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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

DePaul University College of Law *Chicago, IL*

Professor of Law (with Tenure), July 2015-present
Director, Center for Church-State Studies, 2015-2017
Associate Professor of Law, July 2013-June 2015
Assistant Professor of Law, July 2009–June 2013

- DePaul University College of Law Excellence in Research Award, 2015
- DePaul University Spirit of Inquiry Award, 2015
- DePaul University Excellence in Teaching Award, 2014
- DePaul University Engage Socially Responsible Faculty Award, 2014

Australian National University *Canberra, Australia*

School of Political Science and International Relations
Visiting Professor of Political Science, July 2018-June 2019

Eighth Amendment Project, Harvard University Law School *Boston, MA*

Consultant, July 2013-Present

Research School of Social Sciences, Australian National University *Canberra, Australia*

Research Associate, January 2005-July 2006

EDUCATION

University of Chicago Law School, J.S.D., 2017

- Commenced and completed doctoral studies while working fulltime

University of Chicago Law School, J.D., 2008

- High Honors (approx. top 2%)
- Order of the Coif
- Bradley Fellowship, John M. Olin Program in Law and Economics
- University of Chicago Law School Fellowship

Australian National University College of Law, LL.B., 2003

- University Medal (awarded to highest ranked graduates)

- First Class Honors
- Editor, Federal Law Review
- Winner, Moot Court
- H.C. Coombs Honors Scholarship in Law
- Summer Research Scholarship for Promising Scholars
- Prizes in Comparative Constitutional Law, Restrictive Trade Practices

Australian National University, B.A. in History, 2003

- Chancellor's Commendation for Academic Excellence

Queensland Conservatorium, Griffith University, B.Mus. (Performance), 1998

CLERKSHIPS/ASSOCIATESHIPS

The Honorable Chief Judge Diane P. Wood
 United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit
Chambers Clerk, 2008-2009

Chicago, IL

The Honorable Justice Margaret A. Stone
 Federal Court of Australia
Associate, 2003-2004

Sydney, Australia

BOOKS

THE RISE OF CORPORATE RELIGIOUS LIBERTY (Oxford University Press, 2016) (co-edited with Micah Schwartzman & Chad Flanders)

- Contributors include Robin West, Frederick Schauer, Mark Tushnet, Larry Sager, Sarah Barringer Gordon, Richard Schragger, Frederick Gedicks, Rick Garnett, Marty Lederman, Kent Greenawalt, Steve Smith, among others

LAW AND RELIGION IN THEORETICAL AND HISTORICAL CONTEXT (with Peter Cane and Carolyn Evans, eds.) (Cambridge University Press, 2008)

- Reviewed in *Journal of Law and Religion*, *University of Toronto Law Journal*, *Ecclesiastical Law Journal*, *Journal of Church and State*, among others

BOOK CHAPTERS

*Note: each book chapter is approximately 10,000-15,000 words in length.

Religious Majoritarianism and the First Amendment, in CAMBRIDGE COMPANION TO THE FIRST AMENDMENT AND RELIGIOUS LIBERTY (Michael Breidenbach & Owen Anderson, eds.) (Cambridge University Press, *forthcoming* 2018)

What Does Innocence Have to do With Cruel and Unusual Punishment? (with Robert J. Smith & G. Ben Cohen), in WRONGFUL CONVICTIONS AND THE DNA REVOLUTION:

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF FREEING THE INNOCENT (Daniel Medwed, ed.) (Cambridge University Press, *forthcoming* 2017)

Hosanna-Tabor After Hobby Lobby, in THE RISE OF CORPORATE RELIGIOUS LIBERTY: HOBBY LOBBY AND THE NEW LAW OF RELIGION IN AMERICA (Zoë Robinson, Micah Schwartzman & Chad Flanders, eds.) (Oxford University Press, 2016)

Introduction: The Rise of Corporate Religious Liberty (with Micah Schwartzman & Chad Flanders), in THE RISE OF CORPORATE RELIGIOUS LIBERTY (Zoë Robinson, Micah Schwartzman & Chad Flanders, eds.) (Oxford University Press, 2016)

ARTICLES

*Note: each article is approximately 30,000 words in length.

Constitutional Liberty and the Progression of Punishment, 103 CORNELL LAW REVIEW 413 (2017) (with Robert J. Smith)

Constitutional Personhood, 84 GEORGE WASHINGTON LAW REVIEW 605 (2016)

Implicit White Favoritism in the Criminal Justice System, 66 ALABAMA LAW REVIEW 871 (2015) (with Robert J. Smith & Justin D. Levinson)

Lobbying in the Shadows: Religious Interest Groups in the Legislative Process, 64 EMORY LAW JOURNAL 101 (2015)

The Contraception Mandate and the Forgotten Constitutional Question, 2014 WISCONSIN LAW REVIEW 749 (2014)

The Failure of Mitigation, 65 HASTINGS LAW JOURNAL 1221 (2014) (with Robert J. Smith & Sophie Cull)

What is a “Religious Institution”? 55 BOSTON COLLEGE LAW REVIEW 181 (2014)

A Comparative Analysis of the Doctrinal Consequences of Interpretive Disagreement for Implied Constitutional Rights, 11 WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY GLOBAL STUDIES LAW REVIEW 93 (2012)

Rationalizing Religious Exemptions: A Legislative Process Theory of Statutory Exemptions for Religion, 20 WILLIAM & MARY BILL OF RIGHTS JOURNAL 133 (2011)

Comparative Judicial Attitudinalism: A Preliminary Study of Judicial Choices in Westminster Legal Systems, 2011 UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO LEGAL FORUM 209 (2011)

The Judiciary and the Freedom of Political Communication: The Constitutional Protection of Judgment on Australia’s Judges, 17 PUBLIC LAW REVIEW 5 (2006)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Lacking Liberty: Quasi-Punishment and the Failure of Substantive Due Process (with Robert J. Smith) (for submission in February 2018)

The Impact of Religious Interest Group Amicus Briefs on Supreme Court Decision-Making (with Michele Margolis & Katherine Garceau)

Comparative Religious Institutionalism (book project)

Judicial Behavior in Australia: Exogenous and Endogenous Measures of Judicial Ideology (with Andrew Banfield and Shawn Trier)

A Foundational Study on the Impact of Gender on Judging in Australia (with Andrew Banfield)

Collegiality in Congress: A Study of the Effect of Sex on Interruptions and Censure in Congressional Debate (with Katrine Beauregard)

Comparative Religious Institutionalism (book project)

CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

Law, Religion, and the Family Unit, University of Illinois Law Review Symposium, co-sponsored by the Center for Church-State Studies, DePaul University College of Law (co-organizer with Robin Fretwell-Wilson) (Fall 2015)

The New Religious Institutionalism Conference, Center for Church-State Studies, DePaul College of Law (co-organizer with Micah Schwartzman & Chad Flanders) (September 2013)

Law, Religion, and Social Change Conference, Research School of Social Sciences, Australian National University (co-organizer with Adrienne Stone & Carolyn Evans) (May 2006)

AMICUS BRIEFS AND RELATED WORK

Brief of Constitutional Law Scholars in Support of Plaintiffs-Appellees and Affirmance in *International Refugee Assistance Project et al. v. Trump* (Supreme Court of the United States) (2017) (signatory)

Law Professors' Analysis of a Need for Legal Guidance and Policy-Making on Religious Exemptions Raised by Federal Contractors, Comment on Department of Justice's Office of Legal Counsel World Vision Memorandum (2016) (signatory)

Brief of Amici Curiae Law and Political Science Scholars in Support of Lamondre Tucker in Tucker v. Louisiana (Supreme Court of the United States) (2016) (signatory)

Brief of Amici Curiae Church-State Scholars in Support of the Government in Sebelius v. Hobby Lobby Stores, Inc. & Conestoga Wood Specialties Corp. v. Sebelius (Supreme Court of the United States) (2015) (signatory)

Brief of Amici Curiae Constitutional Law Professors in Support of Pat Quinn, Governor of Illinois in In Re Pension Reform Litigation (Illinois Supreme Court) (2015) (signatory)

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

“Religious Interest Groups and Democracy,” School of Politics and International Relations, Australian National University (October 2016)(invited)

“The Doctrine of Religious Institutionalism,” University of Texas, Austin Law School (November 2014)

“Constitutional Personhood,” Fifth Annual Constitutional Law Colloquium, Loyola University Chicago School of Law (November 2014)

“Constitutional Personhood,” University of Chicago Law School (August 2014)

“Constitutional Personhood,” Georgetown Law Center (May 2014)

“Lobbying in the Shadows: Religious Interest Groups in the Legislative Process,” Fifth Annual Religious Legal Theory Conference, Emory University Law School (invited presentation) (February 2014)

“Lobbying in the Shadows: Religious Interest Groups in the Legislative Process,” The New Religious Institutionalism Conference, Center for Church-State Studies, DePaul College of Law (September 2013)

“What is a ‘Religious Institution’?,” Third Annual Law and Religion Roundtable, Stanford Law School (June 2013)(invited)

“What is a ‘Religious Institution’?,” Joint Federalist Society/DePaul College of Law Scholarship Workshop (August 2012)(invited)

“What is a ‘Religious Institution’?,” DePaul Junior Faculty Scholarship Workshop (August 2012)

“The Impact of Ideology on Structural Judicial Review,” University of Chicago Legal Scholarship Workshop (November 2010)(invited)

“Westminster Exceptionalism? Judicial Ideology and Judging in Westminster Legal Systems,” University of Chicago Conference on Governance and Power (October 2010)(invited)

“Rationalizing Religious Exemptions: A Legislative Process Theory of Statutory Exemptions for Religion,” University of Chicago Legal Scholarship Workshop (June 2008)(invited)

“The High Court and Religion,” conference presentation at the Law, Religion, and Social Change conference, Australian National University (May 30, 2006)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Constitutional law and theory, comparative constitutional law, law and politics, institutional behavior, institutional design, race and law, public choice theory, behavioral realism, implicit bias, applied human rights, comparative judicial behaviour, constitutional design

TEACHING INTERESTS

Current Courses: Constitutional Law, Law and Religion, Torts, Comparative Human Rights, various theses supervision

Other Courses: Political Institutions, U.S. Courts as Political Institutions, Lobbying and the Law, Judicial Behaviour, Law and Politics, The Politics of Constitutional Law, Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Comparative Law, Legality and Morality of the Death Penalty, Comparative Law

ADDITIONAL RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Sidley Austin, LLP, Chicago, Illinois
Summer Associate (offer extended), Summer 2008

Australian National University, College of Law, Canberra, Australia
Adjunct Lecturer, January 2005 – July 2006

- Courses taught include constitutional law, and legal theory

Australian National University, Jabal Indigenous Student Center, Canberra, Australia
Adjunct Lecturer, 2000-2006

- Courses taught include constitutional law, administrative law, legal theory, civil procedure

Australian National University, Research School of Social Sciences and College of Law, Canberra, Australia
Research Assistant, 2001-2003

- Researched for various academics including Professors Jane Stapleton, Peter Cane, Sarah Harding, and Leslie Zines

SERVICE

University

DePaul University Cross-College Collaboration Task Force (2015-current)
 DePaul University Committee on Research Policy (2014-current)
 DePaul University Grade Review Board (2011-current)
 DePaul University Faculty Council Alternate (2012-2013)

College of Law

DePaul College of Law, Tenure Committee (for various junior faculty) (2015-current)
 DePaul College of Law, Strategic Planning Committee (Chair) (2015-current)
 DePaul College of Law, Student Services Committee (Chair) 2014-2015)
 DePaul College of Law, Faculty Appointments Committee (2010-2013, 2014-2015)
 DePaul College of Law, Admissions Committee (2012-2014, 2016-current)
 DePaul College of Law, Church-State Advisory Board (Chair) (2009-2016)
 DePaul College of Law, Health Law Institute Committee (2013-2014)
 DePaul College of Law, Admissions Policy Sub-Committee (2012-2014)
 DePaul College of Law, LRAP Committee (2009-current)
 DePaul College of Law, Public Interest Law Committee (2010-2014)
 DePaul College of Law, Moot Court Coach (2009-current)
 DePaul College of Law, Minority Student Mentor (2009-current)
 DePaul College of Law, Externship Supervisor (2009-current)
 DePaul College of Law, Programs Committee (2011-2012)
 DePaul College of Law, International Human Rights Committee (2010-2011)
 DePaul College of Law, Law Review Advisory Board (2009-2010)

External

American Law Schools Association, Section on Law and Religion Executive Committee, Nominations Chair (2015-2016)
 University of Chicago School of Law, 1L Women's Mentor (2012-current)
 University of Chicago School of Law, Alumni Admissions Mentor (2008-2010)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Law and Economics Association, Society for Empirical Legal Studies, American Political Science Association

REFEREES

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