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### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Current appointment as Associate Professor of Law at Seattle University School of Law, teaching both first year and upper division courses. Areas of specialization include Criminal and Constitutional Law, with particular emphasis on First Amendment issues and criminal procedure under the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Amendments. Current teaching package comprised of Constitutional Law, Constitutional Criminal Procedure, and Law and Religion. Joined the faculty as Assistant Professor in 2002, promoted to Associate Professor in 2006, and granted tenure in 2008.

Honors: Outstanding Faculty Award (2007)  
SBA Faculty Service Award (2007)  
Outstanding Faculty Award (2005)  
Designated a “Rising Star” by Washington Law & Politics Magazine

### EDUCATION

**Columbia University School of Law**, J.D. Spring 1998  
*Editor-in-Chief* (1997-98), Columbia Journal of Law and Social Problems  
Member Black Law Students Association  
Native American Law Students Association  
Member Society of Alternative Dispute Resolution  
Certified Mediator in City of New York  
Member Environmental Law Society

Honors: *Director*, 1997-98 Harlan Fiske Stone Honors Moot Court Competition  
Student Editor, 1996-97 Moot Court Program  
Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar

**University of California, Berkeley**, B.A. Anthropology Spring 1995  
Member Black Engineering and Science Students Association  
Member Minority Engineering Program  
University Boxing Club (1990-92)

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### PUBLICATIONS

**The Constitutional and Statutory Framework Organizing the Office of the United States Attorney**, 31 Seattle U. L. Rev. 213 (2008).

**How Privacy Killed Katz: A Tale of Cognitive Freedom and the Property of Personhood as Fourth Amendment Norm** (work-in-progress, manuscript available for review).

**Letting *Katz* Out of the Bag: Cognitive Freedom and Fourth Amendment Fidelity**, 59 Hastings L.J. 309 (2007).

**Leveling the Playing Field: A New Theory of Exclusion for a Post-PATRIOT Act America**, 70 Missouri L. Rev. 519 (2005).

**Neither Separate Nor Equal: How Race-Sensitive Enforcement of Criminal Laws Threatens to Undo Brown v. Board of Education**, 3 Seattle Journal for Social Justice 45 (2004).

**The Religious Freedom Restoration Act and New Versions of Old Limits on Federal Legislative Authority**, accepted for publication in Columbia Journal of Law and Social Problems, vol. 31 no. 1. *Preempted* June, 1997.

**Mechanical Scaling in Paranthropus Craniofacial Morphology As a Masticatory Adaptation**, submitted for publication, accepted as Honors Thesis June, 1995.

### CURRENT RESEARCH AGENDA

**Cognitive Camera Technologies: Human Identity and the Dire Constitutional Implications of Cognitive Forensic Mapping.** Designed to produce a series of four articles, this project evaluates the constitutional significance of new technologies that build on advances in neuroscience and the study of cognitive strategies to probe the contents of one's mind. This technique may be employed to collect a variety of types of information that then is offered as evidence in criminal prosecutions, and it appears that the judiciary is not yet sufficiently aware of either the personal or the constitutional implications to exclude such evidence from the trial or discourage its initial collection. This project proposes, in series, an analysis under the Fourth, Fifth and Fourteenth Amendments which synthesizes a proposed theoretical interpretive framework with the existing landscape of law.

**In Physics as in Law: Toward a Grand Unified Theory of the First Amendment.** I propose a model of the First Amendment which allows the

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various separate provisions to be understood as forming a single coordinated instrument for manifesting a particular vision of human intellectual freedom. Taking the religion clauses as an example, this article explores how the theory would resolve certain doctrinal tensions in the context of institutional use of religious messaging or programming.

### **Jesus Lives in Jail – The Rise and Role of Faith in Correctional Institutions.**

This project seeks to understand both the stimuli for and means of developing or deepening religious commitment among incarcerated individuals. The inquiry will include a review of current legal treatment of religious matters in prison settings, and outline several problematic aspects of the relationship between penal law and private religion that have yet to be reconciled by the court system.

**A New Renaissance: Rethinking a Hyper-Rational Order.** This work explores the intellectual and cultural underpinnings of Western legal thought and tracking our progress towards the assumed ideals. The article will ask how our society would be different without an emphasis on dichotomous relationships and a separation of the rational from the intuitive mind.

## SELECTED SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

**Society of American Law Teachers Conference – Teaching for Social Change (Invited Speaker)**, Berkeley, California (March 2008). Presentation: *“Scheduling the Revolution: Normalizing Radical Constitutionalism in the Classroom.”*

**Texas Wesleyan University School of Law Faculty Scholarship Series (Invited Speaker)**, Fort Worth, Texas (October 2007). Presentation: *“How Privacy Killed Katz: A Tale of Cognitive Freedom and the Property of Personhood as Fourth Amendment Norm.”*

**Latina/Latino Critical Legal Theory Annual Conference XII, Florida International University College of Law**, Miami, Florida (October 2007). Presentation: *“Claiming and (Dis)Claiming: Inductive Identity and the Commoditization of Culture.”*

**The Law and Society Association Annual Meeting (Invited Speaker), Humboldt University**, Berlin, Germany (July 2007). Presentation: *“Claiming: The Causes and Consequences of Self-Racialization and Auto-Othering.”*

**Seattle University School of Law, Continuing Legal Education Program, Public Policy Forum – United States Attorneys: Roles and Responsibilities**, Seattle, Washington (May 2007). Presentation: *“The Constitutional and Statutory Framework Organizing the Office of the United States Attorney.”*

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**Symposium: Katz v. United States, 40 Years Later (Invited Speaker), University of California at Davis School of Law, Davis, California (March 2007).** Presentation: *"Letting Katz Out of the Bag: Cognitive Freedom and Fourth Amendment Fidelity."*

**Federal Bar Association Annual Meeting (Invited Speaker), Seattle, Washington (December 2006).** Presentation: *"The Elusive and Illusory Tensions Between Liberty and Security: Killing the Constitution to Save the Country?"*

**Latina/Latino Critical Legal Theory Annual Conference XI, UNLV Boyd College of Law, Las Vegas, Nevada (October 2006).** Presentation: *"Claiming: The Causes and Consequences of Self-Racialization for Institutionalized Academics."*

**Society of American Law Teachers 2006 Teaching Conference, Suffolk University Law School, Boston, Massachusetts (September 2006).** Moderator: *"Raising and Addressing Issues of War & Terrorism in the Classroom and in Scholarship."*

**American Bar Association Annual Meeting, University of Hawaii School of Law, Honolulu, Hawaii (August 2006).** Presentation: *"The Role of New Technologies as a Response to and Exacerbation of Post-9/11 Policing Concerns."*

**Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, Syracuse University College of Law, Syracuse, New York (March 2006).** Presentation: *"From Claiming to Being Claimed: Racial Inclusion and Exclusion Through Media Constructions of Color."*

**Latina/Latino Critical Legal Theory Annual Conference X, Inter-American University, San Juan, Puerto Rico (October 2005).** Presentation: *"Are you [Blank] Enough? Minimum Compliance with Outsider Conventions."*

**48<sup>th</sup> Annual Washington Judicial Conference (Invited Speaker), Tacoma, Washington (September 2005).** Presentation: *"Recent Decisions of the United States Supreme Court Affecting Criminal Law & Procedure."*

**KUOW Radio "Weekdays" Program (Invited Guest), Seattle, Washington (December 2004).** Topic: *"The Role of Religion in Political and Public Life."*

**Seattle University School of Law, Continuing Legal Education Program, Church and State: What Role Should Religion Play in the**

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**Country's Life?**, Seattle, Washington (November 2004). Presentation: *"The Separation of Church and State: Establishment Clause Mandate or Constitutional Myth?"*

**University of the Western Cape, Colloquium on International and Comparative Law: Centering Constitutional Law and Critical Theory**, Cape Town, South Africa (August 2004). Presentation: *"Imagination and Illusion: The Aspiration and Failure of American Constitutionalism."*

**Latina/Latino Critical Legal Theory Annual Conference IX, Villanova University School of Law**, Malvern, Pennsylvania (April 2004). Presentation: *"Leveling the Playing Field: A New Theory of Exclusion for a Post-PATRIOT Act America."*

**Seattle University School of Law, From Brown to Grutter: Racial Integration and the Law in the Northwest**, Seattle, Washington (April 2004). Presentation: *"Neither Separate Nor Equal: How Race-Sensitive Enforcement of Criminal Laws Threatens to Undo Brown v. Board of Education."*

**St. Louis University School of Law Faculty Scholarship Workshop**, St. Louis, Missouri (March, 2004). Presentation of *"Leveling the Playing Field: A New Theory of Exclusion for a Post-PATRIOT Act America"* as a work-in-progress.

**University of Washington School of Social Work, Conference on Policy, Community and Organizational Practice**, Seattle, Washington (November 2004). Presentation: *"The Justice Implications of Felon Disenfranchisement."*

**African American-Jewish Coalition for Justice, Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday Conference**, Seattle, Washington (January 2004). Presentation: *"The PATRIOT Act: Threat to Our Civil Liberties."*

**KUOW Radio "Weekdays" Program (Invited Guest)**, Seattle, Washington (December 2003). Topic: *"The History and Current Meaning of the First Amendment's Establishment Clause."*

**Loren Miller Bar Association, Monthly Membership Meeting**, Seattle, Washington (December, 2003). Presentation: *"Race-Based Disparities in Seattle Police Department Drug Enforcement Efforts."*

**ADDITIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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### **Columbia University School of Law – Professor Carol Liebman**

Mediation Clinic Teaching Assistant 1997-1998  
Supervised eight second and third year students enrolled in clinical mediation program. Prepared training materials and set up practical exercises. Oversaw students serving as mediators in New York City community dispute resolution centers. Provided mediation debriefings, performance feedback, and commentary on writing assignments.

### **University of California at Berkeley, Math, Engineering and Sciences Achievement Program and Minority Engineering Program**

Teaching Assistant 1991-1992  
Taught intensive chemistry summer course for advanced high school students, preparing lesson plans, classroom lectures, instructional materials, and laboratory experiments, as well as designed and graded homework. Also taught summer chemistry immersion course for incoming freshmen entering engineering disciplines, preparing lecture series and practical assignments, grading homework, and holding tutorial sessions during semester.

## **RELATED EXPERIENCE**

### **2004 Seattle University Nicaragua Immersion - Managua, Nicaragua Program Participant**

Engaged in week long educational exchange, in conjunction with the Universidad de Centro America (“UCA), designed to familiarize participants with the sociopolitical realities of developing nations, and to create and foster collaborative relationships with colleagues and professionals at both institutions. Immersion trip included audiences with current President of Nicaraguan Supreme Court and with a panel of UCA Law School faculty members, including Dean of Law School and Dean of Students. Majority of meetings were conducted in Spanish, with some assistance from translator.

## **LAW SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Law School Committees: Faculty Recruitment Committee (2004-05, 2006-07, **Committee Chair** - 2007-08), Dean Search Committee (2004), Curriculum Committee (2002-03, 2003-04).

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Faculty Advisor, American Constitutional Society, Seattle University  
School of Law Chapter

Faculty Advisor, Black Law Students Association

Faculty Advisor, Seattle Journal for Social Justice

Member, Board of Directors for the American Civil Liberties Union of  
Washington

Member, Board of Directors for Latina & Latino Critical Legal Theory,  
Inc. (LatCrit)

Member, Board of Directors for the Society of American Law Teachers  
(SALT)

Member, Advisory Board to the Vestry for the Parish of St. Mark's  
Cathedral

Member, Intiman Theater American Cycle Community Committee –  
Committee Chair for 2007, 2008 Production seasons

Working Group Member, The Defender Association's and the ACLU of  
Washington's Racial Disparity Project

## SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Conversational in Spanish. Highly experienced with all common forms  
of office productivity software, network interfaces, and word processing  
programs. Enjoy cycling, dog training, and building and sampling  
audiophile stereo components.

## REFERENCES

Available upon request.