

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2019

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**What is a Legal Archive?** (*Center for History and Economics, Harvard University*)

Moderators: **Elizabeth Lhost**, University of Wisconsin-Madison (elizabeth@wisc.edu) and **Emma Rothschild**, Harvard University (rothsch@fas.harvard.edu)

**Debjeni Bhattacharya**, Drexel University (db893@drexel.edu)  
*South Asia 1*

**Julia Stephens**, Rutgers University (julia.stephens@rutgers.edu)  
*South Asia 2*

**Tatiana Seijas**, Rutgers University (tatiana.seijas@rutgers.edu)  
*Latin America 3*

**Michelle McKinley**, University of Oregon (michelle@uoregon.edu)  
*Latin America 1*

**Melissa Teixeira**, University of Pennsylvania (mteixeir@sas.upenn.edu)  
*Latin America 2*

**Bhavani Raman**, University of Toronto (bhavani.raman@utoronto.ca)  
*South Asia 3*

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2019

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**Registration** (*Exeter Foyer*)

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**Exhibits** (*Statler Room*)

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**African Legal History Symposium** (*White Hill Room*)

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**Johnson Program for First Book Authors** (*Harvard Law School / TBD*)

Moderator: **Reuel Schiller**, University of California, Hastings College of the Law (schiller@uchastings.edu)

**Pedro Cantisano**, Kenyon College (cantisano1@kenyon.edu)  
*Rio de Janeiro on Trial: Law and Urban Reform in Modern Brazil*

**Marie-Amelie George**, Wake Forest University School of Law (georgemp@wfu.edu)  
*Deviant Justice: The Transformation of Gay and Lesbian Rights in America*

**Amanda Laury Kleintop**, Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts (amanda.kleintop@mcla.edu)  
*The Balance of Freedom: Abolishing Property Rights in Slaves after the U.S. Civil War*

**Kalyani Ramnath**, Harvard University (kalyaniramnath@fas.harvard.edu)

*Boats in a Storm: Law and Displacement in Postwar South Asia*

**Evan Taparata**, University of Pennsylvania ([taparata@sas.upenn.edu](mailto:taparata@sas.upenn.edu))

*State of Refuge: Refugee Law and the Modern United States*

**Adnan Zulfiqar**, Rutgers Law School ([adnan.zulfiqar@rutgers.edu](mailto:adnan.zulfiqar@rutgers.edu))

*Collective Duties in Islamic Law: The Moral Community, State Authority, and Ethical Speculation in the late 9th to the 14th Centuries CE*

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**Student Research Colloquium** (*Harvard Law School / TBD*)

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This event is closed to the public.

Student Presenters:

**Jonathon Booth**, Harvard University ([jonathonbooth@g.harvard.edu](mailto:jonathonbooth@g.harvard.edu))

*The Birth of Policing in Post-Emancipation Jamaica*

**Lauren Feldman**, Johns Hopkins University ([Lauren.feldman@jhu.edu](mailto:Lauren.feldman@jhu.edu))

*Constructing Legal Matrimony and the State in New York and the United States: Debating New York's Marriage Act of 1827 and its Effects*

**Jamie Grischkan**, Boston University ([jgrisch@bu.edu](mailto:jgrisch@bu.edu))

*Banking, Law, and American Liberalism: The Rise and Regulation of Bank Holding Companies in the Twentieth Century*

**Derek Litvak**, University of Maryland ([litvak.derek@gmail.com](mailto:litvak.derek@gmail.com))

*Articles of Failure: Slavery Under the Articles of Confederation and the Road to the Constitution*

**Doris Morgan Rueda**, University of Nevada, Las Vegas ([Doris.morgan@unlv.edu](mailto:Doris.morgan@unlv.edu))

*"No One's Getting Smarter, No One's Learning the Score": San Diego's Surveillance of Youth and the Border in the 1950's*

**Katharina Isabel Schmidt**, Princeton University ([kis2@princeton.edu](mailto:kis2@princeton.edu))

*From Free Law to Free Love: On Theodor Sternberg's Sexological Explorations in Imperial Japan, 1935-1937*

**Geneva Smith**, Princeton University ([gajsmith@princeton.edu](mailto:gajsmith@princeton.edu))

*Compensating Whiteness: Slave Courts in Colonial Maryland and the Atlantic World*

**Lila Teeters**, University of New Hampshire ([lmt2006@wildcats.unh.edu](mailto:lmt2006@wildcats.unh.edu))

*"A Simple Act of Justice": Congressional Attempts to Make Native Americans U.S. Citizens, 1919-1924*

Conveners:

Kenneth Mack, Harvard Law School ([kmack@law.harvard.edu](mailto:kmack@law.harvard.edu))

Laurie Wood, Florida State University ([lmwood@fsu.edu](mailto:lmwood@fsu.edu))

Jacqueline Briggs, University of Toronto ([jacq.briggs@utoronto.ca](mailto:jacq.briggs@utoronto.ca))

John Wertheimer, Davidson College ([jowertheimer@davidson.edu](mailto:jowertheimer@davidson.edu))

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**Law and Empire in the Sino-Asian Context** (*Harvard Law School / TBD*)

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## Legal History and the Persistent Power of State and Local Governments (*Cambridge Room*)

Moderators: **Brooke Depenbusch**, University of Minnesota (depen003@umn.edu) and **Rabia Belt**, Stanford Law School (belt@law.stanford.edu)

**Kate Masur**, Northwestern University (kmasur@northwestern.edu)

*Historiographical Interventions (1)*

**William Novak**, Michigan Law (wnovak@umich.edu)

*Historiographical Interventions (2)*

**Karen Tani**, University of California, Berkeley School of Law (ktani@law.berkeley.edu)

*Historiographical Interventions (3)*

**Laura Edwards**, Duke University (ledwards@duke.edu)

*Historiographical Interventions (4)*

**Barbara Welke**, University of Minnesota (welke004@umn.edu)

*Narrative Choices (1)*

**Christopher Tomlins**, University of California-Berkeley Law School (ctomlins@law.berkeley.edu)

*Narrative Choices (2)*

**Emily Prifogle**, University of Michigan (emilyaprifogle@gmail.com)

*Narrative Choices (3)*

**Felicity Turner**, Georgia Southern University (fturner@georgiasouthern.edu)

*Source Decisions (1)*

**Sally Hadden**, Western Michigan University (sally.hadden@wmich.edu)

*Source Decisions (2)*

**Kellen Funk**, Princeton University (kfunk@princeton.edu)

*Source Decisions (3)*

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## The Second Book (*Building E51, Room 095*)

Moderator: **Alison Lefkowitz**, New Jersey Institute of Technology and Rutgers University-Newark (alison.lefkowitz@njit.edu)

**Alison Lefkowitz**, New Jersey Institute of Technology and Rutgers University-Newark ([alison.lefkowitz@njit.edu](mailto:alison.lefkowitz@njit.edu)) Associate Professor, “Fortune Hunting: Sex, Class, and Social Mobility in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century United States.”

**Anne Fleming**, Georgetown Law ([anne.fleming@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:anne.fleming@law.georgetown.edu)), Professor Household Borrowing and Bankruptcy in Jim Crow America

**Caley Horan**, MIT (cdhoran@mit.edu) Associate Professor  
“Investing in the stars: Astrology and capitalism in modern America”

**Gautham Rao**, American University (gra0@american.edu) American University, Associate Professor  
“The Master's State: Slavery and the American State.”

**Nate Holdren**, Program in Law, Politics, and Society (nate.holdren@drake.edu) Assistant Professor  
“Capitalism's Heartland.”

**Kimberly Welch**, Vanderbilt University (kimberly.m.welch@vanderbilt.edu) Assistant Professor  
“The Black Atlantic Economy.”

**Sara Mayeux**, Vanderbilt University ([sara.mayeux@vanderbilt.edu](mailto:sara.mayeux@vanderbilt.edu)) Assistant Professor  
“The Catholic Left and the American Constitutional Tradition in the Twentieth Century.”

**Sarah Milov**, University of Virginia ([smilov@virginia.edu](mailto:smilov@virginia.edu)) Assistant Professor  
“Shrill Alarm: Gender and Whistleblowing in Modern America.”

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**Finance Committee** (*Hancock Room*)

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**Executive Committee** (*Hancock Room*)

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**Opening Reception** (*Arlington/Berkeley/Clarendon Room*)

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**Board of Directors Meeting** (*Georgian Room*)

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**Night Cap** (*M.J. O'Connor's Pub*)

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**Petitioning the President: James Madison, The Haitian Revolution, and a Resurgence of the International Slave Trade** (*Arlington Room*)

Chairs: **Malick Ghachem**, Massachusetts Institute of Technology ([mghachem@mit.edu](mailto:mghachem@mit.edu)), **Rebecca J Scott**, University of Michigan ([rjscott@umich.edu](mailto:rjscott@umich.edu)) and **Darrell Meadows**, Nation Historical Publications & Records Commission ([darrell.meadows@nara.gov](mailto:darrell.meadows@nara.gov))

Discussants: **Ana María Silva**, University of Michigan ([anasilva@umich.edu](mailto:anasilva@umich.edu)), **Jean Hébrard**, Johns Hopkins University ([jhebrard@ehess.fr](mailto:jhebrard@ehess.fr)) and **Andrew Walker**, Wesleyan University ([awalker01@wesleyan.edu](mailto:awalker01@wesleyan.edu))

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**The Consequences of Union Victory and the Legal Legacy of the Civil War** (*Berkeley Room*)

Chair: **Timothy Huebner**, Rhodes College ([huebner@rhodes.edu](mailto:huebner@rhodes.edu))

Commentator: **Taja-Nia Henderson**, Rutgers School of Law ([thenderson@kinoy.rutgers.edu](mailto:thenderson@kinoy.rutgers.edu))

**Catharine MacMillan**, King's College London ([catharine.macmillan@kcl.ac.uk](mailto:catharine.macmillan@kcl.ac.uk))

*The 'So-called Confederate Government': The United States of America's Quest for Confederate property in England*

**Christopher Bryant**, University of Cincinnati ([bryantac@ucmail.uc.edu](mailto:bryantac@ucmail.uc.edu))

*"Both Parties Bidding": Ohio's 1884 Civil Rights Act and the Evolving Concept of Equal Citizenship (co-authored with Matthew Norman)*

**Matthew Norman**, University of Cincinnati Blue Ash College (normanmh@ucmail.uc.edu)

*"Both Parties Bidding": Ohio's 1884 Civil Rights Act and the Evolving Concept of Equal Citizenship* (co-authored with Christopher Bryant)

**Cynthia Nicoletti**, University of Virginia Law School (cln4x@virginia.edu)

*William Henry Trescot and Land Redistribution in South Carolina, 1865-1866*

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### ***The Legal Regulation of Punishment in Comparative Perspective (White Hill Room)***

Chair: **Erin Braatz**, Suffolk University Law School (ebraatz@suffolk.edu)

Commentator: **Michael Meranze**, University of California, Los Angeles (meranze@history.ucla.edu)

**Mina Khalil**, University of Pennsylvania (mikhhalil@sas.upenn.edu)

*Tracing the Criminal Defendant in Modern Egypt*

**Katherine Bruce-Lockhart**, University of Toronto Mississauga (kate.bruce.lockhart@utoronto.ca)

*Dissent and Dignity in Late Colonial Uganda: The 1957 Bufulubi Prison Strike*

**Thomas Buoye**, The University of Tulsa (thomas-buoye@utulsa.edu)

*Death in Detention, Jail Breaks, and Summary Execution: The Crisis in Eighteenth-century Chinese Criminal Justice*

**Toussaint Losier**, University of Massachusetts, Amherst (tlosier@afroam.umass.edu)

*"So I guess its up to us": Locating the Place of Prisoner Litigation in the History and Historiography of Mass Incarceration*

**Ashley Rubin**, University of Toronto, Mississauga (ashley.rubin@utoronto.ca)

*Benevolent Discretion: Prison Administration and Legal Ambiguity in Eastern State Penitentiary, 1829-1849*

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### ***Law, Indenture and Free Labor in the British Empire, 1640-1870 (Clarendon Room)***

Chair: **Mary Bilder**, Boston College Law School (bilder@bc.edu)

Commentator: **Mary Bilder**, Boston College Law School (bilder@bc.edu)

**Sonia Tycko**, Rothermere American Institute and St. Peter's College, Oxford (sonia.tycko@gmail.com)

*The Question of Consent in 17<sup>th</sup> c. Transatlantic English Kidnapping Prosecutions*

**Jon Connolly**, Princeton University (jon.s.connolly@gmail.com)

*Indentured Labor Migration and the Making of Post-Slavery Free Labor*

**Padraic Scanlan**, London School of Economics and Political Science (padraic.scanlan@gmail.com)

*Special Magistracy in the British Empire, 1834-1838*

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### ***Sex and Motherhood Reimagined (Georgian Room)***

Chair: **Alice Kessler-Harris**, Columbia University (ak571@columbia.edu)

Commentator: **Alice Kessler-Harris**, Columbia University (ak571@columbia.edu)

**Melissa Murray**, NYU School of Law (MurrayM@mercury.law.nyu.edu)

*Griswold v. Connecticut and Criminal Law Reform*

**Julie Suk**, CUNY - The Graduate Center (jsuk@gc.cuny.edu)

*From "Home Protection" to Family Privacy: Penumbra of Prohibition and its Repeal*

**Reva Siegel**, Yale Law School (reva.siegel@yale.edu)

*Reimagining Motherhood When the Nineteenth Amendment Was Fifty: The Strike For Equality, August 26, 1970*

**Serena Mayeri**, University of Pennsylvania (smayeri@law.upenn.edu)

*Double Standards: Sex, Sexuality, and Marital Status in the Long 1970s*

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### **War and the Law: Global Perspectives** (*Boylston Room*)

Chair: **Vasuki Nesiiah**, New York University (vn10@nyu.edu)

Commentator: **Vasuki Nesiiah**, New York University (vn10@nyu.edu)

**Nurfadzilah Yahaya**, National University of Singapore (hisny@nus.edu.sg)

*Soldiers Without War: Military Logistics and Sepoy Mutiny in Singapore (1915)*

**Kalyani Ramnath**, Harvard University (kalyaniramnath@fas.harvard.edu)

*Checkpoints: Law and Migration in Interwar South Asia*

**Franziska Seraphim**, Boston College (seraphim@bc.edu)

*War Crimes Trials and Geolegality*

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### **Civil Law, Common Law, Customary Law. Consonance, Divergence and Transformation in Western Europe from the late eleventh to the thirteenth centuries** (*White Hill Room*)

Chair: **Emanuele Conte**, Università Roma Tre (emanuele.conte@uniroma3.it)

**Andrew Cecchinato**, University of St Andrews (ac355@st-andrews.ac.uk)

*A European Science of English Law? System and History from Selden to Blackstone*

**Sarah White**, University of St Andrews (sbw@st-andrews.ac.uk)

*Romano-canonical Procedural Treatises in England*

**Will Eves**, University of St Andrews (wae@st-andrews.ac.uk)

*The concept of 'ownership' in England and Northern France*

**Matthew McHaffie**, University of St Andrews (mm795@st-andrews.ac.uk)

*Comparative History of Warranty Obligations (France and England, 1000-1270)*

**Cory Hitt**, University of St Andrews (ch775@st-andrews.ac.uk)

*Redemption of property and status in Old French and Anglo-Norman coutumiers*

**Attilio Stella**, University of St Andrews (as346@st-andrews.ac.uk)

*Feudal law and the Libri Feudorum in Italy and Southern France*

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### **Indigenous Articulations & Critiques of the Law in American History** (*Exeter Room*)

Chair: **Bethany Berger**, University of Connecticut (bethany.berger@uconn.edu)

Discussants: **Keith Richotte, Jr.**, University of North Carolina (richotte@email.unc.edu), **Kevin Bruyneel**, Babson College (kbruyneel@babson.edu) and **Maurice Crandall**, Dartmouth College (maurice.s.crandall@dartmouth.edu)

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## **Taking the Rural Seriously in Twentieth-Century Legal History: Centering Gender & Sexuality** (*Berkeley Room*)

Chair: **Anna Lvovsky**, Harvard University (alvovsky@law.harvard.edu)

Commentator: **Anna Lvovsky**, Harvard University (alvovsky@law.harvard.edu)

**Emily Prifogle**, University of Michigan (emilyaprifogle@gmail.com)

*Prosecutorial Discretion & Masculinity in Small-Town Iowa, 1920-1928*

**Brian Balogh**, University of Virginia (bb9s@virginia.edu)

*"They resented her from day one:" The role of gender in the first American Rural National Historic Landmark District*

**Anne Gray Fischer**, Indiana University (agrayf@gmail.com)

*"A Rugged Task": Policewomen in the Depression-era Countryside*

**Gabriel Rosenberg**, Duke University (gabriel.rosenberg@duke.edu)

*Beastly Vice: On the Legal Transformation of Bestiality and the Political Ecology of Rural America*

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## **Legal History in Colonial and Postcolonial Africa: Legislation and Courts in the Making of Political Culture** (*Georgian Room*)

Chair: **Charlotte Walker-Said**, John Jay-CUNY (cwalker-said@jjay.cuny.edu)

Commentator: **Charlotte Walker-Said**, John Jay-CUNY (cwalker-said@jjay.cuny.edu)

**Walter Nkwi**, University of Buea (nkwi.walters@ubuea.cm)

*Prostitution, Women's Mobility, and the Development of Criminal Regulatory Systems in Anglophone and Francophone Cameroon*

**Elizabeth Thornberry**, Johns Hopkins University (thornberry@jhu.edu)

*Traditional Leadership and the Temporality of Custom: South Africa's Nhlapo Commission*

**Erin Mosely**, Chapman University (mosely@chapman.edu)

*Ferdinand Nahimana, the International Criminal Tribunal, and Rwanda's Politics of Regret*

**Katherine Luongo**, Northeastern University (k.luongo@northeastern.edu)

*The Nyayo House Reparations Case - A Crucible of Human Rights in Contemporary Kenya*

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## **Making Markets: Law and American Capitalism** (*Clarendon Room*)

Chair: **Noam Maggor**, Queen Mary University of London (n.maggor@qmul.ac.uk)

Commentator: **Andrew Cohen**, The Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs (awcohe01@maxwell.syr.edu)

**Noam Maggor**, Queen Mary University of London (MAGGOR1@GMAIL.COM)

*Antitrust as Development Strategy: Law and the Remaking of American Capitalism, 1865-1890*

**Gabrielle Clark**, Dartmouth College (gec213@nyu.edu)

*Remaking Deportable Labor: Legal Coercion and Globalization in US Labor Markets*

**Nicolas Barreyre**, The École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales (EHESS) (nicolas.barreyre@ehess.fr)

*Constituting Public Debt: Re-shaping the Administrative State and US Finance after the Civil War*

**Martin Giraudeau**, Sciences Po (martin.giraudeau@sciencespo.fr)

*Who owns accounting? A History of Intellectual Property Rights on Accounting Methods, 1970-2020*

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**Kathryn T. Preyer Memorial Prize Panel** (*Boylston Room*)

Chair: **Laura Kalman**, Department of History (kalman@history.ucsb.edu)

Commentators: **Gerald Neuman**, Harvard Law School (neuman@law.harvard.edu) and **Sophia Lee**, University of Pennsylvania Law School (slee@law.upenn.edu)

**Ofra Bloch**, Yale Law School (ofra.bloch@yale.edu)

*The Untold History of Israel's Affirmative Action for Arab Citizens, 1948-1968*

**Brianna Nofil**, Columbia University (bln2109@columbia.edu)

*"Chinese Jails" and the Birth of Immigration Detention for Profit, 1900-1905*

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**THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEMISE OF THE WARREN COURT** (*Arlington Room*)

Chair: **Lucas Powe**, University of Texas School of Law (spowe@law.utexas.edu)

Commentator: **Linda Greenhouse**, Yale Law School (linda.greenhouse@yale.edu)

**Earl Maltz**, Rutgers University (emaltz@law.rutgers.edu)

*Revisiting Rodriguez and Roe: The Trials of Richard Nixon, The Travails of Abe Fortas, and the Transformation of the Fourteenth Amendment*

**David Golland**, Governors State University (dgolland@gmail.com)

*A Case is a Terrible Thing to Waste: Arthur Fletcher, Griggs v. Duke Power, and the American Workplace*

**James Viator**, Loyola-New Orleans (jeviator@loyno.edu)

*Did the Warren Court End With the Burger Court: A Comparison of Their Criminal Procedure Jurisprudence*

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**The making of social rights: global crossings in the first half of the 20<sup>th</sup> century** (*Boylston Room*)

Chair: **William Novak**, Michigan Law (wnovak@umich.edu)

Commentator: **William Novak**, Michigan Law (wnovak@umich.edu)

**Laila Maia Galvão**, Federal Institute of Paraná (lailamg@gmail.com)

*Education, democracy and administrative state in 1930's Brazil: the connections between Anísio Teixeira and John Dewey*

**Maria Pia Guerra**, Universidade de Brasília (mapiaguerra@gmail.com)

*Delegations of powers and authoritarianism in the Brazilian 1930': connections between Brazil and the United States*

**Nie Xin**, Tsinghua University School of Law (niexin@tsinghua.edu.cn)

*The Chinese Constitutional Social Welfare Articles before 1949: Comparison with the Weimar Constitution*

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**Authors-Meet-Readers: Legal Histories of Modern American Capitalism** (*Georgian Room*)

Chair: **Kenneth Mack**, Harvard Law School (kmack@law.harvard.edu)

Commentators: **Kenneth Mack**, Harvard Law School (kmack@law.harvard.edu) and **Meg Jacobs**, Princeton University (megj@princeton.edu)



Authors: **Laura Phillips Sawyer**, Harvard Business School (lsawyer@hbs.edu) and **Anne Fleming**, Georgetown University Law Center (anne.fleming@law.georgetown.edu)

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**On the Spirit of Rights: Author Meets Reader Session** (*Georgian Room*)

Chair: **Camille Robcis**, Columbia University (car2129@columbia.edu)

Commentators: **Camille Robcis**, Columbia University (car2129@columbia.edu) and **Jud Campbell**, University of Richmond (uncjud@gmail.com)

Author: **Dan Edelstein**, Stanford University (danedels@stanford.edu)

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**Author Meets Readers: Carlton F.W. Larson's *The Trials of Allegiance: Treason, Juries, and the American Revolution* (Oxford University Press, 2019)** (*Georgian Room*)

Chair: **Daniel Hamilton**, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law (Daniel.Hamilton@unlv.edu)

Commentators: **Alison LaCroix**, University of Chicago Law School (lacroix@uchicago.edu), **Renee Lerner**, George Washington University Law School (rlerner@law.gwu.edu) and **Amanda Tyler**, University of California, Berkeley School of Law (at Tyler@berkeley.edu)

Author: **Carlton Larson**, UC Davis School of Law (clarson@ucdavis.edu)

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**Author Meets Readers: Policing the Open Road: How Cars Transformed American Freedom** (*Georgian Room*)

Chair: **Michael Willrich**, Brandeis University History Department (willrich@brandeis.edu)

Commentators: **Sara Mayeux**, Vanderbilt Law School (Sara.mayeux@vanderbilt.edu), **Timothy Lovelace**, Indiana University Maurer School of Law (lovelace@indiana.edu) and **Shaun Ossei-Owusu**, Columbia Law School (sossei-owusu@law.columbia.edu)

Author: **Sarah Seo**, University of Iowa College of Law (sarah-seo@uiowa.edu)

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**Commercial Dispute Resolution in the Early Modern Atlantic World** (*White Hill Room*)

Chair: **Esther Sahle**, University of Oldenburg (esthersahle@yahoo.de)

Commentator: **Amalia Kessler**, Stanford University (akessler@law.stanford.edu)

**Hunter Harris**, University of Michigan (hgharris@umich.edu)

*Commercial Arbitration in Eighteenth Century Glasgow*

**Francis Boorman**, Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, University of London (francisboorman@hotmail.com)

*Arbitration and the Industrial Revolution*

**Strum Daniel**, University of Sao Paulo (danistrum@gmail.com)

*Formal enforcement as a designed supplementary institution: cases involving traders of Jewish origin in sixteenth and seventeenth century Brazil, Portugal and the Netherlands*

**Esther Sahle**, University of Oldenburg (esthersahle@yahoo.de)

*Gospel Order and Economic Growth: Quaker Arbitration in Colonial Philadelphia*

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## **Almost Citizens: an author-meets-reader panel with Sam Erman** (*Georgian Room*)

Chair: **Nathan Perl-Rosenthal**, University of Southern California (perlrose@usc.edu)

Commentators: **Karen Tani**, University of California, Berkeley School of Law (ktani@law.berkeley.edu), **Cristina Rodriguez**, Yale (cristina.rodriguez@yale.edu) and **Sanford Levinson**, University of Texas (SLevinson@law.utexas.edu)

Author: **Samuel Erman**, USC Gould School of Law (serman@law.usc.edu)

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## **Adjudication in Islamic Law: Between Juristic Critique and Political Power (c. 13th-19th centuries CE)** (*Arlington Room*)

Chair: **Intisar Rabb**, Harvard Law School (irabb@law.harvard.edu)

Commentator: **Mohammad Fadel**, University of Toronto - Faculty of Law (mohammad.fadel@utoronto.ca)

**Mariam Sheibani**, Harvard Law School (msheibani@law.harvard.edu)

*Judicial Misconduct and the Critique of Adjudication in Medieval Cairo: The Case of the Orphan and Her Cunning Ward*

**Samy Ayoub**, The University of Texas - Austin (sayoub@utexas.edu)

*Judicial Overreach: Hanafi Criticism of Ottoman State Practices*

**Amir Toft**, University of Chicago (atoft@uchicago.edu)

*Here and Gone: A Month in the Life of an Ottoman Judge (Üsküdar, 1579)*

**Sohaira Siddiqui**, Georgetown University (szs8@georgetown.edu)

*A Subtle Imbibe: Islamic law in 19th Century Colonial Courts in India*

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## **Criminal Justice and Social Control in Latin America (1887-1930)** (*Berkeley Room*)

Chair: **Amy Chazkel**, City University of New York, Queens College (amychazkel@gmail.com)

Commentator: **Amy Chazkel**, City University of New York, Queens College (amychazkel@gmail.com)

**Sol Calandria**, National University of La Plata/ CONICET (calandria.sol@conicet.gov.ar)

*Sexual Morality, Intimacy and Gender in Infanticide Rulings in Argentina (1887-1921)*

**Pedro Cantisano**, Kenyon College (cantisano1@kenyon.edu)

*Courts, Bodies, and Barricades: Legal Consciousness and Mobilization in Rio de Janeiro's 1904 Vaccine Revolt*

**Teresita Rodríguez Morales**, University of San Andrés/CONICET (trodriguez@conicet.gov.ar)

*"A carnival incident and sensationalistic process": tensions between police and justice through the Buenos Aires press at the beginning of the twentieth century*

**Raquel R. Sirotti**, Max-Planck Institute for European Legal History (sirotti@rg.mpg.de)

*Criminalizing politics. Judicial responses to political conflicts in Brazil (1889-1930)*

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## **Opportunities and Pitfalls: Property Claims across Multiple Legal Worlds in Modern East Asia** (*Exeter Room*)

Chair: **Michael Szonyi**, Harvard University (szonyi@fas.harvard.edu)

Commentator: **Taisu Zhang**, Yale Law School (taisu.zhang@yale.edu)

**Peter Thilly**, University of Mississippi (pdthilly@olemiss.edu)

*Consular Jurisdiction and the Pioneers of Flexible Citizenship at the Turn of the Twentieth Century*

**Rui Hua**, Harvard University (ruihua@fas.harvard.edu)

*The Empire Effect: Translingual Legal Literacy and The Promiscuous Borderland Market of Laws in Manchuria, 1900-1930s*

**Colin Jones**, Columbia University (colin.jones@columbia.edu)

*The Terrible Magic of Credit: Property Law in Manchuria and Japan's Postwar Land Reforms*

**Teng Li**, Northwestern University (tengli2016@u.northwestern.edu)

*A Glitch with Teeth: Legal Transition, Property Registration, and Taiwanese Landlords in Post-1945 Taiwan*

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**Author-Meets-Readers: Rose Parfitt's *The Process of International Legal Reproduction: Inequality, Historiography, Resistance* (Cambridge University Press, 2019) (Georgian Room)**

Chair: **Christopher Tomlins**, University of California-Berkeley Law School (ctomlins@law.berkeley.edu)

Commentators: **Tony Anghie**, University of Utah School of Law (anghiet61@gmail.com), **Genevieve Painter**, Simone de Beauvoir Institute (genevieve.painter@concordia.ca) and **Nate Holdren**, Program in Law, Politics, and Society (nate.holdren@drake.edu)

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**Author Meets Reader: *Theaters of Pardoning* (Georgian Room)**

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**Civil Rights, Religious Groups, and Race Discrimination in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century (Arlington Room)**

Chair: **Tomiko Brown-Nagin**, Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study (tbrownmagin@law.harvard.edu)

Commentator: **Smita Ghosh**, Georgetown University Law Center (smghosh@law.upenn.edu)

**Elizabeth Katz**, Washington University in St. Louis (edkatz@stanford.edu)

*"Racial and Religious Democracy": Identity and Equality at Mid-Century*

**Ronit Stahl**, University of California, Berkeley (rystahl@berkeley.edu)

*Civil Rights and Conscience Rights: The Divergent Paths of State Action Doctrine and the American Hospital*

**Victoria Woeste**, American Bar Foundation (vswoeste@abfn.org)

*Practicing God's Law in a Secular World: The Civil Rights Law Practice of the Lawyers of the Westboro Baptist Church*

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**Exempted & Excluded: Citizenship, Belonging, Alienage, and Nativism in Twentieth Century North America (Clarendon Room)**

Chair: **Emma Teng**, MIT (eteng@mit.edu)

Commentator: **Emma Teng**, MIT (eteng@mit.edu)

**Mary Anne Vallianatos**, University of Victoria (maryannev@uvic.ca)

*Exception and the Port of Entry: Race, Gender and the 'Exempted Classes' to the Canadian Head Tax*

**Hardeep Dhillon**, Harvard University (hdhillon@g.harvard.edu)

*Naturalized & Denaturalized, White & Not White: Indian Immigration and Claims to U.S. Citizenship*

**Priscilla Martinez**, University of California, Santa Cruz (prmamart@ucsc.edu)

*Arbitrary Borders: Chinese Tucson and Indigenous Salt Pilgrimages, 1924-1934*

**Brendan Shanahan**, University of California, Berkeley (brendan.shanahan@berkeley.edu)

*Contesting "Citizen Only" Rights: Noncitizens Confront Professional Licensing Restrictions, 1915-1952*

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**Author meets Reader: *China's War on Smuggling: Law, Economic Life, and the Making of the Modern State, 1842-1965* (Georgian Room)**

Chair: **Pär Cassel**, University of Michigan (cassel@umich.edu)

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**Author-Meets-Reader: Elizabeth Papp Kamali, *Felony and the Guilty Mind in Medieval England* (Georgian Room)**

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**"Between Slavery and Freedom: The Struggle over the Legal Status of Black Northerners, 1780-1850" (Berkeley Room)**

Chair: **Sally Hadden**, Western Michigan University (sally.hadden@wmich.edu)

Commentator: **Allison Madar**, University of Oregon (amadar@uoregon.edu)

**Lucien Holness**, University of Maryland (lholness@terpmail.umd.edu)

*"Black Southwestern Pennsylvanians' Freedom Claims and Free Soil in the Slave South"*

**Anne Twitty**, University of Mississippi (atwitty@olemiss.edu)

*"Mapping Unfreedom: Tracing Indentured Servitude in the Northwest Territory"*

**Cory James Young**, Georgetown University (cjl28@georgetown.edu)

*"The Legal Foundations of Pennsylvania Term Enslavement during the Age of Gradual Abolition, 1780 to 1826"*

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**International Women, Feminist Movements, and Human Rights (Exeter Room)**

Chair: **Katherine Marino**, UCLA (kmarino@history.ucla.edu)

Commentator: **Katherine Marino**, UCLA (kmarino@history.ucla.edu)

**Shauni Armstead**, Rutgers University (sta50@history.rutgers.edu)

*Searching for Global Justice and Freedom in the United Nations: Eunice Hunton Carter's and Mary McLeod Bethune's interpretations of the 1945 San Francisco Conference*

**Gwen Jordan**, University of Illinois Springfield (gjorda2@uis.edu)

*The Federación Internacional de Abogadas' Campaigns for Global Women's Rights, 1944-1975*

**Myra Houser**, Ouachita Baptist University (housem@OBU.EDU)

*Rising Above 'Our' Problems: African-American Women Litigating Against Apartheid*

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### **Money and Governance: Institutions and Ideas (*Boylston Room*)**

Chair: **Michael Zakim**, Tel Aviv University (zakim@post.tau.ac.il)

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**Christine Desan**, Harvard Law School (desan@law.harvard.edu)

*A Revisionary History of Credible Commitment*

**Nadav Orian Peer**, Tulane University Law School (naddlalla@gmail.com)

*Housing Segregation and the Secondary Mortgage Market*

**Roy Kreitner**, Tel Aviv University (kreitner@tau.ac.il)

*The Gold Standard(s) and Multiple Liquidity Regimes*

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### **Author Meets Readers: Sex, Law, and Sovereignty in French Algeria, 1830-1930 (*Georgian Room*)**

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### **Author-meets-Reader: Rohit De, *A People's Constitution: The Everyday Life of Law in the Indian Republic* (Princeton University Press, 2018) (*Georgian Room*)**

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### **The Bicentennial of *Dartmouth College*: A Retrospective and Future Directions (*White Hill Room*)**

Chair: **Kevin Butterfield**, Washington Library (kbutterfield@mountvernon.org)

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**Infanticide and Illegitimate Pregnancies in Premodern Europe and the Modern Americas** (*Arlington Room*)

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Commentator: **Mitra Sharafi**, University of Wisconsin Law School (mitra.sharafi@wisc.edu)

**Sara McDougall**, Dept. of History, John Jay College of Criminal Justice and CUNY Graduate Center (smcdougall@jjay.cuny.edu)

*Punishing and Pardoning Infanticide in Late Medieval France*

**Felicity Turner**, Georgia Southern University (fturner@georgiasouthern.edu)

*Proving Pregnancy: Physicians, Infanticide, & the Law in the Nineteenth-Century US*

**Cassia Roth**, University of Georgia (cassia.roth@uga.edu)

*The Madness of Maternity: Puerperal Insanity Pleas and Infanticide Jurisprudence in Early Twentieth-Century Rio de Janeiro, Brazil*

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**Roundtable Conversation with Martha Jones About Writing the Legal History of Citizenship** (*Georgian Room*)

Commentator: **Dan Sharfstein**, Vanderbilt University (daniel.sharfstein@vanderbilt.edu)

Chair: **Christopher Capozzola**, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (capozzol@mit.edu)

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**Iberian Empires and the Production of Normativities in Asia (1500-1800)** (*Boylston Room*)

Chair: **Manuel Bastias Saavedra**, Max Planck Institute for European Legal History (bastias@rg.mpg.de)

Commentator: **Tamar Herzog**, Harvard University- CGIS (therzog@fas.harvard.edu)

**Marya Svetlana Camacho**, University of Asia and the Pacific (svetlana.camacho@uap.asia)

*Understanding and Regulating Bridewealth and Bride Service in Spanish Colonial Philippines*

**Luisa Stella de Oliveira Coutinho Silva**, Max Planck Institute for European Legal History (coutinho@rg.mpg.de)

*Legal Encounters between Empires: Japanese and Portuguese Normativities (1540s - 1630s)*

**Rômulo da Silva Ehalt**, JSPS International Research Fellow, Sophia University (romuloehalt@gmail.com)

*How to hide a church from quite a long way away? Theological problems of Japanese Christianity in times of persecution (1620s)*

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**Unsettling Legal Histories of the Modern Business Corporation** (*Berkeley Room*)

Chair: **Claire Priest**, Yale Law School (claire.priest@yale.edu)

Commentator: **Claire Priest**, Yale Law School (claire.priest@yale.edu)

**Dan Danielsen**, Northeastern University School of Law (d.danielsen@northeastern.edu)

*The End of History for Corporate Law? A Critical Reassessment*

**Philip Stern**, Duke University (philip.stern@duke.edu)  
*Corporations and History: Rethinking the Nineteenth-Century British Empire*

**Aaron Dhir**, Osgoode Hall Law School (adhir@osgoode.yorku.ca)  
*Black Star Line, Inc.: Race in the Historical Life of the Corporation*

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### **Courts, Constitutions and Democracy in Postcolonial South Asia** (*Clarendon Room*)

Chair: **TBD**

Commentator: **TBD**

**Sarah Gandee**, University of Leeds (sarah.gandee@hotmail.co.uk)  
*Criminality, Equality and the Constitution in Early Postcolonial India*

**Alastair McClure**, University of Chicago (alastair@uchicago.edu)  
*'To Hang by the Neck Until Dead': Law, Killing and Politics in Postcolonial India*

**Saumya Saxena**, University of Cambridge (ss2035@cam.ac.uk)  
*Court'ing Hindu nationalism: Law and Hindutva in Contemporary India*

**Adeel Hussain**, Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public and International Law (hussain@mpil.de)  
*Constitutionalism in Pakistan*

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### **"Teaching Legal History in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: New Approaches, Transnational Perspectives"** (*White Hill Room*)

Chair: **Joanna Grisinger**, Center for Legal Studies, Northwestern University (joanna.grisinger@northwestern.edu)

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**Ashton Merck**, Duke University (ashton.merck@duke.edu)  
*Teaching "The Modern Regulatory State"*

**Troy Andrade**, University of Hawai'i at Manoa William S. Richardson School of Law (tandrade@hawaii.edu)  
*Teaching "Paradise": Legal History of Hawai'i*

**Raha Rafii**, University of Pennsylvania (rafii@sas.upenn.edu)  
*Teaching the "Other": Islamic Law as a Contested Legal System*

**Sueann Caulfield**, University of Michigan (scaul@umich.edu)  
*Teaching the History of Inter-American Human Rights Law through Transnational Collaboration on the Internet*

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### **Lost Histories of Emergency and Martial Law** (*Georgian Room*)

Chair: **John Witt**, Yale Law School (john.witt@yale.edu)

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**Bhavani Raman**, University of Toronto (bhavani.raman@utoronto.ca)  
*Before Emergency: The Colonial State and the Jurisprudence of Disturbance in South Asia*

**Will Smiley**, Reed College (will.smiley@gmail.com)  
*To Save the Country: The Lieber Theory of Martial Law*

**Joel Isaac**, University of Chicago (jisaac@uchicago.edu)

*Constitutionalism at the Limit: Emergencies and Dictatorship in American Legal Thought, 1920-1950*

**Karin Loevy**, NYU School of Law (karinloevy@nyu.edu)

*From Limited Spheres to Limited Capacities: Tracing a Lost Jurisprudence of Emergency Powers*

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### **Discovered or Uncovered: Dealing with New or Neglected Sources** (*White Hill Room*)

Chair: **Matthew C. Mirow**, Florida International University (mirowm@fiu.edu)

Commentator: **Matthew C. Mirow**, Florida International University (mirowm@fiu.edu)

**Albrecht Cordes**, Goethe University (cordes@jur.uni-frankfurt.de)

*Lost and Found, the Bardewik-Codex of 1294: The Lubeck Law in the Baltic after the Rediscovery of its Most Important Source*

**Angela Huang**, Research Centre for Hanse and Baltic History (alhuang@fgho.eu)

*Hanserecesse -- Hanse Law? Exploring the legal nature of the proceedings of Hanse diets (14th - 17th centuries)*

**Sara Ludin**, UC Berkeley (saraludin@berkeley.edu)

*Finding "the Reformation" in Records of Sixteenth-Century Civil Litigation*

**Serge Dauchy**, Centre d'Histoire Judiciaire (serge.dauchy@univ-lille2.fr)

*The Forgotten Records of the Superior Council of Louisiana of the Eighteenth Century*

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### **Through the Lens of Feminist Legal Biography** (*Boylston Room*)

Chair: **Tomiko Brown-Nagin**, Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study (tbrownmagn@law.harvard.edu)

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### **States, Aliens and the Law: New Views of Immigration Federalism** (*Arlington Room*)

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**Brendan O'Malley**, Newbury College (bomalley500@gmail.com)

*Defending State Immigration Regulation in Nineteenth-Century New York*

**Matthew Lindsay**, University of Baltimore School of Law (mlindsay1@ubalt.edu)

*From Indemnification to Exclusion: Revisiting the "Federalization" of American Immigration Law*

**Allison Tirres**, DePaul University College of Law (atirres@depaul.edu)

*Exclusion from Within: State Licensing and the Regulation of Migration*

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### **New Approaches to Legalities of Indian Slavery** (*Clarendon Room*)

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**Linford Fisher**, Brown University (linford\_fisher@brown.edu)

*Enslaved Native Americans' Use of the Law in Revealing and Obscuring Native Slavery in the United States, c. 1770s-1820s*

**Timo McGregor**, New York University (timo.mcgregor@nyu.edu)

*Defining Freedoms: the Laws of War, Contract, and Indigenous Slavery in Suriname, 1667-1680*

**Alexandre Pelegrino**, Vanderbilt University (alexandrepelegrino@gmail.com)

*An Indigenous Past to Freedom: Race, Empire, and Slavery (Maranhão, 1688-1790)*

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### **American Internationalism or International Americanism? The United States and International Law from Empire to Nuremberg** (*Berkeley Room*)

Chair: **Martti Koskenniemi**, University of Helsinki (martti.koskenniemi@helsinki.fi)

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**Allison Useche**, Texas Tech University (allison.powers.useche@ttu.edu)

*Dangerous Precedents: International Eminent Domain in the Panama Canal Zone*

**Lael Weinberger**, Harvard Law School (laelweinberger@gmail.com)

*Precedent at the World Court: Interpreting the Permanent Court of International Justice in Interwar America*

**Elizabeth Borgwardt**, Washington University in St. Louis (eborgwar@wustl.edu)

*Crimes against Human-kind: Arendt at Nuremberg*

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### **Annual Lunch and Awards Ceremony** (*Grand Ballroom A*)

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### **Legalities of the Peace: Empire, Peace-making and Peace-keeping: 1750-1850** (*Georgian Room*)

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**Lauren Benton**, Vanderbilt University (lauren.benton@vanderbilt.edu)

*Small Wars of Peace: Defining the Legal Limits on the Use of Force in European Empires*

**Lisa Ford**, University of New South Wales (l.ford@unsw.edu.au)

*The King's Peace and the Transformation of Empire*

**Eliga Gould**, University of New Hampshire (Eliga.Gould@unh.edu)

*Peace at What Price – and Whose? The Laws of Slavery and Freedom in the Anglo-American Treaty of Paris (1783)*

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### **Disability, Family, and the Limits of Law in North America in the Twentieth Century** (*Arlington Room*)

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**Chelsea Chamberlain**, University of Pennsylvania (chelsc@sas.upenn.edu)

*'A few years at your celebrated school will almost bring her back to normal': When Parents Chose the Eugenic Institution*

**Molly Ladd-Taylor**, York University (mltaylor@yorku.ca)

*Parents and the Sterilization of "Children" with Intellectual Disabilities in the 1970s and 1980s*

**Barbara Welke**, University of Minnesota (welke004@umn.edu)

*'A kid that is scarred up something like that. . .': Life once law is done*

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### **Legal Knowledge and Claims-Making among Enslaved and Freedpeople (Clarendon Room)**

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**Sara Forsdyke**, University of Michigan (forsdyke@umich.edu)

*Leveraging the Law: Slaves and the Law in Ancient Greece*

**Erika Edwards**, University of North Carolina (eedward27@unc.edu)

*The Rights of Citizenship: Contested Freedom Cases in Chilean and Argentine Courts, 1810-1850*

**Jonathon Booth**, Harvard University (jonathonbooth@g.harvard.edu)

*Jonathon Booth, Learning the Law of Freedom: Legal Knowledge after Emancipation*

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### **Contested Movement: Law, State Power, and the Policing of Mobility Rights (Berkeley Room)**

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**Daniel Farbman**, Boston College Law School (farbman@bc.edu)

*The City's Protection: Local Ordinances to Protect Fugitive Slaves from Capture*

**Kristin O'Brassill-Kulfan**, Rutgers University (kristin.obrassillkulfan@rutgers.edu)

*"In a state of vagrancy": Poverty and Mobility in Settlement Law*

**Kate Masur**, Northwestern University (kmasur@northwestern.edu)

*Free African Americans, State Sovereignty, and Migration before Reconstruction*

**Naama Maor**, University of Chicago (naamam@uchicago.edu)

*"Little Bits of Human Drift Wood": Runaway Children, Juvenile Courts, and the Geography of Parental Power*

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### **Disrupting the Cause Lawyering Narrative in the Nineteenth to Twentieth Century United States (Boylston Room)**

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**Alexandra Havrylyshyn**, University of California, Berkeley (ahavry@berkeley.edu)

*Client Advocacy, Not Cause Lawyering: Representing Louisiana Freedom Litigants in the 1840s-50s*

**Myisha S. Eatmon**, Northwestern University (myishaeatmon2018@u.northwestern.edu)

*Litigants and Liaisons: Sympathetic Attorneys and Black Legal Networks in Mississippi and Beyond, 1919-1953*

**Peter Labuza**, University of Southern California (labuza@usc.edu)

*"A Device for Cracking a Concerted Industry-Wide Boycott:" The Sherman Anti-Trust Act and the End of the Hollywood Blacklist*

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### **Global Legal History Lightning Round** (*White Hill Room*)

Chair: **Confex Tester**, XX (jbutler@confex.com)

**Iker Saitua**, University of California, Riverside (isaitua@ucr.edu)

*Spanish Immigration to the United States, the Franco Regime, and the Immigration Act of 1965*

**Jesse Watson**, UC Berkeley (jessedwatson@gmail.com)

*Law and Materiality in Petitions from Roman Egypt and Early Imperial China*

**Gilad Ben-Nun**, GWZO - The Leibniz Institute for the Study of History and Culture of Eastern Europe (gilad.ben-nun@uni-leipzig.de)

*'A Treaty after Trauma': The Holocaust-Surviving Drafters of the 4<sup>th</sup> Geneva Convention for Civilians (1949) and the idea of 'Protection for All'*

**Rabiat Akande**, Harvard Law School (oakande@sjd.law.harvard.edu)

*Marginalizing 'Secularism,' Decolonizing The State: Missionary Advocacy for Religious Freedom in British Colonial Northern Nigeria, 1945-1960*

**Afroditi Giovanopoulou**, Columbia University (agiovanopoulou@sjd.law.harvard.edu)

*Between Legal Progressivism and the "White Man's Burden": American Social Legal Thought on the Unmaking of Empire*

**Melissa Teixeira**, University of Pennsylvania (mteixeir@sas.upenn.edu)

*Why dictators write constitutions: the case of Brazil*

**Jhuma Sen**, Jindal Global Law School (sen.jhuma@gmail.com)

*Early Portias and the Colonial Bar in India: Towards the Legal Practitioners' (Women) Act 1923*

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### **Law, Equity, and Accountability in the Early Republic** (*Georgian Room*)

Chairs: **Nicholas Parillo**, Yale Law School (nicholas.parillo@yale.edu) and **James Pfander**, Northwestern Law School (j-pfander@law.northwestern.edu)

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### **A Roundtable Conversation with Angela Fernandez on Researching, Writing, and Teaching the History of Pierson v. Post** (*White Hill Room*)

Commentators: **Susanna Blumenthal**, University of Minnesota (blume047@umn.edu) and **Daniel Hulsebosch**, New York University (Hulsebosch@mercury.law.nyu.edu)

Chair: **Hendrik Hartog**, Princeton University (hartog@princeton.edu)

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## Changing the Spanish Empire from Inside: Law, Legal Practitioners, and Political Discourses in the Hispanic World (1760 - 1820) (*Boylston Room*)

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**Renzo Honores**, Instituto Internacional de Derecho y Sociedad (rhonoresg@gmail.com)

*Native Legal Facilitators in the Eighteenth-Century Audiencia of Lima*

**Alvaro Caso**, Johns Hopkins University (acasobel@jhu.edu)

*From the Fringes of the Legal Profession to Keepers of the Empire: The Agentes del Número de Indias and the Representation of Colonial Interests in Madrid, c. 1778-1808*

**Ricardo Pelegrin Taboada**, Florida International University (rpele002@fiu.edu)

*Too Many Lawyers: The Control over the Number of Legal Professionals in Colonial Cuba*

**Silvia Escanilla Huerta**, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (escanil2@illinois.edu)

*"No authority but their own". Cadiz and the jurisdictional revolution in the viceroyalty of Peru (1812-1820).*

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## The Legal Origins of European Humanitarianism, c. 1500-c. 1800 (*Clarendon Room*)

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**Christian Bursset**, Notre Dame Law School (cbursset@nd.edu)

*Despotic Humanitarianism and Colonial Law in the Eighteenth-Century British Empire*

**Jennifer Wells**, George Washington University (jenniferwells@email.gwu.edu)

*The Westphalian Moment?: The Origins of Humanitarian Law in Europe*

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