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***ACADEMIC POSITIONS***

**Duke University School of Law**

Harry R. Chadwick, Sr. Professor of Law (2009- )  
Co-director, Center for International and Comparative Law (2009- )

**Vanderbilt University Law School**

Professor of Law and Director, International Legal Studies Program (2004-2009)

**Loyola Law School, Los Angeles**

Professor of Law and Lloyd Tevis Fellow (2001-2004)  
Associate Professor of Law (1997-2000)

**University of Chicago Law School**

Bigelow Teaching Fellow and Lecturer in Law (1993-1994)

***VISITING PROFESSORSHIPS***

**Permanent Visiting Professor**

[\*\*iCourts: Danish National Research Foundation Center of Excellence for International Courts,\*\*](#)  
University of Copenhagen Faculty of Law (2015- )

**University of Hong Kong Faculty of Law** (October 2013)

**Centre d'Études Internationales de la Propriété Intellectuelle (CIEPI)** (April 2013)

**University of Toronto Faculty of Law** (October 2012)

**Harvard Law School**, John Harvey Gregory Lecturer on World Organization (Spring 2008)

**University of Chicago Law School** (January 2005)

**Princeton University**, Fellow, Program in Law and Public Affairs (2003-2004)  
Research Agenda: Exit, Escape, and Commitment in Int'l Governance

## ***SELECTED LEGAL EXPERIENCE***

### **UN Human Rights Committee, Member (2023-2026)**

- [Nominated by the U.S. Department of State](#)
- [Elected by States parties to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights \(ICCPR\)](#)
- [“Duke Law’s Laurence Helfer reflects on how the UN Human Rights Committee holds countries accountable to a core UN treaty on individual liberties”](#) (Dec. 2, 2025)
- [“Professor Laurence Helfer involves Duke Law students in the real-world monitoring of international human rights through his service on the UN Human Rights Committee”](#) (Dec. 4, 2025)

### **Rabinowitz, Boudin, Standard, Krinsky & Lieberman, P.C., Associate (1994-1997)**

Areas of practice: international law, copyright litigation, civil liberties

### **Chief Judge Dolores K. Sloviter, United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit**

Law Clerk (1992-1993)

## ***COURSES OFFERED***

- International Human Rights
- Reconciling Human Rights & Intellectual Property
- Authority and Legitimacy in Int’l Adjudication
- Coursera: International Human Rights Law – Prospects and Challenges
- Seminar: Violence Against Women in Haiti
- Seminar: Land Rights for Afro-Brazilians
- International Law
- International Law in the U.S. Legal System
- International Civil Litigation
- International Human Rights Courts: Design, Effectiveness, and Legitimacy
- Torts

## ***EDUCATION***

### **University of Copenhagen**

Honorary Doctorate in Law, 2014

### **New York University School of Law**

J.D. *magna cum laude*, 1992

- Order of the Coif
- Articles Editor, New York University Law Review
- 1991 Rubin Prize for Best Law Review Note on Public International Law

### **Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University**

M.P.A. 1992

- Woodrow Wilson Fellowship

### **Yale University**

B.A. *magna cum laude*, 1987

- Academic Distinction in the Russian and East European Studies Major

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Forthcoming and Works in Progress**

[Charting Shifts in Doctrine: Intellectual Property and the European Court of Human Rights](#) in HUMAN RIGHTS AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY (4th ed. Paul Torremans, ed. forthcoming 2026) (with Yuyan “Nicole” Zhang)

[African Sub-regional Approaches to Human Rights](#) in OXFORD HANDBOOK OF COMPARATIVE HUMAN RIGHTS LAW (Neha Jain & Mila Versteeg eds., 2026) (with Jo Um Eom)

### **Books, Edited Collections and Monographs**

[INTERNATIONAL COURT AUTHORITY](#) (edited with Karen J. Alter & Mikael R. Madsen) (2018) (Oxford University Press). Co-authored chapters include:

- *International Court Authority in a Complex World* (with Alter & Madsen)
- *How Context Shapes the Authority of International Courts* (with Alter & Madsen)
- *The Andean Tribunal of Justice: From Washington Consensus to Regional Crisis* (with Alter)
- *International Court Authority in Question: Introduction to Part III* (with Alter & Madsen)
- *Conclusion: Context, Authority, Power* (with Alter & Madsen)
  - Andriy Tyushka, *Book Review*, 23 Int’l Stud. Rev. 214 (2021): “[P]rovides a fascinating, meticulous, vivid, and—to date—unique insight into the variety of IC authority and the factors that shape such a varied authority.”
  - Sophie N.G. Schiettekatte, *Book Review*, 33 Leiden J. Int’l L. 527 (2020): “[T]he *pièce de résistance* of a project that bravely and successfully took on the daunting task of delineating it in a way that reflects the plurality of [concept of authority’s] usages in international law” and uses the concept “to study international courts through a comparative framework.”
  - Cesare P.R. Romano, *Review Essay*, 114 Am. J. Int’l L. 149 (2020): “[O]ffers a carefully crafted framework to conceptualize and measure the authority” of international courts; “full of detail and novel information, often reflecting on-the-ground, original research”; “one of the many positive features of this book is that it includes a full treatment of the lesser-known regional courts.”

[THE WORLD BLIND UNION GUIDE TO THE MARRAKESH TREATY: FACILITATING ACCESS TO BOOKS FOR PRINT-DISABLED INDIVIDUALS](#) (2017) (with Molly K. Land, Ruth L. Okediji & Jerome H. Reichman) (Oxford University Press)

[TRANSPLANTING INTERNATIONAL COURTS: THE LAW AND POLITICS OF THE ANDEAN TRIBUNAL OF JUSTICE](#) (Hardback: 2017; Paperback: 2019) (with Karen J. Alter) (Oxford University Press)

- Reprinted as [Transplante Jurídico de Tribunales Internacionales: El Derecho y la Política del Tribunal de Justicia de la Comunidad Andina](#) (2021) (Universidad Externado de Colombia). Includes forewords by three judges of the Andean Tribunal of Justice.
  - Damian Chalmers, *Book Review*, 114 Am. J. Int’l L. 545 (2020): “[A] beautifully written account of the Tribunal. It achieves significant resonance through weaving together a story of judicial biographies, litigant stories, and analyses of particular judgments. It [captures] the variety of factors that affect the court’s authority and case law.... [T]he range and rigor

of the research underpinning this study is something to behold. It is legal research at its most daring and most intellectually inquisitive.”

- Listed in [Joseph Weiler’s Favourite Readings of 2019](#): The authors are “arguably the preeminent political scientists writing about international adjudication, courts and transnational legal systems.... [A] Masterclass in the methodologies of comparative legal politics and, more generally, in comparative politics and politics of law. Whatever your interests in this field, whatever transnational system you may be researching or teaching, the rich insights of this book on how to think of such will upgrade your own analytical (and normative) toolkit. As a side benefit, it is very well written.”

[INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND HUMAN RIGHTS: A RESEARCH COLLECTION](#) (Edward Elgar 2013) (Editor)

- Klaus D. Beiter, *Book Review*, 45:7 IIC: International Review of Intellectual Property & Competition Law 858-863 (2014) (“a valuable asset in any ... library”; “ideally serve[s] the purpose of critically appraising the current state of the debate on IP and human rights”)
- IP Kitten Blog, Dec. 1, 2013 (“there is much to commend both the individual contributions and the compendium as a whole”)

[HUMAN RIGHTS AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY: MAPPING THE GLOBAL INTERFACE](#) (Cambridge University Press 2011) (with Graeme W. Austin). [Table of contents, Preface, and Concluding chapter](#).

- R. Nithu, *Book Review: Braiding intellectual property law with human rights*, 9 J. Intell. Prop. L. & Prac. 341-42 (2014) (“[A]n essential reference point for practitioners and researchers alike. The strength and the beauty of the work lies in offering multi-dimensional views on the areas of discussion, and in directing readers’ minds to different propositions ....”)
- Claudia Geiringer, *Review Essay*, 34 Hum. Rts. Q. 652-57 (2012) (“a significant scholarly and pedagogical contribution”)
- Georges Andriotis, *Book Review*, 25(2) Revue Québécoise de Droit Int’l 195-98 (2012) (“offers a unique and comprehensive analysis” and “provides great guidance and support to students and practitioners”)
- Madhu Sahni, *Book Review*, 17 J. Intell. Prop. Rts. 262-263 (2012) (“a must for those studying the relationship between human rights and intellectual property”)

[HUMAN RIGHTS, SECOND EDITION, University Casebook Series, Foundation Press](#) (2009) (with Louis Henkin, Sarah H. Cleveland, Gerald L. Neuman and Diane F. Orentlicher)

- AUGUST 2013 SUPPLEMENT TO THE SECOND EDITION

PROCEEDINGS OF THE 99TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW (2006)

[INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS IN PLANT VARIETIES: INTERNATIONAL LEGAL REGIMES AND POLICY OPTIONS FOR NATIONAL GOVERNMENTS](#), UN Food & Agriculture Org. , Legislative Study No. 85 (2004)

**Articles in Law Reviews and Political Science Journals**

[Rethinking Human Rights Treaty Withdrawals: The Case for a Process-Based Approach](#), 26(1) Melbourne J. Int’l L.40 (2025) (with Başak Çalı)

[Automating International Human Rights Adjudication](#), 46 Mich. J. Int’l Law 69 (2025) (with Veronika Fikfak)

[\*Institution-Building in the International Anti-Corruption Regime: Proposing a Transnational Asset Recovery Mechanism\*](#), 117 Am. J. Int'l Law 559-600 (2023) (with Rachel Brewster & Cecily Rose) (peer-review journal)

- cited in [\*Transparency International, Tackling Grand Corruption Impunity\*](#) (2023)

[\*Increasing Compliance with International Pandemic Law: International Relations and New Global Health Agreements\*](#), The Lancet, 402:1097-1106 (Sept. 23, 2023) (with others) (peer review journal)

[\*The Facebook Oversight Board's Human Rights Future\*](#), 47 Cardozo L. Rev. 2233-2300 (2023) (with Molly Land)

[\*Closing International Law's Innocence Gap\*](#), 95 So. Cal. L. Rev. 311 (2021) (with Brandon Garrett and Jayne Huckerby) (published March 2022)

[\*LGBT Rights as Mega-Politics: Litigating Before the ECtHR\*](#), 85 L. & CONTEMP. PROBS. 59-93 (2021) (peer review journal) (with Clare Ryan)

[\*Walking Back Dissents on the European Court of Human Rights: A Rejoinder to Stone Sweet, Sandholtz, and Andenas\*](#), 32 EUR. J. INT'L L. 907-913 (2021) (peer review journal) (with Erik Voeten)

[\*Rethinking Derogations from Human Rights Treaties\*](#), 115 AM. J. INT'L L. 20-40 (2021) (peer review journal), reprinted as [\*Repensando as derogações aos tratados de direitos humanos\*](#), 11(2) REVISTA BRASILEIRA DE POLÍTICAS PÚBLICAS 141-166 (2021) (Portuguese)

[\*Walking Back Human Rights in Europe?\*](#) 31 EUR. J. INT'L L. 797-827 (2020) (peer review journal) (with Erik Voeten)

- Reprinted as [\*¿El retroceso de los derechos humanos en Europa?\*](#) 2(2) REVISTA JURÍDICA AUSTRAL 445-489 (2021) (Spanish)
- [\*EJIL: Talk! Podcast: An Interview with Laurence Helfer and Erik Voeten\*](#) (March 4, 2021)

[\*Copyright Exceptions Across Borders: Implementing the Marrakesh Treaty\*](#), 42(6) EUR. INTELL. PROP. REV. 332-340 (2020) (peer review journal) (with Molly K. Land & Ruth L. Okediji)

[\*Theorizing the Judicialization of International Relations\*](#), 63 INT'L STUD. Q. 449 (2019) (with Karen J. Alter & Emilie Hafner-Burton) (Introduction to Thematic Section of peer review journal)

[\*Taking Stock of Three Generations of Research on Treaty Exit\*](#), 52 ISRAEL L. REV. 103 (2019)

[\*Sub-regional Courts in Africa: Litigating the Hybrid Right to Free Movement of Persons\*](#), 16 I•CON: INT'L J. CONST. L. 235 (2018) (peer review journal)

[\*Opposing International Justice: Kenya's Integrated Backlash Strategy Against the ICC\*](#), 17 INT'L CRIM. L. REV. 1-46 (2017) (peer review journal) (with Anne E. Showalter)

[\*Backlash Against International Courts in West, East and Southern Africa: Causes and Consequences\*](#), 37 EUR. J. INT'L L. 293-328 (2016) (peer review journal) (with Karen J. Alter & James Gathii)

[\*Customary International Law: An Instrument Choice Perspective\*](#), 37 MICHIGAN J. INT'L L. 563-609 (2016) (with Ingrid Wuerth)

[\*The Variable Authority of International Courts\*](#), 79 L. & CONTEMP. PROBS. 1-314 (2016) (Symposium of peer review journal co-edited with Karen J. Alter & Mikael Madsen)

[\*How Context Shapes the Authority of International Courts\*](#), 79 L. & CONTEMP. PROBS. 1-36 (2016) (peer review journal) (with Karen J. Alter & Mikael Madsen)

[\*International Courts as Agents of Legal Change: Evidence from LGBT Rights in Europe\*](#), 68 INT'L ORG. 77-110 (2014) (peer review journal) (with Erik Voeten)

- cited in [\*Hämäläinen v. Finland, European Court of Human Rights, Grand Chamber Judgment \(2014\)\*](#) (joint dissenting opinion)
- pre-publication draft favorably cited in [\*UK Equality and Human Rights Commission, Research Report 83: The UK and the European Court of Human Rights\*](#) (2012)

[\*A New International Human Rights Court for West Africa: The Court of Justice for the Economic Community of West African States\*](#), 107 AM. J. INT'L L. 737 (2013) (peer review journal) (with Karen J. Alter and Jacqueline McAllister)

- featured in [online symposium on Opinio Juris blog](#), Feb. 3-4, 2014

[\*Legitimacy and Lawmaking: A Tale of Three International Courts\*](#), 14 THEORETICAL INQUIRIES IN LAW 479 (2013) (peer review journal) (with Karen J. Alter)

[\*Transplanting the European Court of Justice: The Experience of the Andean Tribunal of Justice\*](#), 60 AM. J. COMP. L. 629 (2012) (peer review journal) (with Karen J. Alter & Osvaldo Saldias)

[\*Emergency and Escape: Explaining Derogations from Human Rights Treaties\*](#), 65 INT'L ORG. 673 (2011) (peer review journal) (with Emilie M. Hafner-Burton and Christopher Farris)

- reprinted in HUMAN RIGHTS IN EMERGENCIES 83-123 (Evan J. Criddle ed., 2016)

[\*International Law and the U.S. Common Law of Foreign Official Immunity\*](#), 2010 SUP. CT. REV. 213 (2011) (peer review journal) (with Curtis A. Bradley)

- cited and quoted in [\*Kazemi Estate v. Islamic Republic of Iran, 2014 SCC 62 \(Supreme Court of Canada 2014\)\*](#)
- cited and quoted in [\*Yousuf v. Samantar, 699 F.3d 763, 776 \(4th Cir. 2012\)\*](#)

[\*Legal Integration in the Andes: Law-Making by the Andean Tribunal of Justice\*](#), 17 EUR. L.J. 701 (2011) (peer review journal) (with Karen J. Alter)

[\*Nature or Nurture? Judicial Law-Making in the European Court of Justice and the Andean Tribunal of Justice\*](#), 64 INT'L ORG. 563 (2010) (peer review journal) (with Karen J. Alter)

[\*The Andean Tribunal of Justice and its Interlocutors: Understanding Preliminary Reference Patterns in the Andean Community\*](#), 41 N.Y.U. J. INT'L L. & POL. 871 (2009) (with Karen J. Alter)

[\*Islands of Effective International Adjudication: Constructing an Intellectual Property Rule of Law in the Andean Community\*](#), 103 AM. J. INT'L L. 1 (2009) (peer review journal) (with Karen J. Alter and M. Florencia Guerzovich)

- reprinted with Spanish abstract in 6 ANUARIO ANDINO DE DERECHOS INTELECTUALES (2010)
- selected by Andean Tribunal Judge Luis José Díez-Canseco Núñez for presentation at the Brandeis Institute for International Judges (Jan. 2015)

[\*Regime Shifting in the International Intellectual Property System\*](#), 7 PERSPECTIVES ON POLITICS 39 (2009) (peer review journal) (symposium on international regime complexity)

[\*Redesigning the European Court of Human Rights: Embeddedness as a Deep Structural Principle of the European Human Rights Regime\*](#), 19 EUR. J. INT'L L. 125 (2008) (peer review journal)

- quoted with approval in the [\*concurring opinion of Judge Shevchuk in Shmushkovych v. Ukraine\*](#), European Court of Human Rights (Judgment of Nov. 14, 2013)
- cited in [\*Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe, Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights, The Future of the European Court of Human Rights and the Brighton Declarations\*](#), AS/Jur 43 (Dec. 3, 2012)

[\*The New Innovation Frontier? Intellectual Property and the European Court of Human Rights\*](#), 49 HARV. INT'L L.J. 1 (2008)

- reprinted in HUMAN RIGHTS & INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY (Paul Torremans, ed. 2009)
- reprinted in HUMAN RIGHTS & INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY (2d ed. Paul Torremans, ed. 2015)

[\*Monitoring Compliance with Un-ratified Treaties: The ILO Experience\*](#), 71 L. & CONTEMP. PROBS. 195 (2008) (symposium on international delegation) (peer review journal)

[\*Nonconsensual International Lawmaking\*](#), 2008 U. ILL. L. REV. 71

[\*Toward a Human Rights Framework for Intellectual Property\*](#), 40 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 971 (2007)

- reprinted with Spanish abstract in 12 ANUARIO ANDINO DE DERECHOS INTELECTUALES (2012)

[\*Understanding Change in International Organizations: Globalization and Innovation in the ILO\*](#), 59 VAND. L. REV. 649 (2006)

- selected for reprinting in INTERNATIONAL LABOUR LAW (Barbara J. Fick ed. 2015)

[\*Exiting Treaties\*](#), 91 VA. L. REV. 1579 (2005)

- cited in *New York v. New Jersey*, 598 U.S. \_\_ (U.S. Supreme Court) (April 21, 2023)

[\*Why States Create International Tribunals: A Response to Professors Posner and Yoo\*](#), 93 CALIF. L. REV. 899 (2005) (with Anne-Marie Slaughter)

[\*Regime Shifting: The TRIPs Agreement and New Dynamics of International Intellectual Property Lawmaking\*](#), 29 YALE J. INT'L L. 1 (2004)

- [listed 6th in "Most Cited IP Law Articles over the Last 10 Years"](#)

[\*Mediating Interactions in an Expanding International Intellectual Property Regime\*](#), 36 CASE W. RES. J. INT'L L. 123 (2004) (symposium issue)

[\*Human Rights and Intellectual Property: Conflict or Coexistence?\*](#) 5 MINN. INTELL. PRP. REV. 47 (2003)



- republished in 22 NETHERLANDS HUM. RTS. Q. 167 (2004) (peer review journal)

[\*Constitutional Analogies in the International Legal System\*](#), 37 LOY. L.A. L. REV. 193 (2003)

[\*Overlegalizing Human Rights: International Relations Theory and the Commonwealth Caribbean Backlash Against Human Rights Regimes\*](#), 102 COLUM. L. REV. 1832 (2002)

[\*Designing Non-National Systems: The Case of the Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy\*](#),

43 WM. & MARY L. REV. 141 (2001) (with Graeme Dinwoodie)

- selected for presentation at 2001 Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum
- cited in *CNN L.P. v. cnnnews.com*, 177 F. Supp. 2d 506, 528 (E.D. Va. 2001)

[\*International Dispute Settlement at the Trademark-Domain Name Interface\*](#),

29 PEPPERDINE L. REV. 87 (2001) (International Law Weekend West Symposium)

[\*World Music on a U.S. Stage: A Berne/TRIPs and Economic Analysis of the Fairness in Music Licensing Act\*](#), 80 B.U. L. REV. 93 (2000)

[\*Forum Shopping for Human Rights\*](#), 148 U. PA. L. REV. 285 (1999)

[\*Adjudicating Copyright Claims Under the TRIPs Agreement: The Case for a European Human Rights Analogy\*](#), 39 HARV. INT'L L.J. 357 (1998)

- reprinted in 21 EUR. INTELL. PRP. REV. 8 (1999) (peer review journal)

[\*Toward a Theory of Effective Supranational Adjudication\*](#), 107 YALE L.J. 273 (1997)

(with Anne-Marie Slaughter)

- cited in *Commonwealth v. Judge*, 916 A.2d 511, 523 (Pa. 2007)

[\*Sexual Orientation and Human Rights: Toward a U.S. and Transnational Jurisprudence\*](#),

9 HARV. HUM. RTS. J. 61 (1996) (with Alice Miller)

[\*Consensus, Coherence and the European Convention on Human Rights\*](#), 26 CORNELL INT'L L.J. 133 (1993)

[\*The Politics of Judicial Structure: Creating the United States Court of Veterans Appeals\*](#),

25 CONN. L. REV. 155 (1992)

[\*Lesbian and Gay Rights as Human Rights: Strategies for a United Europe\*](#), 32 VA. J. INT'L L. 157 (1991)

Note, [\*Finding a Consensus on Equality: The Homosexual Age of Consent and the European Convention on Human Rights\*](#), 65 N.Y.U. L. REV. 1044 (1990)

## **Chapters in Books and Book Reviews**

[\*State Silence in the European Human Rights System\*](#) in THE SILENCE OF STATES ACROSS INTERNATIONAL LAW (Danae Azaria, ed. 2025) (with Olivia C. Daniels)

[\*Collective Management of Copyrights and Human Rights in an Age of Technological Automation\*](#) in COLLECTIVE MANAGEMENT OF COPYRIGHT & RELATED RIGHTS (4th ed. 2025) (with Giulia Priora)



[\*Treaty Withdrawals in a Turbulent World: A Retrospective on “Exiting Treaties”\*](#) in LEADING WORKS IN INTERNATIONAL LAW 67-84 (Donna Lyons, ed. 2023)

[\*The Marrakesh VIP Treaty: Using the Tools of IP law to Advance Human Rights\*](#) in IMPROVING INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW: A GLOBAL PROJECT 28-37 (Susy Frankel et al., eds. 2023)

[\*Book Review, ZOLTÁN I. BÚZÁS, EVADING INTERNATIONAL NORMS: RACE AND RIGHTS IN THE SHADOW OF LEGALITY \(2021\)\*](#), 116 Am. J. Int'l L. 206-210 (2022)

[\*Populism and International Human Rights Institutions: A Survival Guide\*](#) in HUMAN RIGHTS IN A TIME OF POPULISM: CHALLENGES AND RESPONSES 218-249 (Gerald L. Neuman, ed. 2020)

*Terminating Treaties* in THE OXFORD GUIDE TO TREATIES 624-640 (Duncan Hollis, ed. 2d ed. 2020)

[\*Backlash Against International Courts in West, East and Southern Africa: Causes and Consequences\*](#), 37 EUR. J. INT'L L. 293 (2016) (with Karen J. Alter & James Gathii), reprinted and updated in [\*THE PERFORMANCE OF AFRICA'S INTERNATIONAL COURTS\*](#) 254-299 (James T. Gathii, ed. 2020)

[\*Pushback Against Supervisory Systems: Lessons for the ILO from International Human Rights Institutions\*](#) in ILO100: LAW FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE 257-278 (George Politakis et al. eds. 2019)

[\*Treaty Exit and Intra-Branch Conflict at the Interface of International and Domestic Law\*](#) in THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF COMPARATIVE FOREIGN RELATIONS Law 355-372 (Curtis A. Bradley, ed. 2019)

[\*Human Rights and Intellectual Property: Mapping an Evolving and Contested Relationship\*](#) in THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW 117-143 (Rochelle C. Dreyfuss & Justine Pila eds., 2018)

[\*Can Greece Be Expelled from the Eurozone? Toward a Default Rule on Expulsion from International Organizations\*](#) (with Joseph Blocher & Mitu Gulati) in FILLING THE GAPS IN GOVERNANCE: THE CASE OF EUROPE 127-150 (European University Institute 2016).

[\*The Evolution of Codification: A Principal-Agent Theory of the International Law Commission's Influence\*](#) (with Timothy Meyer) in CUSTOM'S FUTURE: INTERNATIONAL LAW IN A CHANGING WORLD 305-331 (Curtis Bradley ed. 2016) (Cambridge University Press)

*Mapping the Interface between Human Rights and Intellectual Property* in HUMAN RIGHTS AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY: FROM CONCEPTS TO PRACTICE 6-15 (Christophe Geiger ed., 2015)

[\*Pharmaceutical Patents and the Human Right to Health: The Contested Evolution of the Transnational Legal Order on Access to Medicines\*](#) in TRANSNATIONAL LEGAL ORDERS 311-339 (Terence C. Halliday & Gregory Shaffer, eds. 2015)

*Collective Management of Copyright and Human Rights Revisited* in COLLECTIVE MANAGEMENT OF COPYRIGHT AND RELATED RIGHTS (3d ed. 2015)

[\*The Effectiveness of International Adjudicators\*](#) in THE OXFORD HANDBOOK ON INTERNATIONAL ADJUDICATION 464-482 (Karen J. Alter, Cesare Romano & Yuval Shany eds. 2014)

[\*The Influence of the Andean Intellectual Property Regime on Access to Medicines in Latin America\*](#) (with Karen J. Alter) in BALANCING WEALTH AND HEALTH: GLOBAL ADMINISTRATIVE LAW AND THE BATTLE OVER INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND ACCESS TO MEDICINES IN LATIN AMERICA 247-262 (Rochelle Dreyfuss & César Rodríguez-Garavito eds. 2014)

[\*Flexibility in International Agreements\*](#), in INTERDISCIPLINARY PERSPECTIVES ON INTERNATIONAL LAW AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS 175-196 (Jeffrey Dunoff & Mark A. Pollack eds. 2013)

[\*Terminating Treaties\*](#), in THE OXFORD GUIDE TO TREATIES 634-650 (Duncan B. Hollis ed. 2012)

[\*Collective Management of Copyright and Human Rights Revisited\*](#) in COLLECTIVE MANAGEMENT OF COPYRIGHT AND RELATED RIGHTS 75-104 (2d ed.) (Daniel Gervais ed. 2010)

[\*Collective Management of Copyright & Human Rights: An Uneasy Alliance\*](#) 85-114 in COLLECTIVE MANAGEMENT OF COPYRIGHT AND RELATED RIGHTS (Daniel Gervais ed. 2006)

*Why States Create International Tribunals: A Theory of Constrained Independence* 255-276, in INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT RESOLUTION (Stefan Voigt et al. eds. 2006)

*Using Intellectual Property Rights to Preserve the Global Genetic Commons: The International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture*, INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC GOODS AND TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY UNDER A GLOBALIZED INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY REGIME 217 (Keith Maskus & J.H. Riechman eds. 2005)

*Mediating Interactions in an Expanding International Intellectual Property Regime*, in HUMAN RIGHTS AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE 180-191 (Thomas Cottier et al. eds., 2005)

*Intellectual Property Rights in Plant Varieties: An Overview with Options for National Governments*. Expert's report commissioned by UN Food and Agriculture Organization (2002)

*Transforming International Law After the September 11<sup>th</sup> Attacks? Three Evolving Paradigms for Regulating International Terrorism*, SEPTEMBER 11 IN HISTORY: A WATERSHED MOMENT? 180-93 (Mary L. Dudziak, ed.)

*Will the U.N. Human Rights Committee Require Recognition of Same-Sex Marriages?*, in THE LEGAL RECOGNITION OF SAME-SEX PARTNERSHIPS (2001) (Robert Wintemute & Mads Andenas eds.)

*The Effectiveness of the Council of Europe's Human Rights Regime* in AUTONOMOUS POLICYMAKING BY INT'L ORGANIZATIONS (Reinalda & Verbeek, eds.) (1998) (with Anne-Marie Slaughter)

## **Reviews, Essays and Comments**

[\*Automating International Human Rights Adjudication in Strasbourg and Beyond\*](#), Verfassungsblog (Dec. 8, 2025) (with Veronika Fikfak)

[\*Rethinking Human Rights Treaty Withdrawals: A Process-Based Approach\*](#), EJIL: Talk! Blog (Oct. 30, 2025) (with Başak Çali)

[\*Toward Recognizing an International Human Right to Claim Innocence\*](#), *Judicature International* (Dec. 2022) (with Brandon Garrett & Jayne Huckerby). Edited transcript of online conversation discussing strategies to implement a new human right to claim innocence. Based on *Closing International Law's Innocence Gap*, 95 So. Cal. L. Rev. 311 (2021).

[\*The Gender of Treaty Withdrawal: Lessons from the Istanbul Convention\*](#), *EJIL: Talk!* (Nov. 28, 2022) (with Başak Çali)

[\*Value Pluralism and Human Rights in Content Moderation\*](#), *Lawfare Blog* (Oct. 27, 2022) (with Molly K. Land)

[\*Russia and the European human rights system: Doing the right thing ... but for the right legal reason?\*](#), *EJIL: Talk!* (March 29, 2022) (with Kanstantsin Dzehtsiarou)

[\*Is the Facebook Oversight Board an International Human Rights Tribunal?\*](#), *Lawfare Blog* (May 13, 2021) (with Molly Land)

[\*Introduction to The International Legal Order and the Global Pandemic\*](#), 114 *Am. J. Int'l L.* 571-577 (2020) (peer review journal) (with Curtis A. Bradley)

[\*Indirect Sexual Orientation Discrimination Before the European Court of Human Rights\*](#) in *Proceedings of Harvard Law School Workshop on Indirect Discrimination* (Oct. 2020) (with Clare Ryan)

[\*Introduction to the Symposium on Transnational Futures of International Labor Law\*](#), 113 *AJIL UNBOUND* 385-389 (2019) (with Adelle Blackett)

[\*The ILO at 100: Institutional Innovation in an Era of Populism\*](#), 113 *AJIL UNBOUND* 396-401 (2019)

[\*Introduction to Symposium on Treaty Exit at the Interface of Domestic and International Law\*](#), 111 *AJIL UNBOUND* 425-27 (2018)

[\*Treaty Exit in the United States: Insights from the United Kingdom or South Africa?\*](#), 111 *AJIL UNBOUND* 428-433 (2018) (with Curtis Bradley)

*Backlash Against International Courts in West, East and Southern Africa*, 108 *AM. SOC'Y INT'L L. PROC.* 15-18 (2015)

[\*The successes and challenges for the European Court, seen from the outside\*](#), *CONFERENCE ON THE LONG-TERM FUTURE OF THE EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS* 38-42 (Council of Europe 2014)

[\*The Benefits and Burdens of Brighton\*](#), *ESIL Reflections*, Vol. 1, Issue 1 (June 2012)  
Inaugural essay in "Reflections" series of the European Society of International Law (ESIL)

[\*Exiting Custom: Analogies to Treaty Withdrawals\*](#), 21 *Duke J. Comp. & Int'l L.* 65 (2010) (symposium)

*The Future of the International Labor Organization*, 101 *AM. SOC'Y INT'L L. PROC.* 391 (2008)

[\*The Demise and Rebirth of Plant Variety Protection: A Comment on Technological Change and the Design of Plant Variety Protection Regimes\*](#), 82 Chi.-Kent L. Rev. 1619 (2007)

[Book Review, THE IMPACT OF INTERNATIONAL LAW ON INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION](#)  
(EYAL BENVENISTI & MOSHE HIRSCH, Eds. 2004), 101 Am. J. Int'l L. 257 (2007)

[Not Fully Committed? Reservations, Risk and Treaty Design](#), 31 Yale J. Int'l L. 367 (2006)

[Politics, Power, and Public Health: A Comment on Public Health's New World Order](#),  
77 Temple L. Rev. 291 (2004) (symposium issue)

*International Human Rights Law Informs Recent U.S. Supreme Court Decision Striking Down Anti-Gay Sodomy Laws*, 14 Interrights Bull. 129 (2004)

[Whither the UDRP: Autonomous, Americanized or Cosmopolitan?](#) 12 Cardozo Int'l & Comp. L. Rev. 493 (2004) (symposium on ICANN, ccTLD, and the Legacy Root)

[Intellectual Property Rights and the International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture](#), 97 Am. Soc'y Int'l L. Proc. 33 (2003)

*Sexual Orientation and the European Court of Human Rights: New Activism or Cautious Incrementalism?* International Civil Liberties Report (2001)

[International Decisions: Human Rights—discrimination on grounds of sexual orientation—parental custody rights—criminal restrictions on private sexual activity](#), 95 Am. J. Int'l L. 422 (2001)

*World Music on a U.S. Stage: An Analysis of the Section 110(5) WTO Dispute*, 6 Int'l Intell. Prp. L. & Pol. 48-1 (2001)

*Whither NAFTA Dispute Settlement? Lessons from the ECJ*, European Community Studies Association Forum Review, vol. 13, No. 1 (2000), pp. 2-6 (peer review journal)

*Litigating Human Rights*, CALIFORNIA LAWYER (Feb. 2000) (with Jonathan M. Miller)

*International Law in GAY HISTORIES & CULTURES: AN ENCYCLOPEDIA* 472 (George E. Haggerty, ed. 2000)

[International Decisions: Grant v. Southwest Trains, Ltd.](#), 93 Am. J. Int'l L. 200 (1999)

[Review Essay: Concretizing Human Rights](#), 29 Colum. Hum. Rts. L. Rev. 534 (1998)

### ***Published Separate Opinions in Decisions of the UN Human Rights Committee***

- [Kjajimova and Abdulovski v. North Macedonia](#), CCPR/C/144/D/3613/2019 & 3616/2019 (July 2025) (describing the broader context of discrimination against Roma communities and the relationship between Human Rights Committee's functions in individual communications and reviews of State party reports)

- [\*Bykova v. Russia\*](#), CCPR/C/144/D/2982/2017 (July 2025) (analyzing the positive obligations of States to protect individuals against attacks on their honor and reputation by private actors and its relationship to the right to freedom of expression)
- [\*Maya Indigenous Peoples v. Guatemala\*](#), CCPR/C/143/D/4023-2021/4032/2021 (elaborating upon the rights of future generations and remedies for intergenerational human rights harms in a case finding violation of the rights of displaced Maya communities)
  - Decision only in Spanish; separate opinion in English
  - [Press release](#)
- [\*Gasparini v. Argentina\*](#), CCPR/C/141/D/4035/2021 (August 2024) (analyzing the obligation to acknowledge responsibility and apologize for violations of international human rights law)
  - [Duke Law news story of Helfer interview with complainant Juan Gasparini](#)
- [\*Ghazaryan v. Armenia\*](#), CCPR/C/141/D/3168/2018 (July 2024) (explaining the chilling effect of police confiscating or destroying journalists' reporting equipment and the obligation of States to investigate complaints alleging such police misconduct)
- [\*M.O. v. Germany\*](#), CCPR/C/140/D/3232/2018 (March 2024) (urging States to raise all potential grounds of inadmissibility together at earliest opportunity rather than sequentially)
- [\*Yurlov v. Russia\*](#), CCPR/C/139/2925-2017 (Oct. 2023) (emphasizing the need to view repression against Jehovah's Witnesses as repression of a minority religious group)
- [\*Ramírez v. Venezuela\*](#), CCPR/C/139-3066-2017 (Oct. 2023) (emphasizing the obligation to protect children's rights during a family's eviction from public housing)
- [\*Kazal v. Australia\*](#), CCPR/C/138/3088-2017 (July 2023) (urging greater attention to the due process concerns raised by an investigation launched by an anticorruption commission)
- [\*Mangouras v. Spain\*](#), CCPR/C/138/3305-2019 (July 2023) (elaborating upon obligation to comply with the right to appeal protected by both the ICCPR and the European Convention on Human Rights in a case involving a criminal conviction by the Supreme Court of Spain)
- [\*V.W.G. and E.H. v. Albania\*](#), CCPR/C/138/3031-2017 (July 2023) (identifying the violations of the right to privacy, family life, and nondiscrimination resulting from the lack of legal recognition of bi-national same-sex couple)

## **HONORS, AWARDS AND GRANTS**

- [Nominated by the U.S. Department of State for election to the U.N. Human Rights Committee.](#) One of nine members [elected by states parties to the ICCPR for 2023-2026.](#)
- Member, Advisory Committee on International Law, U.S. Department of State, Office of the Legal Adviser (2021- )
- Wilfred Jenks Lecture Series, [Pushback Against Supervisory Systems: Lessons for the ILO from UN Human Rights Institutions](#), International Labor Organization (July 2025)

- [Co-Editor-in-Chief of the \*American Journal of International Law\*](#) (2018-2022)
- [Awarded Honorary Doctorate by the University of Copenhagen](#) (2014)
- Faculty Contribution Award, Center for LGBT Life, Duke University (2013)
- [Haiti Violence Against Women Legislative Drafting Project](#) (Clifford Chance Foundation, 2010)
- International Research Incubator Grant (Center for the Americas at Vanderbilt, 2007)

### ***EDITORIAL BOARDS OF PEER REVIEW JOURNALS***

- American Journal of International Law (2010-2022)
- Journal of World Intellectual Property (2007-2022)

### ***SELECTED PROFESSIONAL SERVICE***

#### American Society of International Law

- Co-Editor-in-Chief, American Journal of International Law (2018-2022)
- Member, Board of Editors, American Journal of International Law (2010-2018)
- Member, Organizing Committee, Second ASIL Research Forum (Oct. 2012)
- Member, Executive Council (2005-2009)
- Co-Chair, 2005 Annual Meeting Program Committee (2004-05)
- Member, 2004 Annual Meeting Program Committee (2003-04)
- Co-Chair, Presidential Outreach Committee (2002-04)

#### [Inaugural Jacob L. Martin Fellow, Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State.](#)

Named by Legal Adviser Harold Hongju Koh as the first academic to hold to this honorary position. Visited the Office of the Legal Adviser in February 2011 to brief attorneys on the rights of LGBT individuals in international law and U.S. efforts to promote these rights.

[Panelist, Violence and Discrimination on the Basis of Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity, United Nations Human Rights Council](#), March 7, 2012. Invited to serve on the first expert panel and intergovernmental discussion of the rights of LGBT persons before the Human Rights Council.

### ***SELECTED UNIVERSITY SERVICE***

#### Duke University

- Chair, Law School Dean Search Committee (2017-2018)
- Co-director, Center for International and Comparative Law (CICL) (2009- )  
Major activities include:
  - Convene scholarship roundtables and the Global Law Workshop
  - Develop ad hoc seminars that include one week fact finding missions

- Co-sponsor conferences, workshops, and lectures
- Develop summer and semester externships for law students
- Co-Director, JD-LLM in International and Comparative Law (2015- )
- Duke Law Faculty Financial Aid Scholarship Fund
  - Conceived of and launched fundraising drive for student scholarships (2012-2013)
- Senior Fellow, Kenan Institute for Ethics (2012- )
- Duke Human Rights Center
  - Faculty co-director (2011-2012)
  - Faculty Steering Committee (2009-2012)
- Lateral Appointments Committee, Duke University Law School
  - Chair (2021-2022, 2011-2012)

#### Vanderbilt University

- Director, International Legal Studies Program (2005-2009)
- Chair, Ad Hoc Tenure and Promotion Committee (2008-09; 2005-06)
- Advisor, Vanderbilt Journal of Transnational Law (2005-2009)

#### Loyola Law School

- Member, Appointments Committee (2000-01, 1998-99)
- Member, International Programs Committee (1997-2003)
- Coach, Jessup International Moot Court team (1999-2003)

### ***SELECTED CONSULTING ACTIVITIES, AMICUS BRIEFS AND POSITION PAPERS***

Written observations to the Inter-American Court of Human Rights, Advisory Opinion OC-26/20: The Obligations in Matters of Human Rights of a State that has Denounced the American Convention on Human Rights and the Charter of the Organization of American States (2020)

Invited by Caribbean Court of Justice (CCJ) to advise on Manual for Referral Proceedings to encourage national courts to send preliminary references on questions of CARICOM law. Presented research on preliminary references mechanisms in international courts (2019)

Consult with human rights NGOs on a challenge to the Gambia's restrictions on freedom of expression and dissident journalists before the ECOWAS Court of Justice (2016-2017)

Amicus brief of Foreign and Comparative Law Experts Harold Koh, Thomas Buergenthal, Sarah Cleveland, Ryan Goodman & Sujit Choudhry in support of Petitioners, United States Supreme Court, *Obergefell v. Hodges* (2015)

Amicus Brief of Foreign and Comparative Law Experts Harold Koh, Sarah Cleveland, Laurence Helfer and Ryan Goodman on foreign and comparative law approaches to recognition of same-sex marriage, United States Supreme Court *Perry v. Hollingsworth* (2013)

*Intellectual Property Rights in Plant Varieties: International Legal Regimes and Policy Options for National Governments*. Monograph for U.N. Food & Agriculture Organization (2004)



*Intellectual Property Rights in Plant Varieties: An Overview with Options for National Governments.*  
Legal study commissioned by United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization (2002)

Position Paper, "U.S. Obligations Under the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights,"  
Submitted by Int'l Human Rights Law Group to the U.N. Human Rights Committee (1995)

Amicus Brief, "On the Application of International Human Rights Standards to Article 200 of the  
Romanian Penal Code." Submitted by International Human Rights Law Group to the  
Romanian Constitutional Court (1994)

### ***SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES, FACULTY COLLOQUIA AND WORKSHOPS***

Co-presenter, *Rethinking Withdrawals from Human Rights Treaties*

- International Relations Colloquium, Oxford University (Nov. 21, 2024) (online)
- Maastricht University Centre for Human Rights (March 14, 2024) (online)
- Perspectives Workshop, Bonavero Center, Oxford University (Jan 18, 2024) (online)
- Human Rights and ActInCourts Virtual Workshop (Jan. 8. 2024) (online)

Co-presenter, *Automating International Human Rights Adjudication*

- European Court of Human Rights, Strasbourg, France (April 23, 2025)
- Conference on AI and Human Rights, Harvard Law School (June 10, 2025)
- Three Generations of Digital Human Rights, Hebrew University (Oct. 28, 2025) (online)
- European Society of International Law Annual Meeting, Vilnius, Lithuania
  - International Human Rights Interest Group Workshop (Sept. 3, 2024)
  - International Law & Technology Interest Group Workshop (Sept. 3, 2024)
- Institute for Ethics, University of Oxford (March 6, 2024)
- iCourts Center for International Courts, University of Copenhagen, Nov. 8, 2023
- Hertie School, Centre for Fundamental Rights, Berlin, Nov. 6, 2023

Panelist, *A New Human Rights Tribunal in Town? The Oversight Board and the Future of Online  
Freedom of Expression*, Geneva Academy, Oct. 16, 2023

Presenter, *Industrial Policy and International Human Rights Law: A Mapping Exercise*, Workshop on  
*Industrial Policy and International Law*, Duke Law, Sept. 22, 2023

Presenter, LGBTQ Rights in International and Comparative Law: Progress and Contestation, 2023  
Duke Sexual and Gender Minority Wellness Symposium, Sept. 18, 2023 (online)

Presenter, Multidisciplinary Research on International Courts (with Karen Alter),  
iCourts/Pluricourts Centers Concepts & Methods Workshop, Feb. 9, 2023 (online)

Keynote, "Globalization in Crisis: New Challenges for Regional Courts" (with Karen Alter) at a  
[Conference to launch the Spanish translation of "Transplanting International Courts: The  
Law and Politics of the Andean Tribunal of Justice."](#) Universidad Externado de Colombia,  
Department of Economic Law, Bogota, Colombia (May 6, 2022)

Presenter, *The Facebook Oversight Board's Human Rights Future* (with Molly Land)

- Meta Human Rights and Governance teams (Nov. 3) (Zoom)
- iCourts 3.0 Conference, University of Copenhagen (Oct. 2, 2022)
- Inaugural Annual Lecture, International Law and Human Rights Unit, University of Liverpool (Sept. 26, 2022)
- European Society of Int'l Law, Interest Group on Business & Human Rights, Utrecht, The Netherlands (Sept. 1, 2022)
- European Society of Int'l Law, Interest Group on International Courts and Tribunals, Utrecht, The Netherlands (Aug. 31, 2022)
- Boston College Law School Faculty Workshop (Apr. 25, 2022)
- University of Minnesota Faculty Workshop (Apr. 21, 2022) (Zoom)

Presenter or co-presenter: *Closing International Law's Innocence Gap* (with Brandon Garrett and Jayne Huckerby)

- Conference: "Toward a Human Right to Claim Innocence" (Nov. 2, 2022) (Zoom)
- Addressing Wrongful Convictions under National and Int'l Law (May 18, 2022) (Zoom)
- Berkeley Colloquium on International Law and Politics (Jan. 21, 2022) (Zoom)
- Association of Human Rights Institutes, Conference on Human Rights Strategies (Aug. 28, 2021) (Zoom)
- ICON-S 2021 Mundo Conference (July 6, 2021) (Zoom)
- Innocence Scholarship Forum (June 10, 2021) (Zoom)
- iCourts conference on Transforming Evidence and Proof in International Criminal Trials (April 22, 2021) (Zoom)
- American Society of International Law Research Forum (Oct. 29, 2020) (Zoom)

Presenter, *International Courts and Their Survival Strategies in the Face of Backlash*, Conference on Change and Resilience in Int'l Law, Graduate Institute, Geneva (Oct. 7, 2022)

Commentator, Panel on "Subsidiarity as a cure for regional human rights regimes? Bottom-up perspectives," ICON-S Annual Conference (July 4, 2022) (Zoom)

Presentation, *African Sub-regional Approaches to Human Rights*, Conference on Comparative Human Rights Law, University of Virginia Law School (June 2, 2022)

Commentator, Panel on "The Right to Research in International Human Rights Law," Symposium: The Right to Research in Int'l Copyright, American University (Apr. 22, 2022) (Zoom)

Co-presenter, *State Silence in the European Human Rights System*, Conference on the Silence of States Across International Law, University College London (Dec. 10, 2021) (Zoom)

Presenter, Saint-Petersburg International Legal Forum (May 20, 2021) (Zoom)

Presenter: *Rethinking Derogations from Human Rights Treaties*,

- Columbia Law School, Society of International Law (March 11, 2021) (Zoom)
- COVID-19 and Public International Law, University College, Dublin (Sept. 25, 2020) (Zoom)

Keynote Address: *Withdrawals from Human Rights Treaties*, Programa Diallogo sobre nuevos retos en el Sistema Interamericano de Derechos Humanos, Universidad de los Andes Facultad de Derecho (Nov. 19, 2020) (Zoom)

Co-presenter: *Indirect Sexual Orientation Discrimination before the European Court of Human Rights*, Workshop on Indirect Discrimination and Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity, Harvard Human Rights Program (Oct. 16, 2020) (with Clare Ryan) (Zoom)

Presenter: *Walking Back Human Rights in Europe?*, Duke Law Faculty Workshop (Sept. 9, 2020) (Zoom)

Co-presenter: *Contesting LGBT Rights before Supranational Courts: Evidence from Third Party Submissions to the ECtHR*, Workshop on the International Adjudication of Mega-politics, iCourts Centre: University of Copenhagen Faculty of Law (June 3, 2020) (Zoom)

*Populism and International Human Rights Institutions*

- Presenter, Seminar on International Law and the New Global Political Economy, Georgetown Law (Feb. 7, 2020)
- Presenter, European Society of Int'l Law Annual Conference, Athens (Sept. 14, 2019)
- Public Lecture, Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore (Aug. 14, 2019)

Presenter, *Encouraging Preliminary Judgment References: Lessons from Europe, the Andes, East and West Africa*, Caribbean Court of Justice (Port of Spain, Trinidad & Tobago, Sept. 6, 2019)

Public Lecture, *Treaty Exit and Intra-branch Conflict at the Interface of International and Domestic Law*, Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore (Aug. 15, 2019)

Keynote Address, *The Life Cycle of International Adjudication*, PluriCourts Annual Lecture, University of Oslo Faculty of Law (June 27, 2019)

Commentator, PluriCourts Annual Conference 2019, University of Oslo (June 27-28, 2019)

Co-presenter, *Walking Back Human Rights in Europe?*

- iCourts 2.0 Conference, University of Copenhagen (May 21, 2019)
- Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva (May 6, 2019)

Presenter, *Pushback Against Supervisory Systems: Lessons for the ILO from International Human Rights Institutions* (International Labor Organization, Geneva, Mar. 16, 2019)

Panelist, *Decriminalizing Homosexuality in India: Love, Law, and the Constitution* (Duke Law School, Jan. 30, 2019)

Public Lecture, *Institutional Change and the International Labour Organization in a Moment of Populism*, [Seminar on the Transnational Futures of International Labour Law](#), McGill University Faculty of Law (Jan. 10, 2019)

Presenter, Book launch of *International Court Authority* with Mikael Madsen), iCourts: Center of Excellence for International Courts, University of Copenhagen (Nov. 13, 2018)

Presenter, *Populism and International Human Rights Institutions: A Survival Guide*

- World Justice Project's Rule of Law Research Consortium, Duke Law School (Oct. 27, 2018)
- Conference on Human Rights in a Time of Populism, Harvard Law School (March 24, 2018)

Participant, “Ideas Lab” to Build Dynamic Research Communities in Global Legal Studies, Bainbridge Island, WA (Oct. 11-13, 2018)

Presenter, Plenary Roundtable: *Multilateralism in Crisis: The Re-Nationalisation of Governance and the Emergence of a Neo-Westphalian Order*, European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), Hamburg, Germany (Aug. 24, 2018)

Moderator, *Studying Comparative Foreign Relations Law*, Conference on Comparative Foreign Relations Law, University of Leiden (June 30, 2018)

Moderator and commentator, *New Voices in International Law*, American Society of International Law Annual Meeting (Washington, DC, April 5, 2018)

Presenter, *New Developments in LGBT Rights within the Inter-American System*, Duke Law School (March 8, 2018)

Moderator, Lauri Mälksoo, *Russia and Non-Compliance with European Court of Human Rights Judgments*, Duke Law School Human Rights in Practice Speaker Series (March 6, 2018)

Commentator, European Society of International Law Research Forum, Hebrew University, Jerusalem (March 1, 2018)

Master Class, *Treaty Exit at the Interface of International and Domestic Law: Taking Stock of Recent Developments and Developing a Research Agenda*, Hebrew University, Jerusalem (Feb. 28, 2018)

Presenter, *Treaty Exit and Intra-Branch Conflict at the Interface of International and Domestic Law*, and Commentator

- Duke-Yale Conference on Exiting International Agreements, Duke University Law School (Oct. 28, 2017)
- Conference on Comparative Foreign Relations Law, University of Pretoria (Sept. 13-14, 2017)

Co-Presenter, Book celebration of *TRANSPLANTING INTERNATIONAL COURTS: THE LAW AND POLITICS OF THE ANDEAN TRIBUNAL OF JUSTICE* (2017)

- Duke University Law School (Oct. 3, 2017)
- iCourts: University of Copenhagen (May 9, 2017, Via Skype)

Public statement on behalf of the World Blind Union to the U.N. Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, *A Human Rights Approach to Implementing the Marrakesh VIP Treaty* (Geneva, August 14, 2017)

Keynote Address, *Using Intellectual Property Tools to Achieve Human Rights Ends – The Example of the Marrakesh VIP Treaty*, Nankai Symposium on International Intellectual Property Law (Tianjin, China, May 13, 2017)

Co-Presenter, *The World Blind Union Guide to the Marrakesh Treaty: Facilitating Access to Books for Print-Disabled Individuals* (World Intellectual Property Organization, Standing Committee on Copyright & Related Rights (Geneva, May 2, 2017)

Invited expert, *High Level Expert Symposium on the Future of the European Court of Human Rights* (Copenhagen, April 20-21, 2017)

Co-Presenter, Book celebration of *THE WORLD BLIND UNION GUIDE TO THE MARRAKESH TREATY: FACILITATING ACCESS TO BOOKS FOR PRINT-DISABLED INDIVIDUALS* (2017), Duke University Law School (April 3, 2017)

Commentator, *Conference on The Forefront of International Law*, Arizona State University Law School (March 15, 2017).

Keynote Address, *Using Intellectual Property Tools to Achieve Human Rights Ends: The Example of the Marrakesh VIP Treaty*, Centre for Intellectual Property and Information Law, University of Cambridge, Faculty of Law, March. 11, 2017

Presenter, *Treaty Withdrawal Under International and Domestic Law*, Presentation to ASIL Judicial Advisory Board, Washington, D.C, Dec. 9, 2016

Presenter, *The Limited Relevance of Customary International Law to Judicial Review of National Legislation and Executive Decisions*, Duke-Japan Conference on Comparative Foreign Relations Law, Japan Institute of International Affairs, Tokyo, Oct. 10, 2016

Presenter and commentator, *International Conference on Building Consensus on European Consensus*, European University Institute, Florence, Italy, June 1-2, 2016

Co-convener, *Workshop on the Judicialization of International Relations*, Northwestern University, Apr. 29-30, 2016

Co-presenter, *Backlash Against International Courts in West, East and Southern Africa: Causes and Consequences*, Workshop on Africa's International Courts, Loyola University of Chicago Law School, Apr. 22-23, 2016

Bell Distinguished Lectureship in Law, *LGBTQ Rights in International and Comparative Law: Progress and Contestation*, Wooster College, Wooster, Ohio, Apr. 7, 2016

Rapporteur, *Reforms in UN Treaty Bodies and the European Court of Human Rights: Mutual Lessons?*, PluriCourts, University of Oslo, Feb 29, 2016

Presenter, *Transplanting International Courts: The Law and Politics of the Andean Tribunal of Justice*, International Law/International Relations Workshop, Department of Political Science and Burkle Center for International Relations, UCLA, Feb. 12, 2016

Co-convener, Workshop on a Guide to the Marrakesh Treaty to Facilitate Access to Published Works for Persons Who Are Blind, Visually Impaired, or Otherwise Print Disabled

- Institute for Information Law (IVI) – University of Amsterdam, Jan, 28-29, 2016
- Harvard Law School, Nov. 5-6, 2015

Presenter, *African Sub-regional Courts and Human Rights: Access, Interpretation and Remedies*

- European Society of Int'l Law Annual Meeting, Oslo, Sept. 11, 2015
- Koç University Law School, Jan.10-11, 2015

Commentator, *The Life and Future of British Colonial Sexual Regulation in Asia*, National University of Singapore, Oct. 8-9, 2015

Co-convenor and Presenter, Book workshop on the Authority of International Courts, Northwestern University, Oct. 2-3, 2015

Commentator, Conference on Comparative Foreign Relations Law, Geneva, July 10-11, 2015

Keynote Address, *LGBTQ Rights in International and Comparative Law: Progress and Contestation*, Midwest LGBTQ Law Conference, Washington University St. Louis Law School, Feb. 20, 2015

Lecturer, *Progress & Contestation in Combatting Discrimination: A Global Perspective on LGBT Rights*, University of Copenhagen Faculty of Law, Nov. 21, 2014

Panelist, "The Islamic State: Islam and International Law," Duke Law School, Nov. 7, 2007

Commentator, American Society of International Law Research Forum, Chicago, Nov. 7, 2014

Co-presenter, *The Evolution of Codification*, Workshop on the Future of Customary International Law, Duke Law School, Oct. 31, 2014

Lecture, *Reconciling the Human Right to Health and Intellectual Property*, Duke Kunshan University, Kunshan, China, Sept. 25, 2014

Lecture, *International Law on the Use of Force and the Crises in the Ukraine and Syria*, Peking University Law School, Beijing, Sept. 24, 2014

Lecture, *Backlash Against International Courts in Africa: Implications for Judicial Independence*, Renmin University of China Law School, Sept. 23, 2014

Presenter, Custom in the Age of Soft Law, Decennial Conference of the European Society of International Law, Vienna, Austria, Sept. 5, 2014

Panelist, Conference on Control of Conventionality in the Inter-American Human Rights System, Universidad Sergio Arboleda School of Law, Bogota, Colombia, May 24, 2014

Commentator for book lectures by Karen Alter, *The New Terrain of International Law* (2014)

- Duke Law School, April 14, 2014
- Loyola Law School of Chicago, April 30, 2014

Panelist, *Subsidiarity and the European Court of Human Rights*, Conference on The Future Role of the European Court of Human Rights, iCourts, University of Copenhagen, Nov. 15, 2013

Presenter, *Legalized Homophobia in Russia: Homosexual Propaganda Laws*, Duke Forum for Law and Social Change, Nov. 13, 2013

Presenter, *LGBT Rights in International and Comparative Law*, Faculty Workshop, University of Hong Kong Faculty of Law, Oct. 17, 2013

Presenter, *The Crisis in Syria and the International Law of Humanitarian Intervention*

- Faculty Workshop, University of Hong Kong Faculty of Law, Oct. 15, 2013
- Panel: Should the U.S. Bomb Syria?, Duke University Law School, Sept. 25, 2013

Guest Lecture, *Human Rights and Intellectual Property*, Graduate Seminar, History Department, University of Copenhagen, Sept. 19, 2013

Co-presenter, *Codifying Immunity or Fighting for Accountability? International Custom and the Battle Over Foreign Official Immunity in the United Nations*, Conference on The Role of Opinio Juris in Customary International Law, University of Geneva, July 12-13, 2013

Panel chair, Conference on Comparative Regional Human Rights Systems, iCourts: University of Copenhagen, June 27-28, 2013

Faculty member, *PhD Summer School*, iCourts: The Danish National Research Foundation's Centre of Excellence for International Courts, University of Copenhagen, June 24-26, 2013

Presenter, Inaugural Conference of PluriCourts: Centre for the Study of the Legitimate Roles of the Judiciary in the Global Order, University of Oslo Faculty of Law, June 20, 2013

Panelist, *Has the Supreme Court Sounded the Death Knell for Human Rights Litigation? Implications of Kiobel v. Royal Dutch Petroleum*, Duke in Washington Office, June 13, 2013

Keynote Address: *Mapping the Interface between Human Rights and Intellectual Property*, Conference on Human Rights and Intellectual Property: From Concepts to Practice, European Court of Human Rights, Strasbourg, Apr. 5, 2013

Presenter, *Legitimacy and Lawmaking: A Tale of Three International Courts*, Scholarship Roundtable on Legitimacy and International Courts, Duke Law School, March 23, 2013

Co-sponsor and Presenter, *Intellectual Property and Human Rights: A Conference and Roundtable Discussion*, American University Washington College of Law, Feb. 21-22, 2013

Panelist, *International Human Rights in the Supreme Court: Kiobel v. Royal Dutch Petroleum*, Duke University School of Law, Feb. 5, 2013

Presenter, *A New International Human Rights Court for West Africa: The Court of Justice for the Economic Community of West African States*

- Presentation to the Board of the Kenan Institute for Ethics, Nov. 21, 2013
- Conference on the Domestic Politics of International Human Rights Agreements, Princeton University Department of Politics, Nov. 8-9, 2013
- Conference on Compliance and Beyond: Assessing and Explaining the Impact of Regional and Global Governance Arrangements, University of St. Gallen, June 1, 2013
- Faculty workshop, Duke Law School, March 29, 2013
- Hauser Colloquium, NYU Law School, Nov. 8, 2012
- Faculty workshop, iCourts, University of Copenhagen, June 12, 2012
- Conference on International Courts and the Quest for Legitimacy, University of Tel Aviv and Hebrew University of Jerusalem, June 3-4, 2012
- Africa and International Law, Albany Law School, Apr. 12-14, 2012
- Program of African Studies, Northwestern University, Jan. 12, 2012



- ASIL Research Forum, UCLA Law School, Nov. 4, 2011 (one of 57 papers selected by a double blind procedure from a pool of close to 300 submissions)

Presenter, *International Courts as Agents of Legal Change: Evidence from LGBT Rights in Europe*

- Scholarship Roundtable, Vanderbilt University Law School, Sept. 28, 2012
- iCourts Inaugural Conference, University of Copenhagen, Sept. 13, 2012

Participant, NSF Workshop: Law, Politics and Social Science Research: Comparative and International Approaches, Bainbridge Island, Washington, Sept. 21-22, 2012

Presenter, *Dispute Settlement for International Economic Agreements*

- Plenary: The Rule of Law in ASEAN, Singapore, Aug. 25, 2013
- Workshop on ASEAN Integration Through Law, Singapore, Aug. 23, 2012

Lecturer, *Intellectual Property and Access to Medicines*, Graduate Seminar on Global Health, Mahidol University, Bangkok (co-sponsored with Duke Global Health Institute), Aug. 5-6, 2012

Presenter, *The Benefits and Burdens of Brighton*, MultiRights Annual Conference, University of Oslo, Norway, June 1, 2012

Panelist, *Institutional Challenges*, Conference on Judicial Process and the Protection of Rights, Sponsored by GWU Law School and U.S. Department of State. Featured presentations by four U.S. Supreme Court Justices and three judges of the ECtHR, March 1, 2012

Presenter, *Pharmaceutical Patents and the Human Right to Health: The Contested Evolution of the Transnational Legal Order on Access to Medicines*, Conference on Transnational Legal Orders, Montego Bay, Jamaica, Feb. 24-25, 2012

Lecture, *The Andean Tribunal of Justice as a Specialized Intellectual Property Court*, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Seminar on Specialized Intellectual Property Rights Courts, Jan. 17, 2012

Commentator, Book manuscript workshop, Karen Alter, "The New Terrain of International Law" Northwestern University Law School, Jan. 11, 2012

Lecture, *Constructing an Intellectual Property Rule of Law in the Andean Community*, Encuentro de Magistrados de la Comunidad Andina y del MERCOSUR. Invited by President of Andean Tribunal of Justice to present a paper at a conference of international and domestic judges from South America, University of Buenos Aires Faculty of Law, Oct. 4-5, 2011

Workshop, *Comparative Toolbox of Dispute Settlement Mechanisms*, Project on ASEAN Integration Through Law, NYU Law School, Sept. 30, 2011

Commentator, Book manuscript conference, *Katerina Linos, Benchmarks from Abroad: Selling Voters on Health and Family Reform*, Berkeley Law School, Sept. 16, 2011

Chair, *Panel on Human Rights and Intellectual Property*, Global Congress on Intellectual Property and the Public Interest, American University Washington College of Law, Aug. 26, 2011

Public Lecture, *Human Rights and Intellectual Property: Mapping the Global Interface*

- WIPO-University of Geneva Summer School on Intellectual Property, July 11, 2012

- Duke University School of Law, Oct. 28, 2011
- University of Technology, Sydney & UNSW Faculty of Law, Sydney, Australia, May 16, 2011
- Melbourne University Law School, Melbourne, Australia, May 11, 2011
- Victoria University, Wellington, New Zealand, May 2, 2011

Presenter, “Balancing Wealth and Health: Access to Medicines in Latin America as a Case Study of the Global Administration of Intellectual Property Law,” NYU Law School, May 26-27, 2011

Presenter, *Do European Court of Human Rights Judgments Promote Legal and Policy Change?*

- University of Chicago Law School, International Law Workshop, April 22, 2011
- Conference on the Domestic Consequences of International Human Rights Treaty Ratification, NYU Law School, Oct. 15-16, 2010

Presenter, *Flexibility Mechanisms*, Conference on International Law and International Relations: Taking Stock, Temple Law School, April 8-9, 2011

Co-presenter, *International Law and the U.S. Common Law of Foreign Official Immunity*, Meeting of ASIL Interest Group on International Law in Domestic Courts, University of Virginia Law School, Dec. 13, 2010

Commentator, Conference on International Law and Regulation, Laboratory on International Law and Regulation, UC San Diego, Dec. 8, 2010

Moderator, Revisiting the Place of International Law in Domestic Law, American Society of International Law Mid-Year Meeting, Miami, FL, Nov. 12, 2010

Commentator, Duke-Harvard Foreign Relations Workshop, Duke Law School, Nov. 7, 2010

Judge and commentator, Stanford-Harvard International Junior Faculty Forum, Stanford Law School, Oct. 8, 2010

Presenter, *Cloning the European Court of Justice: Findings from the Experience of the Andean Tribunal of Justice*, Workshop on Socio-Legal Perspectives on the Adjudication of International Economic Disputes, Oñati, Spain, July 15-16, 2010

Presenter, *The Seizure of Generic Medicines: A Violation of the Human Right to Health?*, Panel on Patent Infringements, Legitimate Trade and Access To Essential Medicines, Conference of the Society of International Economic Law, Barcelona, Spain, July 8-10, 2010

Presenter, *The Global Gene Pool Established through the Standard Material Transfer Agreement of the International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture*, Agricultural Genetic Resource Commons for Global Food Security: Strategies for Accessing, Managing, and Using Essential Public Knowledge Assets, Palais des Académies, Brussels, May 27, 2010

Panelist, *Perspectives on Access to Knowledge and Human Rights*, A2K4: Access to Knowledge & Human Rights, Yale Law School, Feb. 12-13, 2010

Presenter, *Opting Out: Derogations from Human Rights Treaties in National Emergencies*

- Workshop on Public International Law and Legal Theory, Washington University School of Law, Feb. 5-6, 2010

- Workshop on Workshop on Human Rights Indicators and Compliance, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University, Jan. 8, 2010
- Faculty Workshop, UCLA School of Law, Sept. 11, 2009
- Workshop on Law, Politics and Human Rights, Emory University, March 21, 2009

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable, Opting Out of Customary International Law, Duke University School of Law, Jan. 30, 2010

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable, The Law and Politics of International Cooperation, Duke University School of Law, Nov. 6-7, 2009

Commentator, Workshop on Private Regulation in the Global Economy, Duke University Center for International Studies, Oct. 30, 2009

Panel chair and commentator, Intellectual Property Rights panel, ESIL-ASIL Research Forum: Changing Futures? Science and International Law, University of Helsinki, Oct. 2-3, 2009

Participant, Gathering of the Access to Knowledge Global Academy, Information Society Project at Yale Law School, Aug. 19-20, 2009

Participant, Meeting of International Experts on *The right to enjoy the benefits of scientific progress and its applications*, European Inter-University Centre for Human Rights & Democratisation, Venice, Italy, July 16-17, 2009

Presenter, *Human Rights Limits on Intellectual Property*, Enough is Enough! Ceilings on Intellectual Property Rights, NYU Law School, May 1-2, 2009

Co-presenter, *Nature or Nurture? Judicial Law-Making in the European Court of Justice and the Andean Tribunal of Justice*, Vanderbilt University Law School, April 10, 2009

Co-presenter, Poster Session, *Islands of Effective International Adjudication: Constructing an Intellectual Property Rule of Law in the Andean Community*, American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, March 27, 2009

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable on Humanitarian Law and Terrorism, Vanderbilt University Law School, Jan. 23, 2009

Commentator, Meeting of Int'l Experts on *The right to enjoy the benefits of scientific progress and its applications*, Irish Centre for Human Rights, Galway, Ireland, Nov. 22-24, 2008

Presenter, *The Normalizing of Adjudication in Complex International Governance Regimes: Patterns, Possibilities and Problems*, NYU School of Law, Oct. 28-29, 2008

Commentator, book workshop for Ryan Goodman & Derek Jinks, *Socializing States: Promoting Human Rights through International Law*, Temple Law School, Oct. 10, 2008

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable on U.S. Foreign Relations Law, Vanderbilt University Law School, Sept. 12, 2008

Presenter, *Islands of Effective International Adjudication: Constructing an Intellectual Property*

*Rule of Law in the Andean Community*

- University of Texas School of Law Faculty Workshop, Sept. 18, 2008
- Harvard Law School Faculty Workshop, April 10, 2008
- Workshop in International Relations and International Law, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, March 24, 2008
- IR-IL Colloquium, Fordham University Law School, Feb. 23, 2008
- IR-IL Seminar, Department of Government, Harvard University, Feb. 22, 2008
- International Law Roundtable, Vanderbilt Law School, Jan. 18, 2008

Presenter, *Redesigning the European Court of Human Rights: Embeddedness as a Deep Structural Principle of the European Human Rights Regime*

- Burkle Center for International Relations, UCLA, Sept. 10, 2009
- Panel on Courts and the Politics of International Human Rights Protection, American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Aug. 29, 2008
- Duke University Law School Faculty Workshop, Apr. 24, 2008
- Theme Panel on International Human Rights Law, American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Aug. 30, 2007

Panelist, "The Interaction Between Domestic Constitutions and International Law,"  
Harvard International Law Journal Symposium, Apr. 18, 2008

Commentator, Conference on Ruling the World: Constitutionalism, International Law and Global Governance, Temple University Law School, Dec. 8, 2007

Panelist, Conference on International Courts and Tribunals in the 21st Century: The Future of International Justice, The Hague, Nov. 30-Dec. 1, 2007

Lecturer, *The Politics of Intellectual Property Rights Litigation in the Andean Community: A View from the Outside*, Universidad Externado, Bogota, Colombia, Sept. 12, 2007

Presenter, *Intellectual Property and the European Court of Human Rights*, 15<sup>th</sup> International Intellectual Property Law & Policy Conference, Fordham Law School, April 13, 2007

Presenter, *The Future of the International Labor Organization*, Panel on "The Future of International Labor Law," American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, March 30, 2007

Presenter, *The Price of Admission: Binding Member States to Un-ratified Treaties*, Conference on the Law and Politics of International Delegation, Duke University Law School, Feb. 16-17, 2007

Presenter, *The New Innovation Frontier? Property Rights, Intellectual Property and the European Court of Human Rights*, Innovation Policy Colloquium, NYU Law School, Feb. 12, 2007

Presenter, *Redesigning the European Court of Human Rights: From International Tribunal to Constitutional Court*, Colloquium on Compliance with International Human Rights Law, NYU Law School, Jan. 29, 2007

Presenter, *The Price of Admission: Binding Member States to Un-ratified Treaties*, Conference on Public Int'l Law and Economics, Max Planck Institute for Research on Collective Goods, Bonn, Germany, Dec. 15-16, 2006

Lecturer, *The Law and Politics of Treaty Withdrawals* International Law Workshop, University of Michigan Law School, Nov. 6, 2006

Commentator, "Improving Credibility by Delegating Judicial Competence: The Case of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council," Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, University of Texas School of Law, Austin, TX, Oct. 27, 2006

Commentator, Conference on Intellectual Property and Trade and Development, Chicago-Kent College of Law, Oct. 12-13, 2006

Panelist, *Allocations of Normative Power to and among Intl Tribunals*, American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Sept. 1, 2006

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable, "Private Agreements & Regulation of the Global Environment," Vanderbilt University Law School, Sept. 29, 2006

Presenter, *Copyright and Fundamental Rights*, Conference on Copyright and Freedom of Expression, ALAI (*Association Littéraire et Artistique Internationale*), Barcelona, June 18, 2006

Panelist, 14<sup>th</sup> International Intellectual Property Law & Policy Conference, Fordham Law School, April 20-21, 2006

Presenter, *Toward a Human Rights Framework for Intellectual Property*, Third Annual Intellectual Property & Communications Law Conference: The International Intellectual Property Regime Complex, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, Apr. 7-8, 2006

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable on Private International Law and Intellectual Property Law: Theory and Practice, Vanderbilt University Law School, March 24-25, 2006

Presenter, *Toward a Human Rights Framework for Intellectual Property*, Symposium on Intellectual Property and Social Justice, University of California at Davis School of Law, March 10, 2006

Presenter, Conference on Delegating Sovereignty, Duke University Law School, March 3-4, 2006

Presenter, Workshop on Nested and Overlapping Institutions, Princeton University, Feb. 24, 2006

Presenter, *Understanding Change in International Organizations: Globalization and Innovation in the ILO*, Conference on Transnational Law in an Era of Globalization, University of Connecticut School of Law, Jan. 27-28, 2005

Presenter, *Toward a Human Rights Framework for Intellectual Property*, Georgetown University Law Center, Nov. 11, 2005

Presenter, *Exiting Treaties*

- Fordham University School of Law, Faculty Colloquium, Oct. 20, 2005
- Duke Law School, Faculty Colloquium, Sept 2, 2005
- UCLA School of Law, Legal Theory Workshop, Apr. 15, 2005
- Northwestern University Law School Int'l Law Colloquium, Feb. 28, 2005
- University of Chicago Law School Int'l Law Workshop, Feb. 7, 2005

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable on International Trade Law: Theory and Practice, Vanderbilt University Law School, October 7-8, 2005

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable on International Legal Theory, Vanderbilt University Law School, Sept. 16-17, 2005

Presenter, *Designing Institutions for Change: Innovation and Globalization in the International Labor Organization*, Scholarship Roundtable, Vanderbilt University Law School, Sept. 16, 2005

Lead discussant, *Metro-Goldwyn Mayer Studios Inc. v. Grokster*, Vanderbilt University Law School Brown Bag Lunch Series, July 27, 2005

Lecturer, *Human Rights and Intellectual Property: New Conflicts or New Opportunities?* University of Barcelona, Faculty of Law, June 7, 2005

Presenter, *Issues in Comparative Intellectual Property Law*, Conference on Comparative Law in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, University of Arizona College of Law, April 8, 2005

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable on International Human Rights and International Criminal Law, Vanderbilt Law School, Jan. 28-29, 2005

Commentator, Scholarship Roundtable on Interdisciplinary Approaches to International Law, Vanderbilt University Law School, Nov. 12-13, 2004

Presenter, *The Role of Independence in International Adjudication*, Conference on Analyzing International Conflict Resolution Mechanisms, Saarbrücken, Germany, Oct. 14-17, 2004

Presenter, *International Regimes, Intellectual Property, and Plant Genetic Resources*, Intellectual Property Scholarship Seminar, Boalt Hall School of Law, Berkeley, CA, Sept. 30, 2004

Presenter, *Of States Bargains and Judges: The Limited Role of Dependence in International Adjudication*, Dean's lunch workshop, Vanderbilt University Law School, Sept. 7, 2004

Presenter, *Resolving Disputes Between Trademark Owners & Domain Name Registrants: Understanding the Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy*, Conference on Solution of Conflicts in Intellectual Property, sponsored by National Union of Cuban Jurists, the Cuban Industrial Property Bureau, and the National Copyright Center, May 24-25, 2004

Presenter, *Exit, Escape, and Commitment in International Governance: A Theoretical and Empirical Research Agenda* Works in Progress Colloquium, University of Pennsylvania, May 14, 2004

Presenter, *New International Venues for IP Lawmaking and International Forum Shopping*, 12th Int'l Intellectual Property Law & Policy Conference, Fordham Law School, April 15, 2004

Discussant, "How to Ensure Coordination and Coherence in Int'l Lawmaking? From Fragmentation to Coherence," Conference on Human Rights and International Economic Law, sponsored by American Society of International Law, Washington D.C., Apr. 5-6, 2004

Moderator, "The Institutions of International Intellectual Property Law: New Actors, New Sources and New Structures?" American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, April 2, 2004

Panelist, "Intellectual Property, Sustainable Development, and Endangered Species: Understanding the Dynamics of the Information Ecosystem," Michigan State University-DCL College of Law, March 27, 2004

Presenter, *International Relations Theory and Intellectual Property*, Conference on the Future of the International Intellectual Property, Case Western University School of Law, March 26, 2004

Commentator, SARS and Global Governance, Temple University School of Law, March 25, 2004

Presenter, *Regime Shifting: The TRIPs Agreement and New Dynamics of International Intellectual Property Lawmaking*

- Intellectual Property Colloquium, Thomas Jefferson School of Law, March 16, 2004
- Program in Law and Public Affairs, Princeton University, Nov. 3, 2003
- Faculty Workshop, University of Georgia Law School, Oct. 20, 2003
- Workshop on Global Governance, Columbia Law School, Sept. 30, 2003
- Legal Theory Workshop, Vanderbilt University Law School, Sept. 25, 2003
- Intellectual Property Lecture Series, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, March 19, 2003

Presenter, *Overlegalizing International Agreements: The Politics of Exit and Escape*, Institute for International Law and Public Policy, Temple University Beasley School of Law, Feb. 26, 2004

Presenter, *Exit, Escape, and Commitment in International Governance*, Faculty Workshop, Vanderbilt University Law School, Jan. 22, 2004

Presenter, *Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Litigation: New Opportunities and New Challenges*, Human Rights at Home: International Law in U.S. Courts, ACLU-sponsored conference at the Carter Presidential Center, Oct. 10, 2003

Lecturer, *Is Too Much International (Human Rights) Law a Bad Thing?* Public International Law Speaker Series: Bridging Theory and Practice, Center on Global Legal Problems and Human Rights Institute Columbia Law School, Oct. 1, 2003

Presenter, *Why is International Intellectual Property Law Expanding?* Comparative Law and Politics Discussion Group, New York Law School, Sept. 17, 2003

Presenter, *Preserving the Global Genetic Commons: Intellectual Property Rights and the International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food & Agriculture*, International Public Goods and Transfer of Technology Under a Globalized IP Regime, Duke University, April 5, 2003

Panelist, *The Global Conflict Over Plant Genetic Resources*, ASIL Annual Meeting, April 3, 2003

Panelist, *The UDRP and International Lawmaking*, ICANN, ccTLD, and the Legacy Root: Domain Name Lawmaking and Governance," Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, March 17, 2003

Moderator, International Copyright and Entertainment Law panel, Int'l Law Weekend West, Loyola Law School, Feb. 7, 2003

Discussant, Int'l Trade Roundtable, Boalt Hall School of Law, Jan. 31, 2003



Panelist, *Human Rights & Intellectual Property: Conflict or Coexistence?*, Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, Jan. 2, 2003

Lecturer, *Overlegalizing International Agreements* Chicago-Kent College of Law, Oct. 7, 2002

Lecturer, *Diagonal Dynamics: Transnational Litigation and Legislation for Lesbian and Gay Employment and Family Rights*, U.N. Globe, Lesbian & Gay Center, New York, Sept. 12, 2002

Principal Lecture, *Recent Developments Under the ICANN UDRP*, Intellectual Property Research Institute of Australia, University of Melbourne Law School, May 29, 2002

Presenter, *International Law and the September 11<sup>th</sup> Attacks: Three Evolving Paradigms for Regulating International Terrorism*, Conference on September 11 as a Transformative Moment, University of Southern California Law School, May 24, 2002

Commentator, Panel on TRIPs Dispute Settlement; Moderator, Panel on Traditional Knowledge; 10<sup>th</sup> Int'l Intellectual Property Law & Policy Conference, Fordham Law School, April 4-5, 2002

Presenter, *Overlegalizing Human Rights: Int'l Relations Theory and the Commonwealth Caribbean Backlash Against Human Rights Regimes*

- University of Arizona Law School faculty workshop, Aug. 22, 2002
- University of Melbourne Law School faculty colloquium, May 29, 2002
- American Society of Int'l Law Annual Meeting, March 16, 2002
- USC Law School Faculty Workshop, March 8, 2002
- Political Study of Int'l Law Speaker Series, UCLA Law School, Oct. 4, 2001

Co-presenter, *Hybrid "Anational" Lawmaking*, Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum, June 2, 2001

Presenter, *International Dispute Settlement at the Trademark-Domain Name Interface*, 9<sup>th</sup> Int'l Intellectual Property Law & Policy Conference, Fordham Law School, April 19-20, 2001

Presenter, *The Consequences of Proliferation of International Human Rights Tribunals*, American Society of Int'l Law Annual Meeting, April 4, 2001

Presenter, *International Trademark-Domain Name Litigation*, International Law Weekend West, Pepperdine University School of Law, Jan. 26-27, 2001

Presenter, *An Analysis of the WTO United States – Section 110(5) Dispute*, 8<sup>th</sup> Int'l Intellectual Property Law & Policy Conference, Fordham Law School, April 27-28, 2000

Presenter, *Will the UN Human Rights Committee Recognize Same-Sex Marriages?*, Conference on Legal Recognition of Same-Sex Partnerships, King's College London, July 3, 1999

Panelist, *"United States participation in the International Criminal Court."* Moderated by Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals Judge Dorothy Nelson, Southwestern Law School, Oct. 8, 1998

Presenter, *Six Structural Factors Explain Why International Lesbian and Gay Rights Litigation Succeeds or Fails*, Amnesty International Workshop, Amsterdam, Aug. 4, 1998