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Education

1993	Ph.D. University of Chicago (History of Religions/History of Christianity)
1982-85	Catholic Theological Union, Chicago
1976	J.D. University of Chicago
1971	B.A. Cornell University (Theatre Arts)

Fellowships/visitorships

2025-2026	Visiting Scholar, American Bar Foundation
Fall 2021	Visiting Professor, Chair in the Study of Religion, Sciences Po, Paris
2017-2018	Visiting Scholar, American Bar Foundation
2010-2011	Member, School of Social Science, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, N.J. (Friends of the Institute for Advanced Study Member)
	Fellow Traveler, Law and Public Affairs, Princeton University.
2010-2011	Fellowship, American Council of Learned Societies
2010-2011	Fellow, Guggenheim Foundation
2006-2007	Fellow, National Humanities Center (Lilly Endowment Fellow)
2005-2006	Senior Fellow, Martin Marty Center, University of Chicago Divinity School
2005-2006	Visiting Scholar, American Bar Foundation
Jan-May 2001	Visiting Fellowship, School of Advanced Study, University of London (declined)
1995-96	Young Scholar in American Religion, Center for the Study of Religion and American Culture, Indiana University and Purdue University at Indianapolis.
1993-94	Post-doctoral Scholar, Institute for the Advanced Study of Religion, University of Chicago.
1992-93	Junior Fellow, Institute for the Advanced Study of Religion, University of Chicago
1992-93	Charlotte Newcombe Dissertation Fellowship
1990-91	Divinity School Fellow, University of Chicago

Grants

2024-27	The Luce Foundation. Co-PI with Constance Furey, Sarah Imhoff, and Cooper Harriss. For the Center of Religion and the Human. (\$750K over three years.)
2023	College of Arts and Sciences Humanities Institute Fellowship. Indiana University. For “ <i>The Books of Jacob</i> Reading and Writing Group” (with Sonia Velázquez) (\$5K)
2023	IU Medieval Studies Institute for maps for Joan of Arc book. (\$1400)
2023	IU Grant-in-Aid for “Noli Me Tangere” exhibit. (\$3K)
2022-23	IRCPL. Columbia University. Joint Projects grant for “ <i>The Books of Jacob</i> Reading and Writing Group” Co-PI with Courtney Bender and Clémence Boulouque (\$15K)
2022-25	The Luce Foundation. Co-PI with J. Kameron Carter. “Unstately Black Religion” (\$250K)
2021-22	College Arts & Humanities Institute Fellowship. Indiana University. Two course releases
2019	College of Arts and Sciences. Indiana University. “The Religion of Karl Ove Knausgaard” (\$3000)
2019	College Arts & Humanities Institute. Indiana University. “The Religion of Karl Ove Knausgaard” (\$2000)
2019-24	OVPR. Indiana University. (with Constance Furey and Lisa Sideris). Center for Religion and the Human. \$500K.
2019-24	The Luce Foundation. Co-PI (with Constance Furey and Lisa Sideris). “Being Human” (\$1m)
2017-18	College Arts & Humanities Institute. Indiana University. “The Religion of Karl Ove Knausgaard” (\$6500)
2016-2019	The Luce Foundation. Co-PI (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd) on “The Politics of Religion at Home and Abroad.” (\$390K) http://buffett.northwestern.edu/programs/religion-home-abroad/
2014	The Luce Foundation. Workshop grant on “Normalizing Religion” (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd and Robert Orsi)
2010-2014	The Luce Foundation. Project team member (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd, Saba Mahmood, and Peter Danchin), “Politics of Religious Freedom: Contested Norms and Local Practices” (\$500K) http://iiss.berkeley.edu/politics-of-religious-freedom
2009-2016	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (Canada). Co-investigator on Major Collaborative Research Initiative: “Religion and Diversity in Canada”. (Principal Investigator: Professor Lori Beaman, Canada Research Chair in the Contextualization of Religion in a Diverse Canada at the University of Ottawa.) www.religionanddiversity.ca
2010	The Baldy Center for Law & Social Policy Research Grant
2009	American Academy of Religion Research Grant (with Robert Yelle)

March 2009	The Baldy Center for Law & Social Policy Conference Grant
March 2008	The Baldy Center for Law & Social Policy Conference Grant.
Summer 1999	Glenn Grant for Summer Research, Washington & Lee University
Summer 1997	Glenn Grant for Summer Research, Washington & Lee University
Spring 1997	Class of '65 Endowment for Excellence in Teaching Grant, Washington & Lee University (with Alexandra Brown)

Awards and Honors

2020	Elected Member, American Academy of Arts & Sciences
2017	Winner, The Martin E. Marty Award for the Public Understanding of Religion (awarded by the American Academy of Religion) http://rsn.aarweb.org/columns/winnifred-fallers-sullivan-2017-marty-award-winner
2015	Winner, AAR Book Award for Excellence in the analytical-descriptive studies category

Endowed Lectures/Short-term Visitorships

April 2025	The Perry Endowed Lecture in the Study of Religion. Whitman College.
December 2023	Visiting Professor. University of Insubria. Como.
October 2021	Visiting Professor. University of Insubria. Como.
April 2019	Inaugural Joachim Viens Annual Memorial Lecture. World Wisdoms Project. Ft. Collins, CO
March 2019	The Roetzel Family Lecture in Religious Studies. University of Minnesota.
September 2017	Hearst Visiting Lecturer, University of Northern Iowa
May 2017	Krzysztof Michałek Memorial Lecture in American Studies, University of Warsaw
April 2017	Distinguished Lecture on Religion and Public Life, University of Missouri-Columbia
April 2017	Ratner Lecture in Religion at Case Western Reserve University
Spring 2015	Visiting Scholar, UW-Madison Center for the Humanities
March 2015	Loy H. Witherspoon Lecture in Religious Studies. University of North Carolina at Charlotte
February 2015	Danforth Lecture, Princeton University
February 2015	Visiting Research Consultant. <i>Inquiry on Law and Religious Freedom</i> , Center for Theological Inquiry. Princeton NJ
October 2014	Berkeley Lecture on Religious Tolerance. University of California at Berkeley.
February 2014	Arthur C. Wickenden Lecturer, Miami University, Ohio.
March 2013	Oen Visiting Fellow, Luther College, Decorah, Iowa.

May 2012	Visiting Professor, University of Insubria, Como, Italy.
April 2008	Mattingly Distinguished Visiting Scholar. Nebraska Wesleyan University.
September 2005	John Randolph Tucker Memorial Lecturer. Washington & Lee University.

Employment

2012-	Professor, Department of Religious Studies. Indiana University Bloomington. Provost Professor as of 2019; Founding Director, Center for Religion and the Human; Affiliated Professor of Law, Maurer School of Law; and Affiliated Faculty member, Islamic Studies Program. Chair, Department of Religious Studies 2012-2017.
2010-2012	Professor of Law, University at Buffalo Law School, The State University of New York.
2006-2010	Associate Professor of Law, University at Buffalo Law School, The State University of New York.
2000-2005	Dean of Students and Senior Lecturer in the Anthropology and Sociology of Religion, University of Chicago Divinity School
1994-2000	Assistant Professor, Department of Religion, Washington and Lee University
1981	Assistant to the Director, Bureau of Competition, Federal Trade Commission
1980-1981	Attorney-Adviser to Commissioner Robert Pitofsky, Federal Trade Commission
1976-1982	Attorney, Keck, Mahin & Cate, Chicago
1975-1976	Editorial Assistant, <i>Supreme Court Review</i>
Summer 1975	Summer Associate, Keck, Mahin & Cate, Chicago
Summer 1974	Research Assistant to Professor Hans Zeisel, University of Chicago Law School Sentencing Project
1971-1973	Assistant Costume Designer, Cornell University Theatre Department

Publications

Books

Making a King: The Political Theology of Joan of Arc (forthcoming 2026 from Columbia University Press).

The Abyss or Life is Simple: Reading Knausgaard, Writing Religion (co-authored with Courtney Bender, Jeremy Biles, Liane Carlson, Joshua Dubler, Hannah Garvey, Cooper Harriss, and Erik Thorstensen) (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2022).

Book forum: <https://tif.ssrc.org/category/book-blog/book-forums/experimental-books/>

Church State Corporation: Construing Religion in US Law. Chicago: University of Chicago Press (2020).

American Academy of Religion: Shortlist AAR Award for Excellence - Analytical-Descriptive Studies

Book forum: <https://tif.ssrc.org/category/book-blog/book-forums/church-state-corporation/>

Book forum: <https://politicaltheology.com/symposium/from-the-sovereign-to-the-church/>

Review: Kellen Funk, "Propertied Rites." *Constitutional Commentary* 36(2021): 175-211. <https://hdl.handle.net/11299/221623>

Review: Lael Weinberger, "Religious Liberty in Law" *The Marginalia Review*. <https://themarginaliareview.com/religious-liberty-in-law/>

Review: Feldberg, Michael (12/01/2021). "Church State Corporation: Construing Religion in U.S. Law." *The Journal of American History* (Bloomington, Ind.) (0021-8723), 108 (3), p. 638.

Ekklesia: Three Inquiries in Church and State. For the TRIOS series. (co-authored with Paul Christopher Johnson and Pamela E. Klassen). Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2018.

Reviews:

<http://readingreligion.org/books/ekklesia>

<https://www.publicbooks.org/something-there-is-that-doesnt-love-a-wall/>

<https://academic.oup.com/socrel/article-abstract/80/1/142/5236584?redirectedFrom=fulltext>

<http://nr.ucpress.edu/content/22/4/141>

<https://academic.oup.com/jcs/article/61/2/311/5420296>

<https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/journal-of-law-and-religion/article/ekklesia-three-inquiries-in-church-and-state-by-paul-christopher-johnson-pamela-e-klassen-and-winnifred-fallers-sullivan-chicago-university-of-chicago-press-2018-pp-262-2750-paper-isbn-9780226545585/AB9EDE5701B7A4BB1250D079579860A0>

<https://www.jstor.org/stable/10.2979/amerreli.2.1.21?seq=1>

A Ministry of Presence: Chaplaincy, Spiritual Care, and the Law. Chicago: University of Chicago Press. (2014)

Winner, AAR Book Award for Excellence in the analytical-descriptive studies category
Nominated for the 2018 Louisville Grawemeyer Award in Religion

Reviews:

<http://jaar.oxfordjournals.org/content/early/2015/01/05/jaarel.lfu086.full>

<http://usreligion.blogspot.com/2014/11/chaplains-of-spiritual.html>

<http://www.equinoxpub.com/blog/2014/11/soraaad-booknotes-with-the-bulletin-winnifred-fallers-sullivan-a-ministry-of-presence-chaplaincy-spiritual-care-and-the-law/>

Choice March 2015 Vol. 52 No. 7 (recommended)

Catholic Library World 85:264 (2015)

Interview: <http://newbooksinreligion.com/2015/07/12/winnifred-f-sullivan-a-ministry-of-presence-chaplaincy-spiritual-care-and-the-law-university-of-chicago-press-2014/>

Interview: <http://rsn.aarweb.org/articles/chaplaincy-secular-space-and-us-constitution-conversation-winnifred-fallers-sullivan>

Prison Religion: Faith-based Reform and the Constitution. Princeton: Princeton University Press (2009).

The Impossibility of Religious Freedom. Princeton: Princeton University Press (2005; new edition with new preface by author, 2018).

Paying the Words Extra: Religious Discourse in the Supreme Court of the United States
Cambridge: Harvard University Center for the Study of World Religions (1994).

Edited Volumes

At Home and Abroad: The Politics of American Religion (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd). New York: Columbia University Press (2021)

Interview, New Books Network. <https://newbooksnetwork.com/at-home-and-abroad>

Podcast, Interactions.

https://open.spotify.com/episode/2if4giPnVEdHzoLkLrH7vO?go=1&sp_cid=18f1c7ad20a15a2ace3d1a108f30a8f5&utm_source=embed_player_p&utm_medium=desktop&nd=1

Review: *Reading Religion* <https://readingreligion.org/9780231198998/>

Theologies of American Exceptionalism (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd). Bloomington, IN: Indiana University Press (2020)

https://publish.iupress.indiana.edu/projects/TAE2019_theologies (print edition 2021)

Politics of Religious Freedom. Chicago: University of Chicago Press. (2015) (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd, Saba Mahmood, and Peter Danchin) (Arabic-language translation licensed, published in 2024)

Review: *Times Literary Supplement* <http://www.the-tls.co.uk/articles/private/islamic-apostate/>

Review Essay: *Middle East Law and Governance* 8 (2016) 105-118.

Review: Daniel Liechty in *Religion* <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/0048721X.2016.1209059>

Varieties of Religious Establishment. London: Ashgate (2013). (with Lori Beaman)

After Secular Law. Palo Alto: Stanford University Press (2011). (with Robert A. Yelle and

Mateo Taussig-Rubbo).

“Rethinking Religious Freedom” Symposium issue. *Journal of Law and Religion* 29:3 (2014)
(with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd)

“Religion, Law and Human Rights” Special issue. *Culture and Religion* 6:1 (March 2005) (with Rosalind Hackett).

“Law and Religion.” Special Issue. *Law and Social Inquiry* 26:1-7 (February 2001) (with Frank Reynolds).

Exhibit Catalog

Noli Me Tangere/Touch Me Not (collectively created with Jeremy Biles, Alexandra Brown, J. Kameron Carter, and Luca Fitzgerald, 2023) (first edition privately published; IU Press edition forthcoming 2025).

Editorial Work

Series co-editor, *Religion and the Human* Indiana University Press (2019-)

Series co-editor, *Religion and Society* Walter de Gruyter (2008-2016).

Series co-editor, *Religion and Reason* Walter de Gruyter (2007-2008).

Consultant, law entries for 2nd edition of *Encyclopedia of Religion* (2005) (with Robert Yelle).

Series co-editor, *Religion in History, Society and Culture* Routledge. (2000-2005) (with Frank Reynolds).

Chapters and Academic Articles

--“The Violence of Disestablishment.” Review Essay. *Mormon Studies Review* (January 2025).

--“Thinking and Acting Theologically: A review article” *Law and Society Review* (2024).

<https://doi.org/10.1017/lrsr.2024.8>

--“Law and Religion Studies” *Religious Studies Review* 50(2024): 89-90.

--“The Devotion of the Turtle Dove: The Aesthetics of the Legal Sacred in Anthony Trollope’s *The Eustace Diamonds*.” *Yale Journal of Law and the Humanities* 35(2024).

--“Complicit” in James Bernauer, ed., *Auschwitz and Absolution: The Case of the Commandant and the Confessor* (Orbis Books, 2023).

https://books.google.com/books?id=JPXREAAQBAJ&pg=PA5&source=gbs_selected_pages&cad=1#v=onepage&q&f=false

-- “Shakeela Hassan: Narrating Religious Freedom in the Twenty-first Century” (with Mian Ahmed Shaheer Afaqi) *American Religion* (Fall 2021).

--“Law and Religion Beyond Liberalism.” *Religious Studies Review* (2021)

<https://doi.org/10.1111/rsr.15037>

--Review Article. Carlo Ginsburg and Bruce Lincoln, *Old Thiess* and Christopher Tomlins, *In the Matter of Nat Turner*. *Journal of the American Academy of Religion* (September 2020)

-- “Law and Religion: Re-imagining the entanglement of two universals.” (with Mona Oraby) *Annual Review of Law and Social Science* 16 (2020): 1-20. (Portuguese translation: REVER: Revista de Estudos da Religião, São Paulo, v. 24, n. 3, pp. 437-465, 2024.)

- "Commentary on 'Siting Pluralism'" *Religion and Society: Advances in Research* 10(2019): 168-70.
- "What Is Religion?" for Review forum on Shahab Ahmed, *What Is Islam? The Importance of Being Islamic. Comparative Studies of South Asia, Africa and the Middle East* 40(2020): 211-14.
- "Afterword" *Religion, Law, U.S.*, edited by Joshua Dubler and Isaac Weiner (NYU Press, 2019).
- "Going to Law': Reflections on Law, Religion, and Mitra Sharafi's *Law and Identity in Colonial South Asia*" for review symposium on Mitra Sharafi, *Law and Identity in Colonial South Asia: Parsi Legal Culture, 1772-1947*. New York: Cambridge University Press. *Law and Social Inquiry* 42 no. 4 (Fall 2017).
- "Being Human: Negotiating Religion, Law, and Science in the Classroom and the Courtroom" in Elizabeth Mertz, William K. Ford, and Gregory Matoesian, eds., *Translating the Social World for Law: Linguistic Tools for a New Legal Realism* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2016).
- "Religion" *Oxford Handbook on the United States Constitution* (2016).
- "Law" and "Justice" *Vocabulary for the Study of Religion* Brill (online and print, 2016).
- "Imagining Law at the Newark Earthworks" for Lindsay Jones and Richard Shiels, eds., *The Newark Earthworks: Enduring Monuments, Contested Meanings*. (Charlottesville: University of Virginia Press, 2016).
- "The Chaplain: a physician of the soul in a secular age" in *A World of Work* edited by Ilana Gershon. (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2015) (with Christopher Swift).
- "Religion Under Bureaucracy: The U.S. Case." *Numen* 62 (2015): 321-335
- "Law and Religion" *Blackwell Companion to the Study of Religion*, edited by Robert Segal (2016).
- "Why Distinguish Religion, Legally Speaking?" *San Diego University Law Review* (Fall 2014).
- Editors' Introduction to Symposium "Re-thinking Religious Freedom" *Journal of Law and Religion* 29, no. 3 (2014): 1-5 (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd).
- "Dialogue about Religious Freedom" (with Cécile Laborde) *Quaderni di Diritto e Politica Ecclesiastica* n. 1, aprile 2013.
- "Religious and Legal Particularism and Universality" in the *Blackwell Companion to Anthropology of Religion* edited by Janice Boddy and Michael Lambek (2013).
- "Religion, Land, and Rights: Reflections on the Park51 Controversy." In *Varieties of Religious Establishment*, edited by Winnifred Fallers Sullivan and Lori Beaman. (Ashgate 2013) (An earlier version of this chapter was published as an Occasional Paper on the Institute for Advanced Study website: www.ias.edu.)
- "Once More with Feeling: Getting the Story of Religion and Law Straight" Review essay of Sarah Barringer Gordon, *The Spirit of the Law: Religious Voices and the Constitution in Modern America* (Harvard 2010) and Steven D. Smith, *The Disenchantment of Secular Discourse* (Harvard 2010). *Tulsa Law Review* 47:21-29 (2011).
- "Joan's Two Bodies: An Essay in Political Anthropology" for special issue "Body and State" *Social Research* 78:1-18 (Summer 2011).
- "The Religious Expert in American Courts" for special issue "Expertise publique et religion" *Archives des Sciences Sociales des Religions* (2011).

--"Introduction" to Forum on Mark de Wolfe Howe, *The Garden and the Wilderness*. *Church History* 79:4 (December 2010), 860–862.

--"Reforming Culture: Law and Religion Today" in Robert Orsi, ed., *Cambridge Companion for Religious Studies*. (2011).

--"Why Are We Talking About Civil Religion Now?: Comments on "Civil Religion in Italy: a "Mission Impossible'" by Alessandro Ferrari" for symposium on "'Civil Religion" in the United States and Europe: Four Comparative Perspectives." *George Washington International Law Review* 41:101-114 (2010).

--"Religion Naturalized: The New Establishment" in Courtney Bender and Pamela Klassen, eds., *After Pluralism* (Columbia 2010).

--"Varieties of Legal Secularism" in Linell Cady and Elizabeth Hurd, eds., *Comparative Secularisms in a Global Age* (Palgrave 2010).

--"We Are All Religious Now. Again." *Social Research* 76: 1-18 (Winter 2009).

-- "Politics, Secularization, and the Public Square". 1st Biennial Conference on Religion and American Culture. <http://www.iupui.edu/~raac/projects/home.html>

--Response to Mateo Taussig-Rubbo, "Sacred Property: Searching for Value in the 9/11 Rubble" *Religion and Culture Web Forum*. Marty Center, University of Chicago Divinity School. <http://marty-center.uchicago.edu/webforum/index.shtml> June 2009.

--"Requiem for the Establishment Clause." Review Essay of Kent Greenawalt, *Religion and the Constitution, Volume 2: Establishment and Fairness* (Princeton 2008). *Constitutional Commentary* 25:101 (2009).

--"Analyzing the Trial: Interdisciplinary Methods" (with Robert Burns, Marianne Constable, Elizabeth Mertz, and Justin Richland) in *PoLAR: The Political and Legal Anthropology Review* 31:2 (2009) <http://www.aaanet.org/sections/apla/polar.html>

--"Comparing Law Comparing Religion" in Willi Braun and Russell T. McCutcheon, eds., *Introducing Religion: Essays in Honour of Jonathan Z. Smith* (Equinox Publishers, 2008).

--"The New Disestablishment." *Religion and American Culture: A Journal of Interpretation* 18:1 (Winter 2008).

--"Comparing Religion, Legally." 63 *Washington & Lee University Law Review* (Fall 2006).

--"The Conscience of Contemporary Man': Reflections on *U.S. v. Seeger* and *Dignitatis Humanae*" *U.S. Catholic Historian* 24: 107-123 (Winter 2006).

--Overview Article. "Law and Religion" (with Robert Yelle) *Encyclopedia of Religion* (2d edition) (2005). (Portuguese translation to be published in *Rever*—online Brazilian journal).

--"A Curvature of Social Space" (with Rosalind Hackett) Introduction to special issue. "Religion, Law and Human Rights." *Culture and Religion* 6:1-15 (March 2005).

--"Normative Pluralism: Religion and Law in the Twenty-first Century." Review Essay. *Religion* 35:31-40 (2005).

--"Law and Religion" in *A Companion to Religious Ethics* (London: Blackwell, 2005).

--"Die neuen US Gesetze zu 'Charitable Choice' und die Regelungen zu den 'Faith-based' Organisationen" (translated by Claudia Bergmann) in *Der Öffentlichkeitsstatus von Religionsgemeinschaften*. Herausgegeben von Hans G. Kippenberg und Gunnar Folke Schuppert. Mohr Siebeck, 2004.

--"Religious Freedom and the Rule of Law: A Modernist Myth in a Postmodern World?" in Festschrift volume for Hans Kippenberg: *Religion als longue durée*, edited by Brigitte Luchesi

and Kocku von Stuckrad. deGruyter, 2004.

--“The State” in Philip Goff and Paul Harvey, eds., *Themes in American Religion and Culture* University of North Carolina Press, 2004.

--“Religious Freedom and the Rule of Law: Exporting Modernity in a Postmodern World?” *Mississippi College Law Review* 22(2003): 173-83.

--“Neutralizing Religion or What is the Opposite of ‘Faith-based?’” *History of Religions Journal* 41:4 (2002). Reprinted in Hent deVries, ed., *Religion: Beyond a Concept* (N.Y.: Fordham University Press, 2008).

--“Beyond Church and State” in *New Approaches to the Study of Religion. Volume 2: Textual, Comparative, Sociological and Cognitive Approaches*. (Berlin: Verlag de Gruyter, 2004).

--“Indifferentism Redux: Reflections on Catholic Lobbying in the Supreme Court.” *Notre Dame Law Review* 76:993-1018 (April 2001), festschrift volume for the Hon. John T. Noonan, Jr.

--Introduction (with Frank Reynolds) to special issue on law and religion. *Law and Social Inquiry* 26:1-7 (February, 2001).

--Response to Stanley Fish. *CSSR Bulletin* (May 2000).

--“On Using Legal Materials in Teaching Religion” *Teaching Theology and Religion* 3:33-41 (February 2000).

--“A New Discourse and Practice.” In Stephen Feldman, ed., *Law and Religion: A Critical Anthology* (New York University Press, 2000).

--“American Religion is Naturally Comparative.” In Kimberley C. Patton and Benjamin C. Ray, eds. *A Magic Still Dwells: Comparative Religion in the Postmodern Age* (University of California Press, 1999).

--“WWJD: Should Christian Scholars Bring Their Religion to Work?” Review article of George M. Marsden, *The Outrageous Idea of Christian Scholarship*, *CSSR Bulletin* 27:3 (1998).

--“Judging Religion” *Marquette Law Review* 81:2 (1998).

--s.v. law. *Encyclopedia of Women and World Religion* (New York: Macmillan, 1998).

--“Finding a True Story of American Religion: Comments on L.H. LaRue’s *Constitutional Law as Fiction: Narrative in the Rhetoric of Authority*.” *Washington & Lee University Law Review* 53 (1996).

--“Introduction” and “Competing Theories of Religion and Law in the Supreme Court of the United States: an Hasidic Case” in special volume entitled “Religion, Law and the Construction of Identities.” *Numen* 43 (May 1996).

--“Diss-ing Religion: Is Religion Trivialized in American Public Discourse?” (Review Article of Stephen Carter, *The Culture of Disbelief*). *Journal of Religion* (January 1995).

--“Religion and Law in the United States: 1870 to the Present,” in John F. Wilson, ed., *Church and State in America: A Bibliographical Guide* (Greenwood, 1986).

Electronic publications

-- “. . . you’re doing it right now’: Aaron Bushnell and Legal Pluralism” *Sightings*. 6 March 2024. https://martycenter.org/sightings/youre-doing-it-right-now-aaron-bushnell-and-legal-pluralism?utm_source=Marty%20Center%20Mailing%20List&utm_campaign=89c25e108f-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2024_03_05_10_33&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_-89c25e108f-%5BLIST_EMAIL_ID%5D

--“An American Joan of Arc” *American Religion* <https://www.american-religion.org/amrel->

[goes-global/joan](#) (fall 2023)

--“Revolts of Conduct: Refusing a Napoleonic Politics of Religion” *The Immanent Frame* (August 2023) <https://tif.ssrc.org/2023/08/23/conducts-of-revolt-refusing-a-napoleonic-politics-of-religion/>

--“Noli Me Tangere” (with Jeremy Biles, Alexandra Brown, and J Kameron Carter) Digital archive reflecting on the pandemic. IU Center for Religion and the Human. October 2021-May 2022 <https://touchmenot.indiana.edu/>

--“The American Bishops” (with Méadhbh McIvor) *American Religion* online forum. <https://www.american-religion.org/provocations/american-bishops> (posted September 27, 2021)

--Book symposium: <https://politicaltheology.com/symposium/from-the-sovereign-to-the-church/>

--Book forum: <https://tif.ssrc.org/category/book-blog/book-forums/church-state-corporation/>

--“President Trump Visits St. John’s Church” *The Immanent Frame* <https://tif.ssrc.org/2020/06/04/president-trump-visits-st-johns-church/> (posted June 4, 2020)

--“human” for *A Universe of Terms* at *The Immanent Frame* <https://tif.ssrc.org/2020/03/13/human-sullivan/> (posted March 13, 2020)

--“Liberalism’s Law” for forum on Cécile Laborde’s *Liberalism’s Religion*. *Syndicate Theology*. <https://syndicate.network/symposia/theology/liberalisms-religion/> (posted November 5, 2019)

--“Mansplaining Religion” *The Immanent Frame* (posted June 21, 2019) <https://tif.ssrc.org/2019/06/21/mansplaining-religion/>

--“No Cake; No Reservations” for forum on Kathryn Lofton, *Consuming Religion*. *Syndicate Forum*. <https://syndicate.network/symposia/theology/consuming-religion/> (posted May 13, 2019)

--“Sex and the Catholic Church: What does law have to do with it? Introduction” *The Immanent Frame* <https://tif.ssrc.org/2019/02/05/sex-and-the-catholic-church-introduction/> (posted February 5, 2019)

--“Is Masterpiece Cakeshop a Church?” *The Immanent Frame* <https://tif.ssrc.org/2018/06/08/is-masterpiece-cakeshop-a-church/> (posted June 8, 2018)

--Introduction to *Ekklesia* at *The Immanent Frame* <https://tif.ssrc.org/2018/03/08/ekklesia-an-introduction/>. (posted August 3, 2018)

--“Marty, Teacher” at *Sightings* <https://divinity.uchicago.edu/sightings/marty-teacher>

--“Jesus in the bardo” at *The Immanent Frame* <https://tif.ssrc.org/2017/12/20/jesus-in-the-bardo/> (posted December 20, 2017)

--“No. Religion is not the common denominator . . .” at *The Immanent Frame* <https://tif.ssrc.org/2017/11/06/no-religion-is-not-the-common-denominator/> (posted November 6, 2017)

--“Only a human encounter . . .” at *The Immanent Frame* <https://tif.ssrc.org/2017/08/08/only-a-human-encounter/>.

--“Notes on *Johnson v M’Intosh*” in *Theologies of American Exceptionalism*.

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--“Notes on the Johnson Amendment” at *HistPhil* <https://histphil.org/2017/02/06/we-will-totally-destroy-the-johnson-amendment/> (posted February 6, 2017)

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Courses Taught

Religious Studies: Interpreting Religion; Comparative Study of Law and Religion; Theory and Method in the Study of Religion; Religion in the U.S.; Christmas; U.S. Catholicism; Politics of Religious Freedom; The Trial of Joan of Arc

Legal studies: Religion and the U.S. Constitution; Comparative Study of the Regulation of Religion; Evidence; European Union Law; Anthropology of Law; The Trial of Joan of Arc

Dissertations

Dissertation supervisor: Indiana University: Joe Bartzel, “Between Riot and Reconciliation: History, Narrative and the Ferguson Commission on the Path to Freedom, Justice and Equality”; Gheorghe Pacurar, “Incarnate Ecclesiology and the Making of Democratic Law in Interwar Romania”; Maidah Khalid, “Categorical Assemblages (and Disruptions) in the Passage of Islamic Law: An Analysis of the *al-Hidayah* by al-Marghinani; Alina Williams, “Our Lady of the Hungarians: A Politics of Religion beyond Church and State”

Dissertation co-supervisor: University of Oslo: Helge Årsheim, “Lost in Translation? The Notion of Religion in the United Nations Treaty Bodies”; Indiana University: Jacob Boss, “Grinders: Grassroots Transhumanism”; University of Insubria, Italy: Fedor Arkhipov

Member of dissertation committee:

Duke University: Samuel Kigar, “Islamic Land: Political Theologies of Territory in Post-Protectorate Morocco, 1956-2006”

University of California at Berkeley: Sarah Ludin, “Law, Religion, Difference, and Violence: Germany in the 16th Century”

Indiana University: Sarah Dees, “The Scientific Study of Native American Religions, 1878-1928”; Ossama Abdelgawaad, “Constructing Authority of the Shafi’ite School of Jurisprudence (14 Cen)”; Mian Ahmed Shaheer Afaqi, “An Islamic theology of sensual experience: Al-Ghazali on musical pleasure;” Margaret Slaughter, “Clefts in the Rock: Theology of Sheela-na-gigs in Medieval Ireland;” Hannah Garvey, “Opacity and the Strange Meaning of Being Black;” Michael Krautkraemer, “Bread, Halva, and Other Devotions: Islamic Texts from East Turkestan.”

University of Chicago: Bob Fargo Greenlee III, “Religious Narrative in the Tokugawa Legal *Imaginaire*”; Alexander van der Haven, “Madness and the Making of Religion in 19th Century Germany: The Revelations of Daniel Paul Schreber”; Santiago Piñon, “Francisco Vitoria and His Defense of the Natives in the New World”; Kristen Tobey, “Performing Marginality: Identity and Efficacy in the Plowshares Nuclear Disarmament Movement”

University of North Carolina: Isaac Weiner, “Religion Out Loud: Religious Sound, Public Space, and American Law.”

Syracuse University: Dana Lloyd, “Between God and Land: On Sovereignty,

Indigeneity, and Religious Freedom”

External Examiner for Ph.D.

University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa: Ann-Marie Leatt, “The State of Secularism: Constituting Religion and Tradition towards a Post-Apartheid South Africa”

London School of Economics: Méadhbh McIvor, “To Fulfill the Law: Evangelism, Legal Activism and Public Christianity in Contemporary England.”

Midway examination for PhD

University of Oslo: Hanne Trangerud

Other Professional Activities

Co-leader, Faculty summer seminar. ICJS. Baltimore, MD. Summer 2025.

Commenter, Book workshop on Khalil ms. University of Michigan. 9 September 2022.

Faculty, Flying University for Ukrainian students. June 2022 and January 2024.

Mentor, ‘Emerging Scholars in Political Theology,’ sponsored by the Political Theology Network with the support of a grant from the Henry Luce Foundation. 2020-22.

Invited Attendee, “Progressive Religious Liberty.” Columbia University Law School. 7 December 2018.

External Mentor for Mona Oraby. Amherst College. 2018-21.

Member, Chaplaincy Innovation Lab Advisory Group. 2018-2021.

Judge. Hinton Moot Court competition. Indiana University. Fall 2014.

Lecturer. “Regulating Religion in the United States,” European University Institute, Academy of European Law. Florence, Italy. 23-27 June 2014.

Member. Scientific Advisory Board, “Religion and Pluralities of Knowledge.” University of Gröningen. Conference 11-15 May 2014.

Organizer (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd) One-day workshop: “Policy-Relevant Public Knowledge about Religion: Promises and Perils” Luce Foundation. NYC 21 September 2013.

Co-organizer and instructor, ““Religious Freedom and the Rights of Religious Minorities” European Inter-University Centre for Human Rights and Democratization (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd, Saba Mahmood and Peter Danchin) Venice, Italy. 4-9 July 2011.

Participant, Liberty of Conscience Roundtable Discussion, Brookings Institution. 6 June 2011.

Member, Law and Translation Seminar, American Bar Foundation. (2006-2010).

Expert Witness, *Americans United for the Separation of Church and State v. Prison Fellowship Ministries*. United States District Court. Western District of Iowa. 2005-2006.

Legal Advisory Committee to Ford Foundation Study of Charitable Choice. IUPUI. 2000-2003

Expert Witness. *King v. Richmond County, GA*. March 2000.

Trial Consultant and Expert Witness in *Warner v. City of Boca Raton*, United States District Court for Southern Florida, No. 98-8054-CIV-RYSKAMP, April 1999.

Comments on Proposed Revised Rules of the Bureau of Prisons of the Department of Justice. September 1997.

Expert Witness in *Sasnett v. Department of Corrections*, 891 F. Supp. 1305, 1315-21 (W.D. Wis. 1995).

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--panelist, "American Religion is...Politics" webinar. Shifting Paradigms of American Religion Seminar. IRCPL. Columbia University. 16 December 2022.

--"From Hyderabad with Love: A Revisionary Account of American Religious Freedom"
Oxford Political Thought Series, Secularity. Zoom webinar. University of Oxford. 30 November 2022. https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_1Ub5r7R2QN-dL6WQKTvIWg?fbclid=IwAR2QoK4mWBIXXY-8_X_czOEF5u7sKInKSx_uMlIFeFi7LN3azJtVARtuy48

--Panel on *Kennedy v Bremerton School District*. AAR webinar. 5 August 2022.

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-- Webinar: "SCOTUS, Religious Freedom, and Discrimination" 5 August 2022

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 - Commentator, "Tempting Faith," independently produced video documentary on Charitable Choice. 2001. Shown on PBS.

Lectures, Workshops, and Conference Presentations

For academic audiences

- "Antinomian Dreams" University of Chicago. 16 October 2025.
- panelist. "Religion and the Death Penalty." University of Texas at Austin. 4-5 April 2025.
- "Legalizing Religion, American Style" University of Ferrara. 5 November 2024.
- "The vernacular political theology of Joan of Arc and unstating religion" Keynote. Conferencia: Religiones insumisas y luchas anti racistas en las Américas /Unstately religions and anti-racist struggles in the Americas Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá (Colombia)Junio 5-7 / 2024
- "Making a King: The Political Theology of Joan of Arc" University of Puget Sound. 7 March 2024.
- "The Political Life of Disestablished Religion" University of Insubria, Como. 14 December 2023.
- "Before the State: The Political Theology of Joan of Arc" University of Insubria, Como. 11-12 December 2023.
- Respondent to Paul Kahn, "Civil War Enemies." AAR Annual Meeting. San Antonio. 18 November 2023.
- "Church State Corporation" Keynote address. Transatlantic Workshop Series "Religion and the Culture of Democracy." University of Virginia. Charlottesville, VA. 1-5 October 2023.
- " The Devotion of the Turtle Dove: The Aesthetics of the Legal Sacred in Anthony Trollope's *The Eustace Diamonds*" Conference in honor of James Boyd White. 29 September 2023. *Yale Journal of Law and the Humanities*.
- "Making a King" Book ms discussion, Political Theology Network Emerging Scholars. Villanova University. 3 August 2023.
- Colloquium on Religious Freedom. Oakley Center. Williams College. 13-14 March 2023.
- Presenter, "*Insubordinate religiosities, social protests and uneasy democracies in the Americas*" Universidad de los Andes. Bogotá, Colombia. 22-24 June 2022.

--presenter, “*Religion and Antidiscrimination Law*” workshop. U of Maryland Law School. 20-21 May 2022.

--Presenter, “De-centering American Religion” IU Berlin Gateway. 6-7 May 2022.

--“Joan of Arc: Queer King of France” Wickenden Lecture. Miami University of Ohio. April 2022.

--Panelist, Symposium on Alexander Kaye, *The Invention of Jewish Theocracy*. Hosted by *Jerusalem Review of Legal Studies*. 17 June 2021.

--“Beyond the State: Rethinking Race and Religion.” Webinar hosted by CERI SciencesPo. 10 June 2021.

--Panelist. Author Meets Reader session on Nandini Chatterjee, *Negotiating Mughal Law*. Law & Society Association. 28 May 2021.

--Roundtable on Buddhist constitutionalism. American Bar Foundation. 29 April 2021.

--Discussion of *Church State Corporation*. Progressive Law Workshop. Yale Law School. 9 April 2021.

--“Do colleges and universities need chaplains today”? Wesleyan University. 25 March 2021.

--Book panel on *Politics of Religion at Home and Abroad*. Institute for Religion and Public Life. Columbia University. 17 March 2021.

--Keynote address. Quinquennial Congress of the International Association of History of Religions. Otago, NZ. 23-29 August 2020. (cancelled)

--Keynote lecture. Annual meeting of the Latin America Association of Social Scientists of Religion. Sao Paulo, Brazil. 29 June-2 July 2020. (cancelled)

--Book workshop on Rabiya Akande, “*Constitutional Entanglements: Contestations over Religion-State Relations in British (Post) Colonial Northern Nigeria, c. 1890-1978.*” The Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies. 15 April 2020.

--“The Church, the State, and the Corporation.” Keynote lecture for “Status and Justice in Law, Religion, and Society” conference. Washington and Lee University, 1-3 November 2019.

--“The death penalty jury as we, the people.” Centre College, Kentucky. 29-30 October 2019.

--“The Church, the State, and the Corporation” University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA. 18 September 2019.

--“The Church, the State, and the Corporation” University of Groningen. 9 September 2019.

--Plenary speaker, Biannual Meeting of German Association for the Study of Religion (Deutsche Vereinigung für Religionswissenschaft), Leibniz Universität Hannover. 3-6 September 2019.

--“A Ministry of Presence: Spiritual Care for All” Inaugural Joachim Viens Annual Memorial Lecture. World Wisdoms Project. Ft. Collins, CO. 9 April 2019.

--Participant. “De-centering American Religion” Indiana University Gateway. Mexico City 29-30 March 2019.

--“Teaching Religion in Public” The Roetzel Family Lecture in Religious Studies. University of Minnesota. 7 March 2019.

--Keynote speaker. Midwest AAR. Muncie, IN. 1 March 2019.

--Participant. Progressive Religious Liberty conference. Public Rights/Private Conscience Project. Columbia University. 7 December 2018.

--Leader, Law & Religion faculty/student workshop. Princeton University. 28-29 October 2018.

--Roundtable “Contesting Memory, Claiming the Past,” Sherman Emerging Scholar Lecture. University of North Carolina Wilmington. 17-18 October 2018.

--“Banning Bibles; Death-qualifying a Jury.” University of Vermont. 11-12 October 2018.

---Panelist on Religious Freedom. "The Many Faces of Liberalism Conference." CUNY Graduate Center. 2 October 2018.

--"The Church, the State, and the Corporation: Tracking Mimetic Sovereign Legalisms" for "Sovereignty, Religion, and Secularism: Interrogating the Foundations of Polity." Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München 11-13 July 2018.

--Panelist. "From the Mediterranean to the United States: Perspectives on Pluralism" workshop. CUNY Grad Center. 29 March 2018.

--"The Church, the State, and the Corporation." Northwestern University Legal Studies program. 8 March 2018.

--"Banning Bibles" North American Religions workshop. Northwestern University. 23 February 2018.

--"The Church-in-law: Considering the 'New' Institutionalism in First Amendment Law" presentation at American Bar Foundation. 24 January 2018.

--Panel on Law. Final Conference. *Religion and Diversity Project*. Ottawa, Quebec. 26-18 October 2017.

--Roundtable respondent to production of Rowan Williams, *Shakeshafte*. "The Politics of Conversion: Martin Luther to Muhammad Ali" The Newberry Library, Chicago, 13-16 September 2017.

--Panelist. "Religious Toleration." Ohio State University. 8 September 2017.

--"Banning Bibles; Death-qualifying a Jury." Ludwig Maximilian University. Munich. 18 May 2017.

--Respondent. "Religion and Law Symposium" University of Rochester. 5-6 May 2017.

--Keynote address: "We Don't Know What They Want to Know: Why we Should Not Testify as Experts in Religion" for "Enabling Constraints: A Symposium on the Demands of Frameworks and Data in the Study of Religion." University of Toronto. 27-28 April 2017.

--"Banning Bibles; Death-qualifying a Jury." Ratner Lecture in Religion at Case Western Reserve University. 20 April 2017.

--"Death-Qualifying a Jury, Constituting the People" Distinguished Lecture on Religion and Public Life. University of Missouri-Columbia. 6 April 2017.

--Participant. "Taking Exception: Queering American Religion." Workshop. Indiana University 31 March-1 April 2017.

--"Teaching Religion in Public" Keynote speaker. Celebration for Martha Newman. University of Texas Austin. 17 February 2017.

--Presentation. "Chaplains in the Public Square" conference. Rush University. Chicago. 17 June 2016.

--Invited panelist. Authors Meet Readers panel on *The Angola prison seminary: Effects of faith-based ministry on identity transformation, desistance, and rehabilitation* and invited respondent, panel on "Challenging the Secularity of Law: Case Studies from Australia, Egypt, Europe, and the United States." Law & Society Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans. 2-4 June 2016.

--Co-organizer and participant. Workshop on "The Religion of Karl Ove Knausgaard." Institute for Religion and Public Life. Columbia University. New York City. 15-16 January 2016.

--Author Meets Readers session on *Politics of Religious Freedom*. American Academy of Religion annual meeting. Atlanta, GA. November 2015.

--"Politics of Religious Freedom: At Home and Abroad" Washington & Lee University. 26 October 2015.

--“The Church: An Experiment in the Legal Phenomenology of Religion” Yale Seminar in Religious Studies. 2 October 2015.

--Plenary Lecture. “Law and religious (un)freedom in the global era.” Chr. Michelsen Institute. Bergen, Norway. 18-20 June 2015.

--Plenary panelist, Author Meets Readers respondent, and respondent to panel of “Religion and the Secular State”. Law & Society Association Annual Meeting. Seattle, WA. 28-31 May 2015.

--“The Trial of Joan of Arc.” Great Trials. Northwestern University. 19-20 May 2015.

--“What Happened in Indiana? Did Religious Freedom Jump the Shark?” Keynote address for “Freedom of (and from) Religion: Debates over Accommodation in the Public Sphere” Conference. University of California Santa Barbara. 30 April 2015.

--“The Impossibility of Religious Freedom.” Loy H. Witherspoon Lecture in Religious Studies. University of North Carolina at Charlotte. 2 April 2015

--“The Church’s Two Bodies: Exploring the Incomplete Secularization of the American Churches.” Danforth Lecture, Princeton University. 12 February 2015.

--Keynote speaker, “Siting Pluralism: Practices of Religious Difference” Göttingen University 29-30 January 2015.

--Panelist, Author Meets Readers panel on Elizabeth Pritchard, *Religion in Public* and Respondent, Presidential Panel. Annual Meeting of the North American Association for the Study of Religion. San Diego. 21-25 November 2014.

--“Spiritual Governance: The Chaplain as Priest of the Secular” Northwestern University 30 October 2014.

--“Beyond Church and State,” Conference on “Secularisms: Ideals, Ideologies, and Institutional Practices.” Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies. Geneva, Switzerland. 26-27 September 2014.

--“Spiritual Governance: The Chaplain as Priest of the Secular”. Religion and Political Theory Centre. University College London. 24 September 2014

--“Proving Religion: What Evidence is Relevant?”. Seminar on Religion and Law. University of Ghent. 23 September 2014.

--“Scaling The Church: Exploring the Supreme Court’s Ecclesiology” American Society for the Study of Religion Annual Meeting. Cambridge, MA. 25-27 April 2014.

--“Law’s Religion; Religion’s Law” at “Religion, Religious Law, Secular Law” Conference on “Studying Religion Across the Disciplines.” Harvard University Center for the Study of World Religions. 27-29 March 2014.

--“Identifying Religion: Notes on the Jews’ Free School case” for “Theorizing Religion in Modern Europe” Conference. Harvard University 7-8 March 2014.

--“Is Religion Outdated (as a Constitutional Category)?” Annual conference on Law and Religion. University of San Diego School of Law Institute for Law and Religion. 28 February-2 March 2014.

--Discussant. Panel on Definitions. “*Implementing religious law in contemporary nation-states: definitions and challenges.*” Robbins Collection. University of California—Berkeley. 20-22 February 2014.

--“Law’s Prayer.” Politics of Religious Freedom conference. Capetown, SA. 3-5 February 2014.

--*Town of Greece v Galloway*. American Constitution Society. Indiana University Bloomington. 11 November 2013.

--“Religion and the Roberts Court.” Institute of Religion, Culture, and Public Life. Columbia

University. 7 November 2013.

--Co-organizer, Capstone conference. "Politics of Religious Freedom" Northwestern University. 17-18 October 2013.

--Co-organizer. "Religious Studies 50 Years After *Schempp*: History, Institutions, Theory," Indiana University Bloomington. 27-29 September 2013.

--"The (im)possibility of religious freedom?" A PluRel seminar at the University of Oslo, with Winnifred F. Sullivan, Professor of Religious Studies and Affiliate Professor of Law, Indiana University. Response by Sindre Bangstad (Dep. of Social Anthropology, University of Oslo), Njål Høstmælingen (International Law and Policy Institute) and Ingwill Thorson Plesner (Norwegian Centre for Human Rights, Faculty of Law, University of Oslo) 23 May 2013.

--"The Church" for panel on "Current Themes in Law and Religion." Impact of Religion conference. Uppsala University. 20-22 May 2013.

--"Chaplains." Professionalism Series. Indiana University Bloomington. 19 April 2013.

-- "Rights, Religion, and Secularity" Salon with Tanika Sarkar. Barnard Center for Research on Women. 16 April 2013.

--"Ministers Without Portfolio: Constitutionalizing Spiritual Care" Harvard University Seminar on Religion and Politics. 8 April 2013.

-- Keynote: "Law and Religion: A Call for Epistemological and Normative Humility" "Religion and Law in America" conference. Florida State University. 22-23 March 2013.

-- "Religion and Incarceration: A talk with Winnifred Sullivan and Julio Medina." Institute of Religion, Culture, and Public Life at Columbia University. 14 March 2013.

-- Invited Lecture: "Ministries of Presence: Chaplains as Priests of the Secular" "Conversations at the Center" series. Center for the Study of Religion and Conflict at Arizona State University. And meeting with Luce Faculty Seminar. 29 January 2013.

--Organizer, Luce Foundation workshop on "The Politics of Religious Freedom" (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd, Saba Mahmood, and Peter Danchin) Cairo, Egypt. 5-7 January 2013.

--"Religious Freedom in the U.S.: At Home and Abroad" (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd) American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL. 25-27 November 2012.

--"Ministries of Presence: Constitutionalizing Spiritual Care" Religion and Politics Colloquium. MacMillan Center Initiative on Religion, Politics and Society. Yale University 5 November 2012.

--Panelist. "Religious Exemptions, Sexual Freedom, and the Biopolitics of U.S. Healthcare." Religion and Politics Project at the Hemispheric Institute. New York University. 5 October 2012.

--Member of Opening Plenary panel. "What's New in Public Religion?" Conference on "New Forms of Public Religion". St. John's College. Cambridge, U.K. 5-7 September 2012.

--"Politics of Religious Freedom" Featured panel. 2012 International Conference on Law and Society: Joint Annual Meetings of the Law and Society Association and the Research Committee on Sociology of Law. 5-8 June 2012. [paper read in absentia]

-- "Isaac Bashevis Singer, *In My Father's Court*: Theorizing Legal and Religious Multiplicity" Blackwell Conference on Anthropology of Religion. Berlin. 15-18 April 2012.

--"Here Comes Everyone: Political Religion in the Twenty-first Century" Inaugural Lecture. The Osgoode Colloquium on Law, Religion, and Social Thought. Osgoode Hall Law School. Toronto, ON. 13 February 2012.

-- "Religious Freedom—American style—at home and abroad—two decades after Smith" Invited lecture. Religiowest. European University Institute. Florence, Italy. 1 February 2012.

--"Religious Freedom Realized: Governing Through Chaplaincies in the Twenty-first Century" Indiana University. 19 January 2012.

--Organizer, Luce Foundation workshop on "The Politics of Religious Freedom" (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd, Saba Mahmood, and Peter Danchin) Chiangmai, Thailand. 11-12 December 2011.

--Respondent, "The Politics of Religious Freedom: Historical Perspectives from Egypt and South Asia" Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion. San Francisco, CA. 19-21 November 2011.

--"Regulating Spirituality" Annual Meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion. Milwaukee, WI. 28-30 October 2011.

--Invited participant. "Sex Abuse and the Study of Religion." Yale University. 23-24 September 2011.

--Organizer, Luce Foundation workshop on "The Politics of Religious Freedom" (with Elizabeth Shakman Hurd, Saba Mahmood, and Peter Danchin) Venice, Italy 11-12 July 2011.

--Invited Participant. "The Newark Earthworks and World Heritage: One Site, Many Contexts." Symposium at Ohio State University. 2-4 May 2011.

--Invited participant, workshop on "International Law, Human Rights and the Politics of Religious Difference" Princeton University 28-29 April 2011.

--"Spiritual Governance". Legal Theory Workshop. University of Michigan. 10 March 2011.

--"Spiritual Governance". Law and Public Affairs Seminar. Princeton University. 7 March 2011.

--"Spiritual Governance". Wesleyan University. Wesleyan, Connecticut. 22 February 2011.

-- "Joan's Two Bodies" for "The Body and the State: How the State Controls and Protects the Body." Conference at The New School for Social Research. New York. 11-12 February 2011.

--Visiting lecturer "Religion, Land, and Rights". Smith College. Northampton, MA. 30 November 2010.

--Co-organizer (with Lori Beaman), "Varieties of Religious Establishments: A Workshop for Invited Participants" St. Thomas University, Fredericton, New Brunswick. 12-13 November 2010.

-- Invited participant. "States of Devotion: Religion, Neoliberalism and the Politics of the Body in the Americas," The Hemispheric Institute of Performance and Politics, New York University. 4-5 November 2010.

-- Respondent, Author Meets Critics: Winnifred Fallers Sullivan's *Prison Religion: Faith-Based Reform and the Constitution*. Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion. Atlanta, GA. 1 November 2010.

-- Invited presenter. "The Place of Religion in Public Life." Annual McDowell Conference on Philosophy and Social Policy. American University, Washington, D.C. 22 October 2010.

--Invited panelist, "Politics of Religious Freedom: Reflections on the 'Park-51' Mosque Controversy in the Context of American and International Law." UC-Berkeley. 19 October 2010.

--Invited presenter. Workshop on "Religious pluralization in prisons: crossed perspectives on spaces, times and uses of religion in prison." Enjeux sociologiques de la pluralisation religieuses dans les prisons suisses. Haute école de travail social et de la santé. Ecole d'Etudes sociales et pédagogiques. Lausanne, Switzerland. 24-25 September 2010.

--Panelist, "Sovereignty and the Sacred: Contemporary Interrogations of the Secular State." Quinquennial Conference of the International Association of the History of

Religions. Toronto. August 2010.

--Invited Panelist. "*Laïcité* in Comparative Perspective," St. John's University Paris Center on Law, Religion, and the Global Community. Paris. 10-11 June 2010. (cancelled)

--"Disestablishment, American Style." Presented at workshop on "Secularization in Transatlantic Perspective" Stanford University 3-4 June 2010.

--"The Cheese, the Worms and Major Hasan" for panel on "Can We Translate Law and Society? Toward a New Legal Realist Framework" Annual Meeting of Law and Society Association. Chicago. 27-30 May 2010.

--"Spiritual Governance" Sites of Civic Engagement Workshop. SSRC. 26-27 March 2010.

--"Spiritual Governance." Weekly Colloquium. American Bar Foundation. 10 March 2010.

--"Spiritual Governance." Critical Thinkers in Religion, Law and Social Theory series. University of Ottawa. 29 January 2010.

--Chair and Respondent to panel "Dialogue and the State" at "Deconstructing Dialogue: New Perspectives on Religious Encounters: Ancient, Medieval and Modern." The Divinity School. The University of Chicago. 21-23 January 2010.

--"Naturalizing Religion: The New Establishment or, Religion and the Rule of Law" *The Category of "Religion": Boundaries and their Consequences*. Conference at the British Academy. London, U.K. 14-16 January 2010.

--Panelist, "Nonbelievers and the First Amendment". Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting. 6-10 January 2010. Podcast at <http://www.aalsweb.org/2010podcasts/saturday/lawandreligion.mp3>

--"Talking About Christmas, Legally" Baldy Center discussion circles for First Year Law Students. 30 November 2009.

--Commentator/Discussant on Frederick Schauer, "Can Bad Science Be Good Evidence? Lie-Detection, Neuroscience, and the Mistaken Conflation of Legal and Scientific Norms" Theorists and Jurists Series. Baldy Center for Law and Social Policy. University at Buffalo Law School. 12 November 2009. Video: http://www.youtube.com/user/BaldyCenter#p/a/u/2/1Lvc_vidIsk

--Panel respondent. "Negotiating the Legal Boundaries of Religion" American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting. 7-9 November 2009.

--Invited panelist. "Religion and Politics." *Religion and American Culture* Conference. IUPUI. Indianapolis, IN. 4-6 June 2009.

-- Organizer. "Re-describing the Sacred/Secular Divide: The Legal Story II." Conference. Baldy Center for Law and Social Policy. University at Buffalo Law School. Buffalo, N.Y. 1-3 May 2009.

--Workshop seminar on *The Impossibility of Religious Freedom*. Washington & Lee University. 25 March 2009.

--"Why Are We Talking About Civil Religion Now?: Comments on "Civil Religion in Italy: a 'Mission Impossible'" by Alessandro Ferrari". For conference on "'Civil Religion' in the United States and Europe: Four Comparative Perspectives." Center for Law and Religion Studies, Brigham Young University Law School. Provo, UT. 12-14 March 2009.

--"We Are All Religious Now. Again." at "The Religious-Secular Divide." A *Social Research* Conference at The New School. New York City, NY. 5-6 March 2009.

--Invited panelist. "Candor or Respect? Talking About the Religion of Others" conference. Columbia Law School. New York City, NY. 26 February 2008.

--“Religious Freedom and Conversion.” “Rethinking Religion in India II” conference sponsored by Research Centre Vergelijkende Cultuurwetenschap (Ghent University, Belgium), the Centre for the Study of Local Cultures (Kuvempu University, India) and the Karnataka Academy of Social Sciences and Humanities. Delhi, India. 13-15 January 2009.

--“Spiritual Governance: Citizen as Pastoral Care Client”. Invited paper presentation. “Religious Freedom, Pluralism, and Secularisms” Conference. Organized by the Center for the Study of Religion and Conflict at ASU and funded by the Ford Foundation. Neemrana, India. 5-7 January 2009.

--Invited panelist. “A Quarter Century of Interrogating ‘Religion’: From *Imagining Religion* (1982) to *Religion: Beyond a Concept* (2008)”. Annual Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature. Boston, MA. 22 November 2008.

--Organizer and Chair, Panel on Mark deWolfe Howe, *The Garden and the Wilderness*.” Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion. Chicago, IL. 1-3 November 2008.

--Public lecture, law school workshop, and class visit. Hofstra University. 22-23 October 2008.

--“Religion Naturalized.” Faculty Workshop. University at Buffalo Law School. Buffalo, NY. 17 October 2008.

--Invited Participant. Roundtable Conference on Kent Greenawalt, *Religion and the Constitution II*. University of Notre Dame. Notre Dame, IN. 10 October 2008.

--“Separation of religion and state? Privatized pluralism and public accommodation” Keynote address. “Defining Reasonable Accommodation.” University of Ottawa. Ottawa, Canada. 25-27 September 2008.

--Panel on interdisciplinary study of trials. Law and Society Association Annual Meeting. Montreal, Canada. 29 May-1 June 2008.

--Public lecture and campus visit. Mattingly Distinguished Visiting Scholar. Nebraska Wesleyan University. Lincoln, NB. 10-13 April 2008.

--Organizer and presenter. “Re-describing the Sacred/Secular Divide: The Legal Story.” Workshop Conference. Baldy Center. University at Buffalo Law School. 27-29 March 2008.

--“Prison Religion.” Public lecture. Franklin & Marshall College. 7 February 2008.

--“A Prison Like No Other.” Columbia University Religion in America Seminar. 28 January 2008.

--“Comparing Law Comparing Religion.” Berkley Center for Religion, Peace and World Affairs. Georgetown University. 14 January 2008.

--Author Meets Reader panel on *The Impossibility of Religious Freedom* Annual Meeting of the American Philosophical Association Eastern Division. 30 December 2007.

--Manuscript Workshop on *Prison Religion*. Baldy Center for Law and Public Policy. 6 December 2007.

--“The Impossibility of Religious Freedom” University of North Florida. 23 October 2007.

--“Prison Religion.” Legal Theory Seminar. Columbia University. 15 October 2007.

--Keynote panelist and respondent. “After Pluralism: Imagining Models of Inter-religious Engagement.” Columbia University. 11-13 October 2007.

--“Emerging Formations of the Religious Secular in the U.S.” Paper presentation. Conference on “Religion and Identity Politics: ‘Acceptable’ Religion and its Negative Others.” University of Southern Denmark, Odense, Denmark, 23-25 August 2007.

--Organizer. Featured session: “Revisiting the Sacred/Secular Divide: The Legal Story.” Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association. Berlin. 22-24 July 2007.

--“Prison Food.” Annual Meeting of the American Society for the Study of Religion. Berkeley, CA. 20-21 April 2007.

--Invited Participant. “Religion, the Secular and Democracy,” Working group conference. Arizona State University. 22-23 March 2007.

--Invited panelist. Symposium on Christopher Eisgruber, *Religious Freedom and the Constitution*. Center for the Study of Religion. Princeton University. 9 March 2007.

--“The Bible, the Koran, and Dr. Seuss: Prison Reform in the 21st Century.” Baldy Center Mini-Workshop on Prisons and the Death Penalty. University at Buffalo Law School. 2 March 2007.

--Workshop participant: “Universals in the Discourse of Religion and Secularism” University of Michigan. 15-16 February 2007.

--“The Bible, the Koran, and Dr. Seuss: Prison Rehabilitation in the 21st Century.” Public Lecture. National Humanities Center. 11 January 2007.

--“Making Prisons Work—With God’s Help” Public lecture. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. 1 December 2006.

--Two Author Meets Reader sessions on *The Impossibility of Religious Freedom*. American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. 18-21 November 2006.

--Respondent, “Law and Cultural Narratives.” American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. 18-21 November 2006.

--Panelist. Pre-meeting media workshop on the Danish Cartoon controversy. American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. 17 November 2006.

--Workshop participant: “Universals in the Discourse of Religion and Secularism” University of Michigan. 13-14 November 2006.

--Designated interlocutor. “Law, Buddhism and Social Change: A Conversation With the Dalai Lama.” University at Buffalo, the State University of New York. 19-20 September 2006.

--“Comparing Law, Comparing Religion” and “Re-forming the Secular?: Theological Double-Talk and ‘Faith-based’ Social Services” presentations at Law and Society Association Annual Meeting. Baltimore, MD. 6-9 July 2006.

--Invited participant. “The Bible, The Public Schools and American Identity” conference. University of Illinois. 24 April 2006.

--Organizer and Presenter. Lecture series: “Religion, Law and Secularism.” American Bar Foundation. April 2006.

--“Re-forming the Secular?: Theological Double-Talk and ‘Faith-based’ Social Services” presented at “Fundamentalism and the Rule of Law” conference. Cardozo School of Law. 14 March 2005.

--Invited Participant, “Buddhism and Law.” Bellagio, Italy. 6-11 March 2006.

--“The Devil is in the Details,” Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont. 30 September 2005.

--“Comparing Religions, Legally.” John Randolph Tucker Memorial Lecture. Washington & Lee University Law School. 23 September 2005.

--Chair and discussant, “Religion and the State: Officialization, Negotiation, Management” Law and Society Annual Meeting. Las Vegas. 2-5 June 2005.

--Invited panelist. *Van Orden v. Perry; McCreary v. ACLU: Ten Commandments and the Government.* THE SUPREME COURT: CASE AND CONTROVERSY, A Conference of the Princeton University Program in Law and Public Affairs. Princeton University. 26 May 2005.

--Presenter, “Comparing Religions, Legally, or Comparing Law Comparing Religion.” Conference on Religion and the Democratic Prospect. University of Chicago Divinity School.

12-13 May 2005.

--Author Respondent. "Author Meets Critics: *The Impossibility of Religious Freedom*"

International Association of History of Religions. Tokyo. 24-30 March 2005.

--Invited Presenter. Faculty Retreat. University of Chicago Divinity School. 13-14 January 2005.

--"Comparing Religions, Legally." Invited Lecture. NEH Seminar: "Comparing Religions: Theory and Practice." Claremont Graduate College. 4 November 2004.

--Invited participant. "Locating Law in Buddhist Cultures" Baldy Center for Legal Studies. SUNY-Buffalo. 4-5 June 2004.

--Respondent. "Education, Religion, and the Supreme Court." AAR Midwest Annual Meeting 2004. 2 April 2004. Chicago.

--Faculty Seminar. Department of Philosophy. Georgia State University. 20 January 2004.

--Organizer, Panel on Expert Witnessing in Religion Cases. Annual Meeting of the North American Association for the Study of Religion. Atlanta, Georgia. 20-21 November 2003.

--Guest Lecturer, Jacek Kurczewski's Seminar for Doctoral Students in Law and Social Sciences. University of Warsaw Faculty of Applied Social Sciences. Warsaw, Poland. 13 November 2003.

--Respondent, "Religion and the Democratic Prospect." Marty Center. University of Chicago Divinity School. 6-7 November 2003.

--Invited Speaker, Seminar for Core Faculty, "Professional Practice and Values in a Religiously Plural Society." Center for Religion, the Professions and the Public. University of Missouri-Columbia, 14-15 October 2003.

--Paper, "The New 'Charitable Choice' Provisions and the Regulation of 'Faith-based' Organizations in the U.S." Conference entitled "Die Verkörperte Religion. Der Öffentlichkeitsstatus von Religionsgemeinschaften" ("Embodied Religion: The Public Status of Religious Communities") 17-20 September 2003. Max-Weber-Kolleg. Universität Erfurt.

--Guest Speaker, Global Journalism Class, Northwestern University, 28 July 2003.

--Author-meets-critics session on Lloyd Burton, *Worship and Wilderness*, Law and Society Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh. 5- 8 June 2003.

--"Legal Regulation of Religion in the 21st Century." Chicago Cultural Center 3 April 2003.

--Invited Participant, "Religion and Law" Symposium. Princeton University. 28 February 2003.

--Invited lecturer, "Teaching at Chicago," Wabash Pedagogy Program, Duke University. 24 January 2003.

--Invited Panelist, "Religion, Identity & Politics." Panel at annual meeting of Association of American Law Schools, 3 January 2003.

--Co-chair, "Colloquium on Transnational Religion." Washington & Lee University. 12-13 July 2002.

--Panelist, "The Reach of Religion: Why Understanding Religion is Necessary for Understanding Law." Law and Society Annual Meeting. Vancouver. 31 May 2002.

--Invited panelist, "Human Rights and Freedom of Religion and Belief." Conference held by *Harvard Human Rights Journal*. 15-17 February 2002.

--"Neutralizing Religion or What is the Opposite of 'Faith-based?'" Invited paper at conference celebrating retirement of Frank Reynolds, University of Chicago, 30 May 2001.

--"Avoiding 'Cemetery Anarchy:' Five Experts in Search of a Legal Definition of Religion" Remarks at a Symposium "What is Religion, Anyway?" Southwestern University. 15 February 2001.

--Panel speaker at Special Issues Forum on International Religious Freedom Act. American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN. 18-21 November 2000.

--Member of panel to discuss Phillip Hammond, *With Liberty for All: Freedom of Religion in the United States*. American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN. 18-21 November 2000.

--"Exporting Religious Freedom: Reflections on the International Religious Freedom Act," Lecture to American Theological Association--Midwest Region. University of Chicago. 27 October 2000.

--Comments on *German Jews: A Dual Identity*. Response to Paul Mendes-Flohr. Wednesday Lunch talk, The Divinity School, University of Chicago. 25 October 2000

--Organizer of two panels on religion and law. XVIII International Association of History of Religions Meeting. Durban, South Africa. August 2000.

--"Rethinking Religious Freedom." Paper presented to "After Secularism/Religion: History, Interpretation and Politics" conference . University of Minnesota. 12-14 May 2000.

--Invited Discussant. "Religion on Campus." Center for the Study of Religion and American Culture, Indiana University-Purdue University at Indianapolis, 28-29 April 2000.

--Organizer (with Alexandra Brown) of conference on "Religion and Transnationalism." Washington & Lee University. 1-2 April 2000.

--"Freedom for "Folk" Religion?" Lunch talk. Washington & Lee University Law School. 23 February 2000.

--". . . but they do it for love." Presentation at "Hatred: Confronting the Other." Sawyer Seminar Conference. University of Chicago. 11-13 February 2000.

--Respondent to panel. "Transnationalism, Religion and Competing Authorities." American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting. Boston. 19-23 November 1999.

--Invited Presenter, Consultation on Religious Persecution as a U.S. Policy Issue, 26-28 September 1999.

--"Rethinking Religious Freedom," paper delivered at Annual Meeting of Law & Society Association, Chicago, 27-30 May 1999.

--Invited Opening Panelist, "Law, Religion and the Moral Order," American Bar Association, San Antonio, 13-15 May 1999

--Invited Participant, Young Scholars in American Religion Conference, San Antonio, 8-10 January 1999.

--Organizer and respondent for panel entitled "Religion and Law: A New Comparative Agenda" Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Orlando, November 1998

--Invited Participant, The Public Religion Project conversation on Religion and Education, Chicago, 17 October 1998.

--Organizer and respondent for two panels entitled "Religion and the Secular State" at Annual Meeting of Law & Society Association, Aspen. 4-7 June 1998.

--Invited panelist, Plenary Session on the First Amendment, Catholic Press Association Conference, New Orleans, 4 June 1998.

--"Where Church and State Meet: Amicus Briefs in Religion Cases." Paper delivered at Workshop on Law, Culture and the Humanities, Georgetown Law Center, 27-29 March 1998.

--"Rethinking Religious Freedom" Invited Talk, Trinity College, Dublin, 18 February 1998.

Invited Presenter. "Judging Religion" at Conference entitled "Religion and the Judicial Process: Legal, Ethical, and Empirical Dimensions." Marquette University Law School 4-5 April 1997.

--Invited Participant, Conference on Islam and Law, University of Chicago, 7-9 March 1997.
 Workshop presentation. SCARS University of Virginia. 7 March 1997

--Invited Panelist, "The Comparative Study of Religion: Contemporary Challenges and Responses (Part II)." 1996 Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, New Orleans, 22-26 November 1996.

--Invited Participant, "Reconstructing a History of Religions." Western Maryland College 7-9 October 1996.

--"Disestablished Religion: What is it Like?" paper delivered at Annual Law & Society Association Meeting, Glasgow, 13 July 1996.

--"To Lose Place: Disestablishment and the Reinvention of Religion." paper delivered at Workshop on Religion and Law, University of Chicago, January 1996.

--Lecture, "Religion in History." Virginia Military Institute. 4 December 1995.

--Invited Participant, "Writing Across the Margins," Symposium on Lewis H. LaRue, *Constitutional Law as Fiction: Narrative in the Rhetoric of Authority*, Francis Lewis Law Center, Washington & Lee University, 3 November 1995.

--Panelist and organizer of symposium on "Religion, Law and the Construction of Identities." XVII International Congress of the History of Religions Meeting, Mexico City, 5-11 August 1995.

--Invited Participant, "Religious Pluralism in America: Past and Present." Center for the Study of American Religion, Princeton University, 2-4 June 1995.

--Panelist, "Religion, Law and the Construction of American Identities," Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Toronto, 1-4 June 1995.

--Paper entitled "Hasidism and the First Amendment: Accommodation of Religion or the Reinvention of the Shtetl." 1994 AAR Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois, 20 November 1995.

--Lecture, "Religion in History," Virginia Military Institute, 24 October 1994.

--Presentation at Symposium on Religion, Law and the Construction of American Identities. The Divinity School, The University of Chicago. 15 February 1994.

--Invited Lecture. "Supreme Court Justices: Historians of American Religion." at The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. 29 January 1993.

--Participant. Conference on "Religion, Law and the Construction of Identities." Institute for the Advanced Study of Religion, The University of Chicago. May 1993.

--Participant. Conference on "Religion, Law and the Construction of Identities." Harvard University Center for the Study of World Religions. December 1992.

Lectures/Events for general audiences

--"Church State Corporation: How the Church-in-Law Limits Religious Freedom" Herbert Katz Center for Judaic Studies. University of Pennsylvania. 14 February 2023.

--Panelist, "The Champ Comes Back to IU: The Life and Times of Muhammad Ali" 25 February 2022.

--Guest expert. Miami of Ohio workshop on religious freedom for Ohio schoolteachers. 16 December 2019.

--"A Ministry of Presence" Inaugural Joachim Viens Annual Memorial Lecture. World Wisdoms Project. Ft. Collins, CO. 10 April 2019.

--Introduction to screening of *The Passion of Joan of Arc*. IU Cinema. 3 December 2017.

--"Chew on This." Indiana Humanities Council. 9 May 2017.

--“What (if anything) is special about religious freedom?” COMPAS conference on “Religious Freedom” Ohio State University Center for Ethics and Human Values. Ohio State University. 8 September 2017.

--Keynote presentation, Community Dialogue, Ontario Human Rights Commission. 11 January 2012.

--Panelist, “Museums and Censorship”, Albright-Knox Museum, Buffalo. 25 September 2011.

--“The Bible, the Koran, and Dr. Seuss” Osher Life Long Learning Institute, Chapel Hill, NC. March 15, 2007.

--Panelist. Pew Forum on IRFA. Library of Congress. 20 November 2006. (transcript and webcast at <http://pewforum.org/events/index.php?EventID=133>.)

--Invited Participant, “The Future of Religious Freedom in America.” First Amendment Center. Chicago, Illinois. 10-11 October 2005.

--Introduction to the First Amendment. Western Springs Community Church. 24, 31 October 2004.

--Introduction to showing of *The Passion of Joan of Arc*. Rockefeller Chapel 75th Anniversary. University of Chicago. 21 February 2003.

--“St. Joan of Arc.” Lenten Lecture Series. St. Patrick’s Church, Lexington. 31 March 1998

--“Jeanne d’Arc” Remarks at the dedication of the St. Joan of Arc Chapel. Catholic Theological Union. Chicago. 26 January 1998.

--“Religion & Politics in Uganda” Washington & Lee University Summer Alumni College. 14 July 1996.

--Campus Retreat. “Cambodia Revisited” (with Liz Heffernan) Washington & Lee University. 9 November 1995.

--Lecture, “Religion in the Courts: Whose Side is God On?” Virginia Military Institute. 2 February 1995.

Professional Service

American Council of Learned Societies. Selection Committee for ACLS Fellowship. 2024-25

Tufts University. Member of External Review Committee. Department of Religion. Spring 2023

University of Florida. Member of External Review Committee. Department of Religion. Spring 2023.

American Council of Learned Societies. Selection Committee for Luce/ACLS fellowship in Religion, Journalism and International Affairs. 2019-20.

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada. Member of Postdoctoral Fellowships Committee 2017-18.

American Council of Learned Societies. Reviewer for Charles Ryskamp Research Fellowship and Frederick Burkhardt Residential Fellowship. 2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15.

Princeton University. Member of External Review Committee, Department of Religion. 2014.

American Society for the Study of Religion (elective); member of Executive Committee (2007-15)

American Academy of Religion. Co-founder, chair, and member of the Executive Committee, Law, Religion and Culture Group.

North American Association for the Study of Religion. Vice- President 2009-2011; member of

executive committee 2004-2006, 2007-2009.
 Institute for the Advanced Study of Religion, Toronto. Member, International Advisory Committee. 2008-
 Southern Illinois University School of Law, member, Board of Visitors, 2006-2008.
 Council for America's First Freedom, Richmond, VA. Member, National Program Advisory Board, 2005-2010.
 University of Missouri. Member, National Council for the Center for Religion, the Professions and the Public. 2003-2005.
 DePaul College of Law Center for Church/State Studies. Member, Legal Scholars Advisory Board, 2001-2004

University Service

Member, Indiana University College of Arts & Sciences Tenure Committee. 2023-25.
 Member, Strategic Research and Creative Activity Support Committee. Office of the Vice President for Research. Indiana University Bloomington. 2022-23
 Member, Advisory Board of the Institute for Advanced Study. Indiana University Bloomington. 2022-24.
 Internal reviewer. Art History Department Review. Indiana University Bloomington. 2022
 Mentor to Recently Tenured Working Group. VPFAA and IAS. Indiana University Bloomington. 2020-21.
 Selection committee for the Provost professorships and the Sonneborn award. Indiana University Bloomington. 2019-20.
 Reviewer for Mellon Foundation New Directions Fellowship. 2019-20.
 Founding Director, IU Center for Religion and the Human. 2019-
 Campus Tenure Advisory Committee. 2018-20
 College Arts & Humanities Institute, Advisory Board. Member. 2017-
 Indiana University Press Faculty Board. Member. 2017- ; Chair, 2024-
 Indiana University College of Arts & Sciences. Strategic Planning Committee. 2016-17.
 Indiana University College of Arts & Sciences. Panel of Chairs. 2016-17. (Advisory to the Executive Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences)
 Indiana University College of Arts & Sciences. Committee to Develop Minor in Leaders and Leadership. 2016.
 Indiana University Bloomington. Provost's Taskforce on the Fiscal Sustainability of the College, 2015-16.
 Indiana University College of Arts & Sciences. Promotion Committee. 2015-17.
 Indiana University Consortium for the Study of Religion and Ethics in Society. Executive Committee, 2014-2016.
 Indiana University College of Arts & Sciences. Chair, Department of Religious Studies. 2012-17.
 University at Buffalo. The State University of New York. Member of Advisory Board, Religious Studies Program, 2011-2012.
 University of Chicago. Co-advisor (with Philip Hamburger) of interdisciplinary graduate student workshop on law and religion. 2003-2005.

University of Chicago. Subcommittee for Community Relations, Provost's Initiative on Minority Issues. November 2003-June 2005.
University of Chicago. Sexual Harassment Complaint Advisor, July 2002-August 2005.
Washington & Lee University. Acting Head, Department of Religion, Spring 2000.
Washington & Lee University, Advisory Committee. Civil Responsibility Lecture Series. 250th Celebration. 1998-1999.
Washington & Lee University. Faculty Search Committee. Department of Sociology/Anthropology. 1998-1999.
Washington & Lee University. Faculty Advisor. Amnesty International. 1999-2000.

Community Service

Catholic Theological Union. National Board of Advisors, Bernardin Center, 2009-Seminary Cooperative Bookstore, Chicago. 1993-1994, 2002-2012; member Board of Directors, Executive Committee and Strategic Planning Committee 2011-2012.
Lexington Public Schools. Gifted Advisory Committee, 1997-1999.
Hyde Park Neighborhood Club. Board of Directors, 1990-1994.