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EDUCATION

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, J.D., 2005

Honors: *cum laude*
Frank Knox Fellowship for 2005-2006

YALE UNIVERSITY, B.A. in History, with distinction, 2001

Honors: *summa cum laude*
Phi Beta Kappa, Junior Year (first election)
Phi Alpha Theta (national history honor society)
Rhodes Scholarship, State Finalist

OXFORD UNIVERSITY, Hilary and Trinity Terms 2000

Honors: Projected First-Class Honors in all tutorials (English Literature and Modern History)

JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP

THE HONORABLE JUDITH W. ROGERS, The United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, Washington, D.C. Fall 2006-Fall 2007

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS AND EXPERIENCE

DREXEL UNIVERSITY EARLE MACK SCHOOL OF LAW, Philadelphia, PA Summer 2008-Present
Assistant Professor of Law.

Courses: Contracts, Law and Mind Sciences, Business Organizations
Committees: Advisor to Law Review (2010-11), Student Code of Conduct Hearing (2010-11), Readmission (2010-11), Health Law Program (2010-11), Curriculum (2009-2010), Faculty Hearing (2008-2010), Faculty Appointments (2008-2009)
University Appointments: Human Cognitive Enhancement Program, *Reviewer* (2010)

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF LAW, Cambridge, UK Fall 2005-Fall 2006
Visiting Scholar and Senior Visitor with Emmanuel College.

PROFESSOR DAVID WILKINS, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA Summer 2005
Research Assistant.

PROFESSOR ELIZABETH WARREN, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA Fall 2004
Teaching Assistant.

PROFESSOR JON HANSON, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA Spring 2003-Summer 2005
Coauthor and Research Assistant.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

JENNER & BLOCK LLP, Washington, D.C. Fall 2007-Summer 2008
Associate.

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LATHAM & WATKINS LLP , London, UK <i>Summer Associate.</i>	Summer 2004
RENOVATION OF 16th CENTURY ENGLISH FARM HOUSE , Buckinghamshire, UK <i>Builder.</i>	2001-2002
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SECURITIES DEALERS , Washington, D.C. <i>Intern, NASD Regulation.</i>	Summer 1999
TECHNOLOGY CATALYSTS INTERNATIONAL , Falls Church, VA <i>Research Associate, Pharmaceutical and Drug Delivery Department.</i>	Summer 1998
SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY , Suitland Park, MD <i>Researcher, Department of Invertebrate Zoology.</i>	1996-1997

PUBLICATIONS

ARTICLES

Adam Benforado, *Color Commentators of the Bench*, 38 FLA. ST. U. L. REV. (forthcoming 2011).

Adam Benforado, *Quick on the Draw: Implicit Bias and the Second Amendment*, 89 OR. L. REV. 1 (2010).

Adam Benforado, *The Body of the Mind: Embodied Cognition, Law, and Justice*, 54 ST. LOUIS U. L.J. 1185 (2010) (symposium).

Adam Benforado, *Don't Blame Us: How Our Attributional Proclivities Influence the Relationship between Americans, Business, and Government*, 5 ENTREPREN. BUS. L.J. 509 (2010) (symposium).

Adam Benforado, *Frames of Injustice: The Bias We Overlook*, 85 INDIANA L.J. 1333 (2010).

Adam Benforado, *The Geography of Criminal Law*, 31 CARDOZO L. REV. 823 (2010).

Adam Benforado & Jon Hanson, *Legal Academic Backlash: The Response of Legal Theorists to Situationist Insights*, 57 EMORY L.J. 1087 (2008).

Adam Benforado & Jon Hanson, *Naïve Cynicism: Maintaining False Perceptions in Policy Debates*, 57 EMORY L.J. 499 (2008).

Adam Benforado & Jon Hanson, *The Great Attributional Divide: How Legal Policy Debates Are Shaped by Divergent Views of Human Nature*, 57 EMORY L.J. 311 (2008).

Jon Hanson & Adam Benforado, *The Drifters: Why the Supreme Court Makes Justices More Liberal*, BOSTON REV., Jan./Feb. 2006.

Adam Benforado & Jon Hanson, *The Costs of Dispositionism: The Premature Demise of Situationist Law and Economics*, 64 MD. L. REV. 24 (2005) (symposium).

Adam Benforado, Jon Hanson & David Yosifon, *Broken Scales: Obesity and Justice in America*, 53 EMORY L.J. 1648 (2004).

SHORT ARTICLES, OP-EDS, AND LETTERS

Adam Benforado, Letter to the Editor, *The Power of Money in Elections*, N.Y. TIMES, Feb. 1, 2010.

Adam Benforado, Letter to the Editor, *Novartis's Campus: Public Patronage*, N.Y. TIMES, Jan. 3, 2010.

Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Talented, but Not Superior*, PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER, Sept. 29, 2009.

- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Time to Rein in Tricks of the Financial Trade*, CAPITAL TIMES, Sept. 25, 2009.
- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Taking Down Dirty Lenders*, PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER, Aug. 3, 2009.
- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Sometimes Spending Saves Lives*, PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER, July 2, 2009.
- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Segregating Markets—and People*, BALT. SUN, June 7, 2009.
- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Stereotypes on Full Display*, PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER, June 3, 2009.
- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Prisoners, Too, Have Rights during an Epidemic*, PROVIDENCE J., June 3, 2009.
- Adam Benforado & Jon Hanson, Editorial, *Left or Right, Judges are Activists*, PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER, May 20, 2009.
- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Get the Best Legal Minds on Courts*, SEATTLE POST-INTELLIGENCER, Dec. 18, 2008.
- Adam Benforado, Commentary, *Don't Defraud the Voters*, LEGAL TIMES, Nov. 3, 2008.
- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Take the Banker's Porsche*, SEATTLE POST-INTELLIGENCER, Sept. 26, 2008.
- Adam Benforado, Letter to the Editor, *The Duty of the Courts*, WASH. POST, May 23, 2008.
- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Corporate Sponsorship: On Target? Off Base?* WASH. POST, Mar. 11, 2007.
- Adam Benforado, Editorial, *Deciding to Kill*, BALT. SUN, May 1, 2006 (subsequently republished in PITTSBURGH TRIB.-REV., May 7, 2006; HOUSTON CHRON., May 5, 2006; SUN NEWS, May 4, 2006; DECATUR DAILY DEMOCRAT, May 4, 2006; RECORDER, May 4, 2006; CAPITAL TIMES, May 3, 2006; SALT LAKE TRIB., May 3, 2006; NEWS CHIEF, May 3, 2006).
- Jon Hanson & Adam Benforado, Editorial, *The Conservative Hypocrisy*, BALT. SUN, Dec. 11, 2005.
- Adam Benforado, *The Bird Flu Distraction*, SALT MAG., Nov. 9, 2005.
- Adam Benforado, Letter to the Editor, *Downplaying Teen Smoking*, BOSTON GLOBE, Oct. 25, 2005.
- Jon Hanson & Adam Benforado, Editorial, *The Hitler Card*, BALT. SUN, July 3, 2005.
- Adam Benforado, *The Poisonous Branch: The Real Reason Courts Are Under Attack*, SALT MAG., June 27, 2005.
- Adam Benforado, Letter to the Editor, *Of the People, by the People—When It's Convenient*, WASH. POST, June 25, 2005.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- Adam Benforado & Jon Hanson, *Attributions and Ideologies: Two Divergent Visions of Human Behavior Behind Our Laws, Policies, and Theories*, in IDEOLOGY, PSYCHOLOGY, AND LAW (Oxford University Press) (forthcoming 2011).
- Adam Benforado & Jon Hanson, *Seeing Bias: Discrediting and Dismissing Accurate Attributions*, in IDEOLOGY, PSYCHOLOGY, AND LAW (Oxford University Press) (forthcoming 2011).
- Adam Benforado & Jon Hanson, *Backlash: The Reaction to Mind Sciences in Legal Academia*, in IDEOLOGY, PSYCHOLOGY, AND LAW (Oxford University Press) (forthcoming 2011).

BLOGS

The Situationist, Blog of the Project on Law and Mind Sciences at Harvard Law School (Contributor).
 The Faculty Lounge (Guest Blogger).
 Concurring Opinions (Guest Blogger).

MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS

Poetry and short fiction published in CAFÉ IRREAL, Feb. 2006; ALICE BLUE, Feb. 2006; N.H. REV., Feb. 2006; CIRCLE, Dec. 2005; ZAFUSY, Sept. & Nov. 2005; CRICKET ONLINE REVIEW, Aug. 2005; GESTALTEN 6, 2003.

Frank D. Ferrari & Adam Benforado, *Setation and setal groups on antenna 1 of Ridgewayia klausruetzleri, Pleuromamma xiphias, and Pseudocalanus elongatus (Crustacea: Copepoda: Calanoida) during the copepodid phase of their development*, 111 PROC. BIOLOGICAL SOC'Y WASH. 209 (1998).

Frank D. Ferrari & Adam Benforado, *Relationships between arthrodial membrane formation and addition of setae to swimming legs 1-4 during development of Dioithona oculata, Ridgewayia klausruetzleri, Pleuromamma xiphias, and Temora longicornis (Copepoda)*, 71 CRUSTACEANA 545 (1998).

PRESENTATIONS

Adam Benforado, *The Goring Ox: Examining Intuitions About Punishing Animals to Better Understand the Retributive Motive*, Vanderbilt Law School Criminal Justice Roundtable, Vanderbilt University Law School, Dec. 11, 2010.

Adam Benforado & Geoff Goodwin, *The Goring Ox: Examining Intuitions About Punishing Animals to Better Understand the Retributive Motive*, University of Pennsylvania Psychology Department Lab Meeting, University of Pennsylvania Positive Psychology Center, Dec. 2, 2010.

Adam Benforado, *Quick on the Draw: Implicit Bias and the Second Amendment*, Faculty Colloquium, Temple University Beasley School of Law, Oct. 18, 2010.

Adam Benforado, *Law and the Embodied Mind: Connecting Embodied Cognition to Legal Theory*, The Barnard Interdisciplinary Conference on Embodiment, Barnard College of Columbia University, July 23, 2010.

Adam Benforado, *The Poisoned Orchard: Reassessing the Relationship Between Americans, Business, and Government*, Entrepreneurial Business Law Journal Annual Symposium, The Ohio State University Moritz College of Law, Mar. 11, 2010.

Adam Benforado, *Perspectives of the Law: Another Look at Scott v. Harris*, Law and Human Behavior Colloquium, Temple University Beasley School of Law, Feb. 1, 2010.

Adam Benforado, *The Body of the Mind: Embodied Cognition, Law, and Justice*, Childress Lecture, St. Louis University Law School, Oct. 2, 2009.

Adam Benforado, *Frames of Injustice: The Bias We Overlook*, Florida State University College of Law, Sept. 23, 2009.

Adam Benforado, *Places, Boundaries, and Crime: Using Evolutionary Analysis to Understand Spatial Dynamics in Criminal Law*, Tenth SEAL Scholarship Conference, Vanderbilt University Law School, Apr. 16, 2009.

Adam Benforado, *The Stage: The Role of Physical Space in Criminal Law*, Faculty Workshop Series, Drexel University Earle Mack School of Law, Aug. 28, 2008.

BAR MEMBERSHIP

WASHINGTON, D.C., 2008 (inactive)

NEW YORK, 2007

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT, 2007