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EMPLOYMENT

Temple University Beasley School of Law

Assistant Professor of Law, 2019-present

The University of Chicago Law School

Harry A. Bigelow Teaching Fellow and Lecturer in Law, 2018-2019

EDUCATION

Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University

Ph.D. in Managerial Economics and Strategy, 2016

Committee: Benjamin Jones (chair), Peter DiCola, Craig Garthwaite, Max Schanzenbach

The University of Chicago

J.D., 2009 (with Honors)

B.S. in Mathematics and Economics, 2005 (Student Marshal, Phi Beta Kappa)

CLERKSHIP

The Honorable Richard A. Paez, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, 2010-2011

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Intellectual Property and Innovation, Empirical Law and Economics, Behavioral Law and Economics, Financial Crime

PUBLICATIONS AND WORKS ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION

Discretion and Disparity in Federal Detention, 115 NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW (forthcoming 2021).

Mandatory Minimum Entrenchment and the Controlled Substances Act, OHIO STATE JOURNAL OF CRIMINAL LAW (forthcoming 2020) (symposium contribution).

The Immediate Consequences of Federal Pretrial Detention, 22 AMERICAN LAW AND ECONOMICS REVIEW 24 (2020) ([journal](#)) ([ssrn](#)).

Copyright Protection and Cumulative Creation: Evidence from Early Twentieth Century Music, 47 JOURNAL OF LEGAL STUDIES 235 (2018) ([journal](#)) ([ssrn](#)).

WORKS IN PROGRESS (available by request)

Gender-Based Favoritism Among Criminal Prosecutors

Mandatory Minimums and Federal Sentences: Evidence from Charging Reform, Temple University Legal Studies Research Paper.

OTHER PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS

Imputing Sexual Intent to Minors: The Case for an Age-Based Exception (runner-up paper in the 2009 ACS National Student Writing Competition).

Breaking the Ice: Emerging Legal Issues in Arctic Sovereignty, 9 CHICAGO JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW 323 (2008) (Comment) ([journal](#)) ([ssrn](#))

Child Development Accounts Promote Inclusive Prosperity, 41 CLEARINGHOUSE REVIEW: JOURNAL OF POVERTY LAW AND POLICY 473 (2007) (with Dory Rand) ([journal](#)).

PRESENTATIONS AND CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

University of Richmond School of Law Colloquy Series (scheduled)

Columbia University Law and Economics Workshop (scheduled)

American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, University of Chicago Law School (scheduled)

“Gender-Based Favoritism Among Criminal Prosecutors,” University of Michigan Law and Economics Workshop, March 18, 2020

“Mandatory Minimum Entrenchment and the Controlled Substances Act,” The Controlled Substances Act at 50 Years Conference, Arizona State University Sandra Day O’Connor School of Law, February 22, 2020

“Gender-Based Favoritism Among Criminal Prosecutors,” UC Berkeley Law, Economics & Business Workshop, January 27, 2020

“(How Much) Do Mandatory Minimums Matter?,” 14th Annual Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Claremont McKenna College, November 15, 2019

“(How Much) Do Mandatory Minimums Matter?” Midwest Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law, October 18, 2019

“Gender-Based Favoritism Among Criminal Prosecutors,” Marquette University Law School Faculty Workshop, April 16, 2019

“Gender-Based Favoritism Among Criminal Prosecutors,” 13th Annual Conference on Empirical Legal Studies Poster Session, University of Michigan Law School, November 9, 2018

“Gender-Based Favoritism Among Criminal Prosecutors,” Midwest Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, University of Alabama School of Law, September 14, 2018

“Gender-Based Favoritism Among Criminal Prosecutors,” University of Chicago Law School Faculty Works-in-Progress Workshop, August 16, 2018

“Do Birds of a Gender Flock Together? In-Group Favoritism Among Criminal Prosecutors,” American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Boston University School of Law, May 11, 2018

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Doctoral Fellowship, Kellogg School of Management, 2009-2015

University of Chicago Law School D. Francis Bustin Price, for legal scholarship, 2009

ACS National Student Writing Competition, runner-up, 2009

MVP2 Student Fellow, for law and economics research, 2008-2009

Equal Justice Work Summer Corps, 2008

John M. Olin Student Fellow, for law and economics research, 2007-2008

Sonnenschein Summer Scholar, for public interest work, 2007

REFeree SERVICE

Criminal Justice Policy Review, Journal of Legal Studies, Law and Social Inquiry

BAR ADMISSION

Illinois, 2009 (currently inactive)

OTHER LEGAL EXPERIENCE

U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Summer 2008

Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, Summer 2008

Office of the State Appellate Defender of Illinois, Winter and Spring 2008

Sargent Shriver National Center on Poverty Law, Summer 2007