 24, 1998. Paper: “The Constitutional Economics of Constitutional Law”

Public Procurement: Global Revolution, Sept. 12, 1997, Aberystwyth University, UK. Presented two papers

Symposium, Conceptualizing Violence: Present and Future Developments in International Law, Albany Law School, Union University, Nov. 7, 1996

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Series Co-Editor: *Hart Studies in Commercial and Financial Law* (book series)(with Teresa Rodríguez de la Heras Ballal)

Association of American Law Schools (AALS) service:

Chair, Section on Scholarship; Executive Committee, January 2022-January 2024

International Law Section, Executive Committee, January 2022-present
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Peer reviewer for Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Edward Elgar, Hart/Bloomsbury, Routledge, various journals

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International Legal Theory Interest Group, American Society of International Law: Chair, March 2011-May 2014; Secretary, March 2009-March 2011; Executive Committee; March 2009-present; Scholarship Prize Committee, 2020-22

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