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EMPLOYMENT

University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law, Tucson, AZ

Director of Empirical & Policy Research (2020–)

Visiting Professor and Research Scholar (2018–2020)

Courses: Civil Procedure, Torts, Remedies, Employment Discrimination, Empirical
Methods in the Law

Awards: John W. Strong Teaching Award (2021, 2022)

Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA

Research Director, Access to Justice Lab (2016–2018)

William & Mary Law School, Williamsburg, VA

Assistant Professor of Law (2012–2016)

Courses: Torts, Property, Remedies, R\Employment Discrimination

Duke Law School, Durham, NC

Visiting Assistant Professor of Law (2010–2012)

Courses: Remedies, Empirical Law and Economics, Topics in Employment
Discrimination Law (seminar)

EDUCATION

Yale Law School, J.D., 2010

Honors: John M. Olin Fellow in Law and Economics
Margaret Gruter Prize for the best paper on how ethology, biology, and
related behavioral sciences may deepen our understanding of law

Activities: Editor, *Yale Law Journal*; Editor-in-Chief, *Yale Law & Policy Review*;
Coker Teaching Fellow, Torts I, Professor John J. Donohue III; Teaching
Assistant, Empirical Law & Economics, Professor John J. Donohue III;
Teaching Assistant, Quantitative Corporate Finance, Professor Ian Ayres;
Research Assistant, Professor Bruce Ackerman

University of Oxford, MPhil, Economics, 2004

Honors: Joseph L. Allbritton Scholarship

Thesis: “Mediated Settlement Under Two-Sided Incomplete Information”

Georgetown University, B.S., International Political Economy, 2002, *magna cum laude*
Honors: Phi Beta Kappa (elected junior year); Dean's Citation; Beinecke
Scholarship for graduate study in the arts, humanities, and social sciences;
John Carroll Scholar

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Latham & Watkins, San Francisco, CA
Summer Associate (2009)

The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, New York, NY
Research Associate (2006–2008)

Yale Law School, New Haven, CT
Postgraduate Fellow (2004–2006)

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Clinical Trials and Actuarial Judgments, REG. REV.,
<https://www.theregreview.org/2019/11/22/griffin-clinical-trials-actuarial-judgments/>
(forthcoming 2019) (invited submission).

Explaining ADA Employment Discrimination Charges over the Business Cycle, 83 U. CIN. L.
REV. 738 (2016).

Self-Perception of Disability and Prospects for Employment Among U.S. Veterans, 50 WORK 49
(2015) (with Michael Ashley Stein) (peer reviewed).

Corrections for Racial Disparities in Law Enforcement, 55 WM. & MARY L. REV. 1365 (2014)
(with Frank A. Sloan & Lindsey M. Eldred).

Citizens' Capital Accounts: A Comment, in EXPORTING THE ALASKA MODEL: ADAPTING THE
PERMANENT FUND DIVIDEND FOR REFORM AROUND THE WORLD 225 (Karl Widerquist &
Michael Howard eds., 2012).

The Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend and Membership in the State's Political Community, 29
ALASKA L. REV. 79 (2012) (invited submission).

Stakeholding Through the Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend: Fitting Practice to Theory, in
ALASKA'S PERMANENT FUND DIVIDEND: EXAMINING ITS SUITABILITY AS A MODEL 157 (Karl
Widerquist & Michael Howard eds., 2012).

Assessing Post-ADA Employment: Some Econometric Evidence and Policy Considerations, 8 J.
EMPIRICAL LEGAL STUD. 477 (2011) (with John J. Donohue III, Michael Ashley Stein & Sascha
Becker).

Child Trust Fund, in INTERNATIONAL ENCYCLOPEDIA OF CIVIL SOCIETY (Helmut K. Anheier & Stefan Toepler eds., 2010).

Disability-Selective Abortion and the Americans with Disabilities Act, 2009 UTAH L. REV. 845 (with Dov Fox).

WORKING PAPERS

Discrimination Without Causation

Generative Artificial Intelligence And Access to Justice: Possibilities, Concerns, Best Practices, and How to Measure Success (with Cas Laskowski & Samuel A. Thumma)

“If It Didn’t Happen, Why Would I Change My Decision?”: How Judges Respond to Counterfactual Explanations for the Public Safety Assessment (with Yaniv Yacoby, Ben Green & Finale Doshi-Valez)

Wrongful Reproductive Care and Rightful Recovery

OTHER WRITING

Recruitment and Retention of Arizona's Law Enforcement and Fire Service Personnel (with Jason Sandvik, Seung-Ho An & David Dow).

THE UTAH ONLINE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PLATFORM: A USABILITY EVALUATION AND REPORT (2020) (with Stacy Butler, Sarah Mauet & Mackenzie Pish).

CONNECTICUT’S LEGAL LIABILITY FOR MODIFYING PUBLIC PENSION BENEFITS (Connecticut Policy Institute 2014).

Greater Disability Protection Doesn't Mean Less Selective Abortion, HUFFINGTON POST BLOG (Mar. 5, 2013, 6:25 PM), http://www.huffingtonpost.com/dov-fox/greater-disability-protection-abortion_b_2814361.html (with Dov Fox).

Amicus Brief: *Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. v. Dukes*, 131 S. Ct. 2541 (2011): Application of multiple regression analysis to determining commonality under Fed. R. Civ. P. 23(a)(2)

SELECT PRESENTATIONS

Reinventing the Canon: Great Torts Cases of the 21st Century, 2023. “Wrongful Reproductive Care and Rightful Recovery”

OECD RIGA Global Access to Justice Roundtable, 2022. “What Works and Monitoring People-Centredness? Panel.

Laboratoire de Cyberjustice Cyberjustice, 2021. “Making ODR More Effective and Accessible Through Usability Testing”

International Legal Aid Group Conference, Ontario, Canada, 2019. “Lessons from the Field: Conducting Randomized Experiments to Improve Civil Legal Aid Services”

World Justice Forum VI, The Hague, The Netherlands, 2019. “Measuring Civil Justice Outcomes”

OECD Global Access to Justice Roundtable, Lisbon, Portugal, 2019. “Next Steps in Measuring the Benefits of Access to Justice Interventions”

American Association of Law Schools, New Orleans, 2019. “Lessons from the Field: Developing Randomized Control Trials in Civil and Criminal Law”

National Legal Aid and Defense Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 2018. “Things to Think About in Planning Your Research and Evaluation”

Inacipe Congreso Internacional, México City, 2018. Keynote Speech, “The Promise and Peril of Algorithmic Criminal Justice”

Self-Represented Litigation Network Conference, San Francisco, CA, 2017. “Matching Research Methodologies with Research Goals: An Essential Consideration for Building a Research Agenda”

National Association for Court Management Midyear Conference, Portland, OR, 2016. “Evidence-Based Practices and Access to Justice”

Second Annual Experimental Methods in Legal Scholarship Workshop, UCLA Law School, 2016. Discussant, “Psychological Constructions of Criminality: How Lay and Legal Understandings of Law Diverge”

Washington and Lee University School of Law Faculty Workshop, 2016. “Explaining ADA Employment Discrimination Charges over the Business Cycle”

Third Annual QuantLaw Conference, University of Arizona, 2016. “Explaining ADA Employment Discrimination Charges over the Business Cycle”

Twenty-Fifth Annual American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Columbia Law School, 2015. “An Empirical Assessment of Panel Effects in Quasi-Judicial Decision Making”

Sixth Annual Junior Faculty Federal Courts Workshop, Brooklyn Law School, 2013. “Empirical Predicates for Remedial State Action”

Fourth Annual Empirical Health Law Conference, O’Neill Institute, Georgetown University Law Center, 2013. “Medical Leave-Taking After the FMLA: An Empirical Analysis of Affirmative Employment Rights”

American University Washington College of Law Workshop, 2013. “Corrections for Racial Disparities in Law Enforcement”

Seventh Annual Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Stanford Law School, 2012. “Evaluating Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Criminal Process: Evidence from North Carolina”

Twenty-Second Annual American Law & Economics Association Annual Meeting, Stanford Law School, 2012. “Medical Leave-Taking After the FMLA: An Empirical Analysis of Affirmative Employment Rights”

Forty-First Urban Affairs Conference, New Orleans, 2011. “Too Few Steps Forward: Lessons for Transportation and Land Use Planning from Home Healthcare Participants”

Fifth Annual Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Yale Law School, 2010. Discussant: “Foreclosure Law and Mortgage Risk in the Subprime Era: An Empirical Examination”

Yale Law School Olin Fellow Seminar Series, 2008. “Florida’s Sexual Offender Registry: A Scarlet Letter of Red Cloth or Red Hot Iron?”

The Americans with Disabilities Act: Empirical Perspectives, New York University School of Law Center for Labor & Employment Law, 2006. “Assessing Post-ADA Employment: Some Econometric Evidence and Policy Considerations”

REFEREE

Journal of Legal Studies, International Review of Law & Economics, Law & Policy; Work