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## **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

### **Texas A&M School of Law**

**Professor 2022 - present**

**Associate Professor, 2016 - 2022**

- Teaching: Natural Resources Law, Property Law, Water Law, Agricultural Law, Administrative Law, Climate Change Law and Policy
- Research: Water Law and Policy, Property Law, Natural Resources Law and Policy
- Service:
  - Committees: Appointments, Admissions, Faculty Development, Publications, Strategic Planning, International Programs, Dean's Advisory Council
  - Advisor Texas A&M Journal of Property Law (2022-), Advisory Board Texas A&M Journal of Property Law (2019-), Texas A&M Law Review Advisor (2017-2019), Energy Law Association advisor (2016-2017), 1L mentoring program.

### **Texas A&M Department of Agricultural Economics**

**Research Professor 2022 - present**

**Research Associate Professor, 2016 - 2022**

- Teaching:
  - Undergraduate and graduate natural resources economics courses
  - Graduate Committee Faculty
- Research: interdisciplinary collaboration with water experts across campus on water security, and WEF (Water, Energy, and Food) nexus

**Texas A&M College of Architecture, Center for Health Systems & Design,**  
Faculty Fellow, 2018 - present

**Texas A&M Water Management and Hydrological Science Program,**  
Professor, 2018 - present

**Stanford University, Bill Lane Center for the American West**  
Affiliate Scholar, Water in the West Program, 2013 - present

**NYU Classical Liberal Institute**  
Affiliate Researcher, 2018 - present

### **Stanford Law School**

- Teaching Fellow in Environmental Law & Policy and Lecturer in Law, 2013-2016
- Teaching: Environmental Law and Policy Colloquium (three quarters)
- Responsible for all aspects of Environmental Law LLM Program (student advising, admissions, and teaching)
- Coordinator, Stanford Law School Fellows' research workshop

University of Granada, Granada (Spain), Visiting Lecturer, March 2016  
University of Parma, Parma (Italy) School of Law, Visiting Lecturer, March 2015

## EDUCATION

New York University, J.S.D. (Ph.D. equivalent), 2014

The University of Chicago Law School, LL.M., 2009

Universitat Pompeu Fabra (Barcelona)

- Advanced Legal Studies Certificate, 2010
- LL.M., 2008
- B.A. in Economics (rank 2<sup>nd</sup> in class), 2008
- LL.B. (with distinction; rank 1<sup>st</sup> in class), 2006

## PUBLICATIONS

**WATER RIGHTS OR WRONGS**, MINN. L. REV. (forthcoming 2024)

**PROPERTY AND PREJUDICE**, SOUTHERN CAL. L. REV. (forthcoming 2024) [with Fatma Marouf]

**RESEARCH AGENDA FOR WATER LAW** (EDWARD ELGAR, co-editor with Rhett Larson, forthcoming June 2023)

*Too Simple Rules for a Complex World? Prior Appropriation Water Rights as Natural Rights, comment on Eric Claeys' NATURAL PROPERTY RIGHTS*, Tex. A&M J. Prop. Law (forthcoming Spring 2023)

*Natural Transplants*, 97 N.Y. U. L. REV. 933 (2022) [with Yael Lifshitz]

*Ownership Concentration: Lessons from Natural Resources*, 117 NW. U. L. REV. 37 (2022)

*Introduction to the Special Issue on Climate Change Litigation*, 22 GERMAN L. JOURNAL 1287 (2021)

*Reclaiming the Streets*, 106 IOWA L. REV. 2185 (2021)

- reprinted in ZONING AND PLANNING LAW HANDBOOK (WESTLAW 2022)

*Whose Water? Corporatization of a Common Good* in ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, DISRUPTED (K. Hirokawa & J. Owley, eds. Forthcoming Environmental Law Institute 2021)

*Liquid Business*, 47 FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY L. REV. 201 (2019)

*From Nuisance to Environmental Protection in Continental Europe*, 92 SOUTHERN CAL. L. REV. 1003 (2019) [with Carlos Gomez]

*Specialization Trend: Water Courts*, 49 ENV'TL. L. 587 (2019) (44 pages)

*Environmental Law. Disrupted.* 49 ENV'T L. REPORTER 10038 (2019) [with various authors] (25 pages)

*The Street View of Property*, 70 HASTINGS LAW JOURNAL 101 (2019) (42 pages)

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

**RACC Foundation and Universitat Pompeu Fabra**, consultant to Spanish equivalent of American Automobile Association (AAA) on road safety and administrative penalties, 2011 - 2014

**Tabasa**, consultant to Catalan private highway authority on US environmental measures, 2009

**Colombian Procuraduría General de la Nación** (Attorney General's Office), intern to Environmental and Agricultural Department, 2007

**Uría Menéndez** (law firm), Barcelona Office, summer associate, antitrust & tax, 2005 & 2006

**Catalan Public Attorneys' Office**, intern, 2005

## PRESENTATIONS AND GUEST LECTURES

### Climate Big Data

- Society of Environmental Law and Economics Annual Meeting, Florida State University, Tallahassee, March 2024

### Sticky Property

- Society of Environmental Law and Economics Annual Meeting, Cambridge University, July 2023

### Suburban Environmental Law

- Energizing Private Law, King's College London, July 2023
- Latinx Scholars Workshop, Online, November 2022
- Natural Resources Teachers' Workshop, Foundation for Natural Resources and Energy Law, Vail, July 2022
- Society of Environmental Law and Economics, Annual Meeting, May 2022

### Racist trash

- Annual Meeting Law and Society Association, Lisbon, July 2022
- Association of Property Law and Society, May 2021

### Introduction to US Environmental Law

- The Center for American and International Law, June 2022

### How wet should Wall Street get?

- S.J., Quinney College of Law, Stegner Center Junior Scholar Lecture, Salt Lake City, UT, October 2023
- Georgetown Environmental Law Workshop, September 2022

- William and Mary, Brigham Kanner Conference, September 2022
- Association of Property Law and Society, May 2022
- Faculty workshop, Arkansas School of Law, April 2022
- Faculty workshop, Pace Law School, Presentation of Junior Scholar Award, March 2022

#### **Ownership Concentration, Lessons from Natural Resources**

- Northwestern University Law Review Symposium, Chicago, IL, November 2021

#### **Water, agriculture, and human rights**

- Caritas International: Development Law, Policy and Advocacy course, Sant'Anna School (Pisa, Italy), February 2021

#### **Water and agriculture: a legal perspective**

- ExpoAgua, Chile, October 2022
- Course in agri-environmental Law, Wageningen University, Wageningen, Netherlands, January 2021

#### **Natural Legal Transplants**

- ASU Sustainability Conference, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University Phoenix, AZ, May 2021
- Faculty workshop, Scalia Law School, George Mason University, April 2021
- Water Law Works in Progress, RMMLF & University of Utah, December 2020
- Faculty Scholarship Retreat, Texas A&M School of Law, November 2020
- 8th Annual Sabin Colloquium on Innovative Environmental Law Scholarship, Columbia Law School, July 2020

#### **Reclaiming space for pedestrians**

- Iowa Law Review Symposium: The Future of Law and Transportation, University of Iowa, October 2020

#### **Public Sidewalks**

- Scholarship Retreat, Texas A&M School of Law, Fort Worth, TX, December 2019
- Chapman Junior Scholars Conference, Anaheim, CA, September 2019

#### **Local approach to environmental border issues**

- Network of "Transnational Administrative Law" Meeting, Barcelona, May 2019
- Environmental Law Collaborative, Essex MA, July 2018

#### **Liquid business**

- Texas A&M School of Law, EnviroSchmooze, Fort Worth, TX, August 2019
- University of Indiana at Bloomington, Ostrom Workshop, Bloomington IN, April 2019
- University of Oklahoma, Faculty Workshop, Norman OK, January 2019
- University of Houston, Environmental WIP, Houston TX, December 2018

#### **Climate change**

- Instituto Superior de Derecho y Economía, Law School, Barcelona, December 2018
- Instituto Superior de Derecho y Economía, Law School, Barcelona, December 2019

#### **Nuisance: an European Civil Law approach**

- NYU Classical Liberal Institute, New York NY, November 2018

#### **Waters of the United States: Clean Water Act Controversy**

- Guest lecture in Water Law, University of Texas School of Law, Austin TX, April 2018

**Water Markets: legal tools**

- Earth X, Legal Section, Dallas, TX, April 2019
- Pacific Council, Los Angeles CA, December 2017

**Specialized Water Courts**

- Workshop, PERC, Bozeman MT, July 2017
- Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation Law Professors Workshop, Santa Fe NM, July 2017

**Reuse: strategy for drought resilience**

- Dallas Bar, Energy Section, November 2017
- Sustainability Conference for American Legal Educators, Arizona State University, Phoenix AZ, May 2017

**Parking: unsharing public property**

- University of Wisconsin, Faculty workshop, Madison WI, September 2018
- Penn State, Property and the Sharing Economy, State College PA, October 2017
- Oklahoma Junior Scholars Workshop, Norman OK, July 2017
- TAMU Real Property Roundtable, Texas A&M School of Law, Fort Worth TX, February 2017
- AALS Annual Meeting, Property Law Section, Works in Progress session, San Francisco CA, January 2017
- Texas Junior Scholars Workshop, SMU, Dallas TX, August 2016

**Science and Policy**

- NSF FEW (Food Energy and Water) workshop, Texas A&M University, College Station TX, January 2017

**So Long Return Flow: consumption as the measure of water rights**

- Eighth Annual Meeting, Society for Environmental Law & Economics, University of Texas, Austin TX, May 2016
- Sustainability Conference for American Legal Educators, Arizona State University, Tempe AZ, May 2015
- Water in the West, Stanford Woods Institute, Stanford CA, May 2015
- American West Workshop, Bill Lane Center for the American West, Stanford University, Stanford CA, November 2014

**Water Law and the California Drought**

- Guest lecture in Environmental Law Colloquium, Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago IL, January 2016
- Guest lecture in Selected topics in Environmental and Energy Law, NYU School of Law, New York NY, May 2015

**Water Scarcity and Climate Change: legal responses**

- Lunch talk, University of Puerto Rico, April 2015

**Catalan independence and constitutional issues 2004-present**

- Guest lecture in Regional Law, School of Law, University of Bologna, Italy, May 2015

**Comparative case-studies: methodology**

- Bite-sized Research Design, Stanford University, May 2014
- 8th Inter-University Graduate Conference, Changing Faces in Legal Thinking: Revisiting Legal Methodologies, Cornell Law School, April 2012

**Water Markets in Spain: an empirical study**

- Water in the West, Stanford Woods Institute, May 2014

**Water Markets in California and Spain: government as the driver of success**

- American West Workshop, Bill Lane Center for the American West, Stanford University, April 2014
- Third Annual Conference of the Younger Comparativists Committee, Lewis & Clark Law School, April 2014

**Squaring Property Rights for Essential Resources: Lessons from Water Management and Water Markets**

- Triangulating Property Rights: Governing Access to Scarce, Essential Resources, Columbia Law School, June 2013

**Imperfect Water Markets Aiming to Efficiency**

- Third Annual Meeting, Society for Environmental Law & Economics, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands, June 2011
- Spanish Society of Law and Economics, Annual Meeting, Barcelona, June 2011

**SCHOLARSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND AWARDS**

18<sup>th</sup> Wallace Stegner Center Young Scholar at the University of Utah S.J. Quinney College of Law.

Pace | Haub Environmental Law 2021-22 Distinguished Junior Scholar

PERC Lone Mountain Fellow, 2017

Provost's Global Research Initiatives Program, NYU London, summer 2013

Rafael del Pino Foundation Fellowship, 2012-2013

Visiting Scholar, Fundación Juan March, Madrid, summer 2012

La Caixa Foundation Fellowship, 2009

LL.M. award for Integration and Inclusion, 2009

LL.M. class representative, University of Chicago Law School, 2008-2009

Real Colegio Complutense Scholarship, 2007

Award for Extraordinary academic performance in the LL.B, 2006

Research Scholarship, Spanish Ministry of Science and Technology, 2006

**MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL AND HONORARY SOCIETIES**

- Foundation For Natural Resources and Energy Law, Water Section Chair for the 70<sup>th</sup> Annual Institute (2023-2024)
- American Association of Law Schools, Natural Resources and Energy Law Section Executive Committee Member (2022-2026)

- Foundation for Natural Resources and Energy Law and ABA Water Law Institute Planning Committee member (for Special Institute Nov. 2022)
- Foundation for Natural Resources and Energy Law, Teaching Award Committee Member
- Foundation for Natural Resources and Energy Law, Board of Trustees (2016-present)
- Foro Económico del Agua, Member of the Academic Committee, <https://forodelaeconomiadelagua.org> (2021-present)
- Editorial Board Member, GERMAN LAW JOURNAL (Cambridge University) (2019-present)

## CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

**Water Section Panels**, Foundation for Natural Resources and Energy Law Annual Institute, Santa Fe, New Mexico, July 2024

**Texas A&M Law Review Distinguished Paper Series engaging Richard A. Epstein**, Spring 2022 – Fall 2022

**Enviroschmooze**, Texas A&M School of Law, August 2019, August 2020, August 2021, December 2021, August 2022

**Environmental Protection: Carrots or Sticks**, Texas A&M School of Law and NYU Classical Liberal Institute, March 2018

**New Water**, Texas A&M School of Law, Journal of Property Law, Symposium advisor, February 2017

**Uncommon Dialogue: The Water-Energy Nexus**, Stanford University, October 2015

**Uncommon Dialogue: U.S.-Mexico Transboundary Water Issues**, Stanford Law School, May 2014