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Academic Appointments

University of Georgia School of Law

Justice Thomas O. Marshall Chair of Constitutional Law
2011-Present
2009-Present
Associate Professor
2002-09
Assistant Professor
1997-2002

Law Review Articles and Essays

- State Interests and the Duration of Abortion Rights, McGeorge Law Review (forthcoming 2012) (invited contribution for symposium on the Evolution of Anthony Kennedy's Jurisprudence)
- Transtemporal Separation of Powers in the Law of Precedent, 87 NOTRE DAME L. REV. 1405 (2012) (selected as "Download of the Week" on Legal Theory blog)
- Fueling Controversy, 95 MARQUETTE LAW REVIEW 735 (2011-12)
- Self-Conscious Dicta: The Origins of Roe v. Wade's Trimester Framework, 51 AMERICAN JOURNAL OF LEGAL HISTORY 505 (2011) (peer reviewed)
- Gonzales, Casey and the Viability Rule, 103 NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW 249 (2009)
- The Essential Holding of Casey: Rethinking Viability, 75 UMKC L. REV. 713 (2007)
- Christian Faith and Political Life: A Dialogue, 41 GA. L. REV. 65 (2006) (with Jason Carter)
- The Heart of Federalism: Pretext Review of Means-End Relationships, 36 U. CAL.-DAVIS L. REV. 407 (2003)

- Race and the Georgia Courts: Implications of the Georgia Public Trust and Confidence Survey for Batson v. Kentucky and Its Progeny, 37 GA. L. REV. 1021 (2003) (with George Dougherty & Mark Bradbury)
- *The New Jurisprudence of the Necessary and Proper Clause*, 2002 ILL. L. REV. 581 (2002)
- The False Claims Act and the English Eradication of Qui Tam Legislation, 78 N.C.L. REV. 539 (2000), republished in The Civil False Claims Act and Qui Tam Enforcement (ABA-CLE Publication 2001)

Shorter Legal Publications

- Case Selection in Three Supreme Courts: A Comparative Perspective, White Paper for U.S.-Russia Experts Forum, Sponsored by U.S. Department of State (Dec. 2006) (with Anna Nagaeva) (excerpted in THE ADVOCATE)
- Chief Justice Roberts and Brown v. Board of Education, RES IPSA (BLSA Newsletter, Fall 2005)
- Supreme Proceedings, COLUMNS (Sept. 6, 2005) (one of five UGA law professors discussing Chief Justice John Roberts' upcoming confirmation hearings)
- Relaciones de medios y fines y el poder legislativo: Una perspectiva de los Estados Unidos, LA LEY (Oct. 2004) (Argentine Law Journal) (translated into Spanish by D. Latimer, M. Rojo and P. Esteban)
- Ring v. Arizona, LA LEY (Sept. 3, 2002) (Argentine Law Journal)
- Book Review, Presidential Defiance of "Unconstitutional" Laws: Reviving the Royal Prerogative, 16 CONST. COMM. 419 (1999)
- Student Comment, *The Faith of the "Crits": Critical Legal Studies and Human Nature*, 11 HARV. J.L. & PUB. POL'Y 433 (1988) (winner of Institute for Humane Studies/Eberhard Student Writing Competition)
- Student Note, *Ideal Mutual Insurance Co. v. Last Days Evangelical Association*, 53 J. AIR L.& COMM. 581 (1987)

Work in Progress

Genesis and the Civil Law, in THE BIBLE AND THE CIVIL LAW (with David VanDrunen) (forthcoming InterVarsity Press)

Education

Southern Methodist University School of Law

J.D. *magna cum laude* 1988 GPA: 89.54 Rank: First

Baker University

B.A. summa cum laude 1985

GPA: 4.0 at Baker Majors: English, Philosophy/Religion, French

Georgetown University

1981-82 School Year GPA: 3.69

Judicial Clerkships

Justice Anthony M. Kennedy 1990-91

United States Supreme Court

Judge Patrick E. Higginbotham 1988-89

United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

Other Legal Experience

Associate/General Litigation 1991-97

Perkins Coie Seattle, WA

Center for Law & Religious Freedom May–Sept. 1994

Perkins Coie Community Service Fellowship

Seattle, WA & Annandale, VA

Attorney-Advisor, Office of Legal Counsel 1989-90

United States Department of Justice

Washington, DC

Courses Taught

Property I
Property II
Constitutional Law I
Trusts & Estates I
Constitutional Law Seminar (Separation of Powers)
Jurisprudence Seminar (Christian Perspectives on Law)

Teaching Awards

2009 Faculty Book & C. Ronald Ellington Excellence in Teaching Award 2003 John C. O'Byrne Memorial Award for Furthering Student-Faculty Relations 2002 John C. O'Byrne Memorial Award for Furthering Student-Faculty Relations 2001 John C. O'Byrne Memorial Award for Furthering Student-Faculty Relations 2000 John C. O'Byrne Memorial Award for Furthering Student-Faculty Relations Honorary Marshal, Graduating Class of 2003 Honorary Marshal, Graduating Class of 2000