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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Rutgers Law School (Newark)

Professor of Law and Chancellor's Social Justice Scholar July 2018-Present
Interim Co-Dean July 2021-June 2023
Vice Dean July 2019-June 2021
Director, Center for Immigration Law, Policy & Social Justice July 2018-Present
Courses: Property Law; Immigration Law; Critical Race Theory; Asian Americans and the Law; Estates in Land and Future Interests
Service: Academic Policy Committee; Advisor, *Race and the Law Review*; Appointments Committee; Budget and Planning Committee; Faculty Development Committee

University of California at Davis School of Law

July 2012-June 2018

Professor of Law & Martin Luther King, Jr. Hall Research Scholar
Race and the Law Courses: Asian Americans, Pacific Islanders and the Law; Critical Race Theory; Property and Race Seminar
Other Courses: Advanced Immigration Seminar; Introduction to Legal Education (Orientation); Property Law
Service: ABA Self-Study Committee; Admissions Committee; Advisor, Filipino Law Students Association; Aoki Center for the Critical Study of Race and Nation; Appointments Committee; Faculty Intellectual Enrichment Committee; Public Interest Fellowship Committee; Scholarship Committee

Hofstra University School of Law

Associate Professor of Law September 2009-July 2012
Race and the Law Courses: Race and the Law
Other Courses: Advanced Immigration Seminar; Enforcement of Immigration Law at the Border; Immigration Law; Property Law
Service: Admissions and Academic Standing Committee; Advisor, APALSA; Advisor, Hofstra Immigration Law Society; Faculty Appointments Committee
Coordinator: Hofstra Colloquium on Law & Citizenship; Hofstra Junior Faculty Workshop

Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law

July 2006-August 2009

Assistant Professor of Law
Courses: Property; Immigration Law; Advanced Seminar on Property and Citizenship
Service: Admissions Committee; Judicial Clerkship Committee
Coordinator: SMU Colloquium on Law & Citizenship; SMU Junior Faculty Workshop 2006-2008

OTHER APPOINTMENTS

New York University School of Law

- *Fellow in Residence*, Birnbaum Women's Leadership Center July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024

Columbia Law School

- *Visiting Professor of Law* (July 2017-December 2017)
- *Fellow, Center for the Study of Law and Culture* July 2016-December 2016
- *Human Rights Fellow* (2004-2006)

University of California Berkeley School of Law

- *Fellow, Center for the Study of Law and Culture* January 2014-July 2014

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

FORBIDDEN LOVE: HOW IMMIGRATION LAWS BANNED INTERRACIAL COUPLES (forthcoming NEW YORK UNIVERSITY PRESS 2026).

INTEGRATING SPACES: PROPERTY LAW AND SOCIAL IDENTITY (with Alfred Brophy, Alberto Gonzalez, and Kali Murray) (Wolters Kluwer 2023).

[RACE AND RACES: CASES AND RESOURCES FOR A DIVERSE AMERICA, 4TH ED.](#) (with Richard Delgado, Osamudia James & Juan Perea) (West Academic Publishing 2022).

[LEGISLATING A NEW AMERICA: THE IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT OF 1965 AND ITS CONTRIBUTIONS TO LAW AND SOCIETY](#) (with Gabriel “Jack” Chin) (Cambridge University Press 2015).

[LOVING V. VIRGINIA IN A “POST-RACIAL” WORLD: RETHINKING RACE, SEX AND MARRIAGE](#) (with Kevin Maillard) (Cambridge University Press 2012).

ARTICLES & ESSAYS

Creating Racialized Liminal Status: The 1790 Act and Interstitial Citizenship, 65 WILLIAM & MARY L. REV. 1157 (2024).

[Rejecting Citizenship](#), 120 MICH. L. REV. 1033 (2022).

[Illegitimate Citizenship Rules](#), 97 WASH. U. L. REV. 1179 (2020) (with Leticia Saucedo).

[Anti-Sanctuary and Immigration Localism](#), 119 COLUM. L. REV. 837 (2019) (with Pratheepan Gulasekaram and Rick Su).

- Reprinted in THE NEW PREEMPTION READER: LEGISLATION, CASES, AND COMMENTARY ON THE LEADING CHALLENGES IN TODAY’S STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT LAW (2019) (Richard Briffault, Nestor Davidson, and Laurie Reynolds eds.).

[The Trump Administration and the War on Immigration Diversity](#), 54 WAKE FOREST L. REV. 575 (2019) (with Kevin Johnson).

[Sanctuary Networks](#), 103 MINN. L. REV. 1209 (2018) (with Pratheepan Gulasekaram).

[*Problematizing the Protection of Culture and the Insular Cases*](#), 131 HARV. L. REV. F. 127 (2018).

[*American Nationals and Interstitial Citizenship*](#), 85 FORDHAM L. REV. 1673 (2017).

[*Chae Chan Ping v. United States: Immigration as Property*](#), 68 OKLA. L. REV. 137 (2015) (symposium).

[*Citizenship for CNMI Guest Workers*](#), 90 CHI. KENT L. REV. 525 (2015) (symposium).

[*The Undocumented Closet*](#), 92 N.C. L. REV. 1 (2013).

[*The Other Loving: Uncovering the Federal Government's Racial Regulation of Marriages*](#), 86 N.Y.U. L. REV. 1361 (2011).

- Reviewed by [Christina Ponsa Kraus, *Love and War*, JOTWELL, LEGAL HISTORY, Apr. 6, 2012.](#)

[*Rediscovering Oyama v. California: At the Intersection of Property, Race, and Citizenship*](#), 87 WASH. U. L. REV. 979 (2010).

- Winner of the Hofstra University Lawrence A. Stessin Prize for Outstanding Scholarly Publications, May 2011 (university wide writing competition).

[*Reading Between the \(Blood\) Lines*](#), 83 S. CAL. L. REV. 473 (2010).

[*"Sanctuary Cities" and Local Citizenship*](#), 37 FORDHAM URBAN L. J. 573 (2010).

[*Sanctuary Policies & Immigration Federalism: A Dialectic Analysis*](#), 55 WAYNE L. REV. 1683 (2009) (with Pratheepan Gulasekaram) (symposium).

- Cited in *Villas at Parkside Partners v. City of Farmers Branch*, 726 F.3d 524 (5th Cir. 2013).

[*Blood Quantum Land Laws and the Race Versus Political Identity Dilemma*](#), 96 CAL. L. REV. 801 (2008).

- Honorable Mention, Georgetown, UCLA & USC Interdisciplinary Law & Humanities Junior Scholars Workshop, June 2008.

[*What is a "Sanctuary"?*](#), 61 SMU L. REV. 133 (2008).

BOOK CHAPTERS

Rewriting Chae Chan Ping v. United States (The Chinese Exclusion Case), [in CRITICAL RACE JUDGMENTS](#) (eds. Capers, et. al. eds., Oxford University Press 2021).

- Reviewed by [Sam Erman, *Status Manipulation in Chae Chan Ping v. United States*](#), 121 MICH. L. REV. 1091 (2023).

True Faith, Allegiance and Citizenship, in [CHRISTIANITY AND THE LAW OF MIGRATION](#) (ed. Silas Allard, Kristin Heyer, & Raj Nadella, Routledge 2021).

“No More Deaths”: *Religious Liberty as a Defense to Providing Sanctuary for Immigrants*, in [CHRISTIANITY AND THE LAW OF MIGRATION](#) (with Ulrich Schmiedel) (ed. Silas Allard, Kristin Heyer, & Raj Nadella, Routledge 2021).

Commentary, *Adoptive Couple v. Baby Girl*, in [FEMINIST JUDGMENTS: REPRODUCTIVE JUSTICE REWRITTEN](#) (ed. Kimberly Mutcherson, Cambridge University Press 2020).

The 1965 Immigration Act Paradox: Promoting and Hindering Family Unification, in [LEGISLATING A NEW AMERICA: THE IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT OF 1965 AND ITS CONTRIBUTIONS TO LAW AND SOCIETY](#) (Cambridge University Press 2015).

Racially Inadmissible Wives, in [LOVING V. VIRGINIA IN A “POST-RACIAL” WORLD: RETHINKING RACE, SEX AND MARRIAGE](#) 199 (Cambridge University Press 2012).

SHORTER PIECES

Reflecting on California and Prop. 187: From the Anti-Immigrant State to the Sanctuary State, 53 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 2015 (2020).

[“Sanctuary” States](#), 48 SOUTHWESTERN L. REV. 503 (2019) (with Alma Godinez-Navarro).

[The New Sanctuary and Anti-Sanctuary Movements](#), 52 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 549 (2018) (with Pratheepan Gulasekaram).

[Residential Segregation and Interracial Marriages](#), 86 FORDHAM L. REV. 2717 (2018).

[Teaching Property Law and What It Means to Be “Human.”](#) 3 CAL. L. REV. CIRCUIT 117 (2012).

[Remembering Keith Aoki](#), 45 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 1623 (2012).

[Testing the ‘Model Minority Myth’’: A Case of Weak Empiricism](#), 101 NW. UNIV. L. REV. COLLOQUY 101 (2007) (with Robert Chang).

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Forbidden Love: How Immigration Laws Banned Interracial Marriages (monograph)

Imposing Citizenship

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS (2020-2024)

Speaker, AALS 2024, *Immigration Law New Voices*, Jan. 5, 2024.

Speaker, Texas A&M School of Law, Faculty Speaker Series, *Forbidden Love: Immigration Law as Racial Marriage Restrictions*, Oct. 25, 2023.

Speaker, University of Virginia School of Law, Colloquium on Law & Inequality, *Forbidden Love: Immigration Law as Racial Marriage Restrictions*, Oct. 5, 2023.

Speaker, University of California Davis School of Law, Symposium on the 1790 Naturalization Act, *Creating Racialized Liminal Status: The 1790 Act and Intertitial Citizenship*, Sept. 22, 2023.

Speaker, University of California Berkeley School of Law, Center for Race and Gender, *Forbidden Love: Immigration Law as Racial Marriage Restrictions*, Sept. 21, 2023.

Speaker, AALS New Law Teachers Workshop, *Breakfast with the AALS Minority Group*, Washington, DC, June 9, 2023.

Speaker, Law and Society Annual Meeting, *Varieties of Citizenship*, San Juan, Puerto Rico, June 1, 2023.

Speaker, American Bar Association Dean's Workshop, *Community and Continuity*, AALS Conference, San Diego, January 6, 2023.

Roundtable Discussant, The White House, Filipino American History Month and Initiatives, Oct. 12, 2022.

Speaker, University of California, Davis School of Law, *Rewriting Downes v. Bidwell*, Oct. 5, 2022.

Speaker, American Bar Association Dean's Workshop, *Faculty Challenges in the 2020s*, July 20, 2022.

Speaker, Rutgers Law School, *Addressing Hate and Anti-Asian Violence*, April 21-22, 2022.

Speaker, American University Washington College of Law, *Contested Boundaries, The Past, Present, and Future of Citizenship*, Oct. 1, 2021.

Witness, U.S. House of Representatives, Committee on Resources, *Hearing on H. Res. 279 (Insular Cases Resolution)*, May 12, 2021.

Witness, Guam Legislature, Hearing on Res. No. 56-36 (COR) (regarding House Res. 279 (*Insular Cases Resolution*)), May 4, 2021.

Speaker, Harvard Medical School, *America is in the Heart: AAPI Resilience, Empowerment, and Coalition-Building*, April 30, 2021.

Speaker, Society of American Law Teachers, *The Othering of the AAPI Community in America*, April 9, 2021.

Speaker, American University Washington College of Law, *Citizenship and Suffrage: Race, Citizenship, and the Right to Vote on the Nineteenth Amendment's Centennial*, Oct. 6, 2020.

Speaker, University of Colorado School of Law, *Rejecting Citizenship*, March 4, 2020.

PROFESSIONAL ACADEMIC SERVICE & LEADERSHIP

National

American Law Institute

- Member (elected July 2023)

American Bar Association Section on Legal Education Law

- Member of the Michigan State Law School ABA Site Team (October 2022)

AALS Immigration Law Section Executive Board

- Ex-Officio (January 2018 – January 2019)
- Chair (January 2017 – January 2018)

AALS Minority Section Executive Board

- Ex-Officio (January 2017 – January 2018)
- Chair (January 2016 – January 2017)

AALS Order of the Coif Book of the Year Selection Committee

- Member (2022–2025)

AALS Planning Committee for the Workshop for Pretenured People of Color Law School Teachers

- Member (2020–2021)
- Member (2017–2018)

AALS Property Section Executive Committee

- Member (2021–Present)

Conference of Asian Pacific American Law Faculty (CAPALF)

- Board Member (September 2009 – April 2012)

National Association of Asian Pacific American Bar Association

- Thomas Tang Competition Committee (September 2018–Present)
- Co-Chair, Law Professor Committee (September 2015–Present)

National Association of Women Lawyers (NAWL) (September 2020–Present)

- Committee on the U.S. Supreme Court

National Immigration Law Center

- Board Member (2021–Present)

University of California Press

- Editorial Board (2024–Present)

Regional

Asian American Bar Association of New York

- Member (September 2015 – Present)

Asian Pacific American Lawyers Association of New Jersey

- Member (September 2019 – Present)

Filipino American Lawyers Association of New York

- Member (September 2015 – Present)

Instructor and Collaborator, Northern Mariana Islands Judiciary Summer 2022 Pre-Law Program (access to legal education program for people in the U.S. territory of the NMI)

- Instructor (July 2022; July 2014; July 2010)

SELECTED HONORS & AWARDS

Trailblazer Award, New Jersey Women Lawyers Association, March 28, 2023.

Keynote Speaker, Sacramento Filipino Lawyers Association, Annual Gala, October 6, 2022.

Professional Achievement Award, Asian Pacific American Lawyers Association New Jersey, September 22, 2022.

Trailblazer Award; Filipino Bar Association of Northern California, June 2015.

2011 Derrick A. Bell Award; Association of American Law Schools (AALS) Minority Section (awarded to a junior faculty member who, through activism, mentoring, teaching and scholarship, has made an extraordinary contribution to legal education, the legal system, or social justice).

Hofstra University Lawrence A. Stessin Prize for Outstanding Scholarly Publications, May 2011 (university wide writing competition).

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

New York Lawyers for the Public Interest, NY, NY

Equal Justice Works Fellow/Staff Attorney

September 2001 – June 2004

The Honorable Stephen H. Glickman

District of Columbia Court of Appeals, Washington, DC

Law Clerk

September 2000 – August 2001

EDUCATION

Columbia University Law School, New York, NY

LL.M. May 2006

American University Washington College of Law, Washington, DC

J.D. May 2000

- *Cum Laude*; Note & Comment Editor, *American University Law Review*
- Myers Law Scholarship Recipient; Valentin Fuentes Fellow

University of Texas, Austin, TX

B.A. May 1996

- Major: Government