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APPOINTMENTS

Yale Law School, New Haven, CT
Associate Professor, 2011-present

Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
Junior Fellow, Society of Fellows, 2009-11

EDUCATION

Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
Ph. D., Government (Political Theory), 2010

Yale Law School, New Haven, CT
J. D., June 2002

Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
A.B., Harvard College (Economics), 1998

BOOKS

The Invention of the Economy: A History of Economic Thought (Harvard University Press, forthcoming).

Network Power: The Social Dynamics of Globalization (Yale University Press, 2008).

Reviewed/discussed in: *The New York Times*, *Financial Times*, *International Herald Tribune*, *Boston Globe*, *Times Literary Supplement*, *Honolulu Advertiser*, *O Globo* (Brazil), *Daily Times* (Pakistan), *Choice* (four stars), *Ethics & International Affairs*, *Primera Revista Latinoamericana de Libros*, and elsewhere.

ARTICLES

"The Return of the State," *Harvard International Review* 31 (2010): 38-43.

"What Keynes Warned about Globalization," *Seminar* 601 (2009): 54-9.

"Is Globalization Working?" *Ethics & International Affairs* 20 (2006): 247-59.

"Network Power and Global Standardization: The Controversy over the Multilateral Agreement on Investment," in *Global Institutions and Responsibilities: Achieving Global Justice*, ed. Christian Barry and Thomas Pogge (Blackwell, 2005), 124-40.

"Network Power and Global Standardization: The Controversy over the Multilateral Agreement on Investment," *Metaphilosophy* 36 (2005): 128-44.

"Network Power and Globalization," *Ethics & International Affairs* 12 (2003): 89-98.

"Empire's Law," *Yale Journal of Law and Humanities* 14 (2002): 211-19.

"Economics of rainforest preservation across scales," *Science*, June 9, 2000, 1828-32. Co-authors: C. Kremen, J. Niles, M. Dalton, G. Daily, P. Ehrlich, J. Fay, D. Grewal, and R.P. Guillery.

TEACHING

Yale Law School, 2011-2013: *Free Rider Problem*; *History of Political Economy*; *International Trade Law*; *Markets, Morals, and the Law*; *Open Source Systems*; *Politics of Method*.

Harvard University, 2003-2006: Teaching assistant in *Bioethics*; *Globalization and its Critics*; *One Way or Many?*; *Economics: A Critical Introduction*.

INVITED TALKS

"The Ancient Economy," Ancient Societies Workshop, University of Chicago, Chicago IL, October 9, 2012.

"Network Power: The Social Dynamics of Globalization," Rational Choice Workshop (Becker-Posner Seminar series), University of Chicago, Chicago IL, October 2, 2012.

"The Invention of the Economy," Critical Analysis of Law Workshop, University of Toronto Law School, Toronto, Canada, September 24, 2012.

"Networks and Power," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, September 1, 2012 (canceled).

"Network Power and Global Trade," Yale Law School, New Haven CT, August 21, 2012.

"Globalization, Network Power, and World Trade," IEE (International Education), Yale Law School, New Haven CT, August 11, 2012.

"Globalization, Network Power, and World Trade," GYDO (Global Youth Development Organization), Yale Law School, New Haven CT, July 23, 2012.

"The Commercial Oeconomy," MacMillan Center, Yale University, New Haven CT, April 13, 2012.

"Globalization: Challenges and Opportunities of an Interdependent World," University of Scranton, Scranton, PA, September 17, 2011.

"Globalization, Recognition, and Inequality," Yale-Jindal Conference on Globalization in India and the United States, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, India, October 30, 2010.

"Synthetic Biology as Open Biotechnology?" Yale Law School, New Haven CT, October 9, 2010.

"Varieties of Power, Varieties of Networks," Annenberg School, University of Southern California, Los Angeles CA, February 19, 2010.

"The Invention of the Economy," The New School for Social Research, New York NY, February 8, 2010.

"The Return of the State," *Harvard International Review* Winter Launch Event, Cambridge MA, February 4, 2010.

"Sen's Embodied Ethics," Justice and Health Workshop, Harvard Kennedy School, Cambridge MA, December 9, 2009.

"Free Culture in Synthetic Biology," Cyberscholars Working Group, Berkman Center, Harvard Law School, Cambridge MA, December 2, 2009.

"Network Power and Globalization," James Chace Memorial Speaker Series, Bard College Globalization and International Affairs Program, November 19, 2009.

"Free Culture in Biotech?: An Experiment in Synthetic Biology without Intellectual Property," Biolaw 3.0 Conference, University of Kansas Law School, November 6, 2009.

"Network Power," World Political Economy lecture series, The New School for Social Research, New York NY, February 18, 2009.

"Network Power: The Social Dynamics of Globalization," Carnegie Council Public Affairs Book Talk, Carnegie Council, New York, December 3, 2008.

"Networked Politics," Annual Congress of the Belgian Social Democratic Party, Brussels, Belgium, October 18, 2008.

"Legal Strategies for Open-Source Synthetic Biology," Fourth International Meeting on Synthetic Biology, Hong Kong, October 11, 2008.

"Network Power: The Nation-State in the Internet Age," Annual Joshua Lawrence Chamberlain Lecture on Political Thought, Bowdoin College, September 25, 2008.

"Globalization: Network Power," Indian Institute of Technology (Bombay), Golden Jubilee Conference, New York NY, July 19, 2008.

CONFERENCES/ WORKSHOPS (SELECTED)

Moderator, "Effectuating Socio-Economic Rights in India," Constitutionalism in South Asia panel series, Yale Law School and the South Asian Studies Council, Yale University, April 16, 2012.

Discussant, "The Politics of Legal Knowledge, the Global North and the Global South," Orville H. Schell, Jr., Center for International Human Rights Conference, "Between Equality and Subordination: The Politics of Legal Knowledge in Global North-South Academic Exchange," Yale Law School, April 14, 2012.

Discussant, Book Talk: "C. Raj Kumar's Corruption and Human Rights in India: Comparative Perspectives on Transparency and Good Governance," Yale Law School, April 2, 2012.

Moderator, "Lawyering Across Borders: Transnational Labor in a Globalizing World," Reblaw Conference, Yale Law School. Feb 17, 2012.

Moderator, "States of Violence and the Violence of States," Constitutionalism in South Asia panel series, Yale Law School and the South Asian Studies Council, Yale University, November 1, 2011.

"The Demographic Contradiction of Capitalism, or, What *Will* Bosses Do?" Rethinking Development Conference, Southern New Hampshire University, April 8, 2007.

"The Demographic Contradictions of Capitalism," Government Department Political Theory Workshop, Harvard University, Cambridge MA, April 11, 2007.

"Paretianism," Program on Justice, Welfare, and Economics, Harvard University, Cambridge MA, December 6, 2006.

"Against Paretianism," Freedom-Oriented Political Economy Conference, UNDP Headquarters, New York NY, June 10, 2005.

"Marx after Malthus: A Reply to Jameson on Attainable Utopias," Freedom-Oriented Political Economy Conference, Barnard College, Columbia University, April 24-25, 2004.

FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

2008-09 Eliot Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Harvard University, Cambridge MA.

2007 Summer research grant, Program on Justice, Welfare, and Economics, Harvard University, Cambridge MA.

2006-07 Dissertation Research Fellowship, Program on Justice, Welfare and Economics, Harvard University, Cambridge MA.

2003 Summer Travel Grant, Center for Constitutional Government, Harvard University, Cambridge MA.

2000-01 and 1999-2000 Olin Fellowship, Yale Law School, New Haven CT.

2000 Olin Summer Fellowship, Yale Law School, New Haven CT.

1998 Membership, Phi Beta Kappa, Harvard University, Cambridge MA.

1998, 1997, 1996 John Harvard Scholarship, Harvard University, Cambridge MA.

PRIZES

2010 Robert Noxon Toppan Prize for best dissertation in political science (shared), Harvard University, Cambridge MA.

2006, 2005, 2004 CUE Awards (for teaching excellence), Harvard University, Cambridge MA.

1998 Thomas Temple Hoopes Prize (for senior thesis), Harvard University, Cambridge MA.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Director, Biobricks Foundation, 2009-present.

"Biobricks Public Agreement." Participated in drafting legal agreement for the Biobricks Foundation to organize the sharing of standardized biological parts. Principal drafting team: Lee Crews, Drew Endy, Mark Fisher, David Grewal; several successive drafts, 2008-2011 (http://biobricks.org/bpa/).

Reviewer, Harvard University Press, Yale University Press, Journal of Politics, Harvard Law Review.

PUBLIC COMMENTARY

"On Biotechnology without Borders," *Seed Magazine* (with co-authors Drew Endy and Mark Fisher), March 3, 2011.

"On the Category of the Social," *Utrecht Manifest*, 2009 Biennial for Social Design, October 1, 2009.

"Globalization and Cultural Convergence," *Globalist*, January 12, 2009.

"The World isn't Flat—It's Networked," Comment is Free, *Guardian* (online edition), July 29, 2008.

"How Networking Influences What We Speak," Freakonomics Blog, *The New York Times* (online edition), July 10, 2008.

INTERVIEWS

"Network Power," The Alcove, (interviewed by Mark Molaro), April 1, 2009.

"Network Power," Public Ethics Radio (interview with Christian Barry), March 25, 2009.

LANGUAGES

French, Latin.