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### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

#### **Notre Dame Law School**

Associate Professor of Law, 2018-present

#### **Yale Law School**

Research Scholar in Law & Fellow in Private Law, 2015-2018

#### **Max Planck Institute for Procedural Law (Luxembourg)**

Research Fellow, 2013-2015

### WORKS IN PROGRESS

#### **Contracting Under Threat of Criminal Prosecution**

### PUBLICATIONS

#### **Contracts Without Courts or Clans: How Business Networks Govern Exchange,**

GEORGIA LAW REVIEW (forthcoming 2023)

- Featured on Business Law Scholarship Podcast
- SSRN Top-Ten Lists in Microeconomics: Asymmetric & Private Information eJournal
- SSRN Top-Ten List in Economics of Contract: Theory (Topic)
- SSRN Top-Ten List in Insurance Law, Legislation, & Policy eJournal

**Nominal Damages as Vindication,** GEORGE MASON LAW REVIEW (forthcoming 2022)

**The Limits of Comparative Institutional Analysis,** 112 AMERICAN JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW UNBOUND 255 (2018), available at <https://doi.org/10.1017/aju.2018.67>

**Courts as Information Intermediaries: A Case Study of Sovereign Debt Disputes,** 2018 BYU LAW REVIEW 497

**Legal Certainty During EU Accession: What Can a Foreign Investor in a Future Member State Legitimately Expect?,** in TOWARDS A UNIVERSAL JUSTICE? PUTTING INTERNATIONAL COURTS AND JURISDICTIONS INTO PERSPECTIVE 290 (Dário Moura Vicente, ed. 2015)

**What's in a Meme? The Truth about Investor-State Arbitration: Why It Need Not,**

**and Must Not, Be Repossessed by States**, 52 COLUMBIA JOURNAL OF TRANSNATIONAL LAW 617 (2014) (with Charles N. Brower)

**International Development Loans and Compliance with Investment Arbitration Awards**, in A REVOLUTION IN THE INTERNATIONAL RULE OF LAW: ESSAYS IN HONOR OF DON WALLACE, JR. 529 (Borzu Sabahi, Nicholas J. Birch, Ian A. Laird & José Antonio Rivas, eds. 2014) (with Charles N. Brower and Charles Rosenberg)

**International Decision, Republic v. High Court of Accra, ex parte Attorney General (Supreme Court of Ghana), June 2, 2013**, Case Note, 108 AMERICAN JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW 73 (2014)

**Ambiente Ufficio S.p.A. v. Argentine Republic, ICSID Case No. ARB/08/9, Decision on Jurisdiction and Admissibility and Dissent**, Case Note, 15 JOURNAL OF WORLD INVESTMENT AND TRADE 314 (2014)

**2013 Harvard International Law Journal Symposium Keynote Address, From “Dealing in Virtue” to “Profiting from Injustice”: The Case Against “Re-Statification” of Investment Dispute Settlement**, HARVARD INTERNATIONAL LAW JOURNAL ONLINE, vol. 15 (2014) (with Charles N. Brower)

**State Consent, Temporal Jurisdiction, and the Importation of Continuing Circumstances Analysis into International Investment Arbitration**, 10 WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY GLOBAL STUDIES LAW REVIEW 419 (2011)

#### COURSES TAUGHT

Contracts  
Contract Design  
International Business Transactions  
Private Law Workshop

#### PRESENTATIONS

##### **Nominal Damages and the Other Ends of Adjudication**

- AALS Annual Meeting Remedies Section Panel on Nominal Damages, January 2022
- Notre Dame Law School Faculty Colloquium, November 2021
- Harvard Law School Private Law Theory Workshop, November 2021
- North American Workshop on Private Law Theory, October 2021
- Midwestern Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, October 2021
- Junior Business Law Scholars Workshop, July 2021
- Canadian Economics Association Annual Meeting, June 2021

##### **Contracts Without Courts or Clans: How Business Networks Govern Exchange**

- American Law & Economics Association Annual Meeting, October 2021
- University of Chicago Legal Scholarship Workshop, September 2021
- Notre Dame Law and Economics Workshop, March 2021

- Seton Hall Law Faculty Workshop, February 2021
- Notre Dame Private Law Theory Workshop, Fall 2020
- Penn State Law Faculty Workshop, November 2020
- University of Indiana Maurer School of Law Faculty Workshop, October 2020
- Legal Scholarship Workshop, University of Chicago, October 2020
- Chicagoland Junior Faculty Workshop, October 2020
- Notre Dame Law School Faculty Colloquium, December 2019
- Legal Scholarship Workshop, University of Chicago Law School, October 2019
- Society of Institutional and Organizational Economics Annual Meeting, Stockholm, June 2019
- Junior Business Law Colloquium, University of Colorado Law School, May 2019
- Seminar, Regulation and Coordination Program, Tulane Law School, April 2019
- Block Center for International Business Law Seminar, Brooklyn Law School, February 2019
- Young Bankruptcy Scholars Workshop, Brooklyn Law School, October 2018
- Canadian Law & Economics Association Annual Meeting, University of Toronto, September 2018
- BYU Law Faculty Colloquium, September 2018

**Courts as Information Intermediaries: A Case Study of Sovereign Debt Disputes**

- Society of Institutional and Organizational Economics Annual Meeting, HEC Montreal, June 2018
- American Society of International Law, International Law in Domestic Courts Interest Group Workshop, UCLA School of Law, December 2017
- American Society of International Law, Dispute Resolution Interest Group Workshop, Lewis & Clark Law School, November 2017
- DebtCon 2: Interdisciplinary Sovereign Debt Research and Management Conference, Graduate Institute of Geneva, October 2017
- Yale Law School Center for Private Law Workshop on Formal and Informal Contract Governance, September 2017
- Reputation Roundtable, Washington & Lee Law School, September 2017
- Canadian Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, September 2017
- Yale Law School Information Society Project Fellows Workshop, July 2017

**Panelist, Opportunities in Arbitration, International Chamber of Commerce Young Arbitrators Forum**

- American University Washington College of Law, October 2017

**Commenter, The Logic of Contract in the World of Investment Treaties by Julian Arato**

- Yale Law School Center for Private Law-American Society of International Law Junior Scholars Workshop, Yale Law School, October 2016

**Commenter, Scaling Up Legal Relations by Henry Smith & Andrew Gold**

- Hohfeld Centennial Symposium, October 2016

**Rent Seeking in International Institutions**

- Max Planck Institute for Procedural Law, May 2015

#### **Introduction to International Arbitration**

- Guest Lecture, University of Luxembourg Master’s Level Course on European Procedural Law, May 2015 and April 2014

#### **Judicial Modesty under a Public Law Theory of International Adjudication**

- Workshop on *In Whose Name? A Public Law Theory of International Adjudication* by Armin von Bogdandy & Ingo Venzke (OUP 2014), April 2015

#### **The Fate of Sunset Provisions under Joint Termination and Amendment of Investment Treaties**

- Max Planck Institute for Procedural Law, December 2014

#### **What Can a Foreign Investor in a Future EU Member State Legitimately Expect?**

- International Law Association Regional Conference, Lisbon, September 2014
- Max Planck Institute for Procedural Law, September 2014

#### **“Relevant,” “Applicable” “Rules”? Two Recent Cases on Article 31(3)(c) of the Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties**

- Max Planck Institute for Procedural Law, May 2014

### **ACADEMIC SERVICE**

#### **2021-2022**

Convener, Junior Faculty Colloquium, Notre Dame Law School  
 Faculty Colloquium Committee, Notre Dame Law School  
 Mentor, First Generation Law Students, Notre Dame Law School  
 Honors College Deans’ Advisory Council, Louisiana State University

#### **2020-2021**

Convener, Notre Dame Law School Junior Faculty Colloquium  
 Ad Hoc Committee on International Law Curriculum, Notre Dame Law School  
 Mentor, First Generation Law Students, Notre Dame Law School  
 Honors College Deans’ Advisory Council, Louisiana State University

#### **2019-2020**

Convener, Notre Dame Law School Junior Faculty Colloquium  
 Faculty Colloquium Committee, Notre Dame Law School

#### **2018-2019**

Ad Hoc Committee on Law Library, Notre Dame Law School

## ACADEMIC CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS ORGANIZED

**Private Funds Conference: Private Equity, Hedge Funds, and Venture Capital**  
Yale Law School, November 2017 (with Daniel Markovits)

**Workshop on Formal and Informal Governance**  
Yale Law School, September 2017

**Junior Scholars Workshop of the Yale Law School Center for Private Law and the American Society of International Law Dispute Resolution Interest Group**  
Yale Law School, October 2016 (with Perry Bechky)

**Hohfeld Centennial Symposium**  
Yale Law School, October 2016 (with Shyam Balganes, Daniel Markovits, Ted Sichelman, and Henry Smith)

**Workshop on the Philosophy of Contract**  
Yale Law School, September 2016 (with Daniel Markovits)

## EDUCATION

### **Yale Law School**

J.D., 2010

- Olin Fellow in Law, Economics, and Public Policy
- Finalist, International Round, International Criminal Court Moot Competition
- Senior Editor, *Yale Journal of International Law*
- Co-Director, Lowenstein Human Rights Project and Khmer Rouge Trial Project

### **Louisiana State University**

Honors College, B.A. in Economics (English minor), *summa cum laude*, 2002

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **The Honorable Charles N. Brower, Arbitrator (The Hague)**

Law Clerk, 2012-2013

### **King & Spalding (Paris)**

Associate, International Arbitration Group, 2011-2012

### **WilmerHale (London)**

Intern, International Arbitration Group, 2010

### **U.S. Dept. of Justice, U.S. Attorney's Office**

Extern, 2009

### **Boies, Schiller & Flexner**

Summer Associate, 2009

**Documentation Center of Cambodia (Phnom Penh)**  
Summer Associate, 2008

**Bureau of Labor Statistics**  
Economist, 2003-2007

**OTHER HONORS, PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS, AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Scholarship and Admission to Directed Studies, Hague Academy of International Law 2013  
Summer Course on Public International Law

Society for Institutional and Organizational Economics, American Law and Economics  
Association, American Society of International Law, London Court of International  
Arbitration Young International Arbitration Group, Young ICCA (International Council for  
Commercial Arbitration)

**BAR ADMISSION**

Admitted to practice in New York, 2011