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EDUCATION

University of Michigan Law School, J.D. 2002

Oxford University, M.Phil. 1996 (Distinction), D.Phil. 1999

Yale University, B.A. 1994 (Distinction)

EXPERIENCE

Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law

Associate Professor of Law, with tenure (Fall 2011 - Present)

Assistant Professor of Law (Fall 2006 - Summer 2011)

Courses: Constitutional Law I

Constitutional Law II

Administrative Law

Perspectives on Counterterrorism (Seminar)

Dr. Don M. Smart Teaching Award (selected by 3L students)	2010-11
Four consecutive selections by students as Graduation Ceremony “Hooder”	2008-11
Golden Mustang Outstanding Faculty Award (University-wide award)	2008-09
Colin Powell Fellow, John Goodwin Tower Center for Political Studies	2008-09
Teaching Fellow, Maguire Center for Ethics & Professional Responsibility	2007-08

Georgetown University, School of Foreign Service Spring 2006

Adjunct Assistant Professor

Course: Russian Law & Legal Reform in Comparative Perspective (Seminar)

U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Division 2003-06

Trial Attorney (Attorney General’s Honors Program)

The Hon. Thomas P. Griesa 2002-03

Law Clerk, United States District Court, S.D.N.Y.

The A.I.R.E. Centre (Advice on Individual Rights in Europe) Summers 2000-02

Intern (London) and Lecturer (Moscow)

The Washington Post 1995-99

Researcher for David Hoffman, Moscow Bureau Chief

WORKS-IN-PROGRESS

1) **MRS. SHIPLEY’S GHOST: THE RIGHT TO TRAVEL & TERRORIST WATCHLISTS (University of Michigan Press, forthcoming 2012).**

Today, when a single person can turn an airplane into a guided missile, no one objects to rigorous security before flying. But can the state simply declare some people too dangerous to travel, ever and anywhere? What is protected by the fundamental right of Americans to travel? Should the mode of travel (car, plane, or boat) or itinerary (domestic or international) make a constitutional difference? This book explores the legal and policy questions raised by government travel restrictions, from passports and rubber stamps to computerized terrorist watchlists.

2) ***Pretextualism, the Rule of Law, and the Good Official*, law review article-in-progress.**

How should citizens in a republic bound by the rule of law regard the pretextual use of law by state officials? If the United States Supreme Court is any indicator of the answer in our own republic, we are pretty ambivalent about pretext. Sometimes we don’t care very much, e.g. the pretextual use of traffic stops upheld in *Whren v. United States* (1996). Sometimes, we care a great deal. In *Kelo v. City of New London* (2005), the Supreme Court categorically rejected the idea that government officials may “be allowed to take property under the mere pretext of a public purpose, when [their] actual purpose was to bestow a private benefit.” Justice Frankfurter long ago chastised the Court for sustaining a law “because Congress wrapped the legislation in the verbal cellophane of a revenue measure.” The concept of limited and enumerated powers seems to suggest a general disapproval of pretext, made explicit as early as *McCulloch v. Maryland*. Does repeated pretextualism — whether one is making or enforcing the law — weaken the rule of law? When tempted to use a law for an unintended purpose, how should the “good” official (read the adjective however you like) distinguish an innovative use from a destructive one? My own motivation for this research stems from concern that using law to achieve an objective that the law was clearly unintended to achieve might do something destructive to the rule of law itself. Maybe it does some harm to the official who wields power in that pretextual way, too, an official who may be the worst-placed government agent to exercise the sort of discretion that creative administration of the law demands. Pretextualism may be habit-forming and, like cigarettes, unhealthy.

3) ***The Legal System, Government, Judiciary, and Rule of Law in Russia* (with Nikolay Balayan), in AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION RUSSIA LAW DESKBOOK (ABA Int’l Law Section, forthcoming 2012).**

This introductory chapter was requested by the vice-chair of the ABA’s Russia-Eurasia Committee to lead off a 20-chapter edited volume on discrete topics in contemporary Russian law with chapters written by leading American and Russian lawyers practicing or writing in the field. It is intended to assist practitioners with clients and issues concerned with Russian law.

PUBLICATIONS

Book:

FEDERALISM, DEMOCRATIZATION AND THE RULE OF LAW IN RUSSIA. Oxford University Press, 2002.

Selected Reviews:

William E. Butler, *Federalism or Federationism*, 100 MICH. L. REV. 1444-52 (2002) (“... I have not seen a better account, or a more perceptive one, in any language. ... Kahn’s study is the best and the most thoughtful account available of the early experience.”);

Pamela Jordan, *Review*, 63 THE RUSSIAN REVIEW 359-60 (2004) (“It is indispensable for students of Russian political institutions and a valuable addition to the literature on comparative federalism.”);

Donald Hancock, *Review*, 64 SLAVIC REVIEW 208-09 (2005) (“[B]rings an exemplary combination of academic expertise to this meticulously researched and comprehensive analysis”).

Academic Journals:

U.S. Legal Topics

International Travel and the Constitution, 56 UCLA L. REV. 271-350 (2008).

Zoya’s Standing Problem, or, When Should the Constitution Follow the Flag? 108 MICH. L. REV. 673-725 (2010).

No-Limit Texas Hold’em, or, The Voir Dire in Dallas County, 13 GREEN BAG 2D 383-97 (2010).

Ten Questions on National Security (invited essay), 36 WM. MITCHELL L. REV. 5041-60 (2010).

The Extraordinary Mrs. Shipley: How the United States Controlled International Travel before the Age of Terrorism, 43 CONN. L. REV. 819-888 (2011).

The Case of Colonel Abel, 5 JOURNAL OF NATIONAL SECURITY LAW & POLICY 263-301 (2011).

Russian Legal Topics

The Unification of Law in the Russian Federation (with A. Trochev & N. Balayan), 25 POST-SOVIET AFFAIRS 310-46 (Oct.-Dec. 2009) (to be published in REPORT FOR THE INTERMEDIARY CONGRESS OF THE INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF COMPARATIVE LAW (UNAM, forthcoming)).

Vladimir Putin & the Rule of Law in Russia, 36 GA. J. INT’L & COMP. L. 511-58 (2008) (lead article) (quoted in New York Times editorial, *Russia’s Dictatorship of Law*, Nov. 21, 2010, Week in Review Section, p. 7).

Russia’s Criminal Procedure Code Five Years Out (with W. Burnham) 33 REV. OF CENTRAL & E. EUR. LAW 1-93 (2008) (lead article).

The Search for the Rule of Law in Russia, 37 GEO. J. INT'L L. 353-409 (2006).

Russia's "Dictatorship of Law" and the European Court of Human Rights, 29 REV. OF CENTRAL & E. EUR. LAW 1-14 (2004) (lead article).

Russian Compliance with Articles Five & Six of the European Convention of Human Rights as a Barometer of Legal Reform & Human Rights in Russia, 35 MICH. J. L. REFORM 641-94 (2002) (translated into Russian and published as Кан Джеффри. Исполнение Россией ст. 5 и 6 ЕКПЧ как показатель соблюдения прав человека // Российский бюллетень по правам человека. № 17 (2003), available at: <http://www.hrrights.ru/text/b17/bul17.htm>).

The Parade of Sovereignties: Establishing the Vocabulary of the New Russian Federalism, 16 POST-SOVIET AFFAIRS 58-89 (2000).

Chapters in Edited Volumes:

The Rule-of-Law Factor, in INSTITUTIONS, IDEAS AND LEADERSHIP IN RUSSIAN POLITICS 159-83 (J. Newton & Wm. Tompson eds., Palgrave Macmillan, 2010).

Adversarial Principles and the Case File in Russian Criminal Procedure, in RUSSIA AND THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE: TEN YEARS AFTER 107-33 (K. Malfliet & S. Parmentier eds., Palgrave Macmillan, 2010).

Presentation of Jeffrey Kahn, OCCASIONAL PAPER #304: THE RUSSIAN CONSTITUTION AT FIFTEEN: ASSESSMENTS & CURRENT CHALLENGES TO RUSSIA'S LEGAL DEVELOPMENT 54-59 (F. Joseph Dresen & Wm. E. Pomeranz eds., Washington, D.C.: Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, 2010).

Комментарий, ВЕРХОВЕНСТВО ПРАВА И ПРОБЛЕМЫ ЕГО ОБЕСПЕЧЕНИЯ В ПРАВОПРИМЕНИТЕЛЬНОЙ ПРАКТИКЕ (Москва: Издательство «Статут», 2009).

Putin's Federal Reforms: A Legal-Institutional Perspective, in BEYOND THE GARDEN RING: DIMENSIONS OF RUSSIAN REGIONALISM 73-109 (M. Kivinen & K. Pynnöniemi eds., Helsinki: Kikumora, 2002).

What Is The New Russian Federalism?, in CONTEMPORARY RUSSIAN POLITICS: A READER 374-83 (Archie Brown ed., Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2001).

Федерализм и федератция, and *Федерализм и демократия*, in ОСНОВЫ ТЕОРИИ И ПРАКТИКИ ФЕДЕРАЛИЗМА: ПОСОБИЕ ДЛЯ СТУДЕНТОВ ВЫСШИХ УЧЕБНЫХ ЗАВЕДЕНИЙ 9-22 (K. Malfliet & L. Nasyrova eds., Garant, 1999).

Federalism, Democracy and Asymmetry: Issues in Comparative Perspective, in FEDERALISM: CHOICES IN LAW, INSTITUTIONS AND POLICY. A COMPARATIVE APPROACH WITH FOCUS ON THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION 23-39 (K. Malfliet & L. Nasyrova eds., Garant, 1998).

Government Publications:

Report Prepared for the Council of the President of the Russian Federation for the Development of Civil Society and Human Rights regarding the Verdict of the Khamovnichesky District Court of the City of Moscow against M.B. Khodorkovsky and P.L. Lebedev, Criminal Case No. 1-23/10 (Oct. 1, 2011).

“Sensitive but Unclassified” cable from American Embassy Yerevan to the Secretary of State, Department of Justice, and Department of Commerce, Yerevan 01419 (Oct. 10, 2006).

“An Assessment of the Russian Federation Criminal Procedure Code in Moscow & Krasnoyarsk, Oct. 15 – Nov. 5, 2005,” Final Report for OPDAT, Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice (Feb. 7, 2006).

“Unclassified” cable from American Embassy Moscow to the Secretary of State, Department of Justice, and Department of Commerce, Moscow (Nov. 14, 2005).

Other Print Periodicals and Invited Contributions to Electronic Periodicals:

Guest Blogger, CONCURRING OPINIONS (<http://www.concurringopinions.com/?author=10042>) (November - December 2011) (by invitation).

Forum: A Response to ‘Connecting the Dots and the Christmas Plot,’ HARV. NAT’L SECURITY J., (http://www.harvardnsj.com/wp-content/uploads/2010/01/Forum_Kahn_1.27.10_v3.pdf) Jan. 27, 2010 (by invitation).

Guest Blogger, CONCURRING OPINIONS (<http://www.concurringopinions.com/?author=10042>) (January 2010) (by invitation).

Professor Frederick C. Moss, or, The Education of a Junior Colleague, 63 SMU L. REV. 933-37 (2010) (by invitation).

International Travel and the Constitution, 30 ABA NATIONAL SECURITY LAW REPORT 13-15 (Nov./Dec. 2008) (by invitation).

Moscow vs. Kazan: Constitutions on Trial, 3 RADIO FREE EUR./RADIO LIBERTY RUSSIAN POL. WKLY., June 20, 2003.

Which Federalism is Right for Iraq? 7 RADIO FREE EUR./RADIO LIBERTY NEWSLINE, May 5, 2003.

Opening the Floodgates? MOSCOW TIMES 8 (July 18, 2002).

Political Palimpsests: Reform of Republican Constitutions, 2 RFE/RL RUSSIA REP., July 17, 2002.

A Marriage of Convenience: Russia & the European Court of Human Rights, 2 RFE/RL RUSSIA REP., June 19, 2002.

Canaries in the Coalmine: Early Warning Signals for Putin's Federal Reforms, 4 RFE/RL RUSS. FED'N REP., Feb. 13, 2002.

Commissioned Book Reviews:

Review of Alexei Trochev, *JUDGING RUSSIA: CONSTITUTIONAL COURT IN RUSSIAN POLITICS, 1990-2006* (Cambridge University Press, 2008) *in* 68 *SLAVIC REVIEW* 729-30 (2009).

Review of Peter Söderlund, *THE DYNAMICS OF FEDERALISM IN RUSSIA: A STUDY OF FORMAL AND INFORMAL POWER RESOURCES OF THE REGIONAL CHIEF EXECUTIVES IN RUSSIAN CENTRE-REGION RELATIONS* (Åbo Akademi, 2006), *in* 60 *EUROPE-ASIA STUDIES* 700-01 (2008).

Review of W. Burnham, P. Maggs, & G. Danilenko, *LAW & LEGAL SYSTEM OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION* (3d ed., Juris, 2004), *in* 33 *REV. OF CENTRAL & E. EUR. LAW* 239- 47 (2008).

Review of Yoshiko M. Herrera, *IMAGINED COMMUNITIES: THE SOURCES OF RUSSIAN REGIONALISM* (Cambridge University Press, 2005), *in* 65 *THE RUSSIAN REVIEW* 354-56 (2006).

Review of Josephine Andrews, *WHEN MAJORITIES FAIL: THE RUSSIAN PARLIAMENT, 1990-1993*. (Cambridge University Press, 2002), *in* 63 *THE RUSSIAN REVIEW* 551-52 (2004).

Review of William E. Butler, *RUSSIAN LAW* (Oxford University Press, 2d ed. 2003), *CIVIL CODE OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION, PARTS I, II, & III* (Oxford University Press, 2003), *and* *RUSSIAN COMPANY AND COMMERCIAL LEGISLATION* (Oxford University Press, 2003), *in* 29 *REV. OF CENTRAL & E. EUR. LAW* 421-28 (2004).

ACADEMIC LECTURES, CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS, AND SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

Presenter (1 of 2 invited speakers), at moderated seminar entitled “Russia on the Eve of Presidential Elections – Stagnation, Crisis or Reform?” at the Swedish Institute of International Affairs (“UI”), Stockholm, Sweden, February 2, 2012.

Public lecture entitled “The Second Conviction of Mikhail Khodorkovsky: Implications for Russian Legal Reform and the European Court of Human Rights,” Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki, in Helsinki, Finland, February 1, 2012.

Public lecture entitled “After Twenty Years: Russia, Human Rights, and Legal Reform,” at the Russian & Eurasian Studies Seminar at St. Antony’s College, Oxford University, Jan. 30, 2012.

Public lecture entitled “The Second Conviction of Mikhail Khodorkovsky: Implications for Russian Legal Reform and the European Court of Human Rights,” at the Norwegian Institute for International Affairs (“NUPI”) in Oslo, Norway, January 27, 2012.

Invited Speaker, University of Michigan Center for Russian, East European & Eurasian Studies “Brown Bag Lecture Series,” January 18, 2012.

Invited Speaker, University of Michigan Center for Russian, East European & Eurasian Studies “Russian Law Workshop,” January 17, 2012.

Organizer and Presenter, AALS National Conference “Hot Topics” Panel entitled “The Dictatorship of Law: The Khodorkovsky Case, Human Rights, and the Rule of Law in Russia,” Washington D.C., January 6, 2012.

– 2011 –

Presentation at the University of Connecticut School of Law, entitled “Mrs. Shipley’s Ghost: The Right to Travel and the Challenge of Terrorism,” November 14, 2011.

Commentator to presentation by retired Chief Justice Pius Langa, Symposium on the South African Constitutional Court, SMU Dedman School of Law, May 12, 2011.

Presentation at SMU Ethics Colloquy, entitled “Pretextualism,” April 13, 2011.

Presentation at Stanford Law School, entitled “Mrs. Shipley’s Ghost: The Right to Travel and the Challenge of Terrorism,” March 30, 2011.

Invited Presenter, Panel on “National Security Law: Terrorism, International Travel, and Cybersecurity,” at the conference “Liberty Through the Rule of Law,” 2011 J. Reuben Clark Law Society Conference, Southern Methodist University, February 18, 2011.

Presentation at the Lewis & Clark School of Law, entitled “Mrs. Shipley’s Ghost: The Right to Travel and the Challenge of Terrorism,” February 15, 2011.

– 2010 –

Invited Presenter, “The Case of Colonel Abel,” at the conference “Russian Law at the Crossroads: Legal Theory, Practice and Scholarship in Contemporary Russia,” at the Faculty of Law and Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, University of Helsinki, Finland, Oct. 28-29, 2010.

Presentation at the University of Wisconsin School of Law, entitled “International Travel, National Security, and the U.S. Constitution,” October 15, 2010.

Public Lecture, “The Case of Colonel Abel: What the Prosecution of a Master Soviet Spy Teaches about American and Russian Criminal Justice,” Center for Russia, East Europe, and Central Asia, University of Wisconsin, Oct. 14, 2010.

Invited Speaker, “The Case of Colonel Abel,” Madison Council on Foreign Relations, Madison, Wisconsin, Oct. 14, 2010.

Guest Lecturer on the European Court of Human Rights in Professor Kathryn Hendley’s course, “Comparative Law” (Law 818), University of Wisconsin School of Law, Oct. 14, 2010.

Invited Presenter for Plenary Session, “The Case of Colonel Abel,” at the conference “Criminal Justice: Connections Through Time,” Herzen State Pedagogical University, St. Petersburg, Russia, Oct. 6-8, 2010.

Invited Presenter, Michigan State Jr. Faculty Workshop, “The Extraordinary Mrs. Shipley: How the United States Controlled International Travel before the Age of Terrorism,” Michigan State University, Oct. 1, 2010.

Invited Presenter, Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum, “The Extraordinary Mrs. Shipley: How the United States Controlled International Travel before the Age of Terrorism,” Yale Law School, June 18-19, 2010.

Organizer and Moderator, “Russia, Europe, and Human Rights,” a symposium honoring Karinna Moskalenko, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, May 14, 2010.

Invited Panelist, “Russia’s Expanding Engagement with International Law in Trade, Human Rights, and Energy Investments,” Harriman Institute, Columbia University, New York, April 23, 2010.

Discussant, 3rd Annual National Security Law Workshop, Univ. of Texas School of Law, Austin, April 2, 2010.

– 2009 –

Invited Panelist, “From 9-11 Through Guantanamo, Iraq, and Afghanistan: Recent Developments in National Security Law,” Appellate Judges Education Institute 2009 Summit, Orlando, Florida, November 20, 2009.

Invited Panelist, Roundtable on Law and Politics in Contemporary Russia, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, 41st National Convention, Boston, Massachusetts, November 14, 2009.

Presentation to Delegation of Jurists, Government Officials, Scholars and Private Citizens of the Republic of Indonesia, on “Federalism in American and Comparative Perspective,” Rule-of-Law Forum at SMU Dedman School of Law, October 2, 2009.

Invited Participant, 3rd Int’l Roundtable on the Supremacy of Law, Moscow, Russia, June 5, 2009.

Presentation at Meeting of the Executive Board, SMU Dedman School of Law, entitled “Fear, Lawfare, and Access to Court,” Dallas, Texas, Apr. 21, 2009.

Presentation at Willamette University College of Law entitled “Zoya’s Standing Problem, or, When Should the Constitution Follow the Flag?” Salem, Oregon, Apr. 14, 2009.

Presentation at SMU Dedman School of Law Faculty Forum, entitled “Zoya’s Standing Problem, or, When Should the Constitution Follow the Flag?” SMU Dedman School of Law, Apr. 1, 2009.

Presentation entitled “Russian Federalism at Fifteen,” as part of the conference “The Russian Constitution at Fifteen: Assessments and Current Challenges to Russia’s Legal Development,” at the Kennan Institute, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Mar. 19, 2009.

– 2008 –

Presentation as Lead National Reporter, “The Unification of Law in the Russian Federation,” part of the general report “National Unification of Laws in Federal Systems,” Thematic Congress of the International Academy of Comparative Law, Mexico City, Nov. 13, 2008.

Public Lecture at the University of Oklahoma for the Presidential Dream Course Program entitled “The Rule of Law in Russia,” Norman, Oklahoma, Nov. 6, 2008.

Presentation at University of Minnesota Law School Works-in-Progress Forum entitled

“International Travel, National Security, and the Constitution in War and Peace,” Minneapolis, Minnesota, Oct. 16, 2008.

Presentation at Villanova School of Law entitled “International Travel and the Constitution,” Villanova, Pennsylvania, Oct. 3, 2008.

Commentator, Colloquium on Law and Citizenship (paper by Leti Volpp entitled “Engendering Culture: Citizenship, Identity, and Belonging,”), SMU Dedman School of Law, Oct. 1, 2008.

Radio interview on “NPR Morning Edition,” KERA Public Radio, Sept. 23, 2008 (“Supporters Rally Outside Holy Land Foundation Courthouse”).

Radio interview on “NPR Morning Edition,” KERA Public Radio, Sept. 22, 2008 (“Opening Arguments Presented in Holy Land Foundation Retrial”).

Interview, Evening Edition “Fox 4 News,” KDFW-TV, June 12, 2008 (“Body Scanning Begins at D/FW Airport”).

Presentation at the 2008 Joint Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association and the Canadian Law and Society Association, entitled “International Travel and the U.S. Constitution During the War on Terror,” Montreal, May 30, 2008.

Presentation to Delegation of Jurists, Government Officials, Scholars and Private Citizens of the Republic of Indonesia, on “The United States Department of Justice & American Efforts to Combat Transnational Crime, Organized Crime, & Terrorism,” Rule-of-Law Forum at SMU Dedman School of Law, May 25, 2008.

Presentation at the National Security Law Junior Faculty Workshop, entitled “International Travel and the U.S. Constitution,” Wake Forest University School of Law, May 23, 2008. Lecture entitled “Vladimir Putin, Dmitrii Medvedev, and the Rule of Law in Russia,” at the Dallas Bar Association, International Law Section, May 20, 2008.

Participant, 3rd Annual Comparative Law Work-in-Progress Workshop, University of Michigan Law School, May 15-16, 2008.

Lecture entitled “The Rule of Law and its Implications for Russia,” at the Society of International Business Fellows Dallas Briefing, SMU Dedman School of Law, May 5, 2008.

Public Lecture entitled “Vladimir Putin and the Rule of Law” at the Kennan Institute, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Apr. 17, 2008.

Presentation at the 11th Annual Meeting of the Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, entitled “International Travel and the U.S. Constitution During the War on Terror,” Boalt Hall, UC Berkeley, California, Mar. 28, 2008.

Presentation at Texas Wesleyan School of Law Faculty Colloquium, entitled “International Travel and the U.S. Constitution during the War on Terror,” Ft. Worth, Texas, Feb. 19, 2008.

Presentation at SMU Dedman School of Law Faculty Forum, entitled “International Travel and the U.S. Constitution during the War on Terror,” SMU Dedman School of Law, Feb. 14, 2008.

Presentation at AALS National Conference, Section on International Human Rights Law, entitled “Thoughts Toward Protection of a Right to International Travel,” New York, Jan. 6, 2008.

– 2007 –

Presentation to Delegation of Jurists, Government Officials, Scholars and Private Citizens of the People’s Republic of China, on “The U.S. Department of Justice and American Efforts to Combat Transnational Crime, Organized Crime, and Terrorism,” Rule-of-Law Forum at SMU Dedman School of Law, Nov. 11, 2007.

Presentation entitled “Adversarial Principles & the Case File in Russian Criminal Procedure,” at Expert Seminar “Russia & the Council of Europe: 10 Years After,” Katholieke Universiteit Leuven (Belgium), Oct. 26, 2007.

Public lecture entitled “Vladimir Putin and the Rule of Law” at the Norwegian Institute for International Affairs (“NUPI”) in Oslo, Norway, Oct. 24, 2007.

Public lecture entitled “Vladimir Putin and the Rule of Law” at the Russian and Eurasian Studies Seminar at St. Antony’s College, Oxford University, Oct. 22, 2007.

Presentation of paper entitled “Russia’s Hybrid Criminal Procedure Code,” at the conference “Law and Society in the 21st Century,” Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, July 27, 2007.

Presentation of paper “International Travel and the U.S. Constitution during the War on Terror,” at the 4th Annual Gloucester Summer Legal Conference, Gloucester, England, July 21, 2007.

Nationally aired radio interview on “Morning Edition,” National Public Radio, July 16, 2007 (“Legal Affairs: Jury Selection Starts in Case Against Muslim Charity”).

Small Group Discussion Leader (Group included former Associate Justice Sandra Day O’Connor and former Texas Supreme Court Chief Justice Thomas R. Phillips), Fair and Independent Courts: A Conference on Judicial Independence, Selection and Accountability, SMU Dedman School of Law, Apr. 4, 2007.

Participant and Draftsman of Topics for Discussion, United States Supreme Court / European Court of Justice Judicial Summit, Washington D.C., Feb. 21, 2007.

– 2006 –

Closed-Door Briefing and Presentation to Republic of Armenia Minister of Justice Davit Harutyunyan & Deputy Minister Ashot Abovian on “Drafting Legislation Concerning Forensic Examinations,” Ministry of Justice, Yerevan, Armenia, Sept. 14, 2006.

Presentation to Matriculating L.L.M. Students on “American Constitutional Law and Civil Procedure,” Southern Methodist University, Dedman School of Law, Aug. 18, 2006.

Presentation to Delegation from the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan, on “Federalism in Comparative Perspective,” Rule-of-Law Forum at SMU Dedman School of Law, July 31, 2006.

Presentation to Faculty on “Russia’s Hybrid Criminal Procedure Code,” Southern Methodist University, Dedman School of Law, Jan. 20, 2006.

– 2005 –

Lecture to the Krasnoyarsk Bar Association on “The Work of an American Criminal Defense Attorney,” Chamber of Advocates, Krasnoyarsk, Russia, Oct. 28, 2005. (N.B. Lecture delivered in official capacity as a representative of the U.S. Department of Justice.)

Presentation of paper entitled “The Search for the Rule of Law in Russia,” at the conference “Political Institutions, Political Culture and Political Leadership in the Soviet Union and Russia,” St. Antony’s College, Oxford University, June 25, 2005.

– 1999-2003 –

Presentation of paper entitled “Russia’s ‘Dictatorship of Law’ and the European Court of Human Rights,” at Conference in Honor of the 50th Anniversary of the Russian and Eurasian Studies Centre, St. Antony’s College, Oxford University, July 5, 2003.

Presentation entitled “Putin’s Federal Reforms: A Legal-Institutional Perspective,” at Conference “Dimensions of Russian Regionalism,” Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki, Nov. 23, 2001.

Presentation of paper entitled “Dictators in Law? The Uses and Abuses of Constitutionalism in Russia’s Republics,” at the conference “Ten Years of Post-Communist Russia,” European University of St. Petersburg, Russia, May 24-26, 2001.

Presentation entitled “The Crooked Timber of Russian Federalism,” University of Michigan, Institute of Social Research, Dec. 11, 2000.

Presentation entitled “From the ‘Parade of Sovereignities’ to the ‘Dictatorship of Laws’: What is the New Russian Federalism?” Kellogg Institute for Int’l Studies, University of Notre Dame, Nov. 28, 2000.

Numerous presentations on the European Court of Human Rights at Council of Europe/ A.I.R.E. Centre for Human Rights Summer School, Moscow, June 2002, July 2001, July 2000.

Presentation entitled “A Federal Façade: Russia’s Republics in Transition,” at St. Antony’s College, Oxford University, Centre for Russian & East European Studies, May 10, 1999.

PRIZES & AWARDS

Dr. Don M. Smart Teaching Award (selected by 3L students), 2011.

Summer Research Grant Recipient, SMU Dedman School of Law, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007 & 2006.

Golden Mustang Outstanding Faculty Award (University-wide award), SMU, 2008-09.

Colin Powell Faculty Fellowship, Tower Center for Political Studies, SMU, 2008-09.

Teaching Fellow, Maguire Center for Ethics & Professional Responsibility, SMU, 2007-08.

Grant Recipient, University of Michigan International Institute, 2001 & 2000.

Hodgson Martin Prize for Best Dissertation in the Centre for Russian & E. Eur. Studies, Oxford, 1999.

Distinction awarded in M.Phil. (sole recipient in graduating class), Oxford University, 1996.
Overseas Research Students Award, Committee of Vice-Chancellors and Principals of the
Universities of the United Kingdom, 1995-96.

Distinction awarded in Philosophy and International Studies, Yale University, 1994.

PROFESSIONAL AND SCHOLARLY ORGANIZATIONS

State Bar of Michigan (Active Status)
Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies
Dallas Committee on Foreign Relations

UNIVERSITY & PUBLIC SERVICE

Founding Member, Advisory Board, SMU Embrey Human Rights Education Program.
Provost's Search Committee for Professor of Presidential Studies/Director of Presidential History.

Law School Committees:
Curriculum (2007-08);
Judicial Clerkship (Chair, 2012-);
Endowed Lecturers;
Reputation.

LANGUAGE Russian

INTERESTS Sailing, Chinese Chess (Xiang Qi), Tennis