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## **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

2012- University of Iowa

Associate Professor of Law (pre-tenure)

Adjunct Associate Professor of Political Science (by courtesy)

### **EDUCATION**

2012 Stanford University

Ph.D. in Political Science

2000 Harvard University

J.D.

1997 California State University

B.A. in Political Science

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Book**

THE RULE OF LAW IN THE REAL WORLD (Cambridge University Press)

### **Peer-Reviewed Articles**

2015	"What the Laws Demand of Socratesand of Us", <i>The Monist</i> 98(4):360-374
2014	"Institutional Values, or How to Say What Democracy Is", <i>Southwest Philosophy Review</i> 30(1):235-242
2014	"Institutional Corruption and the Rule of Law", Les Ateliers de l'Ethique/The Ethics Forum 9(1):84-102
2014	"Market Unfreedom", <i>Critical Review</i> 26(3-4): 306-347 (peer-edited, invited contribution, not blind reviewed)

2013	"Death and Taxes in NFIB v. Sebelius", Public Affairs Quarterly 27(3):243-266
2013	"The Rule of Law and Equality", Law & Philosophy 32(5):565-618
2006	"Secrecy as Mystification of Power: Meaning and Ethics in the Security State", <i>I/S: A Journal of Law and Policy for the Information Society</i> 2(1):1-26 (supported by the Century Foundation; reprinted in Maret and Goldman, eds., Understanding Government Secrecy: Classic and Contemporary Readings)

# Law Journal Articles

2016	"Democratic Paternalism, not Libertarian Paternalism", <i>Georgetown Journal of Law and Public Policy</i> (forthcoming)
2016	"Transnational Litigation as a Prisoner's Dilemma", North Carolina Law Review 94(3):751-816 (co-author with Maya Steinitz)
2015	"The Rule of Law Against Sovereign Immunity in a Democratic State", <i>Texas Law Review See Also</i> 93:247-262 (online law review commentary)
2015	"Critical Race Science and Critical Race Philosophy of Science", Fordham Law Review 83(6):3155-3177 (invited contribution)
2015	"Racial Classification and Ascriptive Injury", Washington University Law Review 92(2):325-396
2014	"Equal Law in an Unequal World", <i>Iowa Law Review</i> 99:1021-1081
2014	"Democracy, Solidarity and the Rule of Law: Lessons from Athens", <i>Buffalo Law Review</i> 62(1):1-67
2014	"The Countermajoritarian Complaint", <i>Transnational Law and Contemporary Problems</i> 23:7-33 (invited contribution)
2006	"Quasi-Public Executives", <i>Yale Law Journal</i> 115(9):2254-2278 (co-author with K.A.D. Camara)
1998	"Remote Purchasing and Fundamental Fairness: The Sales and Use Tax Equalization Act", <i>Harvard Journal on Legislation</i> 35:537-559 (major contributor within Harvard Legislative Research Bureau)

## **Book Chapters**

- 2015 "Trust and Commitment: How Athens Rebuilt the Rule of Law", pp. 225-236 in Corradetti, Eiskovits, and Rotondi, eds. *Theorizing Transitional Justice* (Ashgate)
- "The Health Insurance Mandate Really is a Tax, and That's a Good Thing Too", pp. 103-116 in Allhoff and Hall, eds. *The Affordable Care Act Decision: Philosophical and Legal Implications* (Routledge) (lightly revised adaptation of 'Death and Taxes in NFIB v. Sebelius')

## **Miscellany**

2016	The Rule of Law, entry in Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science
2014	Procedural Due Process: the Missing Casebook Chapter, open access casebook chapter, released on SSRN
2014	The Rule of Law, entry in Sage Encyclopedia of Criminal Justice Ethics
2013	The Serious Point, a micro-contribution to the Green Bag/Journal of Law micro-symposium on Orin Kerr's "Theory of Law"
2009	"Shopping Malls and the First Amendment," "Masson v. New Yorker Magazine," and "Pruneyard Shopping Center v. Robins", entries in Schultz, ed., Encyclopedia of the United States Constitution (Facts on File)
2008	"Noerr-Pennington Doctrine," "Pruneyard Shopping Center v. Robins," and "Amalgamated Food Employees Union Local 590 v. Logan Valley Plaza, Inc", entries in Hudson, Schultz and Vile, eds., Encyclopedia of the First Amendment, (Congressional Quarterly Press)
1999	Book Note: Losing the Vote, the Impact of Prisoner Disenfranchisement, 12 Harvard Human Rights Journal 399 (student book note)
1999	Book Note: Data Smog/The Transparent Society, 12 Harvard Journal of Law and Technology 513 (student book note)
1999	Recent Developments: Antitrust, 27 Journal of Law, Medicine, and Ethics 278 (student comment)

# **GRANTS, AWARDS AND HONORS**

2014-5	Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, NJ: Member (School of Social Science)
2014-5	Law and Public Affairs Program, Princeton University (LAPA/Perkins Fellow, offered but declined)
2014-5	Edmond J. Safra Center for Ethics, Harvard University: Network Fellow
2014	Montreal Political Theory Manuscript Award, Groupe de recherche interuniversitaire en philosophie politique de Montreal (for The Rule of Law in the Real World)
2011-2	Geballe Dissertation Prize Fellowship, Stanford University
2008-11	Gerhard Casper Stanford Graduate Fellowship
2008-9	Philanthropy and Civil Society Fellowship, Stanford University
1998	Williston Contracts Competition (first place), Harvard Law School

## **PRESENTATIONS**

## **Invited Talks**

2016	The Rule of Law in the Real World (practitioner-oriented book presentation): American Bar Association, Rule of Law Initiative
2015	Democratic Paternalism, not Libertarian Paternalism: Georgetown University McDonough School of Business, Symposium on Nudging
2015	Democratic Rule of Law Reform, Circa 403 B.C.E.: Stanford University, Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies and Stanford Law School
2015	General Will, Causality, Equality: Georgetown University, McDonough School of Business
2015	Thinking Aloud About Vulnerability and Policy: American Association of Law Schools Midyear Meeting, Workshop on Next Generation Issues on Sex, Gender and the Law (plenary session)

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2015	What the Laws Demand of Socratesand of Us: Stanford University, Political Theory Workshop
2014	Critical Race Science Studies?: Fordham Law Review symposium on critical race theory and empirical methods
2014	Racial Classification and Ascriptive Injury: Loyola University Chicago School of Law faculty workshop
2014	Underprotection, Domination, and Group-Subordinating Violence: Cardozo Law School Conference on Republicanism and Criminal Law
2014	What the Laws Demand of Socratesand of Us: Loyola University New Orleans School of Law faculty workshop
2014	What the Laws Demand of Socratesand of Us: Princeton University, Law and Public Affairs seminar
2013	How Demanding is Occupational Liberty?: Annual Meeting of the American Philosophical Association., Pacific Division (invited commentary on Tomasi, Free Market Fairness)

## **Conference Presentations**

2016	The Rule of Law in the Real World: Loyola Constitutional Law Colloquium
2016	Scalia, Equality, Rule of Law: Southeast Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting
2015	Heaven Save Us From Legal Heroes: American Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting, Law and Humanities Section
2015	What the Laws Demand of Socratesand of Us: American Society for Legal History
2014	The Rule of Law in the Real World (two book MS chapters): Culp Colloquium at Duke Law School
2014	A Respect-Centered Sex Discrimination Jurisprudence: Southeast Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting
2014	An Islamic Rule of Law: Mid-Atlantic People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference

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2014	Racial Classification and Ascriptive Injury: John Mercer Langston Conference
2014	Racial Classification and Ascriptive Injury: Mid-Atlantic Law and Society Association Annual Meeting
2014	Racial Classification and Ascriptive Injury: Midwest People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference
2013	Equal Law in an Unequal World: Arizona State University Legal Scholars Workshop
2013	Equal Law in an Unequal World: Mid-Atlantic People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference
2013	Equal Law in an Unequal World: Sharing Scholarship, Building Teachers Development Workshop at Albany Law School
2013	Equal Law in an Unequal World: Southeast/Southwest People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference
2013	Institutional Values, or How to Say What Democracy Is: Southwestern Philosophical Society
2013	The Countermajoritarian Complaint: American Political Science Association
2013	The People's Will and the People's Laws: American Political Science Association
2013	The People's Will and the People's Laws: Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association
2013	The People's Will and the People's Laws: Association for Political Theory
2013	The People's Will and the People's Laws: Loyola Constitutional Law Colloquium
2013	The People's Will and the People's Laws: Midwest People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference
2013	The Rule of Law Will Not Set You Free: Midwest Law and Economics Association
2012	Death and Taxes in NFIB v. Sebelius: Medical Humanities Conference, Western Michigan University

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2012	Democracy, Solidarity, and the Rule of Law: Lessons from Athens: Big Ten Conference for Untenured Scholars, Indiana University Maurer School of Law
2012	Equal Law in an Unequal World: Classcrits V, University of Wisconsin, Madison
2012	Equal Law in an Unequal World: Washington University Regional Junior Faculty Workshop
2012	The Countermajoritarian Complaint: Loyola Constitutional Law Colloquium
2012	Violence and Inequality: The Liberal Critique of Domination: Western Political Science Association
2010	Para-Ideal Theory and the Strategic Justification of Democracy: Canadian Political Science Association
2010	Para-Ideal Theory and the Strategic Justification of Democracy: Democracy as Idea and Practice Conference, University of Oslo
2010	When does the Rule of Law Persist? A Strategic Model of Institutional Endurance: Midwest Law and Economics Association
2009	Don't be Afraid, the Clown's Afraid Too: Deliberation, Participation, Tolerance and Fear: Association for Political Theory
2009	Making Space for Rosa Parks: Democratic Authorship as Political Autonomy: Public Reason Political Philosophy Podcast Symposium
2009	Strategic Morality and Para-Ideal Theory: Graduate Conference in Political Philosophy, University of Pavia

# **Campus Talks**

2015	Corruption and the Transnational Litigation Prisoner's Dilemma (Co-Author with Maya Steinitz): Iowa Legal Studies Workshop
2015	General Will, Causality, Equality: Institute for Advanced Study, School of Social Science
2015	The Logic of Coordination/The Logic of Commitment (book MS chapters): Institute for Advanced Study, School of Social ScienceEgalitarianism Workshop

2014	Racial Classification and Ascriptive Injury: Iowa Legal Studies Workshop
2012	Equal Law in an Unequal World: Iowa Legal Studies Workshop
2012	The Countermajoritarian Complaint: Annual Meeting of the American Society for Comparative Law (hosted at Iowa)
2012	The Countermajoritarian Complaint: University of Iowa Food for Thought Speaker Series
2010	The Oligarch, the Miser, and the Capitalist: Plato, Kant, and Marx on the Psychology and Politics of the Money-Hungry: Stanford Ethics and Politics, Ancient and Modern Workshop

## **TEACHING**

## **University of Iowa**

2016-	Torts (Fall 2016)
2015-	Constitutional Law IStructure (Spring 2016, continuing)
2015-6	Policy Lab (yearlong)
2012-4	Professional Responsibility (Spring 2013, Spring 2014)
2012-	Constitutional Law IIIndividual Rights (Fall 2012, Spring 2014, Fall 2015, Fall 2016, continuing)

## **Stanford University**

Lead Instructor

2010-2 Educational Program for Gifted Youth, Stanford University "Topics in Political Science" (Summer 2010-2012 at Stanford, Spring 2011 through Singapore Honors Academy)

## Teaching Assistant

2008	"Corruption" research seminar, under Lawrence Lessig
2008	"Introduction to Global Justice," under Helena de Bres and Avia Pasternak
2008	"Philosophical Issues Concerning Race and Racism," under Debra Satz
2007	"Introduction to Political Philosophy," under Nadeem Hussein

# **NON-ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

2004-6	Victor M. Glasberg & Associates, Attorney (civil rights/liberties practice)
2001-3	Oregon Law Center, Attorney (low-income legal services practice)
1999	American Civil Liberties Union of the National Capital Area, Summer Law Clerk

## **SERVICE**

## **University Service**

## University of Iowa

2015-	Service on one S.J.D. committee, and (2016-) adviser to another
2016-	Faculty Advisor, Black Law Students Association
2016-	Faculty Advisor, American Constitution Society Student Chapter
2016-7	Member, Diversity Committee
2016-7	Member, Honors and Awards Committee
2015-6	Chair, Speakers Committee
2014, 6	Faculty Advisor, AAI Moot Court Problem Creation

2012-4 Member, Speakers Committee

2012-6 Judge, AAI Moot Court

#### Stanford University

2010-11	Graduate Admissions Committee, Department of Political Science
2008	Graduate Organizer, Political Theory Workshop

2008 Graduate Organizer (interim), Global Justice Workshop

2008 Chair, Ad Hoc Graduate Incentives Committee, Political

2008 Science Graduate Students Association

2007-8 Social Chair, Political Science Graduate Students Association

#### Harvard University

1999-2000 Public Relations Chair, Student Public Interest Network

1997-8 Tenant Advocacy Project

## **Disciplinary Service**

2016	Reviewer, Oxford University Press
2016	Reviewer, McGill University Press
2016	Reviewer, British Journal of Political Science
2015, 6	Reviewer, Cambridge University Press
2015	Reviewer, Columbia University Press
2015	Reviewer, South Carolina Law Review
2015	Reviewer, Journal of Legal Analysis
2014, 6	Reviewer, European Journal of Political Theory

2014 Reviewer, International Journal of Law and Economics

2013-4 Reviewer, Journal of Politics

# **Community Service and Outreach**

2016-	Member, Iowa City Telecommunications Commission
2016	Panelist: 'Family Law', Iowa LGBT Rural Summit (USDA/National Center for Lesbian Rights/Drake Law School)
2016	Presentation, 'Loving v. Virginia,' African-American Museum of Iowa/Cedar Rapids Public Library
2015	Presentation, 'The Leadership Rationale,' The Past, Present, & Future of Diversity and Inclusion Within the Central Iowa Legal Community
2014	Presentation, Voting Rights in the United States: Iowa Interfaith Alliance, Intersections speaker series
2014	Panelist, Ethical Perspectives on the News: KCRG TV (discussing religion and public life, Hobby Lobby, etc.)
2014	Editorial, "Court Moves Toward Death for Contraceptive Coverage": Des Moines Register,
2015, 6	Guest blogger, Prawfsblawg
2013	Guest blogger, Concurring Opinions
2012	Editorial: "Independent Judiciary": Cedar Rapids Gazette (with Nicholas Johnson)
2010	Presentation: The Law and Ethics of Farm Worker Internships, Cultivating Food Justice Conference
2005	Editorial: "A Naked Assault on the Public and Courts": Oregon State Bar Journal
2001-3	Executive Board Member, Oregon Rural Action

### **Human Languages**

Attic Greek (basic reading level)

#### **Computer Languages**

Python (intermediate), R (intermediate), Clojure (intermediate), Javascript (rudimentary)

Ph.D.

Dissertation: An Egalitarian Theory of the Rule of Law

Ph.D. Fields: Major: Political Theory, Political Institutions

Minor: American Politics

Bars:

Louisiana, Massachusetts, Oregon, Virginia (none currently active/eligible to practice)

Other:

Research Assistant to Lawrence Lessig (2006-8, 1999), and to Richard Sobel (1998)