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## CURRENT POSITION:

### University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA

*Professor of Law, August 2016-Present; Associate Professor of Law, August 2011-August 2016; Assistant Professor of Law, August 2007-August 2011*

*Courtesy Appointment, Department of International Affairs, School of Public & International Affairs, August 2021-Present*

*Courses:* Public International Law, International Trade, Foreign Affairs & National Security Law, Global Governance, International Business Transactions, International Human Rights, International Law Colloquium, International Criminal Law

*Service:* University Review Committee (2020-present), International and Graduate Programs Committee (2011-present), Faculty Recruitment Committee (2010-12, 2015-17), Faculty Seminars Committee (2007-09), Graduate Admissions Committee (2008-11), Academic/Student Affairs Committee (2009-10), Advisor, *Georgia Journal of International & Comparative Law* (2010-19, 2021-present), Advisor, *Jessup International Law Moot Court Team* (2009-present), Advisor, *Jewish Law Students Association* (2014-present)

## VISITING POSITIONS:

### New York University School of Law, New York, NY

*Senior Fellow, Institute for International Law and Justice, Fall 2018*

*Fellow and Adjunct Professor, Spring 2015, International Legal Theory Colloquium (co-taught with Benedict Kingsbury)*

### Georgia-Leuven Global Governance Summer School, Leuven, Belgium

*Professor, Summers 2017 and 2018*

### University College London, London, UK

*Visiting Scholar, May-June 2018*

### Bar Ilan University – Faculty of Law, Ramat Gan, Israel

*Visiting Professor, Fall 2013, The Evolution of International Adjudication (short course)*

### New York University School of Law, New York, NY

*Furman Fellow; Furman Program Coordinator, August 2005-July 2007*

## BOOKS:

INTERNATIONAL LAW AS BEHAVIOR (with Timothy Meyer eds., Cambridge University Press 2021).

LEGITIMACY AND INTERNATIONAL COURTS (with Nienke Grossman, Andreas Follesdal & Geir Ulfstein eds., Cambridge University Press 2018).

PROCEEDINGS OF THE 106<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW: CONFRONTING COMPLEXITY (with Chiara Giorgetti & Cymie Payne eds. 2013).

**ARTICLES &  
CHAPTERS:**

*Culture Clash: The Sociology of WTO Precedent*, in PRECEDENTS AS RULES AND PRACTICE (Nomos, Amalie Frese and Julius Schumann, eds. 2021).

*Metaphors of International Law*, in INTERNATIONAL LAW'S INVISIBLE FRAMES (Oxford University Press, Andrea Bianchi & Moshe Hirsch, eds. 2021).

*Nations and Markets*, 23 J. INT'L ECON L. 793 (2020).

- Winner of John H. Jackson Prize for article "that most significantly breaks new ground and adds new insights to the study and understanding of international economic law"

*What is International Trade Law For?*, 113 AM. J. INT'L L. 326 (2019);  
IILJ WORKING PAPER 2018/6 (MEGAREG SERIES) (2018).

*Multilateralism's Life-Cycle*, 112 AM. J. INT'L L. 47 (2018).

*A Politics-Reinforcing Political Question Doctrine*, 49 ARIZ. ST. L. J. 1 (2017).

*The Death of Deference and the Domestication of Treaty Law*, 2015 BYU L. REV. 1467 (2016).

*Theorizing Precedent in International Law*, in INTERPRETATION IN INTERNATIONAL LAW (Oxford University Press 2015).

*Formalism and Distrust: Foreign Affairs Law in the Roberts Court*, 83 GEO. WASH. L. REV. 380 (2015).

*International Precedent and the Practice of International Law*, in NEGOTIATING STATE AND NON-STATE LAW: THE CHALLENGE OF GLOBAL AND LOCAL LEGAL PLURALISM (Cambridge University Press 2015).

*International Law's Erie Moment*, 34 MICH. J. INT'L L. 249 (2013).

*Finding International Law, Part II: Our Fragmenting Legal Community*, 44 NYU J. INT'L L. & POL. 1049 (2012).

- Winner of the JILP Peer Review Award

*"Undead" Wartime Cases: Stare Decisis and the Lessons of History*, 84 TULANE L. REV. 957 (2010).

*Can International Law Work? A Constructivist Expansion*, 27 BERKELEY J. INT'L L. 636 (2009).

*Finding International Law: Rethinking the Doctrine of Sources*, 93 IOWA L. REV. 65 (2007).

*Supremacy and Diplomacy: The International Law of the U.S. Supreme Court*, 24 BERKELEY J. INT'L L. 273 (2006).

*The American Challenge to International Law: A Tentative Framework for Debate*, 28 YALE J. INT'L L. 551 (2003).

- Winner of Washington Foreign Law Society's Robert H. Jackson Prize

*The (Un)favorable Judgment of History: Deportation Hearings, the Palmer Raids, and the Meaning of History*, 78 N.Y.U. L. REV. 1431 (2003).

**SHORTER  
PUBLICATIONS:**

*Journeys Through Space and Time While Reading International Law and the Politics of History, Found on a Palimpsest, Translated for You, the Reader*, 36 TEMPLE INT'L & COMP. L. J. \_ (forthcoming 2022).

*Introduction to the Symposium on Gregory Shaffer, "Governing the Interface of U.S.-China Trade Relations,"* 116 AJIL UNBOUND 38 (2022).

*Are We (Americans) All International Legal Realists Now?*, in *WHITHER THE WEST?: CONCEPTS ON INTERNATIONAL LAW IN EUROPE AND THE UNITED STATES* (Cambridge University Press 2021).

*...and Trade*, 2019 U. ILL. L. REV. ONLINE 48 (2019).

*The Primitive Lawyer Speaks!: Thoughts on the Concepts of International and Rabbinic Laws*, 64 VILLANOVA L. REV. 665 (2019).

*The National Security Delegations Conundrum*, JUST SECURITY, July 17, 2019, available at: <https://www.justsecurity.org/64946/the-national-security-delegation-conundrum/>

*Book Review: Not Enough: Human Rights in an Unequal World: by Samuel Moyn*, 113 AM. J. INT'L L. 415 (April 2019).

*Introduction to the Symposium on Julian Nyarko, "Giving the Treaty a Purpose: Comparing the Durability of Treaties and Executive Agreements,"* 113 AJIL UNBOUND 169 (2019).

*International Order Between Governance and Contract*, PERRY WORLD HOUSE 2018 GLOBAL ORDER COLLOQUIUM PAPERS (2019).

*Fragmentation*, in *CONCEPTS FOR INTERNATIONAL LAW: CONTRIBUTIONS TO DISCIPLINARY THOUGHT* (Edward Elgar 2019).

*Zivotofsky II's Two Visions for Foreign Relations Law*, 109 AJIL UNBOUND 10 (2015).

*Claiming Control Over Foreign Relations Law: The Roberts Court's First Decade*, 109 AM. SOC. INT'L L. PROC. 42 (2015).

*International Law in a Time of Scarcity: An Introduction*, 42 GA. J. INT'L & COMP. L. 1 (2013).

*Lawyers and Precedent*, 46 VAND. J. TRANSNAT'L L. 1025 (2013).

*From Fragmentation to Constitutionalization* 25 PAC. MCGEORGE GLOBAL BUS. & DEV. L. J. 381 (2012).

*From International Law to International Conflicts of Law: The Fragmentation of Legitimacy*, 104 AM. SOC. INT'L L. PROC. 49 (2010).

*Historical American Perspectives on International Law*, 15 ILSA J. INT'L & COMP. L. 485 (2009).

*International Decision: Munaf v. Geren*, 102 AM. J. INT'L L. 854 (2008).

*1999 Turkish Elections: Background and Outlook*, in PEACEWATCH/ POLICYWATCH ANTHOLOGY 1999: THE MIDDLE EAST IN TRANSITION (Monica Neal Hertzman ed., 2000).

**WORKS IN  
PROGRESS:**

*Judicialization and Public Support for Compliance with International Commitments*

*International Law's Communities of Practice*

*Forgotten Experiments: American International Law in the Gilded Age*

**HONORS AND  
LEADERSHIP:**

*Board of Editors*, AMERICAN JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW (elected April 2017)

-*Editor*, International Decisions (March 2018-October 2020)

*Member*, American Law Institute (elected October 2013)

*Chair*, ASIL International Legal Theory Interest Group, (elected Spring 2020 to three-year term); *Vice-Chair* (2016-2020)

John H. Jackson Prize (for “the article or other contribution in the *JIEL* that most significantly breaks new ground and adds new insights to the study and understanding of international economic law”), JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW, July 2021

*Advisor*, State Bar of Georgia, International Trade in Legal Services Committee (appointed 2021)

*Member*, 2021-22 ASIL Honors Committee

*Member*, 2020-21 ASIL Program Committee

*Member*, 2017 ASIL Book Awards Committee

*Managing Editor*, AJIL UNBOUND (December 2014-May 2017)

*Executive Council*, American Society of International Law (elected Spring 2013 to three-year term)

*Editorial Board*, *ASIL Benchbook on International Law*, August 2014-present

*Co-Chair*, American Society of International Law – Southeast, 2012-2015

Peer Review Award (for most significant contribution by an emerging scholar), NYU Journal of International Law and Politics, August 2012

*Co-Chair*, 2012 Annual Meeting of the American Society of International Law

*Co-Chair*, Junior International Law Scholars Association, 2009-2011

*Program Committee*, 2011 Annual Meeting of the American Society of International Law

Justice Robert H. Jackson Prize (for best published student writing on a topic of international or foreign law), Washington Foreign Law Society, June 2004

Symposium Prize, Yale Journal of International Law Young Scholars Conference, March 2003

**GRANTS:**

*Center for International Trade and Security Seed Grant*, 2020 (with Ryan Powers)

*President's Interdisciplinary Seed Grant*, "Forecasting the Threats of Cyber-Attacks, Nations by Nation," Spring 2017 (with Amanda Murdie, Victor Asal, Kang Li, and Roberto Perdisci)

*Smith Richardson Grand Strategy Fellows Program Research Grant*, 2000

*Smith Richardson Fellowship Program Research Grant*, 2000

**PRESENTATIONS:**

*Presenter*, "The Court-Custom Paradox," Interpretation of Customary International Law: Interpretive Choices and the Role of Coherence, TRICI-Law, PluriCourts, and the University of Groningen, The Hague, Netherlands, December 3, 2021.

*Presenter*, "Legalization and Public Support for Compliance with International Commitments," ASIL Research Forum, Miami, FL, November 11-13, 2021.

*Presenter/Moderator*, "The Geopolitics of Economic Competition," American Branch of the International Law Association, International Law Weekend, New York, NY, October 28-30, 2021.

*Discussant*, National Security Junior Scholars Workshop, July 8, 2021.

*Presenter*, "The Sociology of WTO Precedent," Tel Aviv University International Law Colloquium, May 3, 2021.

*Presenter*, "The Sociology of WTO Precedent," Behavioural Approaches in International Law Workshop II, Hamburg University, April 22, 2021.

*Roundtable Participant*, "Reforming the National Security State," International Law Weekend South: "Democracy and Governance in the Internet Era," April 7, 2021.

*Keynote Lecturer*, "Nations and Markets," University of Trento School of International Studies, March 18, 2021.

*Presenter*, "The Sociology of WTO Precedent," Georgetown International Law Colloquium, Georgetown University Law Center, February 19, 2021.

*Panelist*, "Convergence of Economic and National Security Policy," Congressional Study Group on Foreign Relations and National Security, Brookings Institute, December 18, 2020.

*Discussant*, ASIL International Law in Domestic Courts Interest Group Annual Workshop, December 2, 2020.

*Presenter*, “The Sociology of WTO Precedent,” Behavioural Approaches in International Law Workshop, Leiden University, November 17, 2020.

*Panelist*, “The Future of Trade,” Center for the Advancement of the Rule of Law in the Americas (CAROLA), Georgetown Law, September 29, 2020.

*Presenter*, “Nations and Markets,” International Economic Law and Policy Seminar, July 23, 2020.

*Presenter*, “Nations and Markets,” UGA-Emory Faculty Workshop, July 20, 2020.

*Presenter*, “Nations and Markets,” ASIL International Economic Law Interest Group Biennial Conference, University of Miami School of Law, Miami, FL, February 14-15, 2020.

*Participant*, Roundtable: International Economic Law’s Discontents – A Critical Perspective, ASIL International Economic Law Interest Group Biennial Conference, University of Miami School of Law, Miami, FL, February 14-15, 2020.

*Presenter*, “Nations and Markets,” University of Michigan International Law Workshop, Ann Arbor, Michigan, January 29, 2020.

*Participant*, Roundtable: Changing Concepts of International Economic Security & the Law, AALS Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, January 4, 2020.

*Presenter*, “Metaphors and International Law,” Conference on International law’s Invisible Frames – Social Cognition and Knowledge Production in International Legal Processes, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel, December 4-5, 2019.

*Presenter*, “Nations and Markets,” Conference on International Economic Law and Security Interests, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands, November 14-15, 2019.

*Presenter/Participant*, Workshop: “Goeconomics and the Future of Globalization,” Cato Institute, Washington, DC, March 26, 2019.

*Presenter*, “The International Idea of Law,” Villanova Law Review Shachoy Symposium: The Rabbinic Idea of Law: Interactions and Implications, Villanova, PA, February 15, 2019.

*Presenter*, “The Sociology of International Precedent,” Workshop: Opening the Black Box of Precedent and Case-based Reasoning, University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria, January 18-19, 2019.

*Presenter*, “What is International Trade Law For?” International Business Law Roundtable, Brooklyn Law School, Brooklyn, NY, November 16-17, 2018.

*Invited Participant*, History and Theory of International Law Workshop: “Time, Space and Violence in Current Histories of International Law,” Institute for International Law and Justice, New York University School of Law, New York, NYU, October 24, 2018.

*Panelist*, “Reflections on Infrastructures-as-Regulation,” Infrastructures as Regulation Conference, New York University School of Law, New York, NY, September 28, 2018.

*Panelist*, The Future of the Global Order Colloquium: “Competing Visions for the World Order,” Perry World House, University of Pennsylvania, PA, September 24-25, 2018.

*Presenter*, “What is International Trade Law For?” International Economic Law Interest Group Workshop, Annual Meeting of the European Society of International Law, Manchester, UK, September 13, 2018.

*Presenter*, “Multilateralism’s Life-Cycle,” University College London Global Governance Institute, Public Keynote Lecture Series, London, UK, June 5, 2018.

*Presenter*, “Legitimacy and International Courts,” International Court and Tribunals Interest Group Roundtable, Annual Meeting of the American Society of International Law, Washington, DC, April 5, 2018.

*Presenter*, “What is International Trade Law For?” Workshop: Reconceiving Trade Agreements for Social Inclusion, UC Irvine School of Law, Irvine, California, February 8-9, 2018.

*Invited Participant*, Workshop: The Sources of International Law and the International Law of Sources, University of Fribourg, Fribourg, Switzerland, January 26, 2018.

*Panelist*, “The Backlash Against Globalism and its Implications for International Arbitration,” Annual Conference of the Atlanta International Arbitration Society, Atlanta, GA, October 23, 2017.

*Moderator*, “The Next Generation of Trade Agreements,” Georgia Journal of International & Comparative Law Conference, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA, September 18, 2017.

*Presenter*, “Global Goods in a Multipolar Era,” Annual Meeting of the European Society of International Law, Naples, Italy, September 7, 2017.

*Presenter*, “New Normativities for International Trade,” International Law and Global Governance in Turbulent Times, Leuven Centre for Global Governance Studies, Leuven, Belgium, June 29, 2017.

*Moderator/Discussant*, “International Legal Theory,” ASIL Research Forum, Seattle, WA, November 11, 2016.

*Moderator*, Humanity’s Common Heritage: Conference on the 2016 ICRC Commentary on the First Geneva Convention, Joint ICRC-GJICL Conference, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA, September 23, 2016.

*Presenter*, “What is the Trans-Pacific Partnership?,” Dean Rusk Center/Georgia Society of International and Comparative Law Event, Athens, GA, September 7, 2016.

*Invited Participant*, Workshop: Contested Megaregulation: The Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP), NYU Law School, New York, NY, July 1-2, 2016.

*Presenter*, “Theorizing International Precedent,” International Law Colloquium, Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, DC, March 18, 2016.

*Presenter*, “Theorizing International Precedent,” International Law Colloquium, Arizona State University Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law, Tempe, AZ, January 15, 2016.

*Presenter*, “A Pluralist Political Question Doctrine,” ASIL International Law in Domestic Courts Annual Workshop, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, December 4, 2015.

*Moderator/Discussant*, “International Tribunals,” ASIL Research Forum, Washington, DC, October 24, 2015.

*Speaker*, “The Balance of Power: The President, Congress, and the Courts in American Foreign Policy,” Georgia Law in NYC, New York, NY, June 24, 2015.

*Invited Participant*, International Law and the Practice of Legality: Stability and Change, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada, May 29-30, 2015.

*Presenter/Panelist*, “American Policy in the Middle East: Are There Constitutional Limits on Congress’s Power Over Foreign Affairs?” The Georgia Lawyer Chapter of the American Constitution Society, Atlanta, GA, May 18, 2015.

*Presenter*, “The Varied Shapes of American International Legal Realism,” ASIL International Legal Theory Interest Group Symposium, Washington, DC, Washington, DC, May 7, 2015.

*Presenter/Panelist*, “Foreign Relations Law in the Roberts Court: The First Decade,” American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, April 9, 2015.

*Presenter*, “Theorizing International Precedent,” International Law Colloquium, St. John’s University School of Law, New York, NY, March 23, 2015.

*Presenter*, “The Death of Deference/The Domestication of Treaty Law,” Brigham Young University Law Review Symposium on the Restatement 4<sup>th</sup> and the Law of Treaties, Provo, UT, January 29-30, 2015

*Convener/Presenter*, International Law as Behavior, ASIL International Legal Theory Interest Group Symposium, Washington, DC, November 13, 2014.

*Moderator*, “Regulatory Framework,” Children and International Criminal Justice, GJICL Conference, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA, October 28, 2014.

*Convener/Presenter*, Conference on the Legitimacy of International Courts, University of Baltimore School of Law, Baltimore, MD, September 18-19, 2014.

*Panelist*, 2013 U.S. Supreme Court Term Roundup, Athens, GA, September 17, 2014.

*Presenter*, “A Theory of International Precedent,” Sociological Inquires into International Law, London School of Economics, London, UK, May 16, 2014



*Convener*, ASIL-Southeast Junior-Senior Workshop, University of Virginia School of Law, Charlottesville, VA, May 5, 2014

*Moderator*, “The New Roles of Corporations in Global Governance,” GJICL Conference, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA, April 18, 2013.

*Presenter*, “A Theory of International Precedent,” Faculty Colloquium, Seton Hall University Law School, Newark, NJ, March 11, 2014.

*Presenter*, “A Theory of International Precedent,” Faculty Colloquium, University of Washington Law School, Seattle, WA, February 27, 2014.

*Panelist*, “Implications of the Edward Snowden Leaks,” American Constitution Society/Georgia Society of International and Comparative Law Event, Athens, GA, January 31, 2014.

*Presenter*, “A Theory of International Precedent,” International Institute for Counter-Terrorism Roundtable, Interdisciplinary Center, Herzliya, Israel, December 22, 2013.

*Presenter*, “A Theory of International Precedent,” Faculty Seminar, Bar Ilan University Faculty of Law, Ramat Gan, Israel, December 17, 2013.

*Moderator*, “Ongoing Human Rights Challenges,” ASIL Research Forum, New York, NY, November 2, 2013.

*Presenter*, “A Theory of International Precedent,” Faculty Colloquium, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA, October 30, 2013.

*Presenter*, “Prolegomena to a Theory of International Precedent,” Cambridge Conference on Interpretation in International Law, Lauterpacht Centre, Cambridge, UK, August 27, 2013.

*Observer-Delegate*, 14th U.N. Open-ended Informal Consultative Process on Oceans and the Law of the Sea, United Nations, New York, NY, June 17-20, 2013.

*Presenter*, “Transnational Governance through Communities of Practice,” Annual Meeting of the European-American Consortium on Legal Education (EACLE), Baltimore, MD, May 22, 2013.

*Presenter*, “Precedent, Audience, & Authority,” ASIL International Legal Theory Interest Group Symposium, Washington, DC, May 2, 2013.

*Presenter*, “Lawyers and Precedent,” Vanderbilt Journal of Transnational Law Symposium, Nashville, TN, February 8, 2013.

*Moderator*, “International Law in a Time of Scarcity,” GJICL Conference, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA, January 5, 2013.

*Presenter*, “Toward International Law’s *Erie* Moment,” ASIL Research Forum, Athens, GA, October 19-21, 2012.

*Invited Participant*, International Law Roundtable, “Power and Constraint,” Temple Law School, Philadelphia, PA, September 28, 2012.

*Presenter*, “Toward International Law’s *Erie* Moment,” UGA/Emory Summer Workshop, Emory Law School, Atlanta, GA, June 27, 2012.

*Presenter*, “Toward International Law’s *Erie* Moment,” Global Law and Justice Colloquium, New York Law School, New York, NY, April 25, 2012.

*Presenter*, “Toward International Law’s *Erie* Moment,” Junior International Law Scholars Conference, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA, February 10, 2012.

*Presenter*, “Finding International Law, Part II: Our Fragmenting Legal Community,” International Law Colloquium, NYU Law School, New York, NY, January 25, 2012.

*Presenter*, “Finding International Law, Part II: Our Fragmenting Legal Community,” Faculty Workshop, Emory Law School, Atlanta, GA, October 5, 2011.

*Invited Participant*, International Law Roundtable, “War-Time,” Temple Law School, Philadelphia, PA, September 23, 2011.

*Panelist*, “Palestine at the UN: Recognition of Statehood and Its Legal Implications,” J Street Lawyers Network, New York, NY, September 21, 2011.

*Discussant*, Book Conference: “Bringing Lessons Home,” Berkeley Law School, Berkeley, CA, September 16, 2011.

*Presenter*, “International Law and the Proposed United Nations Recognition of Palestinian Statehood,” Jewish Community Relations Council of Atlanta, Atlanta, GA, September 13, 2011.

*Discussant*, International Relations/International Law Interdisciplinary Research Group Workshop, “The Interpretation, Application and Enforcement of International Law,” Temple Law School, Philadelphia, PA, May 13-14, 2011.

*Presenter*, “From Fragmentation to Constitutionalization,” Symposium on The Global Impact and Implementation of Human Rights Norms, University of The Pacific, McGeorge School of Law, March 11-12, 2011.

*Co-Organizer*, Junior International Law Scholars Conference, Yale Law School, New Haven, CT, February 25-26, 2011.

*Presenter*, “From International Law to International Conflicts of Law,” International Law Workshop, Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, MI, January 31, 2011.

*Presenter*, “From International Law to International Conflicts of Law,” Winter Workshop on Interdisciplinary Approaches to Transnational Law, Arizona State University, Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law, Tempe, AZ, January 14, 2011.

*Moderator*, “Fallout: The Future of Nuclear Security and Non-Proliferation,” GJICL Conference, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA, November 12, 2010.

*Presenter*, “International Law is Dead; Long Live International Law,” American Branch of the International Law Association, International Law Weekend, New York, NY October 22, 2010.

*Invited Participant*, International Law Roundtable, “Law Beyond Borders: Jurisprudence for a Hybrid World,” Temple Law School, Philadelphia, PA, October 8, 2010.

*Presenter*, “International Law is Dead; Long Live International Law,” International Legal Theory Group, Annual Meeting of the European Society of International Law, Cambridge, UK, September 1-2, 2010.

*Presenter*, “From International Law to International Conflicts of Law,” International Law Colloquium, Temple Law School, Philadelphia, PA, April 20, 2010.

*Moderator*, Georgia Society of International and Comparative Law International Law Career Symposium, Athens, GA, April 2, 2010.

*Presenter*, “From International Law to International Conflicts of Law,” New Voices Panel, Annual Meeting of the American Society of International Law, Washington, DC, March 25, 2010.

*Co-Organizer/Commenter*, Junior International Law Scholars Conference, UC Hastings Law School, San Francisco, CA, February 26, 2010.

*Moderator*, International Human Rights and Climate Change Conference, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA, February 12, 2010.

*Commenter*, Junior International Law Scholars Conference, Temple Law School, Philadelphia, PA, February 13, 2009.

*Presenter/Panel Chair*, “Historical Attitudes of the United States towards International Law,” at American Branch of the International Law Association, International Law Weekend, New York, NY October 16-18, 2008.

*Commenter*, Vanderbilt Roundtable on Foreign Relations Law, Nashville, TN, September 12-13, 2008.

*Moderator*, Georgia Society of International and Comparative Law International Law Career Symposium, Athens, GA, April 14, 2008.

*Presenter*, “Making International Law: Looking for Legitimacy Rules in Fragmenting International Communities,” at the Indiana University Law School Conference: The Individual and Customary International Law, Bloomington, IN, April 3-5, 2008.

*Presenter*, “Taking Opinio Juris Seriously: Rethinking the Doctrine of Sources of International Law,” Summer Faculty Workshop, NYU School of Law, New York, NY, June 2006.

*Moderator*, “Extraterritorial Application of Constitutional Rights” Panel at the NYU Annual Survey of American Law’s 2006 Symposium: Constitutional Implications of the War on Terror, New York, NY, February 3, 2006.

*Presenter*, “The American Challenge to International Law,” at the Yale Journal of International Law Young Scholars Conference: World Public (Dis)order: International Law in an Age of Uncertainty, New Haven, CT, March 1, 2003.

*Moderator*, “Grand Strategy” Panel at International Security Studies Service Academies Workshop, April 7-8, 2000.

*Presenter*, “Jordan and the Baghdad Pact: The Failure of British Middle East Policy, 1955-1956,” at the Roundtable on British History, New Haven, CT, February 26, 2000.

*Presenter*, “Islam and Turkish Politics,” at the Yale Colloquium on Islam and Modernity, New Haven, CT, March 2000.

*Co-Organizer*, Conference on Geography and International History, New Haven, CT, February 11-12, 2000.

#### ONLINE

**CONTRIBUTIONS:** Invited response for *EJIL:Talk!* to Stefan Talmon, *Determining Customary International Law: The ICJ’s Methodology between Induction, Deduction and Assertion*, 26 *EJIL* 417 (2015):

- *Methodology and Misdirection: Custom and the ICJ*

<http://www.ejiltalk.org/methodology-and-misdirection-a-response-to-stefan-talmon-on-custom-and-the-icj/>

Convenor/contributor, *Opinio Juris* “International Law as Behavior” Symposium:

- *International Law as Behavior Symposium: Introduction*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2015/01/19/international-law-behavior-symposium-introduction/>

- *International Law as Behavior Symposium: The Sociology of International Precedent*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2015/01/20/international-law-behavior-symposium-sociology-international-precedent/>

- *International Law as Behavior Symposium: An Agenda*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2015/01/21/international-law-behavior-symposium-agenda/>

Invited contributor to *Opinio Juris* Book Symposium on KATERINA LINOS, *THE DEMOCRATIC FOUNDATIONS OF POLICY DIFFUSION* (2013):

<http://opiniojuris.org/2013/06/27/linos-book-symposium-comments-by-harlan-cohen/>

Guest-blogger, *Opinio Juris*, November-December 2011.

- *Lawofnation.blogspot.com Memories*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/11/22/lawofnation-blogspot-com-memories/>

- *What if ATS Liability has Nothing to do With “Customary” International Law? Part I*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/11/22/what-if-ats-liability-has-nothing-to-do-with-customary-international-law-part-i/>

- *What if ATS Liability has Nothing to do With “Customary” International Law? Part II*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/11/23/what-if-ats-liability-has-nothing-to-do-with-customary-international-law-part-ii/>

- *Country of Origin and the International Turkey Trade or “Is that Turkey Kosher?”*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/11/24/country-of-origin-and-the-international-turkey-trade-or-“is-that-turkey-kosher”/>

- *George Kennan, International Lawyer?*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/11/28/george-kennan-international-lawyer/>

- *Merely a Transactional Relationship?*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/11/29/merely-a-transactional-relationship/>

- *The Post Office as International Law Bellwether?*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/12/06/the-post-office-as-international-law-bellwether/>

- *2012 ASIL Annual Meeting: Confronting Complexity*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/12/12/2012-asil-annual-meeting-confronting-complexity/>

- *Towards a Pluralism of International Law(s)?*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/12/14/towards-a-pluralism-of-international-laws/>

Invited contributor to *Opinio Juris* Book Symposium on DAVID L. SLOSS, MICHAEL D. RAMSEY, & WILLIAM S. DODGE, EDS., INTERNATIONAL LAW IN THE U.S. SUPREME COURT (2011):

- *Resisting the Thrall of the Grand Narrative:*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/07/25/resisting-the-thrall-of-the-grand-narrative/>

- *A Partial Defense of Insider Doctrinal History:*

<http://opiniojuris.org/2011/07/26/international-law-in-the-u-s-supreme-court-a-partial-defense-of-insider-doctrinal-history/>

#### EDUCATION:

##### **New York University School of Law, J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2003**

*Honors & Activities:* Order of the Coif, Maurice Goodman Memorial Prize for outstanding scholarship and character, Florence Allen Scholar, Summer Seminar in Legal Scholarship (by competitive selection); *Activities:* Articles Editor, *New York University Law Review*; Student Member, Academic Personnel Committee

##### **Yale Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, M.A., History, 2000**

International History, Affiliated with International Security Studies; Participant, Studies in Grand Strategy, Grand Strategy Project (by competitive selection)

##### **Yale College, B.A., History and International Studies, 1998**

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##### **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP, New York, NY & Brussels, Belgium**

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Represented PeopleSoft in litigation related to Oracle's hostile takeover bid. Drafted Amicus Curiae brief to the U.S. Supreme Court in *Arthur Andersen LLP v. United States* on behalf of the New York Council of Defense Lawyers. Provided pro bono representation to client seeking relief under the Convention Against Torture. Advised client on investigation of cross-border tax deals. Provided advice for the Russian Ministry of Finance. Represented client bank in complex litigation against its insurers for coverage under a fidelity bond. Advised clients on European data and privacy rules.

**The Hon. Wilfred Feinberg, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, New York, NY**

*Judicial Clerk, August 2003-August 2004*

**Professor Barry Friedman, New York University Law School, New York, NY**

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**Office of the United States Attorney, S.D.N.Y., Civil Division, New York, NY**

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Admitted to Practice, New York, First Department

State Bar of Georgia, International Trade in Legal Services Committee, *Advisor*

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Peer Reviewer:

*American Journal of International Law*  
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