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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

### University of Washington, Seattle

- *Professor*, joint position Law, Societies & Justice Department and Department of Political Science, 2017- present.
  - *Adjunct Professor*, UW School of Law.
  - *Adjunct Professor*, Gender, Women and Sexuality Studies.
  - *Member*, European Studies Faculty, Jackson School of International Studies.
  - *Member*, UW Data Science Minor Faculty
- *Associate Professor*, joint position Law, Societies & Justice Department and Department of Political Science, 2007-2017.
- *Assistant Professor*, joint position Law, Societies & Justice Department and Department of Political Science, 2001-2007.

### Visiting Positions

- *Visiting Scholar*, Department of Constitutional Law and Politics, University of Barcelona, Spain, 2018
- *Visiting Scholar*, Laboratory on International Law & Regulation, School of Global Policy & Strategy, University of California, San Diego, 2015-16.
- *Program Director and Visiting Faculty*, UW Rome Center, Rome, Italy, 2005, 2019.
- *Visiting Professor*, UW Rome Center, Rome Italy, 2003.
- *Visiting Fellow*, Max Planck Institute, Program in Politics, Law and Economics, Bonn, Germany, 2000.
- *Visiting Fellow*, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence, Italy, 1998-1999.

## EDUCATION:

Ph.D. Political Science, University of California, Irvine. 2002.  
Research Fellow, *UCI Center for the Study of Democracy*.  
M.A. Political Science, University of California, Irvine. 1997.  
B.A. Political Science (with Honors), University of California, San Diego. 1992.

## RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS:

Law and Politics: international law and organization; transnational legal mobilization; global justice; comparative constitutionalism; transnational activism and social movements

Data and Methods: qualitative approaches to social science research methods and design; large n database construction and design; data sharing and visualization

Area Expertise: European law and politics; human rights; global women's rights; environmental protection and climate change; international criminal justice.

### *Current Research*

*Legal Mobilization and International Litigation*: multi-year research project (NSF SES # 1322161) examining the effects of international courts on human rights and the dynamic interaction with interest and advocacy organizations.

- R. Cichowski & E. Chrun (2023). European Court of Human Rights Database (ECHRdb), *Version 2.0*, 2023, *Version 1.0* (2017). <https://echrdb.org/>

The database includes over 21,650 judicial decisions from the European Court of Human Rights, 1960-2020. It is the first publicly accessible database to systematically detail international court judgment data, alongside interest and advocacy organization participation, and the effects on domestic and international law. It relies on cross-national, time series legal data, collected through case law analysis, elite interviews, and archival documents. The project develops an interactive website housing the ECHRdb featuring an online analysis tool, data visualizations, and downloadable data files. Users are able to analyze international court data and advocacy group mobilization in innovative ways, informing the future of human rights protection and enforcement. A book manuscript from this project is also in preparation: *Legal Mobilization and International Litigation*.

*Building Dynamic Research Communities in Global Legal Studies*. 2017-2021. (NSF SES Award 1748131, 1748128, 1748180, \$289,174) with D. Brinks and J. Staton. This multi-year project develops a new model for collaborative and convergent research communities in law and social sciences.

- The project includes a shared data infrastructure (the Global Law & Politics Network data catalogue on comparative and international law <https://glpn.la.utexas.edu/>), monthly online works in progress workshop, idea labs and annual research workshop.

## **PUBLICATIONS:**

### ***Books***

- *The European Court and Civil Society: Litigation, Mobilization and Governance*. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press. 2007. (**Winner: *Best Book Award*, American Political Science Association, European Politics & Society Section**)
- *Law, Politics and Society*. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press. 2003. (Co-ed. T. Börzel, principal author)

### ***Editor, Special Issue of Peer Reviewed Journal***

- Courts, Democracy and Governance. Special Issue of *Comparative Political Studies*, 39 (1). 2006. (Editor)

### ***Peer Reviewed Journal Articles***

- The European Court of Human Rights, Amicus Curiae and Violence against Women. *Law & Society Review*, 2016, 50 (4): 890-919.
- Mobilization, Litigation and Democratic Governance. *Representation: Journal of Representative Democracy*, 2013, 49(3): 321-332.
- Legal Mobilization, Transnational Activism and Gender Equality in the EU. *Canadian Journal of Law and Society*, 2013, 28(2): 209-227.
- Courts, Democracy and Governance. *Comparative Political Studies*, 2006a, 39: 3-21.
- Courts, Rights and Democratic Participation. *Comparative Political Studies*, 2006b, 39: 50-75.
- Women's Rights, the European Court and Supranational Constitutionalism. *Law & Society Review*, 2004, 38: 489-512.
- Western Dreams, Eastern Realities: Citizen Support for the European Union in Central and Eastern Europe. *Comparative Political Studies*, 2000, 33: 1243-1278.

- Gender and Policy in Comparative Perspective. Women & Politics, Spring, 2000, 21(1): 107-115.
- Integrating the Environment: The European Court and the Construction of Supranational Policy. Journal of European Public Policy, 1998, 5: 387-405.

### ***Peer Reviewed Chapters in Edited Books***

- Data Infrastructure Innovation in the Field of Law & Courts: The European Court of Human Rights Database (ECHRdb). In S. Sterett and L. Walker, eds. Research Handbook: Law and Courts. 2019. Northampton, MA: Edward Elgar Publishing. (equal authors, co-authored with E. Chrun)
- Courts, Advocacy Groups and Human Rights in Europe. In A. Brysk, ed. The Politics of the Globalization of Law. 2013. New York, NY: Routledge.
- Judicial Politics, Gender and the Courts. In G. Waylen, K. Celis, J. Kantola and L. Weldon, eds. The Oxford Handbook of Gender and Politics. 2013. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press.
- Civil Society and the European Court of Human Rights. In M. Madsen and J. Christoffersen, eds. The European Court of Human Rights between Law and Politics. 2011. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press.
- Women's Rights and Supranational Constitutionalism. In J. Goldstein and R. Steinberg, eds., International Institutions. 2010. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.  
(reprint in International Relations series of "most influential and field defining articles").
- Sex Equality. In A. Stone Sweet, The Judicial Construction of Europe. 2004. Oxford: Oxford University Press. (principal author with A. Stone Sweet)
- Participation, Representative Democracy and the Courts. In R. Dalton, B. Cain and S. Scarrow, eds. New Forms of Democracy? Reform and Transformation of Democratic Institutions. 2003. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 192-220. (principal author, co-authored with A. Stone Sweet).
- Law, Politics and Society in Europe. In T. Börzel and R. Cichowski, eds. State of the European Union: Law, Politics and Society. 2003. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 1-17. (principal author, co-authored with T. Börzel).
- 'No Discrimination Whatsoever:' Women's Transnational Activism and the Evolution of European Sex Equality Policy. In N. Naples and A. Desai, eds., Women's Community Activism and Globalization. 2002. New York: Routledge, pp.220-238.
- Judicial Rulemaking and the Institutionalization of EU Sex Equality Policy. In A. Stone Sweet, W. Sandholtz, and N. Fligstein eds., The Institutionalization of Europe. 2001. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp.113-136.

### ***Book Reviews***

- Review of Eurolegalism: The Transformation of Law and Regulation in the European Union. (Cambridge, MA.: Harvard University Press, 2011) by R. D. Kelemen. Governance, 2012, 25(4): 713-716.
- Review of Women in Power in Post-Communist Parliaments. (Woodrow Wilson Center Press, 2009) by Marilyn Rueschemeyer and Sharon Wolchik, eds. Slavic Review, 2011, 69(4): 982-3.

- Review of The Politics of Judicial Co-operation in the EU (Cambridge University Press, 2005) by Hans-W. Micklitz. Yearbook of European Law 2006, Volume 25: 655-659.
- Review of Law and Governance in Postnational Europe (Cambridge University Press, 2005) by Michael Zürn and Christian Joerges. EUSA Review, 2005, 18: 12-13.
- Review of Establishing the Supremacy of European Law: The Making of an International Rule of Law in Europe (Oxford University Press, 2001) by Karen Alter. Comparative Political Studies, 2002, 35: 1267-1270.

### ***Published Policy and Working Papers***

- “Sustaining Democracy: A Study of Authoritarianism and Personalism in Irish Political Culture.” Working paper CSD No. 40. 2000. Irvine: Center for the Study of Democracy Working paper Series, University of California, Irvine, pp. 1-23.
- “Institutionalization of Sex Equality for Europe.” 2000. CCOP Working Paper, #2000-03. Berkeley: Center for Culture, Organizations and Politics, Institute of Industrial Relations, University of California, pp.1-39.
- “European Legal Integration and Environmental Protection.” 2000. IGCC Policy Paper, 53: 1-15.
- “Choosing Democracy: Citizen Attitudes and the Eastern Enlargement of the European Union.” Working paper RSC No. 2000/12. 2000. Florence, Italy: Robert Schuman Centre Working paper Series, European University Institute, pp.1-37.
- “Litigation and Environmental Protection in the European Union.” Preprint No. 2000/5. 2000. Bonn, Germany: Max Planck Institute, pp. 1-25.

### **WORKS IN PROGRESS:**

- The ECHRdb: An Integrative Approach to Collecting and Sharing Data on International Courts. In D. Kapiszewski and M. Ingram eds. Data & Methods in the Comparative Study of Legal Institutions. Forthcoming. New York, NY: Cambridge University Press. (*reviewed, in process*)
- Organizations & Interest Groups. In L. Epstein, et al. eds. The Oxford Handbook of Comparative Judicial Behavior. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press. (under contract, invited contribution)
- Amicus Curiae, Children’s Rights and the ECtHR. In H. Helland, S. Gloppen, M. Skivenes eds. Child Protection and the European Court of Human Rights: the road to Strasbourg and back. Policy Press (*forthcoming 2024*)
- “Legal Mobilization and International Litigation: The Neglected Role of Organizations before International Courts.” Article manuscript in preparation.
- Legal Mobilization and International Litigation (book manuscript) examining transnational legal mobilization by organizations before the European Court of Human Rights and the effects on domestic and international law.
- “Climate Change, Rights and International Courts.” Article manuscript in preparation.

### **GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS:**

- The Research Council of Norway. INTPART: International Partnerships for Excellent Education, Research and Innovation. Project title: *Autocratization Dynamics: Innovations in Research-Embedded Learning*. Program # 322644. Partner University. 2021-2026. NOK 10 million. Lead PI: L. Rakner, University of Bergen.

- Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences, University of Washington. Data Science Course Modification Award, 2020. Funding provided for course redesign and development.
- Norwegian Ministry of Education and Research. Partnership Program for North America Grant. *Rethinking Democracy & Law*. PNA-2019/10045. 2019-2021. NOK 300,000. With S. Gloppen (University of Bergen) and T. Keck (Syracuse University).
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC). Partnership Development Grant. *Activism in International Human Rights Courts (ActInCourts)*. 2019-2021. CA\$199,187. SSHRC 890-2018-0022 with L. Sundstrom (University of British Columbia), M. Rask Madsen (University of Copenhagen), F. van der Vet (University of Helsinki).
- University of Barcelona. 2018. International Faculty Collaboration/Exchange Fellowship. *Data Collection and Sharing on Strategic Litigation*. Funding provided visiting fellowship for research collaboration and database consultation.
- National Science Foundation Grant. EAGER Collaborative Research. *Building Dynamic Research Communities in Global Legal Studies*. 2017-2020. (SES Award 1748131, 1748128, 1748180, \$289,174) with Daniel Brinks (UT Austin) and Jeffrey Staton (Emory University).
- National Science Foundation Grant. Supplemental Support Grant. *Online Analysis Tool for European Court of Human Rights Database*. 2016. (SES Proposal 1649863 separate award supplementing SES1322161, \$44,805)
- National Science Foundation Standard Grant. *International Courts, Advocacy Groups and Human Rights Governance*. 2013-2017. (SES Award 1322161, \$227,898).
- *Technology Teaching Fellows*. University of Washington. 2013. Funding provided fellowship for innovative classroom technology training and online course development.
- National Science Foundation. Funding for workshop project entitled, *Law, Politics and Social Science Research: Future Directions in Comparative and International Approaches*. 2011. (SES Award 1144306, \$34,784).
- European Union Commission. EU Center of Excellence, University of Washington, Course Development Grant. 2009. Funding provided for course improvement and development.
- Royalty Research Fund. University of Washington. 2006-2007. Funding provided for summer salary and two quarters of research support.
- European Union Commission. EU Center of Excellence, University of Washington, Course Development Grant. 2005. Funding provided for course improvement and development.
- German Marshall Fund. Research Fellowship. 2003-2004. Funded research support, salary replacement and teaching buy out for academic year.
- College of Arts and Sciences, University of Washington, Junior Faculty Award. 2001, 2002. Funded research support and teaching reduction.
- Doctoral Dissertation Research 1997-2001 funded by: UC Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation; Woodrow Wilson Foundation; MacArthur Foundation; Council for European Studies (CES). Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst (DAAD).

## HONORS/AWARDS:

- 2021 *Undergraduate Research Mentor Award*. Annual university wide award. University of Washington.
- 2008 Best Book Award, American Political Science Association, European Politics & Society Section for *The European Court and Civil Society: Litigation, Mobilization and Governance*. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press.
- National Pi Sigma Alpha (Political Science Honors Society) Best Chapter Award. 2005. Faculty Advisor, University of Washington, Nu Chapter.

## INVITATIONS: Lectures, Colloquia, Workshops

- “*Amicus Curiae and the European Court of Human Rights*.” Invited lecture. Authors meet Readers Session, “*Effects of Lawfare Course*.” University of Bergen, August 12, 2022. (virtual event)
- *Legal Mobilization and International Litigation: Pilot Project on ATI/AnnoREP Data Transparency Tool*. Invited presenter. Qualitative Data Repository Workshop, Syracuse University, New York City, April 28-29, 2022.
- Served as a discussant for Global Law & Politics Network. *Gender Violence and Public Attitudes Toward Punishment*. (K. Zvobgo & S. Chaudhry). (virtual) April 6, 2022
- *Non-State Actors and International Law*. Invited Presentation. American Bar Foundation, Continuing Education Unit course in coordination with Tom Ginsburg, Chicago, IL (virtual) February, 11, 2022.
- *Legal Mobilization and International Litigation*. Invited presenter. Department of Political Science, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada (virtual) November 3, 2021.
- Served as a discussant for Global Law & Politics Network Junior Scholars Workshop. *Confronting a Repressive Regime: Individual Petitions in the Human Rights Committee* (R. Schoner, UCSD Political Science), (virtual) October 27, 2021.
- “*Amicus Curiae and the European Court of Human Rights*.” Invited lecture. Authors meet Readers Session, “*Effects of Lawfare Course*.” University of Bergen, August 12, 2021. (virtual event)
- “*Amicus Curiae, Transgender Persons’ Rights and the Brazilian Federal Supreme Court*.” Paper Discussant. *LawTransform Master’s Week*. Centre on Law & Social Transformation, University of Bergen, Norway, March 8, 2021. (virtual event)
- “*Women’s Human Rights, Inequality and Data Science*.” Invited presentation. UW Data Science Minor Launch Event, “*Data Science: Creating, Connecting and Computing*.” University of Washington, November 19, 2020. (virtual event)
- “*Legal Mobilization in an Age of Legalization, Autocratization and a Global Pandemic*.” Invited roundtable presentation. Activism in International Courts (ActInCrts) Network. University of British Columbia, November 16, 2020. (virtual event)
- “*Amicus Curiae: Comparative Data Collection and Analysis*.” Invited presentation. National Science Foundation Idea Lab (SES #1748180). “*Building Dynamic Research Communities in Global Legal Studies: Idea Lab on Judicial Dialogues*.” University of Texas, Austin, September 26-28, 2019.
- “*Amicus Curiae as Dialogue*.” Invited presentation. Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of

- Canada (SSHRC) ActInCourts Workshop. iCourts, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, October 7-8, 2019.
- “*European Court of Human Rights, Activists and Data Sharing.*” Invited presentation. Activism in International Human Rights Courts Workshop. University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada, November 16, 2018.
  - “*The European Court of Human Rights Database (ECHRdb).*” Invited lecture and data infrastructure consultation. Department of Constitutional Law and Politics, University of Barcelona. Barcelona, Spain, June 24 – July 4, 2018.
  - “*Human Rights Courts and Corporations.*” Invited presentation. The Role of the Law in the Production of Inequality, collaborative Idea Lab hosted by UT Austin, Harvard University, Northeastern University. Austin, Texas, March 29-31, 2018.
  - “*Legal Mobilization and International Litigation: The Neglected Role of Organizations before International Courts.*” Invited presentation. Pressure Groups and Inter-Governmental Organizations Workshop. Niehaus Center for Globalization and Governance, Princeton University, October 20-21, 2017.
  - “*Amicus Curiae and the European Court of Human Rights.*” Invited presentation. Legal Mobilization and Regional Human Rights Courts Workshop. University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada, May 17, 2017.
  - “*Violence against Women in International Law.*” Invited lecture. School of Law, Gonzaga University. Spokane, April 7, 2017.
  - “*An Integrative Approach to Collecting and Sharing Data on International Courts.*” Invited presentation. Workshop on Data & Methods in the Comparative Study of Legal Institutions. Georgetown University, Washington D.C., February 2-3, 2017.
  - “*Legal Pluralism and Large N Socio-legal Comparative Research.*” Invited presenter. Criminology Law & Society PhD seminar, University of California, Irvine, May 9, 2016.
  - “*Legal Mobilization and International Courts.*” Invited presentation. Southern California International Law Scholars Workshop. University of California, Irvine, February 19, 2016.
  - “*Combining Qualitative & Quantitative Approaches to the Study of International Courts.*” Invited presentation. Workshop on Data & Methods in the Comparative Study of Legal Institutions. Georgetown University, Washington D.C., February 4-5, 2016.
  - “*Data, Methods and Analyzing International Court Decisions.*” Invited presentation. Workshop on International Court Databases. PluriCourts, Univ. of Oslo, Oslo, Norway, June 2-3, 2015.
  - “*Interest and Advocacy Group use of the European Court of Human Rights.*” Invited presentation. Workshop on *International Criminal Justice: The State of the Play*. Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, Canada, March 19-20, 2015.
  - “*Legal Mobilization and Human Rights Governance.*” Invited presentation. DAAD Workshop on Legal Mobilization in Germany and the EU. York University, Toronto, Canada, February 13, 2015.
  - “*Legal Mobilization: History and State of the Field.*” Invited presentation. Workshop on Strengthening Sociolegal Research. National Science Foundation, Washington D.C., July 21-22, 2014

- “*Discussion of Landau’s Asymmetric Convergence in Comparative Constitutional Law.*” Invited presentation. University of Washington Trans-Pacific Comparative Constitutional Law Roundtable. UW School of Law, Seattle, December 2013.
- “*Diffusion and the International Norm of Access to Justice.*” Invited presentation. Project on Rule of Law in Global Governance. Social Science Research Center (WZB) Berlin, Germany and the Center for International Law (ACIL) at the University of Amsterdam. Berlin, Germany, June 28-29, 2013.
- “*NGOs, Interest Groups and International Courts.*” Invited presentation. Workshop on Judicial Institutions. Princeton University, October 19-20, 2012.
- “*On the Interplay between the Social Sciences and Law Schools.*” NSF funded workshop, University of California, Berkeley, School of Law, May 3-4, 2012.
- “*Transnational Activists, Rights Adjudication and Governance.*” Invited presentation. Workshop on Global Governance, Human Rights and the Globalization of Law. University of California, Santa Barbara, October 15-16, 2011.
- “*Comparative and International Law & Society Graduate Training Programs.*” Invited presentation. NSF funded workshop on Future of Law and Social Science. Chicago, May 25-26, 2011.
- “*Legal Mobilization, Supranational Courts and Democratic Governance.*” Invited presentation. IISL Workshop on Law, Rights and Social Mobilization in a Multi-level European System. Oñati, Spain, June 16-17, 2011.
- “*Women’s Rights as Human Rights: Theory and Practice in Teaching and Research.*” Invited lecture. Arizona State University’s Center for the Study of Religion and Conflict, Tempe, January 21, 2011.
- “*Civil Society and the European Court of Justice.*” Invited lecture. Arizona State University, Department of Political Science. Tempe, January 21, 2011.
- “*The Role of Courts in Democracy.*” Invited presentation. Oxford University, February 16, 2011.
- “*Where Will the Lisbon Treaty Lead Us: To a more Democratic EU?*” Invited keynote address. European Community Studies Association- Canada. Victoria, Canada, April 30, 2010.
- “*The ECtHR and Civil Society.*” Invited lecture. UW School of Law, Faculty Colloquium. Seattle, May 20, 2010.
- “*International Courts, Human Rights and Democracy.*” Invited lecture. University of California, Irvine: Center for Research on International and Global Studies. Irvine, May 21, 2010.
- “*Legal Mobilization, Supranational Courts and Democratic Governance.*” Invited presentation. ESF Workshop on Rights, Legal Mobilization and Political Participation. Athens, Greece, October 8-11, 2009.
- “*International Courts and Democracy: Rights Adjudication beyond the State.*” Invited presentation. Roundtable: Vanderbilt University Law School Roundtable on International Law and International Relations. Vanderbilt University, April 10-11, 2009.
- “*Mobilizing the Law: The European Court of Human Rights and Civil Society.*” Invited presentation. The European Court of Human Rights After Fifty Years Public Symposium, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, March 21-22, 2009.



- “*Judicial Rulemaking and Supranational Governance.*” Invited lecture. Department of Political Science, University of Southern California, February 7, 2007.
- “*EU Rights.*” Invited Lecture: Human Rights Panel for JusticeWorks Television. Seattle, WA, December 11, 2005.
- “*Economic Interests, Social Rights and Globalization.*” Invited Lecture: Globalization Lecture Series, University of Washington, October 18, 2005.
- “*The European Court of Justice and Women’s Rights.*” Invited lecture: University of Victoria, Canada, November 5, 2004.

## CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION:

### *Conference and Workshop Organizer*

- National Science Foundation Global Law & Politics Network *Workshop Wednesdays* (SES #1748180). Workshop Lead Organizer and Moderator (with D. Brinks & J. Staton). Ongoing monthly virtual workshop presenting and discussing works in progress in comparative and international law and politics. Averages 30-40 participants from across the globe. September 2020 – June 2022. (virtual event)
- National Science Foundation Global Law & Politics Network Annual Conference (SES #1748180). Conference Co-Organizer (with D. Brinks and J. Staton) and Participant.
  - Emory University October 6-8, 2022 (hybrid event with
  - University of Bergen, Norway, August 12-13, 2020 (virtual event).
- National Science Foundation Idea Lab (SES #1748180). “*Building Dynamic Research Communities in Global Legal Studies: Idea Lab on Judicial Dialogues.*” Conference Organizer and Participant. IslandWood, Bainbridge Island, October 11-13, 2018.
- National Science Foundation Conference (SES #1144306). “*Law, Politics and Social Science Research: Future Directions in Comparative and International Approaches.*” Conference Organizer and Participant. IslandWood, Bainbridge Island, September 20-22, 2012.
- “*European Constitutionalism: National, Transnational and International Perspectives.*” Conference Organizer and Participant. University of Washington, Seattle, April 27, 2007.
- “*Courts, Civil Society and Governance: European and International Perspectives.*” Conference Organizer and Participant. University of Washington, Seattle, May 14, 2004.

### Conference Paper Panel Participation (selected)

- *Legal Mobilization and International Litigation.* Paper Panel Presenter. Conference: American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, September 15-18, 2022.
- *Legal Mobilization, Human Rights and Environmental Justice.* Panel presenter. International Studies Association. Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN, March 28, 2022 (virtual).
- “*Amicus Curiae and the European Court of Human Rights.*” Panel presenter. Conference: American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, San Francisco, September 10-13, 2020(virtual).
- “*Trends in Protecting Vulnerable Group’s Rights in Spanish Courts.*” Paper discussant. NSF Conference: Global Law & Politics Network, Annual Conference, University of Bergen, Norway, August 12-13, 2020 (virtual).

- “*Amicus Curiae and International Courts: Friends or Foes?*” Panel organizer and presenter. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, Denver, May 28-31, 2020. (virtual)
- “*Climate Change, Rights and International Courts.*” Panel presenter. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, Toronto, Canada, June 6-8, 2018.
- “*The European Court of Human Rights and Corporations.*” Panel presenter. Conference: Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA, April 4-7, 2018.
- “*International Legal Discourse.*” Panel discussant. Conference: American Society of International Law Meeting, Seattle, WA, November 10-12, 2016.
- “*Legal Mobilization and International Litigation.*” Panel presenter. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, June 1-4, 2016.
- “*The Domestic Effects of European Court of Human Rights Decisions.*” Panel chair and discussant. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, June 1-4, 2016.
- “*Legal Mobilization in Transnational and International Contexts.*” Panel presenter. Conference: West Coast Law & Society Retreat, University of California, Irvine, CA, February 26-27, 2016.
- “*Data and Methods in the Comparative Study of Legal Institutions.*” Panel discussant. Conference: American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, San Francisco, September 3-6, 2015.
- “*Gender Violence, Transnational Activism and the European Court.*” Panel presenter. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, May 28- 31, 2015.
- “*Legal Mobilization and Human Rights Governance.*” Panel presenter. Conference: American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., September 1-4, 2014.
- “*The Future of Sociolegal Graduate Study: Identifying Challenges and Initiating an Agenda for Action.*” Panel presenter. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, May 28- June 1, 2014.
- “*Innovations and Challenges in Socio-legal Graduate Education.*” Roundtable participant. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, May 28- June 1, 2013.
- “*Future Directions in Comparative and International Law Research.*” Chair and Roundtable Organizer. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, May 28- June 1, 2013.
- “*Comparative and International Graduate Training Programs.*” Roundtable participant. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, Honolulu, HI, June 5-8, 2012.
- “*Transnational Activists, the European Court, and the Regionalization of Human Rights Norms.*” Panel presenter. Conference: Law & Society Association, Annual Meeting, Honolulu, HI, June 5-8, 2012.
- “*Law and Social Sciences at the National Science Foundation.*” Roundtable Participant. Conference: Western Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, March 22-24, 2012.
- “*Reactions to: Bleich’s book, The Freedom to be Racist?*” Roundtable participant. Conference: American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Seattle, September 1-4, 2011.

- “*International Courts and Democracy.*” Panel presenter. Conference: International Studies Association, Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, March 16-19, 2011.
- “*Civil Society and ECtHR.*” Panel presenter. Conference: American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Washington D.C, September 1-4, 2010.
- “*The EU as a Regulatory State.*” Chair and Discussant. Conference: European Communities Studies Association – Canada. Victoria, Canada, April 30 – May 1, 2010.
- “*International Organization and Transnational Legal Mobilization: Challenges and Consequences in a Global Era.*” Panel presenter. Conference: West Coast Law & Society Retreat, Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA, October 16-17, 2009.
- “*Human Rights and the EU.*” Chair and Discussant. Conference: European Union Studies Association, Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, April 23-25, 2009.
- “*Courts and Global Democracy.*” Panel presenter. Conference: American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, August 28-31, 2008.
- “*European Institutions and Transnational Mobilization.*” Panel presenter. Conference: American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, 30 August 30 – September 2, 2007.
- “*The European Court of Justice, Supranational Constitutionalism and Civil Society.*” Panel presenter. European Constitutionalism: National, Transnational and International Perspectives Conference, University of Washington, Seattle, April 27, 2007.
- “*Gender Equality and the State in France and Italy.*” Discussant. Conference: Gender Equality and the State in the European Union. University of Washington, Seattle, April 27-28, 2006.
- “*Courts, Democracy and the Expansion of International Human Rights.*” Panel presenter. Conference: American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Washington D.C, September 1-4, 2005.
- “*Graduate Programs in Socio-Legal Studies.*” Panel presenter. Law & Society West Coast Workshop, Berkeley, March 11-12, 2005.
- “*Women, the Law, and Transnational Mobilization in Europe.*” Panel presenter. Conference: European Union Studies Association, Austin, Texas, March 31 – April 2, 2005.
- “*The ECJ and Supranational Constitutionalism.*” Panel presenter. Conference: European Union Studies Association, Austin, Texas, March 31 – April 2, 2005.
- “*Courts, Democracy and the Expansion of International Human Rights.*” Panel presenter. Conference: ECPR SGIR Pan-European Conference, the Hague Netherlands, September 9-11, 2004.
- “*Law, Politics and Society in Europe.*” Panel presenter. Conference: American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, August 27-31, 2003.
- “*Constitutions: Creation and Evolution.*” Panel Discussant. Conference: IPSA Comparative Judicial Research Group, Fort Worth, Texas, March 19-20, 2002.
- “*Women’s Transnational Activism: Political and Legal Mobilization in Europe.*” Panel presenter. Conference: Council of European Studies’ Conference of Europeanists, Chicago, March 14-16, 2002.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seattle WA

LSJ Program, Department of Political Science and UW Law School, 2001-present

### *PhD*

- POL S 565: Topics: Researching Comp & Intl Legal Institutions
- POL S 566: Law in a Global Age
- POL S 561: Law and Politics
- POL S 566: Comparative Law and Politics
- POL S 565: Topics: Gender, Law and International Politics
- POL S 600: Independent Study/Directed Readings
- POL S 800: Dissertation Research

### *Law School*

- LSJ/LAW 495: EU Law in a Global Context (study abroad)
- LSJ/LAW 495: Legal Institutions & Individual Rights: Comparing Italy, the US & Europe (study abroad)
- LAW 800: PhD in Law Dissertation Research

### *Undergraduate*

- POLS 447: Research in Comparative and International Courts (senior seminar)
- POLS 447/LSJ 490: International Justice (senior seminar)
- LSJ 367/POL S 367: Comparative & International Law and Courts (lecture)
- LSJ 327/POL S 327: Women's Rights as Human Rights (lecture)
- LSJ 490D/POL S 447C: Women's Rights and Europe (senior seminar)
- LSJ 401: Law, Societies and Justice Internship Supervisor
- POL S 496: Political Science Internship Supervisor
- POL S 499: Independent Study in Political Science
- LSJ 310: Independent Study/Direct Readings in Law, Societies and Justice
- EURO 498 A Unified Europe? (undergraduate, co-taught)

## SERVICE TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES:

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION, Washington, D.C.

- Grant Proposal Ad Hoc Reviewer (ongoing)
- Grant Review Senior Panel Member and DDRIG Panel Member (ongoing)

## SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION:

LAW & SOCIETY ASSOCIATION

- Board of Trustees (2016-2019)
- Early Career Workshop Program Committee or Mentor, Annual Meeting (2016, 2020)
- West Coast Law & Society Retreat Program Committee (2016)
- Subcommittee on Graduate Programs (2011-2013)

AMERICAN POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION

- Law & Courts Section
  - Lifetime Achievement Award, 2021
  - Executive Council, officer and secretary (2015-2017)
  - Best Journal Article Award Committee, member (2015)
  - Teaching and Mentoring Award Committee, member (2014)
  - *Law & Courts Book Review* Editorial Board, member (2009-2013)

- Professionals Committee, member (2011-2013)
- European Politics and Society Section, Executive Council, member (2006-2009)

### **SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT AND UNIVERSITY:**

OFFICE OF UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AFFAIRS, University of Washington

- Undergraduate Research Symposium Panel Moderator (2020, 2021, 2022)

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES, University of Washington

- Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, Director Review Committee (2020)
- DFASS Committee (direct enrollment), College of Arts and Sciences (2018-2020)
- Steering Committee, Integrated Social Sciences Online Degree Program (2013-2020)
- Political Science Department Chair Review Committee (Fall 2012)
- Law, Societies & Justice Program Director Review Committee (2010)

POLITICAL SCIENCE DEPARTMENT, University of Washington

- Associate Chair (2008-2011, 2016-2018)
- Department Executive Committee (2005-2011; 2014-2015; 2016-2022)
- Public Law Field Coordinator (2011-2015; 2018-2022)
- Full Promotion Review Committee (Fall 2020, 2018, 2021)
- Lev Award Committee (2020)
- Undergraduate Program Committee, Chair (2016-2018)
- Graduate Financial Aid Committee, member (2016-2018)
- Third Year Review Committee, member (2018, 2009)
- Tenure Promotion Review Committee (Fall 2012)
- Graduate Program Committee (2012-2013)
- International Relations and Comparative Politics faculty hiring committee (Fall 2011)
- Department Summer Internship Advisor (2009-2011)
- European Politics faculty hiring committee (2008)
- Undergraduate Committee, member (2001-2005)
- Pi Sigma Alpha, Political Science Honors Society, Dept. Faculty Advisor (2002-2004)

LAW, SOCIETIES AND JUSTICE DEPARTMENT, University of Washington

- Interim Department Chair (2022)
- Director, Comparative Law & Society Studies Center (2011-2015, 2019-2020)
- CLASS Grad Certificate Program Director (2006-2015, 2019-2020)
- Associate Teaching Professor Promotion Committee (2021)
- LSJ Admissions Committee (2015, 2017, 2018, 2021)
- LSJ faculty hiring committee (Fall 2017)
- Stromberg Scholarship Committee (2014-15, 2017)
- LSJ Executive Committee (2012-2013)
- Third Year Review Committee (2013)
- Undergraduate Committee (2002-2006)

### **ACADEMIC JOURNAL AND UNIVERSITY PRESS ACTIVITY:**

Editorial Boards:

- Editorial Board, *Law & Society Review* (2016-present)

Journal Article and Book Manuscript Referee:

*Cambridge University Press; Oxford University Press; Law & Society Review; Law & Social Inquiry; Journal of Law & Courts; International Studies Quarterly; European Law Journal; American Political Science Review; World Politics; American Journal of Political Science; Comparative Political Studies;*

*Journal of Common Market Studies; Women & Politics; European Union Politics; European Journal of International Relations; Journal of European Public Policy; Comparative Politics; International Journal of Comparative Sociology.*

**CONSULTANCY AND NON-ACADEMIC PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

- INSTITUTE FOR EUROPEAN CITIZENSHIP, London, United Kingdom  
*Curriculum Development Consultant (2000)*  
Developed and wrote high school level curriculum on current topics in European Union politics.  
Curriculum is being used in classrooms throughout the 15 member countries of the European Union.
- CALIFORNIA STATE LEGISLATURE, Senator Lucy Killea, San Diego, CA.  
*Legislative Field Representative (1994 - 1995)*
- UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE, US Consulate General Toronto, Canada.  
*Political and Legal Intern (1993)*
- BOSTON UNIVERSITY INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS, London, England.  
*Academic Coordinator (1992 - 1993)*
- BRITISH MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, Andrew Bennett, London, England.  
*Legal Researcher (1992)*

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:**

Law & Society Association; International Studies Association; American Political Science Association.