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## TEACHING AND RESEARCH

January 2009-present	<u>University of California, Irvine, School of Law</u> . Professor of Law, Founding Faculty.
Fall 2008; Spring 2007	<u>UCLA Law School, Los Angeles, CA</u> . Visiting Professor.
1993 to 2008	<u>Case Western Reserve University Law School, Cleveland, OH</u> . Professor 7/99-2008; Associate Professor, 7/97-7/99; Assistant Professor, 9/93-6/97.
2004-2005	<u>Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA</u> . Visiting Law Professor and Covington & Burling Distinguished Visitor.
1992-1993; 2000-2004	<u>American Bar Foundation, Chicago, IL</u> . Affiliated Scholar.
Autumn 1996; 2000-2002	<u>Northwestern University Law School, Chicago, IL</u> . Visiting Scholar.
1992-1993	<u>IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law, Chicago, IL</u> . Visitor.
1991-1992	<u>University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, IL</u> . Bigelow Fellow.
1989-1990	<u>Stanford University, Stanford-in-Washington program</u> . Undergraduate tutorial instructor.

## PUBLICATIONS

*Political Lawyers: The Structure of a National Network*, 36 **Law & Society Inquiry** 892 (2011) (with John P. Heinz and Anthony Paik).

*Our Institutional Commitment to Teach About the Legal Profession*, 1 **UC Irvine L. Rev.** 73 (2011)(with Catherine Fisk).

*Lawyers in National Policymaking* (with Anthony Paik and John P. Heinz), in **Law and the Possibility of Justice** (Cambridge University Press 2011).

*Between Profit and Principle: The Private Public Interest Firm* (with Scott Cummings), in **Private Lawyers and the Public Interest: The Evolving Role of Pro Bono in the Legal Profession**, edited by Robert Granfield and Lynn Mather (Oxford University Press 2009).

Book Review, *The Rise of the Conservative Legal Movement: The Battle for Control of the Law*, Steven M. Teles, 124 **Political Science Quarterly** 548-550 (2009).

**Lawyers of the Right: Professionalizing the Conservative Coalition** (University of Chicago Press 2008)(book).

*Lawyers of the Right: Networks and Organization*, 32 **Law & Social Inquiry** 883 (2007) (with John P. Heinz & Anthony Paik).

Biographical entry for Daniel J. Popeo, *Yale Biographical Dictionary of American Law* (Yale University Press (2006).

*Conservative Lawyers and the Contest Over the Meaning of Public Interest Law*, 52 **U.C.L.A. L. Rev.** 1223 (2005).

*Professional Identity and Political Commitment Among Lawyers for Conservative Causes*, in **The Worlds Cause Lawyers Make** (Austin Sarat & Stuart Scheingold eds.)(Stanford University Press 2005).

*Representing Agents of CED: A Comment on Recent Developments*, 8 **J. Small & Emerging Bus. L.** 101 (2004).

*Lawyers for Conservative Causes: Clients, Ideology, and Social Distance*, 37 **Law & Society Review** 5 (2003) (with John P. Heinz & Anthony Paik).

*The Provision of Legal Services*, and *The National Lawyers' Guild*, entries in **The Oxford Companion to American Law** (Oxford 2002).

*The Rights Revolution and Support Structures for Rights Advocacy*, 34 **Law & Soc'y Rev.** 1203 (2000)(review essay).

*Lawyers and the "Myth of Rights" in Civil Rights and Poverty Practice*, 8 **B.U. Pub. Int. L.J.** 469 (1999).

*Collective Representation for the Disadvantaged: Variations in Problems of Accountability*, 67 **Fordham L. Rev.** 2449 (1999).

A Response, *Lawyering for Poor Communities in the 21st Century*, 25 **Fordham Urb. L. J.** (1998).

*Business Planning for the Destitute? Lawyers as Facilitators in Civil Rights and Poverty Practice*, 1996 **Wis. L. Rev.** 1121.

*Lawyer-Client Decisionmaking in Civil Rights and Poverty Practice: An Empirical Study of Lawyers' Norms*, 9 **Geo. J. Legal Ethics** 1101 (1996)(nominated for Edgar and Jean Cahn Article Award, 1998; received honorable mention in the Association of American Law Schools 1996 Scholarly Papers Competition).

*Review of John Hagan and Fiona Kay's, Gender in Practice: A Study of Lawyers' Lives,* 4 **J. Legal Ed.** 1 (1997).

*Taking the Lawyer Out of Progressive Lawyering,* 46 **Stan. L. Rev.** 213 (1993).

*Redefining the Attorney's Role in Abusive Tax Shelters,* 37 **Stan. L. Rev.** 889 (1985).

## **WORKS IN PROGRESS**

*Jewish Lawyers for Causes of the Political Right,* in volume on Jews in the Legal Profession, edited by Marc Galanter and Suzanne Stone (Quid Pro Quo Press)(forthcoming 2012).

*Lawyers in National Policymaking: Who Wins and Who Loses?* (with John P. Heinz and Anthony Paik)

*What is Public Interest Law? An Organizational Perspective* (for Clifford Symposium, DePaul Law School, April 26-27, 2012, celebrating the work of Marc Galanter).

*The Legal Profession.* Casebook (with Catherine Fisk).

## **PRESENTATIONS**

DePaul Law School, Chicago, IL, April 26-27, 2012. Clifford Symposium, celebrating the work of Marc Galanter. Will present "What is Public Interest Law? An Organizational Perspective."

Hastings Law School, San Francisco, March 16, 2012. Conference on "Representing the Vulnerable"; will serve as panelist on "Teaching and Practicing 21<sup>st</sup> Century Social Justice Lawyering."

UC Irvine School of Law, Irvine, CA. January 26, 2012. UCI Socio-Legal Studies Workshop. Will present "Lawyers in National Policymaking: Who Wins and Who Loses?"

Creighton Law School, Omaha, NE. Nov. 10, 2011. Lane Lecture: "What's Law Got to Do With It? The Work and Roles of Lawyers of the Conservative Movement."

Suffolk Law School, Boston. May 2011. Presented materials on UCI's first-year legal profession course to Suffolk Law School faculty.

Law & Society Annual Meeting. Chicago, May 28, 2010. Chaired panel on "Networks of Power"; presented paper, "Political Lawyers: The Structure of a National Network."

Northeastern University, Boston, MA. December 1, 2010. Presented "What's Law Got to Do with It? The Work and Roles of Lawyers of the Conservative Movement," as part of Law, Policy and Society Program's lecture series on "Lawyers as Policy Entrepreneurs."

UCLA School of Law, Los Angeles, September 11, 2009. Presented “The Characteristics and Roles of Lawyers Active in National Policymaking,” for symposium honoring Richard Abel, *An Unfinished Project: Law and the Possibility of Justice*.

Law & Society Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, May 29, 2009. Presented “Lawyers in Politics: Preliminary Findings from Research on the Characteristics, Roles, and Relationships of Lawyers Active in National Policymaking,” for panel on “the Legal Complex”; participated on “Author Meets Reader” session on my book, *Lawyers of the Right: Professionalizing the Conservative Coalition*.

Stanford Law School, Palo Alto, CA, November 11, 2008. Discussed research on lawyers for conservative causes, as guest speaker in Deborah Rhode’s professional responsibility class.

University at Buffalo, The State University of New York, Baldy Center for Law and Social Policy. Conference on *Private Lawyers and the Public Interest: The Evolving Role of Pro Bono in the Legal Profession*, April 2008; presented paper on pro bono in small cause-oriented firms (with Scott Cummings).

UCLA School of Law, Los Angeles, CA, Conference on Transnational Public Interest Law, February 19, 2008. Served as discussant for panel on “Mobilizing International Law for Domestic Causes.”

Chapman University School of Law, Orange, CA. November 27, 2007. Presented “Righting the Profession and Professionalizing the Right: Lawyers of the American Conservative Coalition,” as part of the Deans’ Dialogue distinguished visiting lecture series.

University of Southern California Law School, Faculty workshop, September 28, 2007. Presented “Lawyers of the American Conservative Coalition: Divided Constituencies.”

University of California, Berkeley, Center for the Study of Law and Society, Berkeley, CA, Nov. 21, 2006; presented excerpts of book manuscript on lawyers of the conservative movement.

University of Texas Law School, First Annual Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Austin, Texas, October 27, 2006; presented (with John P. Heinz) refereed paper on communication networks among prominent lawyers for conservative causes and the Federalist Society’s role in structuring relationships among them.

Cardozo Law School, New York, October 22, 2006; presented paper on Jewish lawyers in the conservative movement, for conference on Jews in the Legal Profession.

Law & Society Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, July 7, 2006; participated in roundtable on transnational advocacy arenas and public interest law.

UCLA Law School, Los Angeles, CA, Feb. 27, 2006; presented selected materials from research on lawyers of the conservative coalition.

American Society for Legal History Annual Meeting, Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 12, 2005; presented "Social Backgrounds and Characteristics of Prominent Lawyers of the Conservative Movement: Sources of Cohesion and Conflict."

Loyola Law School, Los Angeles, CA, September 30, 2005; presented remarks about "The Price of Civil Justice," for symposium on "Access to Justice".

Law & Society Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, June 3, 2005; presented "Networks of Collective Practice: Communication among Notable Conservative Lawyers."

Harvard Law School, Faculty Workshop, Cambridge, MA, February 17, 2005; presented "Conservative Lawyers and the Contest over the Meaning of 'Public Interest Law'".

American Bar Foundation, Chicago, IL, October 27, 2004; with John P. Heinz, presented "Networks of Collective Practice: Communication among Notable Conservative Lawyers."

Law & Society Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, May 28, 2004; with Anthony Paik and John P. Heinz, presented paper on communication networks among notable lawyers for conservative and libertarian causes.

Northwestern University, Institute for Policy Research, Evanston, IL, April 19, 2004; with John Heinz and Anthony Paik; presented findings on communication networks among lawyers for conservative and libertarian causes.

Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH, April 8, 2004; presented *Conservative Lawyers and the Contest over the Meaning of 'Public Interest Law'*.

Institute for Legal Studies, University of Wisconsin, Madison, February 17, 2004; presented research on the contest over the meaning of "public interest law."

Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, OR, October 2003; presented *Serving Citizen Associations: Lawyers and Community Development*, for symposium on Community Development.

Northwestern University, Kellogg School of Management, Workshop on Conflict, Organizations and Change, Evanston, IL November 2003; presented article on lawyers' roles in the creation of an infrastructure for conservative legal advocacy.

Northwestern University, Law School, Bryant Garth and Ronit Dinovitzer's seminar on "Power, Privilege and the Structures of the Legal Profession," Chicago, IL, March 2003; presented findings on professional identity and political commitment among lawyers for conservative causes.

Ecole Normale Supérieure de Cachan, "Cause Lawyering" Conference, Cachan, France, October 2002; invited conference. Presented article on the professional identities of lawyers for conservative and libertarian causes.

Law & Society Annual Meeting, Vancouver, May 2002: presented papers for two panels: one on lawyers' roles in the turn against expanding liability in the 1970s and 1980s; and another on political commitment and professional identity among lawyers for conservative causes.

Northwestern University, Institute for Policy Research, Evanston, IL, November 2001; with John Heinz, presented findings on characteristics of and relationships among lawyers for conservative causes.

Northwestern University, School of Law, Chicago, IL; guest taught classes for two seminars: one on the transformation of the legal profession and the other on research design.

Case Western Reserve University Law School, Cleveland, OH; served as moderator for Symposium on Multi-Disciplinary Practice, November 2001.

American Bar Foundation, Chicago, IL; participated in brown bag speaker series for summer interns, Chicago, IL, August 2001, July 2002.

American Bar Foundation, Symposium: The Changing Structure of the Legal Profession and Its Impact on Legal Services for Individuals and Businesses: Insights from New Research, London, July 15, 2000; presented paper outlining research on lawyers for conservative causes.

Law & Society Annual Meeting, Miami, Florida, June 2000; presented "Cause Lawyers on the Political Right: A Research Agenda."

University of Wisconsin Law School, Public Interest Law Seminar, Madison, WI, November 22, 1999. Discussed proposed research on lawyers for conservative causes.

Symposium: Lawyering for Poor Communities in the 21st Century, Fordham Law School, November 6-7, 1998; presented symposium article on accountability in collective representation and participated in working group on same topic.

AALS Annual Meeting, Aspen, Colorado, June 1998; participated in two panels: "Access and the Politics of Legal Aid"; and "Cause Lawyering and the State: Patterns of Conflict and Cooperation."

Symposium, Lawyering for Poor Communities in the 21st Century, Fordham Law School, November 1997; served as panelist for discussion of video on "community lawyering".

AALS Annual Meeting, San Antonio, January 1996, AALS Scholarly Paper Presentation; presented paper on civil rights and poverty lawyers' decision-making roles.

University of Akron, September 1995; presented research on civil rights and poverty lawyers' norms regarding the allocation of decision-making responsibility in relationships with clients.

Law and Society Association, Toronto, June 1995; participated on panels on Law and Professional Politics and Cause Lawyers.

Stanford University, Legal Profession Workshop, April 1995; presented paper on lawyers' accountability in civil rights and poverty practice.

Northwestern University, Law and Social Sciences group, January 1995; presented selected preliminary findings from research on civil rights and poverty lawyers in Chicago.

## **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

### University of California, Irvine

2011-2012	Chair, UCI Law School Admissions Committee
2009-2011	UCI Law School Faculty Appointments Committee
2009-2012	Board of Advisors, Center in Law, Society and Culture
2008-2009	UCI Law School's "committee of the whole" for faculty appointments, curricular planning; student affairs committee

### Case Western Reserve University

2007-2008	ABA Self-Study & University Strategic Planning Committee
2006-2008	Clinical Tenure Committee
2001-2004	Promotion and Tenure Committee; Advisor for Litigation Concentration
2000-2001	Curriculum Committee
1999-2000	President's Advisory Committee on promotion and tenure recommendations from the Faculty of the College of Arts and Sciences
1999-2000, 1993-94	Appointments Committee
1998-99	Litigation Law Group
1998-99	Law School Community Committee
1997-98, 1994-95	Appeals and Rules Committee
1997-98	Honor Court
1995-98	Advisor to Women's Law Association
1997-98	Advisor for Dunmore Moot Court Competition
1995-97	Judicial Clerkship Committee
1995-96	Admissions Committee
1995-96	First Year Curriculum Committee
1993-96	Professionalism Committee
1993-94	Steering Committee on the Future of the Legal Profession

## EDUCATION

Stanford Law School, Stanford, CA. J.D., '85. *Stanford Law Review*, Associate Editor, 1984-85. Irving Hellman, Jr. Award for best student publication.

Oxford University, Oxford, U.K. Law school semester abroad, spring 1984.

Stanford University, Stanford, CA. A.B., Political Science, with distinction, 1982.

Princeton University, 1978-79. Houghton Scholarship, merit award for undergraduate study.

## LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Nov. 1989 to June 1991                      U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Division, Appellate Section, Staff Attorney.

Sept. 1988 to Oct. 1989                      Washington Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law/Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, Staff Attorney.

Oct. 1986 to Oct. 1989                      Morrison & Foerster, Associate; member of firm's pro bono committee.

July 1985 to June 1986                      Judge Stanley A. Weigel, U.S. District Court, Northern District of California, Law Clerk.

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Editorial Board, **Law and Social Inquiry: Journal of the American Bar Foundation**, 1/2004- 2009.

Editorial Advisory Board, **Law & Society Review**, 2003-2006.

Board of Visitors, Stanford Law School, since 2007.

Board of Directors, OneJustice, since 2010.

## PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND BAR ADMISSIONS

1992-present                      American Bar Association  
1993-present                      Law and Society Association

Admitted to bar in California and District of Columbia; U.S. Courts of Appeals for the First, Fifth, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, and D.C. Circuits.

**OTHER**

Member, Princeton and Stanford Varsity Diving Teams, 1978-81.

Married to John Weissenbach, with two children, Amy (17) and Ben (14).