

Curriculum Vitae
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Education: Ph.D. Jurisprudence and Social Policy Program
University of California, Berkeley

B.A. Politics (Highest Honors)
University of California, Santa Cruz

Dissertation: “The Perspective of Political Justice”

Academic Appointments:

Associate Professor and Chair, Political Science (secondary affiliation with Dept. of Philosophy), Bryn Mawr College, currently
Associate Professor, Political Science (secondary affiliation with Dept. of Philosophy), Bryn Mawr College, 2008-9
Assistant Professor, Political Science, Bryn Mawr College, 2002-2008
Lecturer, University of California at Santa Cruz, Legal Studies, 1990-2002 [while ABD until 1995]
Chair University of California at Santa Cruz, Legal Studies Program, 1991-1995 [while ABD] and 1997-1999
Lecturer, University of California at Berkeley, Legal Studies, 1996

Books

Visions of Law: The Grand and the Tame (in-progress, initial chapters positively reviewed by Cambridge University Press)

Truth and Democratic Politics (co-editor, with Andrew Norris)
(Advance contract from, and completed manuscript currently under review by, University of Pennsylvania Press.)

Articles

“The Model of War” (forthcoming in April, 2010, *Political Theory*)

“Law and Sacrifice,” (forthcoming, 2010, *Law, Culture and the Humanities*)

“Beyond ‘Beyond the State’: Re-thinking Law and Globalization,” in *Law Without Nations*, Sarat, Douglas, Umphrey, eds. [Stanford University Press, forthcoming in 2010]

“Concerning Practices of Truth,” in *Truth and Democratic Politics* (Under review by University of Pennsylvania Press)

“Revolutionary Politics,” *Theory and Event*, Volume 9:4, Fall, 2006

“Constitutional Enactment,” *Political Theory*, Apr 2005; 33: 280-297

“Frederick Schauer on the Force of Rules” in *Rules and Reasoning: Essays in Honour of Frederick Schauer*, (Linda Meyers, ed.), Hart Publishing, Oxford, 1999

“Declarations of Rights,” *Roundtable*, University of Chicago, Vol. 3:1 pp. 243-322, January 1996

Paper Presentations (conferences and invited talks):

“Law and Sacrifice,” Conference on Law, Culture, and the Humanities, Boston, April, 2009

“W(i)ther the State”, American Political Science Association Meetings, Boston, August, 2008

“Beyond ‘Beyond the State,” Amherst College, April, 2008

“Two Conceptions of the Rule of Law,” Conference on Seeing Justice Done, Haverford College, March, 2007

“Promise and Constraint in Law,” Conference on Law, Culture and the Humanities, Washington, D.C., March, 2007

“Sovereignty and Sacrifice,” American Political Science Association Meetings, Philadelphia, September, 2006

“Revolutionary Politics,” American Political Science Association Meetings, Washington, D.C., September, 2005

“The Construction of the Body Politic,” Conference on Law, Culture and the Humanities, Austin, Texas, March, 2005

“War and Social Policy,” Haverford College, Feb., 2005

“War as Metaphor,” International Society for the Study of European Ideas, Pamplona, Spain, August 6, 2004

“The Grand and the Tame Visions of Law,” University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, September 26, 2003

“A Paradox in the Concept of Law,” American Political Science Association Meetings, August, Philadelphia 2003.

“The Grand, the Tame, and the Surprise: On the Transformative Possibilities of Law,” Department of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University, March, 2003

“The Constitution of Identity,” International Interdisciplinary Conference on Rhetoric – Constitution – Agency (Concordia University, Montreal), Oct., 2000

“Constitutional Judgments,” Western Political Science Association Meetings, March, 2000

“Constitutionalism in a Regime of Popular Sovereignty: The Very Radical Idea of the ‘Rule of the People,’” American Political Science Association Meetings, Chicago, August, 1997

“The Idea of a Constitution of Rights,” Law and Society Association Meetings, Toronto June, 1995

“Constitutionalism and the Politics of Disclosure,” Townsend Conference on “Censorship and Silencing,” January, 1995

“Government Funding of the Arts,” Symposium on Government Funding and the NEA, University of California, Santa Cruz, 1995

Other Conference and
Colloquia Participation:

Chair and Discussant, “Exile and Reconciliation,” Conference on Law, Culture, and the Humanities, Providence, RI, March 2010

Program Committee, Law, Culture, and the Humanities, 2008-9

Roundtable, Organizer and Participant, “The Role of Theory and the Theorists in Political and Legal Thought,” Conference on Law, Culture, and the Humanities, Berkeley, March, 2008

Organizer, Panel on Truth and Politics, American Political Science Association Meetings, September, 2005

Organizer, Panel on Law and Political Discourse, Conference on Law, Culture and the Humanities, Austin, Texas, March, 2005

Chair and Discussant, “Law and Codification,” Conference on Law, Culture, and the Humanities, Austin, TX, March, 2005

Organizer and Participant, Mellon Faculty Seminar on “Memory, Future, and Identity,” 2004-2005

Participant, American Studies Working Group, Haverford College, 2004-present

Participant, Ethics and the Professions Working Group, Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, 2004

Discussant, “Transnational Conceptions of Citizenship and Rights,” American Political Science Association Meetings, August 30, 2003

Chair and Discussant, “Communities and Collective Rights,” Law and Society Association Meetings, June, 2003

Chair and Discussant, “Law and the Politics of State-Building,” Western Political Science Association Meetings, March, 1996

Chair and Discussant, Roundtable on “Politics and Law in State-Building,” American Political Science Association Meetings, August, 1995

Participant, Graduate Student Workshop, Law and Society Meetings, Toronto, June 1995

Participant, Law and Society Summer Institute, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario, July, 1995

Chair and Discussant, “Lawyers, Litigiousness and Politics,” Western Political Science Association Meetings, Portland, Oregon, March, 1995

Other Service to the Profession

Reviewer, *American Political Science Review*, ms# 13763

Service And College Activity

(Bryn Mawr):

Parliamentarian, Fall 2006-2008

Presentation on “War as Metaphor,” Social Science Center, April 2007

Convener, Junior Faculty Meetings, 2006-2007

Chair, Faculty Awards and Grants Committee, 2006-2007

Member, Special Subcommittee on Faculty and Staff Access to Pre-Owned College Computers, Committee on Library, Information Services, and Computing, 2006-2007

Consultant to Committee on Library, Information Services, and Computing on College Compliance with Communications Assistance to Law Enforcement Act

Faculty Ad Hoc Committee for Revising the By-laws of the Faculty, 2005-2006

Faculty Ad Hoc Committee for Revising the Plan of Governance, 2004-2005

Member, Faculty Awards and Grants Committee, 2004-2007

Panelist, Forum on Guantanamo Bay, Bryn Mawr College, 2005

Panelist, Forum on the 2004 Elections, (Sponsored by Bryn Mawr College Democrats), 2005

Organizer and Participant, Mellon Faculty Seminar, "Memory, Future, Identity," 2004-2005

Chair, Ph.D. Examining Committee, Justine McNamara, Graduate School of Social Work, 2004

Organizer, Mellon Tri-college Faculty Fellowship Grant (Tri-College Group for Interdisciplinary Fellowship for Junior Faculty), 2003-2004

"Law and War," Teach-in on the Iraqi War, February, 2003

Co-organizer, Fridays at Wyndham (Weekly Junior Faculty Lunches), 2002-2003

Selection Committee, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace Junior Fellows Program, December, 2002