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**Education**

- 1975 Ph.D., Political Science, University of California, Irvine
- 1969 Graduate Study in Anthropology and Law, University of California, Berkeley
- 1968 Summer Institute in Behavioral Science and the Law, University of Wisconsin
- 1967 B.A., Political Science and Mathematics, University of California, Los Angeles (with Honors)

**Employment**

- SUNY Distinguished Service Professor, University at Buffalo Law School, SUNY (2013-2015)
- Professor of Law and Political Science, University at Buffalo Law School, SUNY (2002-2015)
- Director, Baldy Center for Law & Social Policy, University at Buffalo Law School (2002-2008)
- Professor of Government, Dartmouth College (1987-2002)
- Acting Director, Rockefeller Center for the Social Sciences, Dartmouth College (2000-2001)
- Associate Professor of Government, Dartmouth College (1981-1987)
- Assistant Professor of Government, Dartmouth College (1975-1981)
- Instructor of Government, Dartmouth College (1972-1975)
- Instructor of Political Science, Grinnell College (1971-1972)

**Visiting Positions**

- Affiliate Professor, Justice Studies, University of New Hampshire (2015-present)
- Visiting Professor, Socio-Legal Masters Program, Oñati International Institute for Sociology of Law (2014, 2016, 2018, 2019)
- Visiting Scholar, UCLA School of Law (2009)
- Visiting Scholar, London School of Economics and Political Science (1993, 1995, 1999)
- Visiting Scholar, Governmental Studies, Brookings Institution, Washington D.C. (1986, 1990)
- Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of California at San Diego (1977)

**Courses Taught – Law and Graduate**

- Legal Profession; Legal Ethics
- Statutory Interpretation
- Courts and Social Change
- U.S. Supreme Court
- Law and Society
- Socio-Legal Perspectives on Litigation

**Undergraduate**

- Law and Courts in American Society
- Gender and Law; Women, Politics and the Law
- Lawyers and Public Policy

American Criminal Justice  
Introduction to American Politics  
Urban Politics

### **Awards, Grants, and Honors**

Law and Society Association Legacy Award (2019) honoring those “whose contributions significantly helped to develop the Association”  
APSA Lasting Contribution Award (2014) for book or article over ten years old that has made a lasting contribution to the field, awarded by Law and Courts Section of American Political Science Association for “Language, Audience and the Transformation of Disputes” (published in *Law & Society Review* 1980-81)  
SUNY Distinguished Service Professorship, awarded May 2013  
C. Herman Pritchett Award for the best book published in 2001, awarded by Law and Courts Section of American Political Science Association for *Divorce Lawyers at Work: Varieties of Professionalism in Practice*  
President of Law and Society Association, 2001-2002; President-Elect, 2000-2001; Past President, 2002-2003  
Nelson A. Rockefeller Professor of Government, Dartmouth College, Endowed Chair, 1999  
New Hampshire Judicial Council (appointed by the Governor of NH), 1998-2003  
Phi Beta Kappa, honorary member, 1999  
Department of Government research grant, 1997  
Distinguished Teaching Award, Dartmouth College, June 1995  
Mellon Urban and Regional Studies Research grant, Rockefeller Center, 1995  
Chair of Law and Courts Section of American Political Science Association, 1993-1994; Chair-Elect, 1992-1993  
Golden Key National Honor Society, 1994  
Humanities Research Institute fellowship, Constitutional Interpretation, 1991  
New Hampshire Humanities Council grant (co-director of summer institute), 1991  
National Science Foundation research grant, 1989-1992  
Rockefeller Center Senior Faculty grant, 1989  
Treasurer, Law and Society Association, 1983-1985; re-elected 1985-1987  
Rockefeller Center research grant, 1985  
National Institute of Justice research grant, 1979-1980  
Dartmouth Faculty Fellowship, 1978

### **Publications: Books and Edited Collections**

*Empirical Theories About Courts* (co-editor with Keith O. Boyum) Re-publication of 1983 book with new preface by Lynn Mather. New Orleans: Quid Pro Books (2015). (Abridged version of 1983 book published in Japanese in *Kobe Law Journal*)

*Lawyers in Practice: Ethical Decision Making in Context* (co-editor with Leslie C. Levin). Chicago: University of Chicago Press (2012).

*Private Lawyers and the Public Interest: The Evolving Role of Pro Bono in the Legal Profession* (co-editor with Robert Granfield) NY: Oxford University Press (2009)

*Divorce Lawyers at Work: Varieties of Professionalism in Practice* (with Craig A. McEwen and Richard J. Maiman) NY: Oxford University Press (2001)

Co-editor (with Elizabeth Mertz) of *Law and Social Inquiry: Special Issue in Honor of Herbert Jacob* (Fall 1998)

*Plea Bargaining or Trial? The Process of Criminal Case Disposition.* Lexington MA: D. C. Heath (1979)

### **Publications: Articles and Chapters**

“When and Why Do Lawyer Organisations Seek to Influence Law?” (with Leslie C. Levin) in *Lawyers in 21<sup>st</sup>-Century Societies*, Vol. 2 (eds. Richard Abel et al.) (2022)

“What is a ‘Case’?” *Oñati Socio-Legal Series*, 11(2), 355–378 (2021)

“Communities of Scholars and Communities of Practice” *Journal of Law and Society* 48: 25-39 (2021)

“Beyond the Guild: Lawyer Organizations and Law Making” (with Leslie C. Levin) *Washington University Global Studies Law Review* 18: 589-662 (2019)

“The Impact of International Lawyer Organizations on Lawyer Regulation” (with Leslie C. Levin and Leny de Groot-van Leeuwen) *Fordham International Law Journal* 42: 407-479 (2018)

“Client Selection: How Lawyers Reflect and Influence Community Values” in *Insiders, Outsiders, Injuries, & Law: Revisiting “The Oven Bird’s Song”* (ed. Mary Nell Trautner). New York: Cambridge University Press (2018)

“Is Law Inside or Out? And Why Does It Matter?” *Flinders Law Journal* (2016)

“Disputes, Social Construction and Transformation of” (with Barbara Yngvesson) in *2<sup>nd</sup> Ed. International Encyclopedia of Social and Behavioral Sciences* (Elsevier, 2015)

“Lawyerly Fidelity: An Ethical and Empirical Critique” *NOMOS: Journal of the American Society for Political and Legal Philosophy* (2013)

“Why Context Matters” (with Leslie C. Levin) in *Lawyers in Practice: Ethical Decision Making in Context*. (eds. Leslie C. Levin and Lynn Mather). Chicago: University of Chicago Press (2012).

“Scientists at the Bar: The Ethical World of Patent Lawyers” (with John M. Conley) in *Lawyers in Practice: Ethical Decision Making in Context* (eds. Leslie C. Levin and Lynn Mather). Chicago: University of Chicago Press (2012).

“Client Grievances and Lawyer Conduct: Central Challenges of Divorce Practice” (with Craig A. McEwen) in *Lawyers in Practice: Ethical Decision Making in Context* (eds. Leslie C. Levin and Lynn Mather) Chicago: University of Chicago Press (2012).

“How and Why Do Lawyers Misbehave? Lawyers, Discipline, and Collegial Control” in *The Paradox of Professionalism: Lawyers and the Possibility of Justice* (ed. Scott L. Cummings). NY: Cambridge University Press (2011).

“Pro Bono, The Public Good, and the Legal Profession: An Introduction” (with Robert Granfield) in *Private Lawyers and the Public Interest: The Evolving Role of Pro Bono in the Legal*

- Profession* (eds. Robert Granfield and Lynn Mather). NY: Oxford University Press (2009)
- “Lawyers and Solicitors Separated by a Common Legal System: Anti-Tobacco Litigation in the United States and Britain” in *Fault Lines: Tort Law as Cultural Practice* (eds. David M. Engel and Michael McCann). Palo Alto: Stanford University Press (2009)
- “Bringing the Lawyers Back In” in *Exploring Judicial Politics* (ed. Mark C. Miller) NY: Oxford University Press (2009)
- “Law and Society” in *The Oxford Handbook of Law and Politics* (eds. Gregory Caldeira, Daniel Keleman and Keith Whittington). NY: Oxford University Press (2008). Reprinted in *The Oxford Handbook of Political Science* (ed. Robert E. Goodin) NY: Oxford University Press (2009)
- “APSA Law & Courts Section” in *Encyclopedia of Law and Society: American and Global Perspectives* (ed. David S. Clark) Sage Publications (2007)
- “Baldy Center for Law & Social Policy” in *Encyclopedia of Law and Society: American and Global Perspectives* (ed. David S. Clark) Sage Publications (2007)
- “The Only Peer-Reviewed, General Journal on Law and Policy” in *Law & Courts* (Summer 2005)
- “Courts in American Popular Culture” in *Benchmark: Judging Courts in American Democracy* (eds. Kermit L. Hall and Kevin T. McGuire) New York: Oxford University Press (2005)
- “Introduction to Mini-Symposium: The Politics of Litigation by State Attorneys General” *Law & Policy* (2003)
- “What Do Clients Want? What Do Lawyers Do?” *Emory Law Journal* (2003)
- “Reflections on the Reach of Law (and Society) Post 9/11: An American Superhero?” Law and Society Association Presidential Address, *Law & Society Review* (May 2003)
- “Changing Patterns of Legal Representation in Divorce: From Lawyers to *Pro Se*” *Journal of Law and Society* (March 2003)
- “Gender in Context: Women in Family Law” in *Women in the World’s Legal Professions* (eds. Ulrike Schultz and Gisela Shaw) Oxford: Hart Publishing (2003)
- “Beverly Blair Cook: The Value of Eclecticism” (with Lee Epstein) in *The Pioneers of Judicial Behavior* (ed. Nancy Maveety) Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press (2003)
- “Disputes in Law, Social Construction and Transformation of” in *International Encyclopedia of Social and Behavioral Sciences* (Elsevier Science, 2001)
- “The Future of Legal Professionalism in Practice” (with Craig A. McEwen and Richard J. Maiman) *Legal Ethics* (Summer 1999)
- “Herb Jacob’s Legacy to Sociolegal Research” (with Roy Flemming) *Law and Social Inquiry* (Fall 1998)

- "Theorizing About Trial Courts: Lawyers, Policymaking, and Tobacco Litigation" *Law and Social Inquiry* (Fall 1998)
- "The New Yuppie Female Lawyer: The Impact of Women on Divorce Law Practice" *New Hampshire State Bar Journal* (March 1998)
- "Avocats et divorce aux Etats-Unis: la transformation des pratiques professionnelles" (with Craig A. McEwen and Richard J. Maiman) *Droit et Société* (December 1996)
- "The Fired Football Coach (Or, How Trial Courts Make Policy)" in *Contemplating Courts* (ed. Lee Epstein). Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly (1995)
- "The Passenger Decides on the Destination and I Decide on the Route': Are Divorce Lawyers Really 'Expensive Cab Drivers'?" (with Craig A. McEwen and Richard J. Maiman) *International Journal of Law and the Family* (December 1995)
- "Introducing a Feminist Pioneer in Judicial Politics: Beverly Blair Cook" *PS: Political Science and Politics* (March 1994)
- "Lawyers, Mediation, and the Management of Divorce Practice" (with Craig A. McEwen and Richard J. Maiman) *Law and Society Review* (1994)
- "Cameras in Courtrooms" and "*Richmond Newspapers, Inc. v. Virginia*" in *The Oxford Companion to the Supreme Court of the United States*, (ed. by Kermit L. Hall). NY: Oxford University Press (1992)
- "Gender and Specialization in the Practice of Divorce Law" (with Craig A. McEwen and Richard J. Maiman) *Maine Law Review* (1992)
- "Policy Making in State Trial Courts" in *American Courts: A Critical Assessment*, (ed. John Gates and Charles Johnson). Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly (1991)
- "Dispute Processing and a Longitudinal Approach to Trial Courts" *Law and Society Review* (1990)
- "Prosecutors" in *Encyclopedia of the American Judicial System* (ed. Robert J. Janosik). NY: Charles Scribner's Sons (1987)
- "The Importance and Political Implications of Dispute Definitions" in *A Study of Barriers in the Use of Alternative Methods of Dispute Resolution* (ed. John P. McCrory). Royalton, VT: Vermont Law School (1984)
- "Courts, Moots, and the Disputing Process" (with Barbara Yngvesson) in *Empirical Theories About Courts* (eds. Keith O. Boyum and Lynn Mather). NY: Longman, Inc. (1983)
- "Epilogue: Ways to Organize the Study of Courts" in *Empirical Theories About Courts* (eds. Keith O. Boyum and Lynn Mather). NY: Longman, Inc. (1983)
- "The Mobilizing Potential of Class Actions" *Indiana Law Journal* (1982)

"Language, Audience, and the Transformation of Disputes" (with Barbara Yngvesson) *Law and Society Review* (1980-1981)

"Comments on the History of Plea Bargaining" *Law and Society Review* (1979)

"Ethnography and the Study of Trial Courts" in *Public Law and Public Policy* (ed. John A. Gardiner). NY: Praeger Publishers (1977)

"The Outsider in the Courtroom: An Alternative Role for the Defense" in *The Potential for Reform of Criminal Justice* (ed. Herbert Jacob). Beverly Hills, CA: Sage Publications (1974)

"Some Determinants of the Method of Case Disposition: Decision Making by Public Defenders in Los Angeles," *Law and Society Review* (Winter 1974)

### **Publications: Book Reviews**

Book Review of *In-House Lawyers' Ethics: Institutional Logics, Legal Risk and the Tournament of Influence* (by Richard Moorhead, Steven Vaughan, and Cristina Godinho) in *Journal of Law and Society* Winter, 2019

Book Review of *American Courts: Process and Policy* (by Lawrence Baum) in *The Law and Politics Book Review* Vol. 5, no. 3, March 1995

"Women and the Law," *Focus*, Newsletter of the American Bar Association Commission on College and University Nonprofessional Legal Studies, Spring, 1989

Book Review of *Negotiations* by Anselm Strauss in *Administrative Science Quarterly*, December 1979

"Plea Bargaining Re-examined," *Michigan Law Review*, January-March 1979

### **Invited Lectures Since 1990**

"The Potential and Limits of Litigation as a Vehicle for Political Change" presented at Centre for Legal Education and Social Theory, University of Wroclaw, November 2019

"Is Law Inside or Out? And Why Does It Matter?" Keynote speaker for Law and Society Association of Australia and New Zealand Annual Meeting, Adelaide, December 2015

Co-organizer and speaker at day-long workshop, "The Oven Bird's Song: Insiders, Outsiders, and Personal Injuries in an American Community." Baldy Center for Law and Social Policy, University at Buffalo Law School, October 2015

"Law and Courts in the U.S." Opening lecture at two-day workshop of Argentinian judges, organized by AIEJ, Mar del Plata, Argentina, August 2015

"March's Conspicuous Experiment" Impact of James March's Interdisciplinary Social Science Program at UC Irvine on Graduate Students, UC Irvine, CA, April 2015

Co-organizer and speaker at day and a half "Research Workshop on Qualitative and Mixed Methods" AALS annual meeting, New York, January 2014

"Introduction to the U.S. Legal System" Presenter and Co-Organizer of week-long AIEJ Seminars for Latin American Judges, University at Buffalo Law School, April and September 2013, and June 2015

"Lawyers in Practice: Ethical Decision Making in Context" Workshop on the Legal Profession: Organization, Career Paths, and Ethical Issues, ENS Cachan, France, December 2013

"Are Patent Lawyers More Ethical than Divorce Lawyers?" CLE Presentation to Rochester Intellectual Property Association, Rochester NY, November 2012

"Teaching Innovations" AALS Workshop on the Future of the Legal Profession and Legal Education – Changes in Law Practice: Implications for Legal Education, Washington D.C., January 2012

- "Lawyers' Ethical Conduct Across Different Areas of Law" Holloran Center Conference on Empirical Professional Ethics, St. Thomas School of Law, Minneapolis, MN, November 2010
- "How and Why Do Lawyers Misbehave? Formal Discipline and the Informal Norms of Legal Practice?" Brown University Legal Studies Seminar, May 7, 2010. Also presented at George Mason University, Center for Justice, Law and Society, October 2009; and at University of New Hampshire, Justice Studies Colloquium, September 2009
- "Rethinking Lawyerly Fidelity," Boston Area Public Law Faculty Study Group, November 2009
- "Lawyers and Discipline" presented at "Conference for Rick Abel," UCLA School of Law, Los Angeles, CA, September 2009
- "Pro Bono and the Economic Crisis: The Impact on Education and Practice" Roundtable Discussion, Building a Better Legal Profession National Conference of Student Leaders, Stanford Law School, Palo Alto, CA, April 2009
- "Culture and Community in Lawyers' Work: Criminal Defense, Divorce, and Patent Law Practice," Flinders University School of Law, Adelaide, Australia, December 2008
- "Law, Politics and Business Through the Lens of the Patent Bar: A Preliminary Study," Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley, March 2008
- "Comment on 'Lawyerly Fidelity' by Daniel Markovits" annual meeting of American Society for Political and Legal Philosophy, Baltimore, December 2007
- "Culture and Community in Lawyers' Work: Criminal Defense, Divorce, and Patents," Department of Criminology, University of Toronto, December 2007
- "Courts in American Popular Culture" Law and Social Thought program, University of Toledo, OH, November 2005
- "How Does What Clients Want Link to What Lawyers Should Do? An Empirical Look at Lawyer-Client Relations," Emory University School of Law Conference on Ethics and Professionalism, Atlanta, March 2003
- "Thinking About Professionalism" Presentation to Family Law Section of the NH Bar Association, Concord, NH, September 2002
- "Adversarial Legalism: Lawyers and Tobacco" Inaugural Chair lecture at Dartmouth College, April 2002
- "Legal Professionalism: One Size Does Not Fit All" Faculty Seminar at Vermont Law School, South Royalton, VT, April 2002
- "Professionalism and Expertise in Communities of Divorce Practice" Faculty Workshop, University at Buffalo Law School, Buffalo, NY, January 2002
- "*Bush v. Gore*: Judicial Interference or Statesmanship?" Lecture and "Closing Plenary Discussion" at Alumni College "Split Decision 2000," Dartmouth College, Aug. 2001
- Vermont Bar Association panel presentation on "Alternative Dispute Resolution and the Courts," So. Royalton, VT, June 2001
- "Divorce Lawyers and Their Work" invited presentation at American Bar Foundation, Chicago, February 2001
- "Election 2000: Historical Precedents and Present Problems" panel presentation, Dartmouth College, February 2001
- "So What Now? An Assessment of the Continuing, Unfolding, When-Will-It-Be Over 2000 Presidential Election!" panel presentation, Dartmouth College, November 2000
- "The Supreme Court and the Presidential Election" Dartmouth College, September 2000
- "Women Making Waves" at 25th Anniversary Celebration of Vermont Law School, April 1998
- "The Supreme Court: Profile and Prognosis," Killington Summerfest, Killington VT, August 1997
- "Transforming Gender Roles: Women's New Place in Politics, Culture and Economic Life" ILEAD, Hanover, NH, July 1997
- "Law and the Media in Trial Courts," Dartmouth Alumni Club, Hanover, NH, October 1994

- "The Role of Legal Studies in the Liberal Arts" Dartmouth Lawyers Association Annual Meeting, July 1994
- "Women Lawyers and Judges – Their Impact on Domestic Violence Cases" Women and Law Conference, Vermont Law School, South Royalton, VT, April 1994
- "Minority Rights and the Supreme Court," Freedom Foundation Summer Graduate Program, Valley Forge, PA, July 1993
- "Research and Teaching at Dartmouth," Dartmouth Alumni Club of Toledo, OH, July 1993
- "Women and Politics," Dartmouth Alumni Class of '51, October 1992
- "Separation of Powers: The Constitutional Challenge," Dartmouth Lawyers Association Annual Meeting, August 1992
- "Accountability in American Political Life: Can We Control our Leaders?" Dartmouth Institute Winter Seminar, February 1992
- "*Thomas v. Hill*: The Larger Political and Historical Context," Dartmouth Alumni Club of Manchester, December 1991
- "Working Together: Men, Women, and Professionalism in the Law" 1991 Mid-Winter meeting of the New Hampshire Bar Association, Bedford, NH, February 1991
- "Selection of Supreme Court Justices: The Confirmation Process," New Hampshire Bar meeting for Educators, Concord, NH, October 1990
- "Incorporation of the 14th Amendment," "Judicial Politics and Philosophy," and "The Impact of the Bill of Rights on American Life," at the Bill of Rights Institute for New Hampshire Teachers, New England College, July 1990

### Conference Papers Since 1990

- "Lawyers and Lawmaking: Future Research" presented at Working Group for Comparative Studies of Legal Professions, Coimbra, Portugal, July 2022; and at Law and Society Association Global Meeting, Lisbon, Portugal, July 2022
- "What is a Case?" presented at Workshop on "Too Much Litigation" and at 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Congress of International Institute for the Sociology of Law, Oñati, Spain, June 2019
- "The Impact of Lawyer Organizations on Lawyer Regulation" (co-author Leslie Levin) presented at Working Group for Comparative Studies of Legal Professions, Andorra, July 2018
- "When and Why Do Legal Professions Seek to Influence Law?" (co-author Leslie Levin) presented at Law and Society Association meeting, New Orleans, LA, June 2016, at Working Group for Comparative Studies of Legal Professions, Andorra, July 2016, and at Oñati Research Workshop, September 2017
- "Litigation Ethics" presented at International Legal Ethics Conference ("ILECS") VI, City University Law School, London, July 2014.
- "Patent Lawyers in the U.S." presented at Working Group for Comparative Studies of Legal Professions, Bonn, Germany, July 2012
- "Lawyers' Ethical Conduct Across Different Areas of Practice" presented at Legal Profession Working Group Meeting, Frauenchiemsee, Germany, July 2014; International Legal Ethics Conference, Banff, Alberta, July 2012; SUNY Buffalo Law Workshop, April 2012; and Law and Society Association meeting, San Francisco, CA, June 2011
- "The County Courthouse and The Development of State Power: 1750-1920" (co-author Patrick Peel), presented at Southern Political Science Association meeting, New Orleans, January 2012
- "How and Why Do Lawyers Misbehave? Lawyers, Discipline and Collegial Control" Plenary presentation at Working Group for Comparative Studies of Legal Professions, Gif sur Yvette, France, July 2010
- "The Ethical World of Patent Lawyers," (co-author John Conley) presented at Law and Society Association meeting, Chicago, May 2010



- “Legal Representation for Human Rights in the U.S.: New Developments in Pro Bono Lawyering,” presented at “Whither Human Rights?” annual meeting of the Law and Society Association of Australia and New Zealand, Sydney, December 2008
- “Exploring Communities of Patent Lawyers,” presented at Law and Society Association and Canadian Law and Society Association Joint Meeting, Montreal, June 2008
- “Communities of Patent Lawyers,” presented at Law Firms Working Group at the American Bar Foundation, Chicago, October 2007
- “Litigation against Tobacco in Britain and the U.S.: Exploring Cultural Differences,” presented at Socio-Legal Studies Association Annual Conference, Stirling, Scotland, March 2006; also presented at the University of Denver Conference on the Cultural Foundations of Tort Law, April 2006
- “Courts in American Popular Culture,” presented at Conference on Judiciary and American Democracy, Annenberg Foundation, Philadelphia, January 2004 and October 2004
- “Comments on Martin Shapiro’s Work on Law and Politics in the United States,” Conference to Honor the Work of Martin Shapiro, Boalt Hall School of Law, Berkeley, CA, March 2003
- “Legal Representation in Divorce Cases” presented at the Legal Services Research Centre International Conference, Oxford University, March 2002
- "The Boundaries of Expertise in Divorce Law Practice" presented at the Socio-Legal Studies Association meetings, Bristol, England, April 2001
- "Anti-Tobacco Litigation in the United Kingdom" presented at the American Political Science Association meeting, Washington, DC, September 2000
- "Gender and Legal Professionalism" presented at the International Conference on Women in the Legal Profession, Oñati, Spain, July 1999
- "Trial Courts and their Publics" presented at the Conference on the Scientific Study of Judicial Politics, East Lansing, MI, October 1998
- "The Future of Legal Professionalism in Practice," (co-author) presented at the Law and Society Association meeting, Aspen, CO, June 1998
- "The Impact of Women on Divorce Law Practice" presented at the mid-winter Meeting of the New Hampshire Bar Association, Bedford, NH, January 1998
- "Theorizing About Trial Courts: Lawyers, Policymaking, and Tobacco Litigation" presented at the American Political Science Association meeting, Chicago, IL, August 1997 (also presented to Dartmouth College Government Department's American Politics research workshop, November 1997)
- "The Politics of Legal Practice" presented at the American Political Science Association meeting, San Francisco, CA, September 1996
- "Feminist Advocacy in Family Law" presented at the Fourth European Conference on Comparative Study of Legal Professions, Peyresq, France, July 1996
- "Communities of Practice Among Divorce Lawyers" (co-author) presented at the Law and Society Association meeting, Glasgow, Scotland, July 1996
- "Variations on the Lawyer/Client Theme in Divorce," presented at the Third European Conference on Legal Professions, Rouen, France, July 1994
- "How Divorce Lawyers Define Success" (co-author) presented at the Law and Society Association meeting, Phoenix, AZ, June 1994
- "Beverly Blair Cook's Contribution to Public Law," presented at the American Political Science Association meeting, Chicago, IL, September 1992
- "Gender and Specialization: Differences Among Lawyers," (co-author) presented at the American Political Science Association meeting, Washington, DC, September, 1991 (also presented at Dartmouth Humanities Institute on Constitutional Interpretation, December, 1991 and Organizational Behavior Workshop at INSEAD, Fontainebleau, France, February 1992)

- "Negotiating a Divorce: Differences Among Lawyers," (co-author) presented at the Law and Society Association meeting, Amsterdam, June 1991 (Also presented at Vermont Law School Faculty Colloquium, South Royalton, VT, October 1990)
- "Divorce Lawyer Role Conceptions and the Specialization of Divorce Law Practice," (co-author) presented at the Law and Society Association meeting, Amsterdam, June 1991
- "Lawyering in Divorce Cases: The Impact of Mediation," (co-author) presented at the American Political Science Association meeting, San Francisco, CA September 1990

### Participation in Professional Meetings Since 1990

- Moderator and Discussant, "Lawyers' Professional Conduct in the Face of Political Challenge" at International Legal Ethics Conference ("ILECS") VII, Fordham Law School, New York, July 2016
- Panelist on Author Meets Reader Roundtable on *Confidence Games: Lawyers, Accountants, and the Tax Shelter Industry*, Law and Society Association Meeting, Seattle WA, May 2015
- Panelist on Lifetime Achievement Award Panel for Larry Baum, American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, August 2014
- Panelist on "The Contributions of John Tryneski to Law and Society" Law and Society Association Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, May 2014
- Chair and Discussant on "Legal Professionals in Action," Law and Society Association Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, May 2014
- Commentator on "After the JD: A Look at the Evolving Careers of Lawyers Who Entered Practice in 2000." AALS annual meeting, New York, NY, January 2014
- Panelist on *Author Meets Reader - Lawyers in Practice*. Law and Society Association Meeting, Boston, MA, May 2013
- Chair and Discussant on "Socio-legal Approaches to Intellectual Property Practice" Law and Society Association Meeting, Boston, MA, May 2013
- "Author Meets Readers" Roundtable on *Lawyers in Practice: Ethical Decision Making in Context*, Working Group for Comparative Studies of Legal Professions, Bonn, Germany, July 2012
- "Author Meets Readers" Roundtable on *Privatising the Public University: The Case of Law*, Working Group for Comparative Studies of Legal Professions, Bonn, Germany, July 2012
- Discussant on "Legal Education: Learning to Think Like a Lawyer" at Law and Society Association Meeting, Honolulu, June 2012
- Discussant on "Adversarial Legalism, Privatized Hearings, and Regulatory Law: Competing Claims to Justice" at American Political Science Association meeting, September 2011.
- Organizer and Co-Chair of "Book Publishing Workshop for the Aspiring Legal Scholar," at Association of American Law Schools meeting, San Francisco CA January 2011.
- Discussant on "Gender and Judging" at Law and Society Association Meeting, Chicago, May 2010
- Chair of "Lawyers in Practice: Ethical Decision Making in Context" at Law and Society Association Meeting, Chicago, May 2010
- Chair and discussant on "Private Practice Lawyers – Providing Economic Value to Clients" at Law and Society Association Meeting, Denver, May 2009
- Discussant on "Empirical Studies of Gender," at Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Ithaca, NY, September 2008
- Discussant on "Family Law" at Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, New York, November 2007
- Participant on "The Role of State and Local Courts in American Political Development: A Roundtable," at American Political Science Association meeting, September 2007

- Chair and discussant on "Unpacking Law Firm Culture," at Law and Society Association Meeting, Berlin, July 2007
- Chair and discussant on "Lower Courts, Guilty Pleas, and Legitimacy," at Law and Society Association Meeting, Berlin, July 2007
- Chair and discussant on "Courts at Work," at Law and Society Association Meeting, Berlin, July 2007
- Chair and discussant on "Trial Courts," at Southern Political Science Association meeting, New Orleans, January 2007
- Participant on "Authors Meet Readers: *Distorting the Law: Politics, Media, and the Litigation Crisis*," at the American Political Science Association meeting, Washington, DC, September 2005
- Participant on "Roundtable: Specialized Law-Related Journals," at Midwest Political Science Association meeting, Chicago, April 2005
- Chair and discussant on "Legal Mobilization, Social Movement Strategies, and Rights-Based Legal Activism," at Western Political Science Association meeting, March 2005
- Discussant on "Roundtable: The Scholarship of William K. 'Sandy' Muir: What Political Science Needs to Be Now?" at Western Political Science Association meeting, March 2005
- Participant on "Filling the Information Deficit: Law School Courses that Focus on Law Firms and Legal Careers," at Law and Society Association Meeting, Las Vegas, June 2005
- Participant on "40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Panel, Law and Society Association at 30 Years (1994): Legal Profession," at Law and Society Association meeting, Chicago, May 2004
- Reader, "Author Meets Reader: *Profiles, Probabilities, and Stereotypes*, by Frederick Schauer," at the Law and Society Association meeting," Chicago, May 2004
- Participant and speaker at Osgoode Hall Graduate Student Research Conference, York University, May 2004
- Chair and discussant in UB Graduate Student Conference organized by Gender Institute, Buffalo, Spring 2004
- Chair and discussant on "Framing Issues and Public Views," at the Southern Political Science Association Conference, New Orleans, January 2004
- Discussant on "Putting *Policy Paradox* into Practice," at American Political Science Association Meeting, Boston, MA, August 2003
- Discussant on "Trial Courts as Policy Makers," at American Political Science Association Meeting, Philadelphia, August 2003
- Chair, discussant and organizer of "Presidential Panel: Policy Entrepreneurship and Constituent Pressure: State Attorneys Generals at the Intersection of Law and Politics" at Law and Society Association meeting, Pittsburgh, June 2003
- Discussant on "America's Plaintiffs' Lawyers" panel at Law & Society Association meeting, Pittsburgh, June 2003
- Panel participant on "Lifetime Achievement Award Panel: Martin Shapiro" at American Political Science Association meetings, San Francisco, September 2001
- Participant on "Law in Action" roundtable, Law and Society Association meeting, Budapest, July 2001
- Chair of "Supreme Court Decision-Making: Law, Attitudes, and History" at New England Political Science Association meeting, Portsmouth, NH, May 2001
- Poster session on "The Informal Norms of Lawyers and Trial Judges" at Scientific Study of Judicial Politics workshop, Columbus, OH, October 2000
- Panel participant on "Tribute to Beverly Blair Cook" at American Political Science Association meeting, Washington, DC, September 2000
- Discussant on "Approaches to Comparative Judicial Studies," at Western Political Science Association meeting, March 2000

Discussant at Conference on the Scientific Study of Judicial Politics, Atlanta, GA, November 1997

Discussant on "Judicial Politics and State Courts," at Western Political Science Association meeting, Los Angeles, CA, March 1998

Discussant at Conference on the Scientific Study of Judicial Politics, St. Louis, MO, November 1996

Participant on "Authors Meet Reader: *Divorce Lawyers and Their Clients*," Law and Society Association meeting, Glasgow, July 1996

Participant at The Columbus Conference on Law and Courts, Columbus, OH, November 1994

Invited summation for sessions on "Language, Institutions and Philosophy" at Conference on Critical Epistemologies in Law, Onati, Spain, October 1994

Chair and discussant of "Graduate Student Research on Law and Courts," American Political Science Association meeting, New York, September 1994

Chair and discussant of "Sexual Harassment and the Media" and panelist on "Author Meets Reader: *Rights at Work*," Law and Society Association meeting, Phoenix, AZ, June 1994

Chair of "Law and Courts: A Constitutive Perspective," American Political Science Association meeting, Washington, DC, September 1993

Chair of "Author Meets Critic: *The Craft of Justice*," and chair and discussant, "Dispute Processes," Law and Society Association meeting, Chicago, IL, May 1993

Chair and discussant, "Law and Public Policy," Western Political Science Association meeting, Pasadena, CA, March 1993

Workshop leader, "Teaching about Informal Justice," conference of American Bar Association Commission on College and University Nonprofessional Legal Studies, Fort Worth, TX, February 1993

Co-chair, "Comparative Studies of Women in the Legal Profession" and chair of "Author Meets Critic: *The Politics of Street Crime*," Law and Society Association meeting, Philadelphia, PA, May 1992

Discussant, "Family Law and Public Policy," American Political Science Association meeting, San Francisco, CA, September 1990

Chair and discussant, Law and Society Association meeting, Berkeley, CA, June 1990

### Editorial Service

Co-Editor, Chicago Book Series in Law and Society, University of Chicago Press, 2007- present

Associate Editor, *Journal of Law & Courts*, 2011- present

Member, Editorial Board, *Justice System Journal*, 2014 - 2022

Member, Editorial Board, *Law & Policy* journal, 2008 – present

Member, Editorial Board, *Sortuz: Oñati Journal of Emergent Socio-Legal Studies*, 2022-present

Advisory Board for Law and Society SSRN Legal Scholarship series of Indiana University School of Law

Member, Editorial Board, *Law and Society Review*, 1982-84 and 1988-98

Member, Editorial Board, *Law and Courts Newsletter* (for American Political Science Association Section), 1994-99

Member, Editorial Board, Law and Courts List-serv, Law & Courts Section, 1995-2002

### Other Recent Professional Activities

Member, Planning Committee for RCSL 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Congress in Oñati, 2018-19

Member, Program Committee for Toronto, Law and Society Association, 2017-18

Member, Program Committee for Mexico City, Law and Society Association, 2016-17

Member, Interdisciplinary Outreach Committee for International Legal Ethics Conference ("ILECS") VII, July 2016

Member, Professional Development Committee, Law and Society Association, 2015-16

Member, National Science Foundation Grant Review Panel for Law & Social Science, May 2015

Member, American Political Science Association Law and Courts Service Award Committee, 2014-15

Chair, International Activities Committee, Law and Society Association, 2014-15

Member, Committee to plan AALS Research Methods Workshop for January 2013

Member, Law and Society Association Budget and Finance Committee, 2011-2013

Member, American Political Science Association Teaching and Mentoring Award Committee, 2013-14

Chair, Nominations Committee, Law and Society Association, 2009-10

Member, Ad Hoc Committee of Law and Courts Section to Explore New Scholarly Journal for American Political Science Association Section, 2009

Member, Association of American Law Schools Committee on Research, 2008-11

Member, Law School Admissions Council Research Grants Committee, 2008-11

Member, Advisory Board, Institute for the Advancement of the American Legal System, University of Denver, 2006-2009

International Associate member of the Oxford Centre for Family Law and Policy, Oxford University, 2000-

Member, International Advisory Board for Effective Lawyer-Client Communications, Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, MO, 2000-

Research Advisory Board for the National Center for State Courts, 1997-2008

Member, Program Committee for Montreal 2008, Law and Society Association, 2007-08

Member, Herbert Jacob Book Award Committee to select best book of 2005, Law and Society Association, 2006

Member, Committee to select the American Judicature Society Award for Best Paper on Law and Courts, American Political Science Association, 2003-04

Member of American Political Science Association Ad Hoc Committee on Elections Review, 2001-02

Chair, Committee to Select the Corwin Award for Best Dissertation in Public Law, American Political Science Association, 2000-01

Law and Courts Committee of APSA to select Lifetime Achievement Award, 1999, 2000

Law and Society Association Didactic Workshop Planning Committee, 1998-99

Nominations Committee, American Political Science Association Law and Courts Section, 1997

Chair of Selection Committee for Editor of *Law and Courts Newsletter*, 1997

Advisory Group for Federal District Court of New Hampshire (under Civil Justice Reform Act), 1995-98

Section Chair to organize panels at the 1992 annual American Political Science Association meeting for Law, Courts, and Judicial Process Section

Chair, American Judicature Society Faculty Paper Award Committee of Law and Courts Section of American Political Science Association, 1992-93

Member, Graduate Student Workshop Committee of Law and Society Association and American Bar Association Commission on College and University Nonprofessional Legal Studies to plan May 1992 Workshop

Chair, Constitution Committee of Law, Courts, and Judicial Process Section, Fall 1991

Member, Committee of Visitors to conduct site review of National Science Foundation Law and Social Science Program, September 1991

Member, Program Committee for 1990 Law and Society Association meetings; also member of Dues Committee, and Publications Committee, 1990-91

Executive Committee member, Law, Courts, and Judicial Process Organized Section of American Political Science Association, 1990-92

Advisory Committee for National Science Foundation Research Training Grants, July 1990 and April 1991

Project Humanist for Bill of Rights Institute, Sponsored by New Hampshire Bar Association, July 1990 and July 1991, and for Speakers Bureau, September 1991  
Member, Planning Committee for Graduate Student Workshop in June 1989, co-sponsored by the American Bar Association and the Law and Society Association  
Chair, Nominations Committee of Law and Society Association, Spring 1988  
Discussion leader, "Teaching Judicial Process," Graduate Student Workshop, sponsored by American Bar Association Commission on College and University Nonprofessional Legal Studies, June 1987  
Instructor of Summer Institute for Teachers of American Government, three-week program on the American judicial system sponsored by the American Judicature Society, Chicago, IL, June 1986  
Member, National Science Foundation Review Panel for Division of Law and Social Science, 1985-87

**Service: University at Buffalo**

Member, Conflict of Interest Research Committee (University-wide) 2012-2014  
Member, Ad hoc Decanal Evaluation Committee (University-wide) 2013-2014  
Member, University at Buffalo Faculty Senate, 2010-2014  
Member, University at Buffalo Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate 2012-2014  
Member, Law School Library Committee, 2010-  
Member, Law School Ad Hoc Baldy Advisory Committee, 2010-2012  
Member, Provost's Strategic Strengths Faculty Advisory Council, 2006-08  
Member, Civic Engagement and Public Policy Planning Committee, 2005-08  
Member, Women's Studies Department Advisory Board, 2005-07  
Member, Steering Committee for Gender Institute, 2004-  
Chair, Baldy Center Advisory Committee, 2002-08  
Member, Search Committee for Law School Dean, 2007-08  
Member, Law School ABA Self-Study Committee, 2007-08  
Member, Law School Faculty Appointments Committee, 2007-09  
Humphrey Institute lecturer, "Constitutional Powers and the Supreme Court," 2007, 2009-2012  
Member, Law School Building Committee, 2006-07  
Member, Law School Development Committee, 2006-07  
Member, Law School PhD Planning Committee, 2004-08  
Member, Law School Strategic Planning Committee, 2006-08  
Member, Recruitment Committee, Women's Studies, 2004-05  
Member, Recruitment Committees, Political Science, 2006, 2007, 2008  
Member, Recruitment Committees, Sociology, 2006, 2007  
Fulbright Student Orientation, "Supreme Court and National Security Post 9/11," July 2004, July 2005  
Member, Law School Mitchell Lecture Committee, 2006-08  
Co-chair, Law School Mitchell Lecture Committee, 2003-04

**Service: Dartmouth College (partial listing)**

Montgomery Endowment Steering Committee, 2000-2002  
Rockefeller Faculty Council, 1995-1999, 2000-2001  
Subcommittee on Priorities of Committee of Chairs, 1997-1999  
Planning Committee for Celebration of 25th Anniversary of Coeducation, 1997  
Chair, Department of Government, 1996-1999  
Committee on Off-Campus Activities, 1996  
Co-Coordinator, Dartmouth Lawyers Association Speaker Series, 1993-2002

Director, Government Department off-campus program at London School of Economics and Political Science, 1993, 1995, 1999  
Faculty Advisor to Cobra Senior Society, 1995-2002  
Co-director, Government Department Honors Program, 1991-93, 1994-95  
Faculty Representative to Alumni Council, 1994-96  
Faculty Representative to Trustee Committee on Development, Alumni, and Public Affairs, 1994-96  
Vice-chair of Government Department, 1991-1992, and December 1992-July 1993  
Co-organizer of Rockefeller Center Conference on Challenges and Opportunities for Governors in the 1990s, April 1993  
Ad-Hoc Committees to Evaluate the Dean of Faculty, 1992 and 1988-89  
Director, Government Department off-campus program in Washington, DC, 1986, 1990  
Committee Advisory to the President, vice-chair, 1992-93, member 1990-92  
Co-chair, Women's Studies Program, 1984-87  
Government Department Curriculum Review Committees, 1976; 1980; 1984-85  
Women's Studies Program Steering Committee, 1978-2002 (various terms)  
Chair, Urban Studies Program, 1981-83  
Urban Studies Program Steering Committee, 1972-83  
Co-director, Government Department Romania Foreign Study Program, 1976  
Director, Dartmouth-M.I.T. Urban Studies Program (in Boston), 1972-75