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# ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

SETON HALL UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, Professor of Law, 2018-present.

- *Courses taught:* Constitutional Law, Administrative Law, State and Local Taxation.
- Coordinator of Seton Hall Faculty Colloquium Series (2018-present)
- *Law School Committee Assignments*: Faculty Life Committee (2018-2019); Ad Hoc Committee on Title IX Procedures (Chair, 2018-2019).

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY, PAUL M. HEBERT LAW CENTER, Associate Professor of Law, 2016 – 2018; Assistant Professor of Law, 2013-2016.

- Recipient of LSU Foundation's 2016 "Rising Faculty Research Award" (given to some ten professors university-wide);
- Recipient of 2014-15 and 2017-18 Professor of the Year awards (selected by vote of the LSU Law Center student body);
- *Courses taught:* Administrative Law, Constitutional Law I, Constitutional Law II, Federal Courts, Comparative Constitutionalism;
- *Law School Committee Assignments:* Executive Committee (elected position: 2017present); Adjunct Appointments Committee (2016-17); Faculty Appointments Committee (2015-16); Curriculum Committee (Spring 2017); Faculty Scholarship Committee (2016-17; 2015-16; 2013-14); Admissions & Scholarship Committee (2014-15); Student Educational Policies Committee (2013-15); Learning Outcomes Committee (2016-17).
- University Committee Assignments: Faculty Awards Committee (Spring 2017);
- Coordinator of LSU Faculty Workshop Series (2014-present);
- Co-organizer of LSU Voting Rights Act Symposium (2014-15);
- 2015 Summer in Lyon Program, Université Jean Moulin.

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Climenko Fellow and Lecturer on Law, 2009-10; 2011-13

## **PUBLICATIONS & WORKS IN PROGRESS**

*Right-Remedy Equilibration and the Asymmetric Entrenchment of Legal Entitlements*, 60 B.C. L. REV. \_\_\_\_ (forthcoming 2020).

*Campaign Communications and the Problem of Government Motive*, 21 U. PA. J. CONST. L. 333 (2019).

Characterizing Constitutional Inputs, 67 DUKE L.J. 743 (2018).

More Restrictive Alternatives, 96 N.C. L. REV. 1 (2017).

*Minor Courts, Major Questions*, 70 VAND. L. REV. 777 (2017) (with Seth Davis) (selected for presentation at the Inaugural Administrative Law New Scholarship Roundtable at Michigan State University).

Combining Constitutional Clauses, 164 U. PA. L. REV. 1067 (2016).

Rules Against Rulification, 124 YALE L.J. 576 (2014).

*Spillover Across Remedies*, 98 MINN. L. REV. 1211 (2014) (selected from an open call for papers for presentation at the "New Voices in Public Remedies" panel at the 2014 AALS Public Meeting).

Constitutional Privileging, 99 VA. L. REV. 683 (2013).

*Of Speech and Sanctions: Toward a Penalty-Sensitive Approach to the First Amendment*, 112 COLUM. L. REV. 991 (2012), *reprinted in* the 2012 edition of THE FIRST AMENDMENT LAW HANDBOOK (Rodney M. Smolla, ed.).

Note, *The Significance of Signatures: Why the Framers Signed the Constitution and What They Meant By Doing So*, 119 YALE L.J. 966 (2010).

Comment, Original Jurisdiction Deadlocks, 118 YALE L.J. 1003 (2009).

Rhapsody in Blue: An Ode to The Bluebook, 12 GREEN BAG 2D 115 (2008).

## PRESENTATIONS

February 27, 2019: "The Elusive Zone of Twilight," Faculty Workshop, St. John's Law School.

January 24, 2019: "Remedial Vetoes and the Asymmetric Entrenchment of Legal Entitlements," Faculty Workshop, Penn State Law School.

December 14, 2018: "Equilibration's Bias," Judicial Process/Judicial Administration Roundtable, Duke Law School.

June 12, 2018: "Equilibration's Bias," Notre Dame Remedies Roundtable, Chicago IL.

February 23, 2018: "Campaign Communications and the Problem of Government Motive," Louisiana Law Scholars' Forum, Loyola University New Orleans School of Law.

August 21, 2017: "Characterizing Constitutional Inputs," Faculty Workshop, Seton Hall University Law School

August 4, 2017: Panelist, "Educating Citizens on Rulemaking, Administrative Hearings, and Other Administrative Procedures," SEALS.

June 14, 2017: "Characterizing Constitutional Inputs," Faculty Workshop, Tulane Law School.

March 9, 2017: Panelist, "Trump and the Constitution," LSU Law Center.

January 27, 2017: "An Introduction to the U.S. Constitutional System," Southern Poverty Law Center, New Orleans, LA.

June 5, 2016: "Courts as Agencies" (moderator & organizer), Roundtable Session, Law and Society Conference.

April 4, 2016: "More Restrictive Alternatives," Faculty Workshop, Tulane Law School.

April 1, 2016: "Characterizing Constitutional Inputs," Climenko Fellow Works-in-Progress Series, Harvard Law School

February 18, 2016: "Lenience as a Liability: On the Constitutional Import of the 'More Restrictive Means," Faculty Workshop, Brooklyn Law School.

December 15, 2015: "Otherwise Innocent Speech," Free Speech Forum, Louisville Law School.

September 25, 2015: "Lenience as a Liability: On the Constitutional Import of the 'More Restrictive Means,'" Marquette Law School Junior Faculty Workshop.

July 30, 2015: Panelist, "Creating Successful Methods of Student Assessment," SEALS Newer Law Teachers Workshop.

February 16, 2015: "Combining Constitutional Clauses," "Becoming a Law Professor" Seminar, Harvard Law School.

February 4, 2015: Panelist, "A Lunch-Time Conversation with Chief Judge Carl E. Stewart," LSU Law Center.

January 20, 2015: "Combining Constitutional Clauses," LSU Law Center Faculty Workshop.

January 16, 2015: Moderator, "*Shelby County v. Holder* and the Future of the Voting Rights Act," LSU Law Center (presented as part of a symposium on the 50th anniversary of the Voting Rights Act).

November 7, 2014: Panelist, "The Debt Ceiling and the Separation of Powers," New Hampshire Law School program on Money, Democracy & the Constitution.

August 2, 2014: "Rules Against Rulification," SEALS New Scholars Colloquium

March 31, 2014: "Rules Against Rulification," "Becoming a Law Professor" Seminar, Harvard Law School.

January 4, 2014: "Spillover Across Remedies," AALS Program on "New Voices in Public Law Remedies" (selected from an open call for papers), New York, NY.

September 4, 2013: Panelist, "The Law of the Jungle: The Perils of Complex Litigation," LSU Law Center.

## **OTHER ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES**

Southeastern Association of Law Schools Mentor Committee, 2015-17.

**Online Contributor:** 

Prawfsblawg (www.prawfsblawg.com); Concurring Opinions (www.concurringopinions.com); Jotwell (www.jotwell.com).

Peer Review:

Stanford Law Review; Yale Law Journal.

## **EDUCATION**

YALE LAW SCHOOL, J.D., June 2009

*Yale Law Journal*, Articles Editor (2008-09), Editor (2007-08) *Yale Journal of Law & Technology*, Executive Editor (2007-08), Editor (2006-07) Received a grade of "Honors" in 17 of 18 graded courses

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, A.B., summa cum laude, Music, May 2005
Phi Beta Kappa
Shapiro Prize for Academic Excellence (awarded to 34 sophomores university-wide)
Senior Thesis: Disparate Impact: Four Movements for Soprano and Piano Quintet

#### LEGAL EXPERIENCE

HON. GUIDO CALABRESI, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, Law Clerk, 2010-11.

SUTHERLAND ASBILL & BRENNAN LLP, Atlanta, GA, Summer Associate, 2008.

BONDURANT, MIXSON & ELMORE, LLP, Atlanta, GA, Summer Associate, 2008.

ASOCIACIÓN CIVIL POR LA IGUALDAD Y LA JUSTICIA, Buenos Aires, Argentina, *Kirby Simon Summer Fellow*, 2007.