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EMPLOYMENT

University of California, Davis, School of Law

Davis, CA

Martin Luther King, Jr. Professor of Law

2003-present

Muir Institute Fellow

Visiting Scholar, ICADE Faculty of Law, Universidad Pontificia Comillas, Madrid, Spain (2014) Courses: Environmental Law, Evidence, International Environmental Law, Public Land Law, Emerging Technologies & the Environment

U.S. Department of Justice.

Washington, DC

Environment & Natural Resources Division

Trial Attorney

Special Achievement Award (2000)

Chambers of Hon. Merrick B. Garland, U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit

Washington, DC

1997-98

1998-2003

Law Clerk

Chambers of Hon. James R. Browning, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

San Francisco, CA

1996-97

Law Clerk

EDUCATION

Boalt Hall School of Law, University of California, Berkeley

J.D., 1996

Thelen Award for Highest Academic Record Thelen Award for Writing Ellis J. Harmon Environmental Law Writing Competition Award Sheppard Mullin Scholarship Frank Schwabacher Scholarship Order of the Coif California Law Review

John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard

M.P.P., 1995

Emory University

B.S., Biology, 1992

Emory University Award for Highest Academic Achievement Robert W. Woodruff Scholar Oxford University Scholar Phi Beta Kappa

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

Prometheus Reimagined: Technology, Environment, and Law in the 21st Century (U. Mich. Press, 2013).

Environmental Policy Law: Problems, Cases and Readings, (6th ed.) (with Holly Doremus & Ronald H. Rosenberg) (Foundation Press 2012).

Environmental Policy Law: Problems, Cases and Readings, (5th ed.) (with Holly Doremus, Ronald H. Rosenberg, & Thomas J. Schoenbaum) (Foundation Press 2008).

ARTICLES & BOOK CHAPTERS

Climate Policy Buffers, YALE J. REG. (2022 forthcoming) (symposium).

Making Net Zero Matter, 79 WASH. & LEE L. REV. 679 (2022).

Fig Leaves, Pipe Dreams, and Myopia: Too-Easy Solutions in Environmental Law, 93 U. COLO. L. REV. 727 (2022).

Dodging Public Nuisance, 11 UC IRVINE L. REV. 489 (2020).

Uncooperative Environmental Federalism: State Suits Against the Federal Government in an Age of Political Polarization, 88 GEO. WASH. L. REV. 890 (2020).

Chapter 27: Geoengineering: Imperfect Yet Perhaps Important Options for Addressing Climate Change, *in* HANDBOOK ON U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY (David Konisky, ed., Edward Elgar Publishing 2020).

Avoiding Lock-In of Solar Geoengineering, 47 N. KY. L. REV. 139 (2020) (symposium).

President Trump's War on Regulatory Science, 43 HARV. ENVTL. L. REV. 247 (2019).

The Relevance of the Climate Change Regime to Governance of Solar Geoengineering, *in* Harvard Project on Climate Agreements, GOVERNANCE OF THE DEPLOYMENT OF SOLAR GEOENGINEERING (Robert N. Stavins & Robert C. Stowe eds., 2019).

State Public Nuisance Claims and Climate Change Adaptation (symposium article), 36 PACE ENVTL. L. REV. 49 (2018) (with Michael Burger).

Carbon Dioxide Removal After Paris, 45 ECOL. L.Q. 533 (2018) (selected for inclusion in top 20 articles in the 13th edition of ENVTL. L. POL'Y ANN. REV. (2020)).

Pope Francis' Encyclical on the Environment as Private Environmental Governance (symposium article), 9 GWU J. ENERGY & ENVTL. L. 33 (2018).

Herding Cats: Governing Distributed Innovation, 96 N.C. L. REV. 945 (2018) (awarded an honorable mention and abstracted in ENVTL. L. POL'Y ANN. REV. (2019))

U.S. Law on Geoengineering, *in* CLIMATE ENGINEERING AND THE LAW: REGULATION AND LIABILITY FOR SOLAR RADIATION MANAGEMENT AND CARBON DIOXIDE REMOVAL (Michael B. Gerrard & Tracy Hester eds., Cambridge Univ. Press 2018).

Mismatched Regulation: Genetically Modified Mosquitoes and the Coordinated Framework for Biotechnology (symposium article), 51 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 205 (2017).

Community Levers for Benefit Sharing (symposium article), 21 LEWIS & CLARK L. REV. 357 (2017).

Preliminary Injunctive Regulation, 58 ARIZ. L. REV. 1027 (2016).

The Missing Pieces of Geoengineering Research Governance, 100 MINN. L. REV. 2509 (2016) (selected in a peer review process administered by the LAND USE & ENVTL. L. REV. as one of the top 20 law review articles on environmental law published in 2017)

Chapter 13: What Is Responsible Development of Nanotechnology?, *in* NANOTECHNOLOGY: DELIVERING ON THE PROMISE VOL. 1(H.N. Cheng et al. eds., American Chemical Society, 2016).

Myths of Environmental Law, 2015 UTAH L. REV. 45 (2015).

Fracking and Federalism: A Comparative Approach to Reconciling National and Subnational Interests in the United States and Spain, 44 ENVTL. L. 1039 (2014).

Lessons from the Past for Assessing Energy Technologies for the Future (symposium article), 61 UCLA L. REV. 1814 (2014).

A Sustainability Critique of the Obama "All of the Above" Energy Approach (symposium article), 4 GWU J. ENERGY & ENVTL. L. 17 (2014).

Chapter 21: Geoengineering, *in* GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE AND U.S. LAW (Michael B. Gerrard & Jody Freeman eds., American Bar Association, 2d ed. 2014).

Does Geoengineering Present a Moral Hazard?, 40 Ecol. L. Q. 673 (2013).

Power to the People: Restoring the Public Voice in Environmental Law (symposium article), 46 U. AKRON L. REV. 1017 (2013).

International Legal Regimes and Principles Relevant to Geoengineering, *in* CLIMATE CHANGE GEOENGINEERING: PHILOSOPHICAL PERSPECTIVES, LEGAL ISSUES, AND GOVERNANCE FRAMEWORKS (William C.G. Burns & Andrew Strauss eds., Cambridge Univ. Press, 2013).

Geoengineering's Thermostat Dilemma, *in* THE LAW OF THE FUTURE AND THE FUTURE OF LAW: VOLUME II (Sam Muller et al., eds., Hague Institute for the Internationalisation of Law, 2012).

Public Trust and Public Nuisance: Common Law Peas in a Pod? (symposium article), 45 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 1075 (2012).

Technology Assessment 2.0: Revamping Our Approach to Emerging Technologies, 76 BROOKLYN L. REV. 1309 (2011).

Public Nuisance: A Potential Common Law Response to Nanotechnology's Uncertain Harms, *in* THE NANOTECHNOLOGY CHALLENGE: CREATING LEGAL INSTITUTIONS FOR UNCERTAIN RISKS (David Dana ed., Cambridge University Press, 2011).

Deciphering the Chemical Soup: Using Public Nuisance to Compel Chemical Testing, 85 NOTRE DAME L. REV. 955 (2010).

Geoengineering Governance, ISSUES IN LEGAL SCHOLARSHIP: Vol. 8, Issue 3 (Symposium: Balancing the Risks: Managing Technology and Dangerous Climate Change), Article 2 (2009).

Evangelizing Climate Change, 17 N.Y.U. ENVTL. L. J. 1135 (2009).

Virtual Consumption: A Second Life for Earth?, 2008 B.Y.U. L. REV. 47 (2008).

Size Matters: Regulating Nanotechnology, 31 HARV. ENVTL. L. REV. 349 (2007) (awarded an honorable mention and abstracted in ENVTL. L. POL'Y ANN. REV. (2009)).

The Unifying Role of Harm in Environmental Law, 2006 WIS. L. REV. 897 (2006).

Beyond Tort: Compensating Victims of Environmental Toxic Injury, 78 S. CAL. L. REV. 1439 (2005).

Erosive Interpretation of Environmental Law in the Supreme Court's 2003-04 Term, 42 HOUSTON L. REV. 565 (2005).

Refining Fair Notice Doctrine: What Notice Is Required of Civil Regulations?, 55 BAYLOR L. REV. 991 (2003).

Clinton's National Monuments: A Democrat's Undemocratic Acts?, 29 ECOLOGY L. Q. 707 (2002).

Comment, Application of the Continuing Violations Doctrine to Environmental Law, 23 ECOLOGY L. Q. 723 (1996).

Comment, Participants' Experiences With Habitat Conservation Plans and Suggestions for Streamlining the Process, 23 ECOLOGY L. Q. 369 (1996).

OTHER

The Supreme Court Could Hamstring Federal Agencies' Regulatory Power in a High-Profile Air Pollution Case, THE CONVERSATION, Feb. 17, 2022.

Further Reflections on the National Academies Report on Solar Geoengineering: A Response to Stephens et al., Environmental Politics (with Marion Hourdequin) (2022), https://doi.org/10.1080/09644016.2022.2035556.

Even Research Into Tinkering With the Sky to Fight Climate Change Needs Public Support, SLATE, May 11, 2021.

The Second Wave of Climate Change Public Nuisance Litigation, TRENDS (ABA Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources), Sept./Oct. 2019.

For Toxic "Forever" Chemicals, We Need More Than a Temporary Fix, UNDARK, Aug. 8, 2019.

A Single Step (invited blog post commentary on UN Environment Assembly resolution on geoengineering), FORUM FOR CLIMATE ENGINEERING ASSESSMENT, March 2019.

A Potentially Disastrous Distraction to Climate Change (op-ed), SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE, Dec. 21, 2017.

Chemical Reform Passes, and in an Election Year (op-ed), DAILY JOURNAL, July 5, 2016.

I Clerked for Merrick Garland. Here's Why He Should Be Confirmed (op-ed), THE RECORDER, Mar. 17, 2016.

Pope's Call Is To All of Us (op-ed.), SACRAMENTO BEE, June 28, 2015.

New Laws Should Keep up with New Technology (op-ed.), SACRAMENTO BEE, Dec. 15, 2013.

International Forum Must Rein in Rogues (op-ed.), SACRAMENTO BEE, Oct. 28, 2012.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

"Fixing Net Zero Leakage," Seventh Annual SRP Sustainability Conference of American Legal Educators, ASU College of Law, Phoenix, AZ (May 2022)

Guest Lecture, "Governance Frameworks for Geoengineering," course on Climate Intervention to Cool a Warming Planet (Jim Hurrell), Colorado State Univ. (remote) (April 2022)

"Weather Modification, Climate Engineering, and International Law," King Hall International Law Association, UC Davis School of Law (February 2022)

Panelist, Geoengineering: Who Should Control Our Atmosphere (podcast), Climate One (November 2021)

"Making Net Zero Matter," American Branch of the International Law Association, International Law Weekend (remote) (October 2021)

Panelist, "An Overview of the U.S. National Academies Study, *Reflecting Sunlight:* Recommendations for Solar Geoengineering Research and Research Governance," Climate Engineering in Context 2021, Berlin, Germany (remote) (October 2021)

"Making Net Zero Matter," Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation Natural Resources Law Teachers Institute (remote) (June 2021)

Panelist, "Research Governance," NAS Committee Recommendations for Governance of Solar Geoengineering Research, National Center for Atmospheric Research, Community Climate Intervention Series (remote) (May 2021)

"Making Net Zero Matter," Sixth Annual Sustainability Conference of American Legal Educators, ASU College of Law, Phoenix, AZ (remote) (May 2021)

"Governance Frameworks for Geoengineering," course on Climate Intervention to Cool a Warming Planet (Jim Hurrell), Colorado State Univ. (remote) (April 2021)

"Net Zero Pledges and Climate Change," King Hall International Law Association, UC Davis School of Law (remote) (April 2021)

Presenter, public release of National Academy of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine committee report, *Reflecting Sunlight: Recommendations for Solar Geoengineering Research and Research Governance* (remote) (March 2021)

Commentator, Works-in-Progress New Scholarship Workshop, Section on Environmental Law, 2021 American Association of Law Schools Annual Meeting (remote) (January 2021)

Presenter, "Too Easy Solutions in Environmental Law," Second Annual EnviroSchmooze Workshop, Texas A&M University Law School, Fort Worth, TX (remote) (August 2020)

Invited participant, RAND Corporation (Center for Global Risk and Security)/International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis, Climate Geoengineering Scenario-Building Virtual Workshop (remote) (July 2020)

Panelist, "Governing Distributed Innovation," panel on Maneuvering "Unicorns"—Opportunities and Risks of Unprecedented Projects, Environmental Law Institute, Washington, DC (remote) (June 2020)

Introductory speaker, "International Environmental Law, Cultural Rights and Climate Change," King Hall International Law Association, UC Davis School of Law (October 2019)

Commentator, 3rd Junior Faculty Forum for Law and STEM, Stanford Law School, Palo Alto, CA (September 2019)

"Litigative Uncooperative Federalism," Fifth Annual Sustainability Conference of American Legal Educators, ASU College of Law, Phoenix, AZ (May 2019)

"Dodging Public Nuisance," Fourth Annual Research Roundtable on Animal Law and Regulation: Nuisance as a Regulatory Tool, Northwestern Univ. Pritzker School of Law, Chicago, IL (April 2019)

Commentator, Law and Rurality Workshop, UC Davis School of Law (February 2019)

Panelist, "State Public Nuisance Claims as a Tool for Climate Change Adaptation," Law and Sustainable Development Conference, UC Davis School of Law (co-sponsored by Jindal Global Law School) (January 2019)

Panelist, "Geoengineering Research—Ethics, Law, and Regulation," National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, Meeting of Committee on Science, Technology, and Law, Washington, DC (October 2018)

"Response re Status Update and Insights from Research in Law on the Governance of Solar Geoengineering Deployment," Workshop on Governance of the Deployment of Solar Geoengineering, Harvard Kennedy School, Cambridge, MA (September 2018)

Invited participant, Negative Emissions Technologies in the Energy Sector Workshop, University of Houston Law Center & UH Energy, Houston, TX (September 2018)

Panelist, "Framing Chimeras," Symposium on Deliberating Promissory Technologies, UC Davis 5th Annual Research Policy and Ethics Symposium, UC Davis School of Law (May 2018)

"President Trump's War on Regulatory Science," Fourth Annual Sustainability Conference of American Legal Educators, ASU College of Law, Phoenix, AZ (May 2018)

"State Public Nuisance Claims and Climate Change Adaptation," Pace Environmental Law Review Symposium on Climate Change, Coasts, and Precaution, Pace University Law School, White Plains, NY (April 2018)

"U.S. Environmental Pollution Law," presentation to delegation from the China Ministry of Environmental Protection, sponsored by UC Davis Center for Sustainable Development & Policy (December 2017)

"Carbon Dioxide Removal After Paris," Climate Engineering Conference 2017, Berlin, Germany (October 2017)

"Carbon Dioxide Removal After Paris," Third Annual Sustainability Conference of American Legal Educators, ASU College of Law, Phoenix, AZ (May 2017)

Invited Participant, First Annual Research Roundtable on Global Climate Change Governance: Geoengineering, Searle Center on Law, Regulation, and Economic Growth, Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago, IL (May 2017)

"Private Climate Change Governance Efforts," The Future of California Climate Law & Policy, Environmental Law Society Symposium, UC Davis School of Law (March 2017)

"Pope Francis' Encyclical on the Environment as Private Environmental Governance," J.B. & Maurice C. Shapiro Environmental Law Symposium (Private Environmental Governance), George Washington University Law School (co-sponsored by Vanderbilt University Law School & Dept. of Sociology), Washington DC (March 2017)

"Mismatched Regulation: Genetically Modified Mosquitoes and the Coordinated Framework for Biotechnology," UC Davis Law Review 50th Anniversary Symposium on Future-Proofing Law (January 2017)

Panelist, "The Trump Presidency: What Does This Mean for the Environment?," UC Davis School of Law (November 2016)

Panelist, "The Trump Administration: What it May Mean for Civil Rights and Social Justice," UC Davis School of Law (November 2016)

"Community Levers for Benefit Sharing," 21st Annual Business Law Fall Forum on Innovating Corporate Social Responsibility, Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, OR (October 2016)

"Preliminary Injunctive Regulation," Law & Society Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA (June 2016)

"Distributed Innovation and Environmental Law," Sustainability Conference of American Legal Educators, Arizona State University College of Law, Tempe, AZ (May 2016)

"Distributed Innovation," Works-in-Progress session at 2016 Conference of Asian Pacific American Law Faculty, hosted by UC Davis School of Law (April 2016)

Panelist, "The Supreme Court Nomination Process: The Legal & Political Implications of Replacing Justice Scalia," American Constitution Society student chapter, UC Davis School of Law (March 2016)

"Environmental Law & Managing Urban Development in the U.S.," presentation to delegation from the Guangzhou Bureau of Environmental Protection, sponsored by UC Davis Center for Sustainable Development (January 2016)

Commentator, Northern California International Law Workshop, UC Davis School of Law (August 2015)

Panelist, "Hacking the Climate," Commonwealth Club, San Francisco, CA (May 2015)

Federal Environmental Law & Ecological Risk Assessment, Ecological Risk Assessment Seminar, Dept. of Environmental Toxicology, UC Davis (May 2015)

"The Missing Pieces of Geoengineering Research Governance," Environmental Scholarship Colloquium, University of California Berkeley School of Law, Berkeley, CA (April 2015)

"What is Responsible Development of Nanotechnology?" keynote symposium on "Nanotechnology: Delivering on the Promise," 249th American Chemical Society national meeting, Denver, CO (March 2015)

"Climate Change Negotiations and the Road to Paris 2015," King Hall International Law Association Culture Week (March 2015)

Workshop participant, "Designing Procedural Mechanisms for the Governance of Solar Radiation Management Field Experiments," sponsored by the University of Waterloo, Harvard University, and University College London; Ottawa, Canada (February 2015)

"The Missing Pieces of Geoengineering Research Governance," Climate Engineering Conference, Berlin, Germany (August 2014)

Panelist, "Will Climate Engineering Unduly Hinder Emissions Reductions? Discussing the 'Moral Hazard," Climate Engineering Conference, Berlin, Germany (August 2014)

"Introduction to the United States Legal System," Universidad Pontificia Comillas, Madrid, Spain (March 2014)

"Hydraulic Fracturing in the United States: Lessons for Spain?," Universidad Pontificia Comillas, Madrid, Spain (March 2014)

Book talk, Prometheus Reimagined, UC Davis School of Law (November 2013)

Panelist, 2013-14 UCLA Law Review Symposium: Toward a Clean Energy Future: Powering Innovation With Law (November 2013)

Presenter, "ESA 101," Symposium: The Endangered Species Act at 40, UC Davis School of Law/California Environmental Law & Policy Center (October 2013)

Speaker, The Court's Environmental Law Decisions from the 2012-13 Term, UC Davis Faculty Summer U.S. Supreme Court Series, Davis, CA (July 2013).

"Myths of Environmental Law," 16th Institute for Natural Resources Law Teachers, Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation/ABA Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources, Flagstaff, AZ (May 2013).

Panelist, "Environmental Sustainability," 2013 J.B. and Maurice C. Shapiro Conference, Laying the Foundation for a Sustainable Energy Future: Legal and Policy Challenges, George Washington University Law School, Washington, DC (April 2013).

"Myths of Environmental Law," Arizona State University School of Law Legal Scholars Conference, Tempe, AZ (March 2013).

Commenter/Speaker, Expert Workshop on International Governance of Geoengineering, Umweltbundesamt (German Federal Environmental Agency)/Ecologic Institute, Berlin, Germany (November 2012).

"Power to the People: Restoring the Public Voice in Environmental Law," The Next Generation of Environmental & Natural Resources Law: What Has Changed in 40 Years and What Needs to Change as a Result, University of Akron School of Law, Akron, OH (September 2012).

"Designing a Geoengineering Governance Regime," 10th Annual Colloquium of the IUCN Academy of Environmental Law, University of Maryland School of Law, Baltimore, MD (July 2012).

"Does Geoengineering Present a Moral Hazard?" 2012 International Conference on Law & Society, Honolulu, HI (June 2012).

"Does Geoengineering Present a Moral Hazard?" UC Davis Environmental Law Society Culture Week (April 2012).

"Does Geoengineering Present a Moral Hazard?" Arizona State University Legal Scholars Conference, Tempe, AZ (March 2012).

Moderator, "CEQA at 40: A Look Back, and Ahead," California Environmental Law & Policy Center Symposium, UC Davis School of Law (November 2011).

"Water Rights and the Endangered Species Act," debate co-sponsored by Federalist Society and Environmental Law Society, UC Davis School of Law (October 2011).

"Designing a Geoengineering Governance Regime," Annual Meeting, Law & Society Association, San Francisco, CA (June 2011).

Panelist, "Climate Change & the U.S. Supreme Court: Previewing *AEP v. Connecticut*," UC Davis California Environmental Law & Policy Center, UC Davis School of Law (April 2011).

Panelist, "The Aftermath of the BP Oil Spill (Litigation Arising from the BP Oil Spill)," UC Davis Environmental Law Society Symposium (April 2011).

Panelist, "Geoengineering," Monterey Institute on International Studies, Monterey, CA (March 2011).

"Designing a Geoengineering Governance Regime," Arizona State University Southwest/West Junior Scholars Conference, Tempe, AZ (March 2011).

"GMOs: Emerging Technology Past and Present, and Lessons for Other Emerging Technologies," 14th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Law, Culture, and the Humanities, UNLV School of Law, Las Vegas, NV (March 2011).

Panelist, "The Public Trust Doctrine: 30 Years Later (Exploring the Legal Foundations of the Doctrine: Implications on the Future)" UC Davis Law Review Symposium (March 2011).

"GMOs: Emerging Technology Past and Present, and Lessons for Other Emerging Technologies," UC Berkeley Energy Resources Group/Department of Environmental Science, Policy & Management, Berkeley, CA (November 2010).

Panelist, "Traditional and Creative Uses of Public Nuisance Litigation," Judicial Symposium on Expansion of Liability Under Public Nuisance, Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago, IL (April 2010).

Response to Keynote Lecture by U. Maryland School of Law Prof. Donald Gifford, Judicial Symposium on Expansion of Liability Under Public Nuisance, Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago, IL (April 2010).

Panelist, "Cooler Living Through Science: Has the Time Come," 15th Annual Tulane Law School Summit on Environmental Law & Policy ("Bound by Water"), New Orleans, LA (April 2010).

Participant (invited), Asilomar International Conference on Climate Intervention Technologies, Pacific Grove, CA (March 2010).

"Technology Assessment 2.0," Arizona State University School of Law Southwest/West Junior Scholars Conference, Tempe, AZ (March 2010).

Panelist, "Geo-Engineering: Global Salvation or Ruin?" Commonwealth Club, San Francisco, CA (February 2010).

Participant (invited), Searle Center Research Roundtable on Environmental, Health, and Safety Risks of Emerging Technologies, Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago, IL (April 2009).

Moderator, "Climate Change and the Endangered Species Act," UC Davis Environmental Law Society Symposium (February 2009).

"Scientific Evidence—the Judge as Gatekeeper," Inaugural Alumni on the Bench Reunion, UC Davis School of Law (October 2008).

"Evangelizing Climate Change," Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada (May 2008).

Panelist, "Beyond Kyoto: Addressing the Legal Mechanisms to Mitigate Climate Change" conference, UC Davis School of Law (February 2008).

Panelist, "Focus the Nation: Global Warming Solutions for America," UC Davis (January 2008).

Panelist, "Recent Environmental Law Developments in the Ninth Circuit and U.S. Supreme Court," California State Bar Environmental Law Section, Annual Conference, Yosemite, CA (October 2007).

Panelist, "Conversations on Academic Freedom" series, UC Davis (October 2007).

Panelist, 7th Annual Bay Area Asian Pacific American Law Students Association Conference, Stanford Law School, Palo Alto, CA (February 2007).

"Size Matters: Regulating Nanotechnology," Florida State University School of Law, Tallahassee, FL (October 2006).

"President Clinton's Executive Actions and the Environment," 11th Presidential Conference, Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY (November 2005).

Moderator, Debate on Genetically Modified Foods, Farm Law & Policy Speaker Series, UC Davis School of Law (October 2004).

"Beyond Tort: Compensating Victims of Environmental Toxic Injury," Asian Pacific American Law Faculty Conference, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI (September 2004).

"Beyond Tort: Compensating Victims of Environmental Toxic Injury," UC Davis School of Law (September 2004).

Panelist, "Environmental Law in the Supreme Court," UC Davis School of Law (September 2004).

RECENT MEDIA APPEARANCES:

The Clean Air Act Is Being Challenged. Will SCOTUS Protect It?, HOWSTUFFWORKS, June 13, 2022.

Proposed Class Action Lawsuit Adds to Growing Litigation over PFAS in Cosmetics, NORTHERN CALIFORNIA RECORD, Mar. 7, 2022.

Experts See Court Curbing EPA Authority in GHG Case But Debate Scope, INSIDE EPA'S CLIMATE EXTRA, Mar. 4, 2022.

Supreme Court Case Could Snarl Biden Climate Agenda, E&E NEWS, Feb. 25, 2022.

EPA Proposes First Limits to PFAS in Wastewater, REUTERS, Sept. 9, 2021.

J&J, Teva Opioid Trial May Signal Cost of Drug Maker Settlements, BLOOMBERG LAW, April 19, 2021.

Solar Geoengineering Research Could Get Funding Injection, CHEMICAL & ENGINEERING NEWS, March 29, 2021.

3M Could Face Huge Cleanup Costs Over Substance in Scotchgard, MINNESOTA STAR TRIBUNE, July 14, 2019.

What's Next for Big Oil? A Carbon Tax for Them and a Whole Lotta Concessions from Us, GRIST, May 22, 2019.

Meet the "Hillbilly Lawyer" Fighting to Take Down Big Pharma, MEDIUM (ONEZERO), Mar. 21, 2019.

California Cases to Watch in 2019, LAW360, Jan. 1, 2019.

State Lawsuit against EPA over Emissions Standards Faces Hurdles, DAILY JOURNAL, May 2, 2018

Is the Public Nuisance Universe Expanding?, BLOOMBERG BNA, Jan. 31, 2017

Incoming Attorney General May Be Granted New Powers, DAILY JOURNAL, Jan. 4, 2017

West Coast Cities Sue Monsanto to Pay for Chemical Cleanup, HIGH COUNTRY NEWS, May 16, 2016

The Exacting Merrick Garland—As Told By His Law Clerks, NATIONAL LAW JOURNAL, Apr. 7, 2016

KXTV ABC 10 News, Mar. 30, 2016 (discussing Supreme Court nomination of Judge Merrick Garland)

Capital Public Radio's Insight program, Who Is Chief Judge Merrick Garland?, Mar. 21, 2016

KCRA 3 News, Mar. 17, 2016 (discussing Supreme Court nomination of Judge Merrick Garland)

Newstalk 1530 KFBK, March 16, 2016 (discussing Supreme Court nomination of Judge Merrick Garland)

In Merrick Garland, Former Clerks See Consensus Builder, THE RECORDER, Mar. 16, 2016

Merrick Garland Knows He's Not a Scientist, THINKPROGRESS, Mar. 16, 2016

Why Scalia Wouldn't Like Merrick Garland: Supreme Court Nominee Considers Intent to Inform Legal Decisions, International Business Times, Mar. 18, 2016

Monsanto Lawsuits Unnerve Corporate America, SAN DIEGO UNION TRIBUNE, Dec. 11, 2015

Cities Lay Blame for Chemical Cleanup Cost, DAILY JOURNAL, July 16, 2015

Builders Flood Congress to Stop Obama Bid to Regulate Creeks, BLOOMBERG NEWS, Apr. 29, 2015

Farmers Tell EPA to Ditch Rule, ILLINOIS PUBLIC MEDIA (NPR), Nov. 13, 2014

Park Closure "Embarrassing", UNION DEMOCRAT (Sonora, CA), Oct. 7, 2013

California Lead Paint Nuisance Case Heads to Trial, REUTERS LEGAL, July 15, 2013

Lead Paint Makers Hope to Carry on Winning Streak in CA Trial, THE RECORDER, July 12, 2013

Geoengineering: An Earthly Gamble to Combat Global Warming, SACRAMENTO NEWS & REVIEW, June 6, 2013

SERVICE (selected):

Law School:

Coordinator, Environmental Law Certificate Program (2005-present)

Faculty Advisor, Environmental Law Society (2003-present)

Faculty Advisor, Environs (journal) (2003-present)

Public Interest Law Advisor (2003-2013)

Faculty Council, California Environmental Law and Policy Center (2011-present)

Faculty Council, California International Law Center (2010-2013)

Chair, Education Policy Committee (2010-11, 2014-15)

Member, ABA Self-Study Committee (2016-17)

Member, Intellectual Enrichment Committee (2015-16, 2017-18)

Member, Educational Policy Committee (Fall 2013, 2017-18, 2019-20)

Member, Academic Appeals Committee (2005-06, 2009-10, 2012-13)

Member, Library Advisory Committee (2011-13)

Member, Appointments Committee (2007-09, 2018-19)

Member, Judicial Clerkship Committee (2007-09)

Member, Admissions Committee (2006-07, 2022-23)

Peer Review Committee for Proposed Merit Advancement for Law Library Director (2017-18)

Lecturer Excellence Review Committee (2019-20)

Mentor, First Generation Advocates Program (2019-20, 2021-22)

Chair, Tenure Committee for Karrigan Bork (2020-present)

Campus/University:

Member, Privileges & Tenure Hearings Subcommittee (2010-13, 2014-16, 2018-21)

Member, John Muir Institute of the Environment Advisory Committee (2010-2012)

Member, UC Davis Committee on Academic Freedom & Responsibility (2005-07, 2009-10)

Member, PhD Qualifying Exam Committee (Ecology) (2009)

Chair, UC Davis Committee on Academic Freedom & Responsibility (2007-08)

Member, University Committee on Academic Freedom (2006-08)

Public and Professional:

Member, National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, & Medicine Committee on Developing a Research Agenda and Research Governance Approaches for Climate Intervention Strategies that Reflect Sunlight to Cool Earth (2018-21)

Consultant, Government Accountability Office report, Climate Change: A Coordinated Strategy Could Focus Federal Geoengineering Research and Inform Governance Efforts, Sept. 2010, GAO-10-903.

Peer reviewer for journal articles (Columbia Law Review, 2021; Review of European, Comparative & International Environmental Law, Nov. 2021; Environmental Politics, June 2021, September 2021; Climate Risk Management, March 2021; Interface Focus, May 2020, January 2020; Nature Sustainability, September 2019; Energy Research & Social Science, June 2019; Environmental Politics, Mar. 2019; Jurimetrics, Oct. 2018; Frontiers, Oct. 2018; Global Sustainability, Oct. 2017; Futures, June 2017 & Jan. 2018; Earth's Future, Sept. 2016); book chapters (in Climate Change and Public Health Law (Burger & Gundlach eds. Cambridge Univ. Press, August 2017)); book manuscripts (U.S. Environmental Policy: Domestic and Global Perspectives, West Academic, Mar. 2018); and book or research proposals (Routledge, Nov. 2016; V. Kann Rasmussen Foundation, Nov. 2015; University of Leuven, Netherlands, Mar. 2012; Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research, July 2008).

Peer reviewer for various appointment and tenure reviews
Reviewer for Land Use & Environment Law Review (peer-selected compendium of legal
scholarship in land use and environmental law) 2017-22
Campus representative, Climate Science Legal Defense Fund (2017-present)
Member, Milton Schwartz Inn of Court (2004-06, 2007-08)

AWARDS

Nominee, Distinguished Teaching Award (2017) Martin Luther King, Jr. Hall Research Scholar (2009-present)

BAR ADMISSIONS
California
District of Columbia