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Current Employment

Sept. 2023 - **Associate Professor**, *Fordham Law School*, New York, NY

Education

2020 **PhD, Jurisprudence & Social Policy**, *University of California, Berkeley*, Berkeley, CA

2022 **JD**, *Yale Law School*, New Haven, CT

2014 **BA in Political Science & History**, *Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey*, New Brunswick, NJ

Experience

Sept. 2021 - **Research Fellow**, *Information Law Institute* - *New York University*, New York, NY
August 2023

June 2020 - **Postdoctoral Scholar/Lecturer**, *Social Science D-Lab* - *UC Berkeley*, Berkeley, CA
August 2021

May 2021 - **Visiting Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, *Center for Law & Economics* - *ETH Zurich*, Zurich, Switzerland
August 2021

June 2019 - **Technology Policy Legislative Analyst**, *GitHub*, San Francisco, CA
August 2019

May 2018 - **Data Science for Social Good Fellow**, *The University of Chicago*, Chicago, IL
August 2018

May 2017 - **Google Public Policy Fellow**, *Engine*, San Francisco, CA
August 2017

Publications

Aniket Kesari, Mauro Luzzatto, Stefan Bechtold, and Elliott Ash. *explainy: A Toolkit for Legal-XAI* International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Law (forthcoming, 2025)

Travis Breaux, Aniket Kesari, Tom Norton, Sarah Santos, Anmol Singhal. *From Legal Text to Tech Specs: Generative AI's Interpretation of Privacy Law* International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Law (forthcoming, 2025)

Aniket Kesari and Mark Verstraete. *The Causal Roots of Legitimate Lending* Iowa Law Review (forthcoming, 2025)

Erik Stallman and Aniket Kesari. *Federal Open Data As An Artificial Intelligence Resource* George Washington Journal of Law & Technology (2025)

Elliott Ash, Aniket Kesari, Suresh Naidu, Lena Song, Dominik Stammbach. *Translating Legalese Enhancing Public Understanding of Court Opinions with Legal Summarizers* 3rd ACM Symposium on Computer Science and Law (2024)

Aniket Kesari. *Do Data Breach Notification Laws Work?*, New York University Journal of Legislation & Public Policy (2024)

Aniket Kesari, Jae Yeon Kim, Sono Shah, Taylor Brown, Tiago Ventura, Tina Brown. *A Three-Step Guide to Training Computational Social Science Ph.D. Students for Academic and Non-Academic Careers* PS: Political Science & Politics (2023)

Amit Haim and Aniket Kesari. *Image Analysis Approach to Trademark Congestion and Depletion*, International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Law (2023)

Aniket Kesari. *Do Data Breach Notification Laws Deter Medical Identity Theft? Evidence from Consumer Complaint Data*. *Journal of Empirical Legal Studies* (2022)

Aniket Kesari. *The Privacy-Fairness-Accuracy Frontier: A Computational Law & Economics Toolkit for Making Algorithmic Tradeoffs*. *2nd ACM Symposium on Computer Science and Law* (2022)

Aniket Kesari. *Predicting Cybersecurity Incidents With Machine Learning and Mandatory Disclosure Regulation*. 2022 Illinois Journal of Law, Technology, and Policy 58 (2022) (peer reviewed).

Jae Yeon Kim and Aniket Kesari. *Misinformation and Hate Speech: The Case of Anti-Asian Hate Speech During the COVID-19 Pandemic*. 1 Journal of Online Trust and Safety 1 (2021).

Sonia Katyal and Aniket Kesari. *Trademark Search, Artificial Intelligence and the Role of the Private Sector*. 35 Berkeley Technology L. J. 501 (2021).

J. Caldeira, A. Fout, A. Kesari, R. Sefala et. al. *Improving Traffic Safety Through Video Analysis in Jakarta, Indonesia*. arXiv:1812.01106v1, Dec. 2018.

○ Winner of a **Highlighted Paper Award** at the Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) AI for Social Good Workshop

Chris Hoofnagle, Aniket Kesari, and Aaron Perzanowski. *The Tethered Economy*. 87 Geo. Wash. L. Rev. 783. (2019).

Aniket Kesari, Chris Hoofnagle, and Damon McCoy. *Detering Cybercrime: Focus on Intermediaries*. 32(3) Berkeley Technology L. J. 1093 (2017).

Malcolm Feeley and Aniket Kesari. *Federalism as Compared to What?* Jus Politicum (2017)

Milton Heumann et. al. *Public Perceptions of Whistleblowing*. Journal of Public Integrity (2016).

Working Papers

Aniket Kesari and Jae Yeon Kim. *Privacy Law Diffusion Across U.S. State Legislatures*

Aniket Kesari and Elliott Ash. *What goes on in the Courtroom? Audiovisual Analysis of 9th Circuit Oral Arguments*

Aniket Kesari. *The Consumer Review Fairness Act and the Reputational Sanctions Market*

Aniket Kesari. *Dude Where's My Weed? How Zoning Threatens the Marijuana Industry*

Teaching

Professor (Fordham)

- Torts (Fall [2023, 2024] Law)
- Law & Technology Survey (Spring 2024, Law)
- Cybersecurity (Spring 2025, Law)

Lecturer (Berkeley)

- [Computational Social Science](#) (Fall/Spring 2020-2021, Graduate)
- Computer Programming for Lawyers (Spring 2021, Law, Non-Instructional Support Role)

Graduate Student Instructor/Teaching Assistant (Berkeley)

- Human Contexts and the Ethics of Data (Fall 2018)
- [Law, Data Science, & Prediction](#) (Spring 2018 & Spring 2019)
- Introductory Statistics (Fall 2017, Graduate)
- Law & Economics I (Fall 2016)
- Law & Economics II (Summer 2016)

Short Courses/Workshops

- Law & Data Science [Conference on Empirical Legal Studies Machine Learning and Text Analysis Workshop 2023](#), Brazil [Conference on Empirical Legal Studies Causal Inference with Brazilian Court Data 2024](#), [Max Planck Institute Summer School Machine Learning, Text Analysis, Computational Audiovisual Analysis 2024](#)
- R: [Fundamentals](#), Data Wrangling ([Intermediate](#) and [Advanced](#)), [Visualization](#), [Machine Learning](#), [Deep Learning](#), [Functional Programming](#), Clinical Deep Learning for Electronic Health Records
- Python: [Fundamentals](#), [Pandas](#), [Visualization](#), [Machine Learning](#), [Deep Learning](#), [Text Analysis](#)
- Other: [GitBash](#), [Fairness in Machine Learning](#), [JSP Math Camp for First-Year PhD Students \(2015/2016\)](#), [International Conference on Computational Social Science Tutorial on Academic and Non-Academic Careers \(2024\)](#)

Awards/Scholarships/Research Grants

Fordham Faculty Fellowship

\$5500 award to support early-stage faculty scholarship.

Berkeley Law, Economics, and Politics Center Research Fellowship

\$6000 award to support dissertation research in law and the social sciences.

Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award

Award given to the top 10% of Graduate Student Instructors at UC Berkeley.

Presentations

explainy: A Toolkit for Legal-XAI

- International Conference on AI and Law, Chicago, IL, June 2025

From Legal Text to Tech Specs

- International Conference on AI and Law, Chicago, IL, June 2025

Opinions on Opinions

- Hong Kong University Law & Tech Workshop, Hong Kong, March 2025

Translating Legalese: Enhancing Public Understanding of Court Opinions with Legal Summarizers

- Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Atlanta, GA, November 2024
- Insper Faculty Workshop, Sao Paulo, Brazil, June 2024
- Online Workshop on the Computational Analysis of Law, May 2024
- 3rd ACM Symposium on Computer Science and Law, Boston, MA, March 2024
- Columbia Law & Economics Workshop, New York, NY March 2024
- Fordham Faculty Workshop, New York, NY February 2024

A Legal Framework for eXplainable AI

- Emory AI Roundtable, Atlanta, GA (April 2024)
- NYU in Buenos Aires: The Challenges and Opportunities of Big Tech, Machine Learning, and AI: Implications for Regulation, Privacy, and Democracy, Buenos Aires, Argentina (May 2024)
- Mapping and Governing the Online World, Ascona, Switzerland, June 2024
- NYU Privacy Research Group, New York, NY, November 2023

"Right to Yelp Laws" and the Reputational Sanctions Market

- Mapping and Governing the Online World, Ascona, Switzerland, June 2024
- George Mason University Privacy Economics Program Roundtable, Arlington, VA, February 2024
- Consumer Law Scholars Conference, Berkeley, CA, February 2024

Do Data Breach Notification Laws Work?

- Cybersecurity Law and Policy Scholars Conference, Minneapolis, MN, Sept. 2022
- Berkeley Center for Long-Term Cybersecurity Workshop on Comparing Effects and Responses to CCPA and GDPR, Berkeley, CA, July 2022
- Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Charlottesville, VA, Nov. 2022

Do Data Breach Notification Laws Deter Medical Identity Theft? Evidence from Consumer Complaints

- Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, March 2022
- Privacy Law Scholars Conference, June 2021

What Goes On in the Courtroom? Audiovisual Analysis of 9th Circuit Oral Arguments (with Elliott Ash and Christoph Goessman)

- Cardozo Metropolitan Junior Scholars Workshop, New York, NY, September 2024
- Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Chicago, IL, October 2023
- Online Workshop on the Computational Analysis of Law, March 2022

Privacy Law Diffusion Across U.S. State Legislatures (with Jae Yeon Kim)

- Berkeley Center for Long-Term Cybersecurity Workshop on Comparing Effects and Responses to CCPA and GDPR, June 2021
- Junior Law and Politics Forum, June 2021

Predicting Cybersecurity Incidents Through Mandatory Disclosure Regulation

- Association for Computing Machinery Inaugural Symposium on Computer Science and Law, New York, NY, Oct. 2019
- ETH Zurich: Conference on Law and Data Science, Zurich, Switzerland, June 2019

The Tethered Economy (with Chris Hoofnagle and Aaron Perzanowski)

- Yale Information Society Project: (Im)Perfect Enforcement, New Haven, CT, April 2019

Improving Traffic Safety Through Video Analysis in Jakarta, Indonesia (with Joao Caldeira, Alex Fout, and Raesetje Sefala)

- Neural Information Processing Systems AI For Social Good Workshop, Montreal, Quebec, Dec. 2018

Service

Co-Organizer, 3rd Conference on Data Science & Law (August 5-6, 2025), Fordham Law

Organizer, Cardozo-Fordham Junior Scholars Conference (September 2025)

Member, Data Analytics Committee 2024-2025, Fordham Law

Co-Organizer, 2nd Conference on Data Science & Law (July 31 - Aug 1, 2023), Fordham Law

Member, Faculty Appointments Committee, Fordham Law [2023-2024, 2024-2025, 2025-2026]

1L House Leader, Fordham Law [2023-2024, 2024-2025]

Co-Chair, Scholastic Development for Junior Scholars, 3rd and 4th ACM Symposia on Computer Science and Law [2024, 2025]

Programming

R, Python

GitHub, Bash, SQL, LaTeX