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Justice Thomas O. Marshall Chair of Constitutional Law
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Academic Appointments

University of Georgia School of Law	
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs	2018-Present
Justice Thomas O. Marshall Chair of Constitutional Law	2011-Present
Professor of Law	2009-Present
Associate Professor	2002-09
Assistant Professor	1997-2002

Academic Fellowship

Garwood Visiting Fellow, James Madison Program in American Ideals and Institutions, Princeton University (2016-17) (appointed Visiting Professor in the Princeton Department of Politics to allow supervision of a Senior Thesis)

Law Review Articles, Essays and Symposia

Qui Tam Litigation Against Government Officials: Constitutional Implications of a Neglected History, 93 NOTRE DAME L. REV. 1235 (2018)

Promoting Executive Accountability Through Qui Tam Legislation, 21 CHAPMAN L. REV. 41 (2018) (invited contribution for online symposium on executive branch accountability)

The Forest and the Trees: What Educational Purposes Can a Course on Christian Legal Thought Serve?, 56 J. CATHOLIC LEG. STUD. __ (St. John's, forthcoming 2018) (invited contribution for symposium on newly released textbook)

God the Judge and Human Justice, 32 J. LAW & RELIG. 33 (Cambridge University Press 2017) (invited contribution for law and theology roundtable)

Twenty-Week Abortion Statutes: Four Arguments, 43 HASTINGS CONST. L. Q. 187 (2016)

Overcoming Barriers to the Protection of Viable Fetuses, 71 WASHINGTON & LEE L. REV. 1263 (2014) (invited symposium contribution)

Prioritizing Abortion Access Over Abortion Safety in Pennsylvania, 8 UNIV. ST. THOMAS J. LAW & PUB. POL. 33 (2014) (invited symposium contribution)

State Interests and the Duration of Abortion Rights, MCGEORGE L. REV. (2013) (invited contribution for symposium on the evolution of Justice 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 UNIV. L. REV. 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 NORTH CAROLINA L. REV. 539 (2000), *republished in* *The Civil False Claims Act and Qui Tam Enforcement* (ABA-CLE Publication 2001)

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)

Book Chapter

The Biblical Foundations of Law: Creation, Fall & the Patriarchs (with David VanDrunen) in *LAW & THE BIBLE: JUSTICE, MERCY & LEGAL INSTITUTIONS* (InterVarsity Press 2013) (Robert Cochran & David VanDrunen, eds.)

Book Reviews and Other Legal Publications

Book Review, *Owen Anderson, The Declaration of Independence and God: Self-Evident Truths in American Law*, 58 JOURNAL OF CHURCH & STATE 779 (Oxford University Press 2016)

Living Under Foreign Law, ORDAINED SERVANT ONLINE (Orthodox Presbyterian Church 2016)

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)

Courses Taught

Property I

Property II

Constitutional Law I

Constitutional Law II

Trusts & Estates I

Constitutional Law Seminars (Separation of Powers; Federalist Papers)

Jurisprudence Seminar (Christian Perspectives on Legal Thought)

Teaching Awards

2016 C. Ronald Ellington Excellence in Teaching Award

2009 Faculty Book & C. Ronald Ellington Excellence in Teaching Award

2003 John C. O'Byrne Memorial Award for Furthering Student-Faculty Relations

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Honorary Marshal, Graduating Class of 2003

Honorary Marshal, Graduating Class of 2000

Addresses, Presentations and Panel Discussions

The Forest and the Trees: What Educational Purposes Can a Course on Christian Legal Thought Serve?, Symposium on Christian Legal Thought: Cases and Materials, Journal of Catholic Legal Studies, New York (Jan. 26, 2018)

Panel Discussion, *Trinity Lutheran Church v. Comer*, Supreme Court Update CLE, Georgia State Bar Association, Atlanta, GA (Oct. 19, 2017)

Nelson v. Colorado, Supreme Court Update Panel Discussion, Constitution Week, Georgia College & State University, Milledgeville, GA (Sept. 19, 2017)

Qui Tam Litigation Against Government Officials: Constitutional Implications of a Neglected History, Emory-UGA Faculty Workshop (July 19, 2017)

Divine and Human Justice in the Book of Esther, Manna Christian Fellowship, Princeton University (April 8, 2017)

Divine and Human Justice in the Book of Esther, Mercer House, Princeton, NJ (March 31, 2017)

Qui Tam Litigation Against Government Officials: Constitutional Implications of a Neglected History, Faculty Forum, Southern Methodist University School of Law (January 25, 2017)

Qui Tam Litigation Against Government Officials: Constitutional Implications of a Neglected History, Lunch Seminar, James Madison Program in American Ideals and Institutions, Princeton University (January 17, 2017)

At What Point in Pregnancy Can the Fetus be Protected?, Undergraduate Fellows Dinner, James Madison Program in American Ideals and Institutions, Princeton University (November 30, 2016) (with David F. Forte)

Biblical Foundations of Law: Creation, Fall and the Patriarchs, Christian Scholars' Symposium, Christian Legal Society National Conference, Washington D.C. (October 22, 2016)

Divine and Human Justice in the Book of Esther, Coram Deo, Harvard Law School (October 12, 2016)

Living Under Foreign Law, Orthodox Presbyterian Church, Pre-General Assembly Conference, Delaware (June 8, 2016)

Supreme Court Preview, UGA Law School Alumni Weekend (March 19, 2016) (with Sonja West, Lori Ringhand, Brian Lea, Lauren Caudill)

God's Justice and Ours, Conference on Doing Justice Without Doing Harm, Nootbaar Institute on Law, Religion and Ethics, Pepperdine University School of Law (March 12, 2016)

Griswold and the Private Sphere, American Constitution Society (November 18, 2015) (with Fazal Khan)

Esther as an Advocate in the Persian Court, J. Reuben Clark Law Society Dinner, Smith Gambrell & Russell, Atlanta (November 14, 2015)

God the Judge and Human Justice, Emory University School of Law Christian Legal Society (November 9, 2015)

God the Judge and Human Justice, UGA Christian Faculty Forum (Oct. 8, 2015)

God the Judge and Human Justice, Conference on Law & Theology: Interactive Normativities, Emory Center for the Study of Law & Religion, Berlin, Germany (Sept. 16-18, 2015) (European host from University of Heidelberg)

Panel Discussion, *Major Supreme Court Cases [Current Term]*, Georgia Political Review (Mar. 30, 2015) (with L. Ringhand, S. West)

What Can Christian Theology Offer to the World of Law?, Short Conference Presentation, Emory Center for the Study of Law & Religion (Mar. 16, 2015)

Twentieth Anniversary of Justice Breyer's Appointment, Panel Discussion, U.S. Supreme Court Update CLE, Georgia Bar Association (Oct. 23, 2014)

Constitutional Law Lectures, Transnational Law Program, Rusk Center for International Law (Apr. 14-15, 2014) & (Oct. 20-22, 2014)

Divine and Human Justice: Esther as an Advocate in the Persian Legal System, Third Annual Mary Libby Payne Lecture on Christianity and the Law, Mississippi College School of Law (September 12, 2014)

State Interests and the Duration of Abortion Rights, Susan B. Anthony List Campaign for Life Gala and Summit, Washington, D.C. (Mar. 12, 2014)

Decision Making at the United States Supreme Court, Rusk Center Training for Brazilian Judges (Dec. 6, 2013)

Overcoming Barriers to the Protection of Viable Fetuses, Roe at 40 – the Controversy Continues, Washington & Lee Law Review Symposium (Nov. 7-8, 2013)

Reconsidering Roe: A Dialogue and Deliberation Event, Richard B. Russell Special Collections Libraries, University of Georgia (Oct. 30, 2013) (w/ L. Ringhand)

Prioritizing Abortion Access Over Abortion Safety in Pennsylvania, From Abortion to Infanticide: The Gosnell Case, University of St. Thomas Journal of Law & Public Policy Symposium (Oct. 4, 2013)

Law and the Bible: Justice, Mercy and Legal Institutions, Panel Discussion, Christian Legal Scholars' Conference, Lipscomb University (June 6, 2013)

Roundtable Conference, *Christian Legal Theory*, Emory University School of Law, Center for the Study of Law and Religion (Mar. 22-24, 2013)

The Biblical Foundations of Law: Creation, Fall, and the Patriarchs, University of Georgia Christian Faculty Forum (Feb. 13, 2013)

Decision Making at the United States Supreme Court, Rusk Center Training for Brazilian Judges (Dec. 14, 2012)

Justice Kennedy, State Interests and Abortion Rights, Conference on the Evolution of Justice Anthony Kennedy's Jurisprudence, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law, Sacramento, CA (Apr. 6, 2012)

The Duration of Abortion Rights, Faculty Colloquium, St. Mary's University School of Law, San Antonio, TX (Feb. 29, 2012)

Divine and Human Justice in the Book of Esther, University of Georgia Christian Faculty Forum (Jan. 11, 2012)

Separation of Powers Under the United States Constitution, Peking University School of Transnational Law, Shenzhen, People's Republic of China (Mar. 18, 2011)

Separation of Powers Under the United States Constitution, Nanjing Normal University, Nanjing, People's Republic of China (Mar. 16, 2011)

Separation of Powers Under the United States Constitution, Nanjing Agricultural University, Nanjing, People's Republic of China (Mar. 15, 2011)

Authors Conference, THE BIBLE AND THE CIVIL LAW, Pepperdine University School of Law (Feb. 11-12, 2011)

Genesis and the Civil Law, Law Professors Christian Fellowship & Lumen Christi Conference, San Francisco, CA (Jan. 8, 2011)

Testimony Regarding Senate Bill 529, House Judiciary Committee, Georgia House of Representatives (April 13, 2010)

A Proposal for Regulating Late-Term, Elective Abortions, American Association of Pro-life Obstetricians and Gynecologists (AAPLOG) (January 14, 2010)

A Proposal for Regulating Late-Term, Elective Abortions, UGA Christian Faculty Forum (December 2, 2009)

International Perspective on Human Trafficking, Wellspring Living's Rally for Justice (November 15, 2009)

Divine and Human Justice in the Book of Esther, Christian Legal Society, Georgia State University College of Law (October 8, 2009)

Divine and Human Justice in the Book of Esther, Atlanta Christian Lawyers Fellowship (hosted by Alston & Bird) (June 10, 2009)

A Proposal for Regulating Late-Term, Elective Abortions, Law for the Life of America (Law School Student Group) (March 19, 2009)

The Babylonian Captivity as a Model for Christian Involvement in Politics and Government, UGA Christian Faculty Forum (March 4, 2009)

Moderator, *Panel on Sexual Trafficking*, UGA Working in the Public Interest (WIPI) Conference (Feb. 28, 2009)

Invited Participant, *Creation and Evolution Discussion*, Evolutionary Biology Course (Gene/Biol 3000) (Profs. Mike Arnold & Wyatt Anderson), University of Georgia (Feb. 17, 2009)

Panel Discussion, *Kitzmiller v. Dover Area School District* (Intelligent Design litigation), UGA Darwin Day (Feb. 12, 2009)

More Babylon than Jerusalem: Religion and American Government, UGA Reformed University Fellowship International (Nov. 3, 2008); UGA Christian Legal Society (Nov. 4, 2008)

The Great Temptation for the Christian Lawyer, Christian Legal Society, Dallas Lawyers' Chapter (Feb. 21, 2008)

Divine and Human Justice in the Book of Esther, Christian Legal Society, Southern Methodist University School of Law (Feb. 20, 2008)

More Babylon than Jerusalem: Religion and American Government, Dallas Christian Leadership, Southern Methodist University (Feb. 19, 2008)

Panel Discussion, *Right to Die: The Legal and Ethical Issues of Euthanasia*, Emory Law School Public Interest Conference (Oct. 13, 2007)

Response to Prof. Curtis Bradley, *Unratified Treaties, Domestic Politics, and the U.S. Constitution*, International Law Colloquium, UGA School of Law (Feb. 9, 2007)

Separation of Powers Under the U.S. Constitution, Comparative Law Department, Krasnoyarsk State University, U.S.-Russia Experts Forum (Dec. 8, 2006) (sponsored by U.S. Department of State)

Case Selection in Three Supreme Courts, U.S.-Russia Experts Forum Conference, Moscow (Dec. 5-6, 2006) (sponsored by U.S. Department of State)

Panel Discussion, *Current Issues and the "Culture Wars,"* Christian Legal Scholars' Symposium, San Antonio (Nov. 3, 2006)

Case Selection in Three Supreme Courts, U.S.-Russia Experts Forum, Scholars' Working Session, Washington, D.C. (June 27, 2006) (sponsored by U.S. Department of State)

The City of God and the Christian Lawyer, University of Pittsburgh Christian Faculty Forum (Apr. 13, 2006)

Supreme Court Forum, UGA Federalist Society & ACS (Nov. 3, 2005)

The New Supreme Court, UGA Christian Faculty Forum (Oct. 5, 2005)

Jerusalem Lawyers Living in Babylon, Christian Legal Society Board of Directors and Atlanta Christian Lawyers Fellowship, J.W. Buckhead Marriott (June 3, 2005)

The Christian Lawyer and the City of God, Atlanta Christian Lawyers Fellowship, Alston & Bird (Apr. 13, 2005)

End of Life Decisions, UGA Chapter, Christian Legal Society (Mar. 31, 2005)

The Christian Lawyer and the City of God, Poinsett Club, Greenville, S.C. (Mar. 16, 2005) (sponsored by Diakonia Christian Legal Services)

Christian Legal Scholars' Symposium & Christian Legal Society Student Conference, Washington, D.C. (October 29-30, 2004); Roundtable Discussion, *Biblical Justice and Modern Law*; Panel Discussion for Students, *Career Options*; Discussion with Students, *Time, Money and the Kingdom of God*

The OLC Torture Memorandum, Supreme Court Update CLE (Sept. 9, 2004)

Michigan Affirmative Action Cases, Supreme Court Update CLE (Sept. 4, 2003)

Lecture, *Biblical Justice*, Honors Program Lunchbox Lecture (Jan. 2003)

Roundtable Discussion, *The Aesthetics of Biblical Justice*, Christian Legal Scholars' Symposium (Nov. 2, 2002)

Panel Discussion, *School Vouchers*, UGA Federalist Society (Fall 2002)

Panel Discussion, *FCA Enforcement in the Post-Stevens World*, Third Annual National Institute on the Civil False Claims Act and Qui Tam Enforcement (American Bar Association, Nov. 29, 2001)

Implied Limitations on Implied Powers: The New Jurisprudence of the Necessary and Proper Clause, Conference on Federalism and the Courts, University of Georgia Political Science Department (Feb. 24, 2001)

Qui Tam and the Eleventh Amendment, Work in Progress Presentation, Federalist Society Law Professors Conference (Jan. 6, 2000)

Panel Discussion, *School Vouchers*, UGA Federalist Society (Spring 1999)

Panel Discussion, "*Is Moralism Destroying Conservatism?*", UGA Federalist Society (Fall 1998)

The False Claims Act and the English Experience With Qui Tam Legislation, Young Scholars Workshop, Southeastern AALS (July 25, 1998)

Panel Discussion, *Equal Rights for All: The Meaning of Rosenberger*, Discovery Institute, George Washington Fellows Program in Religion and Public Life (July 28, 1995) (published 3/96 in *Inquiry*, a Discovery Institute publication)

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

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

Law School Committee Service

Faculty Recruitment Committee, 1998-99, 2008-15, 2017-18; Chair, 2010-15
Chari, Faculty Recruitment Subcommittee on Verner Chaffin Chair, 2017-18
Library Committee, 2016-17
Committee on Verner Chaffin Chair, 2016
Chair, Veterans Legal Services Clinic Committee, 2015-16
Faculty Policies and Procedures Committee, 2015-16
Admissions Committee, 2004-08
Academic Affairs Committee, 2003-06; Chair, Subcomm. on Skills Courses, 2005
Faculty Programs Committee, 2000-04; Chair, 2001-03
Placement Committee, 2001-03
Hearing Officer, Honor Court, 2000-03
Student Affairs Committee, 1998-2001
Library and Technology Committee, 1999-2000

University Service

University Council, 2018-Present
University Curriculum Committee, 2018-Present
University Faculty Affairs Committee, 2017-18
University Promotion and Tenure Appeals Committee, 2010-12
Committee to Advise Pres. Adams on Disciplinary Issue, 2010-11
Meigs Professorship Selection Committee, 2006 & 2007
Faculty Advisor, International Justice Mission, 2003-04, 2008-18
Chair, Review Team, Program Review of History Department, 2002

Community Service

Board Member and Officer, Diakonia Christian Legal Services, Inc. 2003-11 (non-profit corporation providing low-income legal services and student externship opportunities)

Theological Publications and Conferences

Unlocking Revelation: The Keys from Joshua and John, Knox Theological Seminary
Coral Ridge Presbyterian, Fort Lauderdale, FL (January 2004)
Redeemer Presbyterian, Athens, GA (April 2004)

Warren Austen Gage & John Randolph Beck, *The Gospel, Zion's Barren Woman and the Ethiopian Eunuch*, 30 CRUX 35 (1994)