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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, Fort Worth, TX
Associate Professor, 2016-present

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Cambridge, MA
Climenko Fellow and Lecturer on Law, 2011-13

EDUCATION

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Cambridge, MA
J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2009
Harvard International Law Journal, Editor-in-Chief

UNIVERSITA DI PADOVA, Padova, Italy
M.A., *Integrazione europea (European Integration)*, 2007

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, Princeton, NJ
A.B., *magna cum laude* in the Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs

PUBLICATIONS

BLOCKCHAIN DEMOCRACY: DECENTRALIZED NETWORKS AND THE TRANSFORMATION OF FINANCE, GOVERNMENT AND THE LAW (Cambridge University Press, forthcoming 2019)

Financial Regulation in the Bitcoin Era, 23 STAN. J. L. BUS. & FIN. (forthcoming 2018)

Regulating Fintech, 71 VAND. L. REV. 1167 (2018)

The Public Cost of Private Equity, 102 MINN. L. REV. 1847 (2018)

Unilateral Corporate Regulation, 17 CHI. J. INT'L L. 521 (2017)

International Corporate Bribery and Unilateral Enforcement, 51 COLUM. J. TRANSNAT'L L. 360 (2013)

The Domestic Politics of International Extradition, 52 VA. J. INT'L L. 839 (2012)

WTO Jurisprudence and Its Critiques: The Appellate Body's Anti-Constitutional Resistance, 51 HARV. INT'L L. J. ONLINE 121 (2010)

The Responsibility to Protect and the Decline of Sovereignty: Free Speech Protection Under International Law, 43 VANDERBILT J. TRANSNAT'L L. 255 (2010)

Takeover Regulation in the United States and Europe: An Institutional Approach, 21 PACE INT'L L. REV. 205 (2009)

SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

Financial Regulation in the Bitcoin Era, National Business Law Scholars Conference, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, GA (June 2018)

Financial Regulation in the Bitcoin Era, Stanford Law School, Stanford, CA (May 2018)

Financial Regulation in the Bitcoin Era, Colloquium on International Economic Law, Dennis J. Block Center for the Study of International Business Law, Brooklyn Law School, New York, NY (April 2018)

Regulating Fintech, Financial Regulation Workshop, Boston University School of Law, Boston, MA (September 2017)

The Public Cost of Private Equity, National Business Law Scholars Conference, University of Utah Law School, Salt Lake City, UT (June 2017)

Moderator, *International Corruption and the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act*, International Law Weekend South, Fort Worth, TX (March 2017)

Private Equity and Corporate Governance, Centre for Corporate and Commercial Law, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, United Kingdom (November 2016)

Unilateral Corporate Regulation, Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, United Kingdom (November 2016)

Moderator, *Innovations in International Trade and Investment Agreements*, International Law Weekend, New York, NY (October 2016)

Unilateral Corporate Regulation, Texas Legal Scholars Workshop, SMU Dedman School of Law, Dallas, TX (August 2016)

The Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and the Energy Sector, University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, Canada (March 2016)

The Criminalization of Corporate Bribery Abroad, International Institute for the Sociology of Law, Oñati, Spain (May 2015)

The Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and the Energy Sector, University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, Canada (March 2014)

International Corporate Bribery and Unilateral Enforcement, Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Honolulu, HI (June 2012)

Corporate Governance and International Bribery, Harvard Corporate Governance Workshop, Cambridge, MA (April 2012)

A Theory of International Corruption Regulation, Junior International Law Scholars Association Conference, Georgia Law School, Athens, GA (February 2012)

International Negotiations, Harvard Project for Asian and International Relations, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA (February 2012)

POPULAR PUBLICATIONS AND PRESS

[*How Should Financial Regulators Handle the Bitcoin Era?*](#), Harvard Law School Forum on Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation, April 19, 2018

[*The Next Crisis Will Start in Silicon Valley*](#), Bloomberg, September 18, 2017

[*How Should We Regulate Fintech?*](#), Harvard Law School Forum on Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation, September 13, 2017

[*The Public Cost of Private Equity*](#), The CLS Blue Sky Blog, May 11, 2017

[*Is Brexit the Beginning of the End for International Cooperation?*](#), The Conversation, March 29, 2017, *reprinted as The New World Order: Every Country for Itself*, Time, April 2, 2017

LEGAL WORK EXPERIENCE

GRAVES, DOUGHERTY, HEARON & MOODY, P.C., Austin, TX
Corporate Associate, 2015-2016

SULLIVAN & CROMWELL, LLP, New York
Corporate Associate, 2010-11, 2013-2014

LAW CLERK TO THE HONORABLE PRISCILLA OWEN, COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT, Austin, Texas
Law Clerk, 2009-10

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

THE WASHINGTON POST, Rome, Italy
News Assistant, 2005

ASSOCIATED PRESS, Rome, Italy
News Assistant, 2004-2005

BAR ADMISSIONS

New York, 2010; Texas, 2015