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#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Boston University School of Law, Boston, MA

R. Gordon Butler Scholar in International Law	2013-present
Professor of Law	2012-present
Associate Professor of Law	2006-2011

- research and scholarship interests international law, the law of war, international criminal law, international human rights, foreign relations law, political theory, criminal law
- courses taught International Law, Criminal Law, Democracy and the Rule of Law, Law and Ethics
  of War, Foreign Relations Law, Jurisprudence, International Human Rights, International Criminal
  Law, National Security Law, International Arbitration
- faculty advising Boston University International Law Journal; International Law Society; Jessup International Moot Court Competition
- committee service University Academic Program Review; Continuations, Promotion, and Tenure; Appointments; Public Service; J.D.; Graduate and Foreign Programs; Workshops; Academic Conferences; Career Planning, Placement, and Clerkships; Clinics

#### Visits and Temporary Positions

Xiamen Academy of International Law, Fujian, China Visiting Lecturer (International Criminal Law)	Summer 2016
Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale & Dorr LLP, London, UK Scholar in Residence (International Arbitration Group)	Summer 2014
Yale Law School, New Haven, CT Visiting Professor of Law (Jurisprudence)	Spring 2014
The Fletcher School of Law & Diplomacy, Medford, MA Visiting Professor of Law (International Law, International Criminal Law)	2012
Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA Visiting Associate Professor of Law & John Harvey Gregory Lecturer on World Organization (International Law, National Security Law Reading Group)	Spring 2011
University of Michigan School of Law, Ann Arbor, MI Visiting Associate Professor of Law (Criminal Law)	Spring 2010
Columbia Law School, New York, NY Associate in Law (Legal Research and Writing)	2005-06
Yale Law School, New Haven, CT Visiting Lecturer in Law	2004-05

## **EDUCATION**

Hague Academy of International Law, The Netherlands High-Level Diploma (Public International Law)	2007
Yale Law School, New Haven, CT J.D.	2000
Columbia University, New York, NY B.A., magna cum laude, Philosophy (with Departmental Honors)	1996

AWARDS	
Pro Bono Service Award, Boston University School of Law	2013
Francis Deák Prize: On the Use and Abuse of Necessity in the Law of State Responsibility, 106 AJIL 447 (2012)	2013
Francis Lieber Prize: The Cost of Conflation: Preserving the Dualism of Jus ad Bellum and Jus in Bello in the Contemporary Law of War, 34 YALE J. INT'L L. 47 (2009)	2010
Faculty Scholarship Award, Boston University School of Law	2009
Francis Lieber Prize (Certificate of Merit): <i>Prologue to a Voluntarist War Convention</i> , 106 MICH. L. REV. 443 (2007)	2008
Khosla Memorial Fund for Human Dignity Prize, Yale Law School	2000

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### Works-in-Progress/Forthcoming:

- Structuring a Jus in Bello for a War of Ideas: Ideology as an Instrument of International Law
- NON-MILITARY INSTRUMENTS OF STATECRAFT: DIPLOMATIC, IDEOLOGICAL, AND ECONOMIC TECHNIQUES, in (series) AMERICAN CLASSICS IN INTERNATIONAL LAW (Brill/Nijhoff) (Robert D. Sloane ed.)
- At the Origins of the State: Talionic Justice and Pseudo-Retributivism in Kleist's Michael Kohlhaas

#### Books:

- FOREIGN AFFAIRS FEDERALISM (2016) (with Michael J. Glennon)
- LOOKING TO THE FUTURE: ESSAYS ON INTERNATIONAL LAW IN HONOR OF W. MICHAEL REISMAN (Mahnoush H. Arsanjani et al. eds.) (coeditor and contributor) (2011)

#### Articles, Essays, Book Chapters:

- The Sad, Quiet Death of Missouri v. Holland: How Bond Hobbled the Treaty Power, 41 YALE J. INT'L L. 51 (2015) (with Michael J. Glennon)
- Puzzles of Proportion and the "Reasonable Military Commander": Law, Ethics, Geopolitics, 6 HARV.
   N. SEC. J. 299 (2015)
- Tibetan Diaspora in the Shadow of the Self-Immolation Crisis: Consequences of Colonialism, in STILL WAITING FOR TOMORROW: THE LAW AND POLITICS OF UNRESOLVED REFUGEE CRISES (Susan Akram & Tom Syring eds., 2014)
- On the Use and Abuse of Necessity in the Law of State Responsibility, 106 Am. J. INT'L L. 447 (2012) (selected for Yale-Harvard-Stanford junior faculty forum)
- The International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, in The Rules, Practice, and Jurisprudence of International Courts and Tribunals (2012)
- Taking Stock Ten Years In: COIN, Casualties, and Costs in the Long War An Introduction, 30 B.U. INT'L L.J. 565 (2012)
- The Political Foundations of Proportionality in Asymmetric Warfare, New Battlefields/Old Laws: Shaping a Legal Environment for Counterinsurgency, 105 ASIL Proc. 370 (2011)
- The Puzzling Persistence of Curtiss-Wright-Based Theories of Executive Power, 37 Wm. MITCHELL L. REV. 5072 (2011)
- Introduction, in LOOKING TO THE FUTURE: ESSAYS ON INTERNATIONAL LAW IN HONOR OF W. MICHAEL REISMAN (2011) (with M.H. Arsanjani, J.K. Cogan, and S. Weissner)

- Human Rights for Hedgehogs? International Law, Global Value Pluralism, and Some Reservations of the Fox, 90 B.U. L. REV. 975 (2010)
- The Constitutionality of Decolonization by Associated Statehood: Puerto Rico's Legal Status Reconsidered, 50 B.C. L. REV. 1123 (2009) (with Gary Lawson)
- More Than What Courts Do: Jurisprudence, Decision, and Dignity In Brief Encounters and Global Affairs, 34 YALE J. INT'L L. 517 (2009)
- Breaking the Genuine Link: The Contemporary International Legal Regulation of Nationality, 50 HARV. INT'L L.J. 1 (2009), excerpted in INTERNATIONAL LAW: CASES AND COMMENTARY 383 (Mark W. Janis and John E. Noyes eds., 4th ed. 2010)
- The Cost of Conflation: Preserving the Dualism of Jus ad Bellum and Jus in Bello in the Contemporary Law of War, 34 YALE J. INT'L L. 47 (2009)
- Sentencing, in THE OXFORD COMPANION TO INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE 509 (Antonio Cassese ed., 2008)
- The Scope of Executive Power in the Twenty-First Century, 88 B.U. L. REV. 341 (2008)
- Prologue to a Voluntarist War Convention, 106 MICH. L. REV. 443 (2007), reprinted in WAR CRIMES AND LAW (Avila P. Menon ed., 2008)
- The Expressive Capacity of International Punishment: The Limits of the National Law Analogy and the Potential of International Criminal Law, 43 STAN. J. INT'L L. 39 (2007), reprinted in The Globalization of Criminal Justice (Michael Bohlander ed., 2010); reprinted as abridged in Crime and Punishment: Emerging Trends (K. Prassana Rani ed., 2008); and excerpted in International and Transnational Criminal Law (David Luban et al. eds., 2009)
- Sentencing for the "Crime of Crimes": The Evolving "Common Law" of Sentencing of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, 5 J. INT'L CRIM. JUST. 713 (2007)
- Indirect Expropriation and its Valuation in the BIT Generation, 74 BRIT. Y.B. INT'L L. 115 (2004) (with W. Michael Reisman), excerpted in FOREIGN INVESTMENT DISPUTES: CASES, MATERIALS AND COMMENTARY (R. Doak Bishop et al. eds., 2d ed. 2014)
- Measures Necessary to Ensure: The ICJ's Provisional Measures Order in Avena and Other Mexican Nationals, 17 Leiden J. Int'l L. 673 (2004)
- An Offer of Firm Resettlement, 36 GEO. WASH. INT'L L. REV. 47 (2004) (quoted in Maharaj v. Gonzalez, 450 F.3d 961 (9th Cir. 2006) (en banc); and Diallo v. Ashcroft, 381 F.3d 687 (7th Cir. 2004))
- AEDPA's "Adjudication on the Merits" Requirement: Collateral Review, Federalism, and Comity, 78
   ST. JOHN'S L. REV. 615 (2004)
- The Changing Face of Recognition in International Law: A Case Study of Tibet, 16 EMORY INT'L L. REV. 107 (2002)
- Outrelativizing Relativism: A Liberal Defense of the Universality of International Human Rights, 34 VAND. J. TRANSNAT'L L. 527 (2001), excerpted in INT'L LAW TODAY (Anthony D'Amato & Jennifer Abbassi eds., 2006)
- The Incident at Cavalese and Strategic Compensation, 94 Am. J. INT'L L. 505 (2001) (with W. Michael Reisman

## Book Reviews:

- 107 Am. J. Int'l L. 972 (2013) (reviewing James Q. Whitman, The Verdict of Battle: The Law of Victory and the Making of Modern War (2012))
- 104 Am. J. Int'l L. 549 (2010) (reviewing Aaron Fichtelberg, Law at the Vanishing Point (2008))
- 102 AM. J. INT'L L. 197 (2008) (reviewing MARK DRUMBL, ATROCITY, PUNISHMENT, AND INTERNATIONAL LAW (2007))
- 6 J. Int'l Crim. Just. 399 (2008) (reviewing Beth Van Schaack and Ronald C. Slye, International Criminal Law and Its Enforcement (2007))

• The Policies of State Succession: Balancing Self-Determination and Global Order in the Twenty-First Century, 30 Fordham Int'l L.J. 1288 (2007) (reviewing Tai-Heng Cheng, State Succession and Commercial Obligations (2006))

#### Other Writings:

- Brief of International Law and Constitutional Law Experts as Amici Curiae Supporting Petition for Certiorari, Al Bahlul v. United States, 840 F.3d 757 (en banc), at 2017 WL 2376429 (2017) [with Foley Hoag LLP]
- Three Problems with the "As-If Thesis of Proportionality, B.U. Int'l L.J. Online (Sep. 24, 2014), at http://www.bu.edu/ilj/2014/09/24/post-1/
- Tibet, Cynical Sinicism, and the Tragedy of Self-Immolations, EAST ASIA FORUM, May 9, 2012, available at, www.eastasiaforum.org/2012/05/09/tibet-cynical-sinicism-and-the-tragedy-of-self-immolations
- TIBET JUSTICE CENTER, TIBET'S STATELESS NATIONALS II: TIBETAN REFUGEES IN INDIA (researcher, coauthor, and general editor) (2011)
- FUTURE STATUS OPTIONS AND PROCESSES FOR PRESERVING THE RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO (2006) (with W. Michael Reisman), reprinted in Senate Hearing No. 109-796, Report by the Presidential Task Force on Puerto Rico's Status Before the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, 109th Cong. 99 (2006)
- TIBET JUSTICE CENTER, TIBET'S STATELESS NATIONALS: TIBETAN REFUGEES IN NEPAL (2002) (researcher and coauthor)
- INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF LAWYERS FOR TIBET, A GENERATION IN PERIL: THE LIVES OF TIBETAN CHILDREN UNDER CHINESE RULE (2001) (researcher and author)
- Legal Strategies for Enforcing a Vaccine Purchase-Commitment Contract, Commissioned by the World Health Organization (2001) (with Alison D. Morantz)
- Procedures for Resolving the Kosovo Problem, Report to the United Nations Association (with W. Michael Reisman and Monica Hakimi) (Dec. 12, 2001)
- INTERNATIONAL CAMPAIGN FOR TIBET, JAMPA: THE STORY OF RACISM IN TIBET (2001) (researcher and coauthor)
- Torture in Tibet, A Report to the United Nations Committee Against Torture (2000)
- HUMAN RIGHTS WATCH, "NOBODY'S CHILDREN": JAMAICAN CHILDREN IN POLICE LOCK-UPS AND GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS (1999) (researcher and coauthor)
- International Customary Law and Antipersonnel Landmines: Emergence of a New Customary Norm, in International Campaign to Ban Landmines, Landmine Monitor Report 1999: Toward a Mine-Free World (1999) (coauthor)

#### JUDICIAL CLERKSHIPS

JUDGE GERARD E. LYNCH, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (formerly Southern District of New York), New York, NY	2003-04
JUDGE ROBERT D. SACK, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, New York, NY	2001-02

#### **PRACTICE**

Consulting periodic

 prepare legal opinions and memoranda in connection with international public, investor-state, and international commercial arbitrations in diverse fora, including the ICJ, ITLOS, and arbitral tribunals under the auspices of ICSID, the PCA, and the ICC

- coauthored (with W. Michael Reisman, Yale Law School) a study for the Status Commission of the Popular Democratic Party of Puerto Rico on the legal status of Puerto Rico and the right of its people to self-determination in international and U.S. constitutional law
- co-wrote (with Alison D. Morantz, Stanford Law School) a study commissioned by the WHO on the enforceability of a vaccine purchase-commitment contract
- served as secretary of the tribunal and drafted the final award in an international commercial arbitration under the auspices of the International Chamber of Commerce

# DEBEVOISE & PLIMPTON LLP Litigation Associate

2002-03

- helped represent Mexico in International Court of Justice litigation culminating in Avena and Other Mexican Nationals (Mex. v. U.S.), 2004 I.C.J. 1 (Mar. 31) (merits); 2003 I.C.J. 6 (Feb. 5) (provisional measures)
- served as secretary of the tribunal and drafted final award in AAA international commercial arbitration involving the intersection of E.C. law and GATT/WTO obligations arising out of the U.S.-E.U. "Banana War"
- wrote memoranda and memorials in connection with several investor-state arbitrations
- represented asylum petitioner from the Democratic Republic of the Congo in Immigration Court removal proceedings

TIBET JUSTICE CENTER (formerly INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF LAWYERS FOR TIBET)

President

Board of Directors

Robert L. Bernstein Fellow in International Human Rights

2003-present 2001-present 2000-2001 1998-present

- supervise and coordinate TJC's projects
- research, write, and edit fact-finding reports
- · write expert affidavits and testify on behalf of Tibetan asylum petitioners
- prepare submissions to U.N. institutions and human rights treaty bodies
- organized and led fact-finding missions to Nepal and India to investigate human rights abuses in Tibet and legal circumstances for Tibetans in exile
- wrote submissions on behalf of the Tibetan government-in-exile and Tibet
  Justice Center for the former U.N. Commission on Human Rights (now the
  Human Rights Council), the Committee Against Torture, the Committee on
  Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights, and the Committee on the Rights of
  the Child
- represented Tibetan asylum and Convention Against Torture petitioners

#### HUMAN RIGHTS WATCH Researcher/Consultant

1999-2000 (and periodic)

- conducted fact-finding mission to Jamaica to investigate its juvenile justice system and the unlawful detention of children in adult police lock-ups and prisons; interviewed police, guards, government officials, and detainees
- co-wrote human rights report documenting mission's findings and engaged in related media advocacy in Jamaica
- drafted amicus curiae briefs on asylum and capital punishment issues for submission to the Supreme Court and federal circuit courts

# SIMPSON THACHER & BARTLETT LLP

Summer Associate & Cyrus R. Vance Fellow in International Human Rights

May-Aug. 1999

- researched and prepared memoranda on the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and issues raised by several pending international
- represented detained Albanian Kosovar in asylum proceedings

ALLARD K. LOWENSTEIN INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS CLINIC Student Director

1999-2000 1998-2000

Student Attorney

- supervised and coordinated student litigation and advocacy
- researched and wrote briefs, memoranda, and U.N. submissions supervised preparation of the trial brief in Kadić v. Karadžić

INTERNATIONAL CAMPAIGN FOR TIBET Researcher and Writer

May-Aug. 1998

- designed and carried out field research in India and Nepal, interviewing refugees, victims of human rights abuses, and former political prisoners
- wrote a report based on the primary research (later submitted at the 2001 World Conference Against Racism, Durban, South Africa

## BAR ADMISSIONS, ORGANIZATIONS, SERVICE

- 2012-present, American Law Institute
- 2013-2017, Advisory Board, International Law Studies, U.S. Naval War College
- 2012-2015, Executive Council, American Society of International Law
- 2009-2010, Awards Committee, American Society of International Law
- 2008-2013, Fellowship Selection Committee, Yale Law School, Robert L. Bernstein Fellowship in International Human Rights
- 2000-present, American Society of International Law
- Bar Admissions: New York State (2001), Southern District of New York (2004)
- Referee Service: Leiden Journal of International Law, American Journal of International Law, Oxford University Press, Ethics and International Affairs, Wolters Kluwer

## **PRESENTATIONS**

- "The Postwar Jus ad Bellum and Aggression," Ukraine "Town Hall" Panel, B.U. School of Law, Mar. 18, 2022
- "Genocide, Ethnic Cleansing, and the Rohingya Crisis," Panel, B.U. School of Law, Nov. 13, 2017
- "Global Legal Advocacy for Tibet: The Potential Avenues and Limits of International Law," Panel,
   B.U. Law School, June 20, 2017
- "Foreign Affairs Federalism: The Myth of National Exclusivity," Book Symposium, Sep. 19, 2016
- "Criminal Law Through a Critical Lens," Feb. 1, 2016, Panel, B.U. Law School, Feb. 1, 2016
- "The Sophistication of a Primitive Legal System: Analytic Jurisprudence's Curious Neglect of International Law," Law and Philosophy Colloquium, UC Irvine School of Law, Nov. 19, 2015
- "ISIS, Statehood, and the Use of Force," Confronting ISIS, B.U. International Law Society, Nov. 17, 2014

- "Judicial War Powers," War Powers and the U.S. Constitution, Symposium, B.U. School of Law, Oct. 30, 2014
- "Exploring the Genuine Link," Expert Seminar, Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, High Commissioner on National Minorities: Minorities and Migrants: Citizenship Policies and Political Participation, European University Institute, May 2-3, 2013
- "Realigning Western Policy," Conference, The Next Season: Realigning Western Policy and International Law After the Arab Spring, B.U. School of Law, Mar. 25, 2013
- "The World's Largest Colony," Cross-Cultural Connections: Weaving New Silk Roads, Harvard Project on Asian and Int'l Affairs, Conference, Harvard University, Feb. 17, 2013
- Discussant, "The Law of Armed Conflict: Training on the Ground, Virtual Battlegrounds, and the Value of Foreign Lives," American Society of International Law Midyear Meeting, Oct. 20, 2012
- "On the Use and Abuse of Necessity in Contemporary International Law," Harvard-Yale-Stanford Junior Faculty Forum, Harvard Law School, June 1, 2012
- "Tibetan Refugees in the Shadow of the Self-Immolation Crisis," Still Waiting for Tomorrow: The Law and Politics of Unresolved Refugee Crises, Apr. 2, 2012
- "On the Use and Abuse of Necessity in Contemporary International Law: A Critique and Agenda for Reform," Faculty Colloquium, New York Law School, Mar. 21, 2012
- A Celebration of Ruti Teitel's "Humanity's Law," Book Symposium, Harvard Law School, Dec. 2, 2011
- "Targeted Killings: Legal, Political, and Strategic Dimensions," AfPak Strategy, B.U. Department of Political Science, Nov. 14, 2011
- Moderator, Because It Is Wrong: Torture, Privacy, and Presidential Power in the Age of Terror, Book Symposium (with authors Charles and Gregory Fried), B.U. School of Law, Nov. 11, 2011
- Ten Years In: Appraising the International Law of the "Long War" in Afghanistan and Pakistan, B.U. School of Law, Oct. 14, 2011
- "Puzzles of Proportion: Ethics, Rhetoric, and the Political Foundations of Proportionality in Asymmetric Warfare," New Battlefields/Old Laws: Shaping a Legal Environment for Counterinsurgency, American Society of International Law, Annual Meeting, Mar. 25, 2011
- "On the Use and Abuse of Necessity in Contemporary International Law: A Critique and Agenda for Reform," Faculty Workshop, Vanderbilt Law School, Jan. 11, 2011
- "On the Use and Abuse of Necessity in Contemporary International Law: A Critique and Agenda for Reform," Faculty Workshop, B.U. School of Law, Nov. 18, 2010
- Panelist, "Puzzles of Proportion: Ethics, Rhetoric, and the Political Foundations of Proportionality in Asymmetric Warfare," Annual Meeting, *War, Philosophy, and International Law*, American Branch of the International Law Association, Oct. 23, 2010
- "Puzzles of Proportion: Ethics, Rhetoric, and the Political Foundations of Proportionality in Asymmetric Warfare," Conference, *Does International Law Still Work for the United States?*, U.S. Naval War College, July 28, 2010
- "On the Use and Abuse of Necessity in Contemporary International Law," Faculty Workshop, George Washington University School of Law, Apr. 5, 2010
- "On the Use and Abuse of Necessity in Contemporary International Law," Legal Theory Workshop, University of Michigan Law School, Mar. 16, 2010
- "Human Rights for Hedgehogs? International Law, Global Value Pluralism, and Some Reservations of the Fox," *University of Georgia International Law Colloquium*, UGA School of Law, Feb. 5, 2010
- "Proportionality and Asymmetric Warfare," Faculty Workshop, B.C. Law School, Dec. 11, 2009

- "Proportionality and Asymmetric Warfare," Faculty Workshop, Syracuse Law School, Nov. 2, 2009
- "Human Rights for Hedgehogs? International Law, Global Value Pluralism, and Some Reservations of the Fox," A Conference on Ronald Dworkin's Forthcoming Book "Justice for Hedgehogs," Conference, B.U. School of Law, Sept. 26, 2009
- "The Cost of Conflation: Preserving the Dualism of Jus ad Bellum and Jus in Bello in the Contemporary Law of War," Greater Philadelphia Philosophy Consortium, Apr. 25, 2009
- "More Than What Courts Do: Law, Jurisprudence, and Decision in Brief Encounters and Global Affairs," Conference, Realistic Idealism in International Law: A Conference in Honor of W. Michael Reisman, Yale Law School, Apr. 24, 2009
- "The Cost of Conflation: Preserving the Dualism of Jus ad Bellum and Jus In Bello in the Contemporary Law of War," Faculty Workshop, UC Hastings College of the Law, Oct. 28, 2008
- "International Human Rights Advocacy After 9/11," The Universal Declaration of Human Rights at Sixty, Conference, Boston University, Sept. 24, 2008
- "The Cost of Conflation: Preserving the Dualism of Jus ad Bellum and Jus in Bello in the Law of War," Faculty Workshop, Stanford Law School, May 7, 2008
- "Justice for Mass Atrocities and the Problem of Time," Robert L. Bernstein International Human Rights Fellowship Symposium, Justice Delayed? The Impact of Time on the Trials of Gross Atrocities, Yale Law School, Apr. 4, 2008
- "Prologue to a Voluntarist War Convention," Faculty Workshop, SMU Law School, Oct. 26, 2007
- "A Colonial Anachronism: Prospects for Self-Determination for Tibet," Conference, The Legal and Political Status of Tibet, University of Virginia School of Law, Oct. 16, 2007
- "The Scope of Executive Power," Conference, The Role of the President in the 21st Century, B.U. School of Law, Oct. 12, 2007
- "The Inchoate International Crime of Professional Facilitation," Conference, *The Nuremberg Doctors' Trial: 60 Years Later*, Boston University, Mar. 30, 2007
- "Prologue to a Voluntarist War Convention," Symposium, Modern Warfare: The Role of the Non-State Actor, New England School of Law, Feb. 23, 2007
- "The Relevance of International Sources in Constitutional Interpretation," Conference, The Role of the Judge in the 21st Century, B.U. School of Law, Apr. 22, 2006