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PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

University of South Carolina School of Law, Columbia, SC

Professor of Law, 2012 – Present

Associate Professor of Law, 2009 – 2012; Assistant Professor of Law, August 2004 – 2009

Courses Taught: Civil Procedure (I & II); Transnational Law (Intro. to International Law); Transnational Dispute Resolution (London Maymester); International Litigation.

Teach, research, and publish in areas of international law and civil procedure. Speak to local, national, and international groups regularly on these and related issues. Active in both department- and University-level governance. Regular commentator on foreign affairs news and crises for Columbia-area media outlets.

University of South Carolina School of Law, Columbia, SC

Director, Rule of Law Collaborative, July 2014 – Present

Deputy Director, Rule of Law Collaborative, February 2011 – June 2014

As Director, have built the Collaborative into one of the three leading academic centers in the United States focused on rule of law issues around the world. Have increased programming more than eight times, staff by four times, and annual budget more than ten-fold. Developed strategic plan, created first-ever advisory board, and have been involved in fundraising both for programming and for a new Center home, raising more than \$3 million in private donations and over \$5 million in grant funding in less than three years. Also actively involved in program delivery through trainings and symposia.

University of Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, MI

Visiting Professor, December 2002 – May 2004, Winter 2012, W 2013, W 2014, W 2015.

Courses Taught: Civil Procedure, International Arbitration, International Litigation.

Covington & Burling, Washington, DC

Associate, November 2000 - September 2002

Involved in litigation and arbitration matters involving Turkey, Chile, Peru and Argentina. Assisted in drafting Eritrean memorial in Eritrea-Ethiopia boundary dispute arbitration. Drafted Civil Service Code for Eritrea. Advised client on status of Western Sahara.

Honorable Barry Ted Moskowitz, United States District Court, San Diego, CA

Law Clerk, August 1999 - August 2000

Assisted in drafting dispositive and procedural orders for civil cases. Researched legal issues for criminal cases. Participated in sittings on the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals.

The World Bank, Office of Vice President for Africa, Washington, DC

Senior Research Associate, September 1995 - July 1996

Helped draft *Initiative for Capacity Building in Africa*. Organized and participated in consultative workshops across sub-Saharan Africa. Prepared comprehensive review of efficacy of capacity building components in all World Bank projects in Africa.

The World Bank/African Capacity Building Foundation (ACBF), Harare, Zimbabwe

Senior Research Assistant, July 1994 - August 1995

Coordinated outreach activities in English and French. Prepared occasional papers, and organized conferences across Africa. Assisted in project design and supervision.

EDUCATION

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

Bachelor of Arts *magna cum laude* in Political Science, June 1994

Certificates in Russian Studies and European Cultural Studies

Senior Thesis: Constitution-Making as the Cornerstone of Democracy: Russia's Constitutional Assembly and the Making of the New Russian Constitution

Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies, Washington, DC

Intensive graduate Russian language courses in political and economic terminology, Summer 1991

University of Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, MI

Juris Doctor, *cum laude*, May 1999

Master of Arts, Russian and East European Studies, May 2003

SELECTED UNIVERSITY, COMMUNITY AND BOARD SERVICE

- Batonga Foundation, Cotonou, Benin & Washington, DC, Board of Directors, 2017-Present.
- Maxcy Faculty Fellow, Carolina International House, Univ. of South Carolina, 2017-Present.
- Historic Congressional Cemetery Assoc., Washington, DC, Board of Directors, 2016-Present.
- SC Appleseed Legal Justice Center, Columbia, SC, Board of Directors, 2015-Present.
- Sexual Trauma Services of the Midlands, Columbia, SC, Board of Directors, 2015-Present.
- USC School of Law Public Interest Law Society, Faculty Advisor, 2007-Present.
- USC Center for Russian and East European Studies, Advisory Board, 2005-Present.
- USC Walker Institute for International and Area Studies, Advisory Board, 2005-Present.
- USC School of Law International Law Society, Faculty Advisor, 2004-Present.
- USC School of Law Journal of International Law & Business, Faculty Advisor, 2004-2017.
- Columbia World Affairs Council, Columbia, SC, Board of Directors, 2006-2016.
- USC Faculty Athletics Advisory Committee, Member and Chair, 2009-2012.
- Columbia QuadSquad Roller Derby, Columbia, SC, Board of Directors, 2008-2011.
- USC Faculty Welfare Committee, Member, 2006-2008.
- Career Gear, Washington, DC, Board of Directors, 2000-2004.

MAJOR CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

- Rebuilding Sierra Leone: Changing Institutions and Culture (2011) – Columbia, SC
- Corruption, Transparency, and the Rule of Law (2013) – Columbia, SC
- Rule of Law and the Environment: Rights, Resources and Governance (2016) – Washington, DC
- Lessons from the Field: Innovations in Rule of Law Programming (2016) – Washington, DC
- Youth and the Rule of Law in Sub-Saharan Africa (2017) – Cape Town, South Africa
- Modern Constitution Making (2017) – Columbia, SC
- Bridging the Divide: African American Communities & Law Enforcement (2017) – Columbia, SC

BOOKS AND ARTICLES

SOUTH CAROLINA CIVIL PROCEDURE, 4th ed. (S.C. Bar forthcoming 2018) (with Colin Miller).

Initial Reflections on an Interdisciplinary Approach to Rule of Law Studies, 8 LAW & DEVT REV. 277 (2015) (with Aparna Polavarapu).

TRANSNATIONAL LAW: AN INTEGRATED APPROACH TO THE WORLD LEGAL ORDER (West Publishing, 2013) (with Mathias Reimann, et al.)

The Full Story of United States v. Smith, America's Most Important Piracy Case, 1 PENN. ST. J.L. & INT'L AFF. 320 (2012).

Dancing the Rumba: Federalism Reform in Russia Under Putin and Medvedev, in LEGITIMACY, LEGAL DEVELOPMENT & CHANGE: LAW & MODERNIZATION RECONSIDERED 383 (David K. Linnan ed., 2012).

How Piracy Has Shaped the Relationship Between American Law and International Law, 59 AM. U. L. REV. 1231 (June 2010).

When Is An Alternative Forum Available? Rethinking the Forum Non Conveniens Analysis, 85 INDIANA L. J. 1059 (Summer 2010).

U.S. Report on Commercial Arbitration – The Impact of Uniform Law on National Law: Limits and Possibilities, in A GLOBAL REVIEW OF UNIFORM LAW, VOLUME II, Instituto de Investigaciones Jurídicas, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (2009), available at http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=1394223 (with J. Kleinheisterkamp).

Condominium Arrangements in International Practice: Reviving an Abandoned Concept of International Boundary Dispute Resolution, 29 MICHIGAN J. INTL. L. 727 (2008).

Redrawing the Map: Lessons of Post-Colonial Boundary Dispute Resolution in Africa, in AFRICA: MAPPING NEW BOUNDARIES IN INTERNATIONAL LAW 227 (Jeremy I. Levitt ed., 2008).

SAMPLE OF SHORTER PUBLICATIONS

For Jerusalem, Shared Sovereignty, WASHINGTON POST, July 21, 2007, available at <http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2007/07/20/AR2007072001816.html>.

Russia: A Special Report on Competition Law, INT'L FINANCIAL L. REV., Sept. 1997, at 37 and *Competition Law in the Russian Federation*, EAST/WEST EXEC. GUIDE, Sept. 1997, at 25 (with B. Zimbler).

Additional articles in Russian periodicals, including MOSKOVSKIYE NOVOSTI, LITERATURNAYA GAZETA, and NOVOE VREMYA (1991-1994).

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL AWARDS

- Provost Academic Leadership Program, University of South Carolina, 2016-2017.
- Outstanding Faculty Member (Student Body Vote), University of South Carolina, 2016.
- Nominee, Mungo Graduate Teaching Award, University of South Carolina, 2007-2016.
- Academic Leadership Development Program (Southeastern Conference Academic Consortium) – One of four faculty on U.S.C. campus selected, 2011-12.
- Team Member, Rotary International Group Study Exchange – Chandigarh, India, 2010.
- Outstanding Faculty Service Award, University of South Carolina, 2009.
- Outstanding Faculty Member (Student Body Vote), University of South Carolina, 2007.
- Finalist, L. Hart Wright Professor of the Year, University of Michigan, 2004.

SELECTED STUDENT AWARDS

- Clarence Darrow Scholar (full tuition and stipend), University of Michigan, 1996-1999.
- Asher Hinds Prize in European Cultural Studies, Princeton University, May 1994.
- Caroline Picard Prize in Politics, Princeton University, May 1993.
- Montgomery Raiser Prize in Russian Studies, Princeton University, May 1993.

LANGUAGES

Fluent French; proficient Russian; basic Spanish.