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Education

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, New York, NY

PHD CANDIDATE IN INTERNATIONAL & GLOBAL HISTORY, MINOR IN LEGAL HISTORY (2017-)

M.Phil. Columbia University, History 2021

Fields: International History (Mark Mazower, dissertation advisor)
20th Century American History (Elizabeth Blackmar)
American Legal History (Jeremy Kessler- Columbia Law School)
The Legal History of International Politics (Samuel Moyn-Yale)

M.A. Columbia University, History 2019

Honors & Activities: Richard Hofstadter Fellow • Comparative Studies of South Asia, Africa and Middle East, Editorial Assistant

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Cambridge, MA

DOCTOR OF JURIDICAL SCIENCES (SJD) (MAY 2019); MASTERS IN LAW (LL.M.) REQUIREMENTS COMPLETED, DEGREE WAIVED (MAY 2012)

Dissertation: “American Legal Thought in the World: Sociological Jurisprudence in the History of American Foreign Policy, 1902-1967”

Dissertation Committee: Samuel Moyn (Dissertation advisor, Yale Law School); David Kennedy; Duncan Kennedy; David Armitage (Harvard FAS-History)

Honors & Activities: •Harvard International Law Journal, Managing Editor (2013) •Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, Judge (2012, 2013, 2015, 2016) • Research Assistant to Professor Michael Klarman (2014) • SJD Association, President (2014-2015) • Fulbright Scholar •A. Onassis Foundation Scholar •Hellenic Harvard Foundation Grantee •Harvard Law School Grantee

ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY OF THESSALONIKI, LAW SCHOOL, Thessaloniki, Greece

LL.M. – *excellent*, 9.92/10 (DECEMBER 2012); LL.B. – *excellent*, 9.31/10 (NOVEMBER 2009)

Honors: •Tulane University Law School Grantee, Summer School in Comparative Legal Studies (2010) •Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, International Rounds Semi-finalist (2009); Henry C. Dillard Memorial Award (2009)

Teaching & Research Interests

Legal History, International Law, Property, Professional Responsibility, Jurisprudence

Publications & Works in Progress

Who Owns The Critical Vision In International Legal History?: Reflections On Anne Orford's International Law and the Politics of History, 36 TEMPLE INT'L & COMP L. J. _ (2022) (invited review essay)

Pragmatic Legalism: Revisiting America's Order After World War II, 62 HARVARD INT'L L. J. 325-374 (2021)
(law review article)

Between Managerialism and the Legal Counterculture: The Yale Program in Law and Modernization in the History of the Global 1970s, 7 REVISTA ESTUDIOS INSTITUCIONAIS- JOURNAL OF INSTITUTIONAL STUDIES 829-848 (2021) (invited contribution)

Book review, Mira Siegelberg, *Statelessness: A Modern History*, H-Diplo Roundtable XXII-51 (2021)

American Legal Thought in the World: Sociological Jurisprudence in the History of American Foreign Policy, 1902-1967 (completed doctoral dissertation)

Sovereignty in the History of Progressive Legal Thought (article, in progress)

Embattled Pragmatism (article, in progress)

Teaching & Advising Experience

COLUMBIA COLLEGE, Teaching Assistant, “War and Society since 1945,” “US Relations with East Asia” and “European Catastrophe” (2018-2020)

Led weekly discussion sections; helped design and graded assignments; guest lectured

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL

•Teaching Assistant, “Global Law and Governance” (2016)

Led review sessions; helped design syllabus and update teaching material; guest lectured

• Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, Academic Advisor (2012-2015)

Lectured on select topics in International Law and International Adjudication; trained students in oral advocacy; reviewed drafts and provided feedback on briefs

•LL.M. Writers' Workshop- Teaching Assistant (2014-2015, 2016-2017)

Supported LL.M. students preparing a Master's Thesis; reviewed drafts and provided feedback; organized and led bi-monthly writing workshops

•Graduate Program Fellow, LL.M. Advisor (2012-2014, 2015-2016)

Assisted LL.M. students select courses and design their schedule

HARVARD COLLEGE, Teaching Fellow, “Philosophical Foundations of Economic Thought”, “History of Human Rights” and “From Jane Austen to Chick Lit” (2015-2017)

Led weekly discussion sections; helped design and graded assignments

ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY OF THESSALONIKI LAW SCHOOL

•Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, Academic Advisor (2009-2011)

Lectured on select topics in International Law and International Adjudication; trained students in oral advocacy; reviewed drafts and provided feedback on briefs

• Teaching Assistant, “European Union Law” (2010)

Co-taught seminar for international and exchange students

Awards & Fellowships

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, School of International and Public Affairs, International Fellow (2020)
HARVARD COLLEGE, Certificate of Distinction in Teaching (For “History of Human Rights”)
WEATHERHEAD CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, Grantee & Affiliate (2015- 2017)
HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Summer Academic Fellowship Recipient (2013, 2015, 2018, 2019)
GERMAN ACADEMIC EXCHANGE SERVICE (DAAD) Scholar (2008)

Professional Affiliations

BAR MEMBERSHIP: Thessaloniki Bar, Greece (admitted 2011)
MEMBERSHIP IN American Society for Legal History;
American Society for International Law;
Society of the Historians of American Foreign Relations

Selected Conference Papers

SOCIETY OF THE HISTORIANS OF AMERICAN FOREIGN RELATIONS, ANNUAL MEETING (2021)
Roundtable on Law in American Foreign Relations, Participant

LAW AND SOCIETY ASSOCIATION, ANNUAL MEETING (2021)
Roundtable on the Yale Program on Law and Modernization, Invited Comment

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR LEGAL HISTORY, ANNUAL MEETING, BOSTON, MA (2019)
“Between Legal Progressivism and the ‘White Man’s Burden’: American Social Legal Thought on the Unmaking of Empire”

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR INTERNATIONAL LAW, MID-YEAR RESEARCH FORUM, NEW YORK, NY (2019)
“Genealogies of ‘Pragmatic Legalism’: International Lawyering and American Foreign Policy after the Second World War” (blind selected from national call)

LAW AND SOCIETY ASSOCIATION, ANNUAL MEETING, WASHINGTON, DC (2019)
“Welfare Reform as Compass for Cold War International Law and Relations (1918-1967)”

LAW AND SOCIETY ASSOCIATION, ANNUAL MEETING, SEATTLE, WA (2015)
“Narratives of International Law in the Post-war Moment”

Media Contributions

Digging a Hole: The Legal Theory Podcast (Samuel Moyn & David Schleicher) (October 27, 2020)

Research Languages

Greek: Native; English: Fluent; German: Working Knowledge; French: Working Knowledge; Spanish: Reading