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CITIZENSHIP

Canadian; Permanent Resident of the United States since 2003

EDUCATION

- Ph.D., Philosophy, 2011, Georgetown University (with distinction)
- Charlotte H. Newcomb Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, Woodrow Wilson Foundation
 - (One of three philosophy students nationwide awarded fellowship that year.)
- J.D., 2004, Yale Law School
- M.A., Bioethics, 2000, McGill University
- B.A., 1997, McGill University, major: Philosophy/English (First Class Honors and Great Distinction)

EMPLOYMENT

- 09/2017-06/2018 Laurance S. Rockefeller Visiting Faculty Fellow, University Center for Human Values, Princeton University
- 2017-present Associate Professor (with tenure), Department of Legal Studies and Business Ethics, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania
- 2016 to 2017 James G. Campbell, Jr. Memorial Term Assistant Professor, Department of Legal Studies and Business Ethics, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania
- 2011 to 2016 Assistant Professor, Department of Legal Studies and Business Ethics, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania
- 2009-2011 Lecturer, Department of Legal Studies and Business Ethics, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania

Spring 2009	Adjunct Professor of Law, Georgetown University Law Center
2004-2005	Law Clerk, Honorable Louis H. Pollak, U.S. District Court Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
2003-2004	Research Assistant, Prof. Bruce Ackerman, Yale Law School, New Haven, Connecticut
2002-2003	Student Intern, ACLU, National Drug Policy Litigation Project, New Haven, Connecticut
2002	French Interpreter, Immigration Clinic, Yale Law School, New Haven, Connecticut
2000-2001	Intern, Center for Clinical Bioethics, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland

PUBLICATIONS

A. Journal Articles

1. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Faultless Guilt: Toward a Relationship-Based Account of Criminal Liability*, 54 AM. CRIM. L. REV. 521 (2017).
2. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Burdening “Substantial Burdens”*, 2016 U. ILL. L. REV. 43 (invited).
3. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Conscience and Complicity: Assessing Pleas for Religious Exemptions in Hobby Lobby’s Wake*, 82 U. CHICAGO L. REV. 1897 (2015)
 - Awarded “Best Ethics Paper” at the 2015 Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting
4. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Corporate Piety and Impropriety: Hobby Lobby’s Extension of RFRA Rights to the For-Profit Corporation*, 5 HARVARD BUSINESS LAW REVIEW 173 (2015).
5. Eric Orts and Amy J. Sepinwall, *Privacy and Organizational Persons*, 99 MINN. L. REV. 27 (2015).
6. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Crossing the Fault Line in Corporate Criminal Law*, 40 J. CORP. L. 439 (2015).

7. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Corporate Moral Responsibility*, 11 PHIL. COMPASS 3 (2016).
8. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Denying Corporate Rights and Punishing Corporate Wrongs*, 25 BUS. ETHICS Q. 517 (2015).
9. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Responsible Shares and Shared Responsibility: In Defense of Responsible Corporate Officer Liability*, 2014 COLUMBIA BUS. L. REV. 371 (2014).
10. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Responsibility, Repair and Redistribution in the Wake of the Financial Crisis*, 11 GEORGETOWN J.L. & PUB. POL'Y 301 (2013) (symposium piece).
11. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Righting Others' Wrongs: A Critical Look at Clawbacks in Madoff-Type Ponzi Schemes and Other Frauds*, 78 BROOKLYN L. REV. 1 (2012).
 - Excerpt reprinted in THE CORPORATE PRACTICE COMMENTATOR (Robert Thompson ed., Thompson-Reuters publishing (West) 2014).
 - Quoted in the Madoff bankruptcy trustee's Petition for Writ of Certiorari, *Picard v. Fishman*, No. 14-1129 (2015), at 10; cited in Petitioner's Supplemental Reply Brief in Response to the Opposition Filed by the Securities and Exchange Commission, *Ryan v. Picard*, No. 11-969 (2012), at 5.
12. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Citizens United and the Ineluctable Question of Corporate Citizenship*, 44 CONN. L. REV. 575 (2012).
13. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Guilty by Proxy: Expanding the Boundaries of Responsibility in the Face of Corporate Crime*, 63 HASTINGS L.J. 411 (2012).
14. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Failures To Punish: Command Responsibility in Domestic and International Law*, 30 MICH. J. INT'L L. 251 (2009).
15. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Responsibility for Historical Injustices: Reconceiving the Case for Reparations*, 22 J.L. & POL. 183 (2006).
16. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Defense of Others and Defenseless "Others"*, 17 YALE J.L. & FEMINISM 327 (2005).
17. Marion Danis & Amy J. Sepinwall, *Regulation of the Global Marketplace for the Sake of Health*, 30 J.L. MED. & ETHICS 667 (2002).*

* Authors listed in alphabetical order.

B. Book Chapters

18. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Shared Responsibility for Corporate Wrongdoing*, Collective Responsibility (Deborah Perron Tollefsen and Saba Bazarghan eds., forthcoming 2019).
19. Amy J. Sepinwall, *The Challenges of Conscience in a World of Compromise*, NOMOS LVII: COMPROMISE (Jack Knight and Melissa Schwartzberg eds., NYU Press, 2018).
20. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Conscientious Objection, Complicity and Accommodation*, in LAW, RELIGION AND HEALTH IN THE UNITED STATES (I. Glenn Cohen, Holly Lynch and Elizabeth Sepper eds., Cambridge University Press, forthcoming 2016).
21. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Blame, Emotion and the Corporation*, in THE MORAL RESPONSIBILITY OF FIRMS (Eric. W. Orts and N. Craig Smith eds., Oxford University Press, 2016).
22. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Education by Corporation: The Merits and Perils of For-Profit Higher Education for a Democratic Citizenry*, in CORPORATIONS AND CITIZENSHIP (Greg Urban ed., University of Pennsylvania Press, 2014).
23. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Citizen Responsibility and the Reactive Attitudes: Blaming Americans for War Crimes in Iraq*, in ACCOUNTABILITY FOR COLLECTIVE WRONGDOING (Richard Vernon and Tracy Isaacs eds., Cambridge University Press, 2011).

C. Other

24. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Can a Corporation Have a Conscience?*, WASHINGTON POST, March 21, 2014.
25. Amy J. Sepinwall, *The Unemotional Corporation*, INSEAD KNOWLEDGE, March 21, 2014.
26. Amy Sepinwall, *Criminal Enterprises and Culpable Leaders*, ON LEADERSHIP: WASHINGTON POST, Nov. 12, 2013.
27. Amy Sepinwall & Scott Rosner, *Punishing Penn State*, HUFFINGTON POST, Jul. 30, 2012.

28. Amy Sepinwall & Scott Rosner, *Penn State and the Blame Game*, HUFFINGTON POST, Jan. 7, 2012.
29. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Commentary, The Merits of a General Education in Bioethics*, 2 AM. J. BIOETHICS 31 (2002).

D. Works in Progress

30. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Complicitous Compliance* (manuscript in draft form).
31. Amy J. Sepinwall, *The Strange Career of Complicity* (full précis)
32. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Constitutional Commodification* (with Eric Orts; under review)
33. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Hypocrisy and Complicity* (with Nico Cornell; under review)
34. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Off-Label Rights* (under review)
35. Amy J. Sepinwall, *Commercial Complicity* (under review)

INVITED TALKS

“Communicable Complicity”

- Duke University, March 18, 2019
- Wayne State Law School, Feb. 25, 2019

“Particularism and Halakhah,” Villanova Law School, Feb. 15, 2019

“Free Speech and Off-Label Rights”

- Annual Analytic Legal Philosophy Conference, University of Toronto, April 27, 2018
- Annual Law and Religion Roundtable, University of Pennsylvania, June 21, 2018

“Hypocrisy and Complicity,” (with Nicolas Cornell)

- Tulane Philosophy, in conjunction with *Philosophy, Politics and Economics*, Feb. 22, 2018
- Princeton University, May 8, 2018

“Commercial Complicity,” UCLA Legal Theory Workshop, February 8, 2018

“Guilt by Craft: A Comment on Joseph Singer’s ‘Religious Liberty & Public Accommodations: What Would Hohfeld Say,’” *Centennial Workshop Commemorating the Work of Wesley Newcomb Hohfeld*, Yale Law School, October 15, 2016.

“The Challenges of Conscience in a World of Compromise,” Petrie-Flom Seminar Series, Harvard Law School, Sept. 19, 2016.

“Freedom for Religion and Corporation,” *Fourth Annual International Consortium for Law and Religion Conference*, Oxford University, Sept. 10, 2016.

“Faultless Guilt: Toward a Relationship-Based View of Criminal Liability,” Department of Philosophy, University of Pennsylvania, Nov. 13, 2015.

“Taint: Money and Identity,” Kelley School of Business, University of Indiana, Nov. 6, 2015.

“Conscience and Complicity: Assessing Pleas for Religious Exemptions After *Hobby Lobby*.” Presented at:

- Columbia Law School, Mar. 25, 2015
- University of Michigan, Ross School of Business, Feb. 13, 2015
- Johns Hopkins University, Berman Institute of Bioethics, Sept. 22, 2014
- Georgetown University, McDonough School of Business, Sept. 19, 2014

“Faultless Wrongdoing.” Presented at:

- *New Voices in Criminal Law Theory*, Death Valley, CA, Mar. 14, 2014.
- NYU Criminal Law Theory Workshop, Mar. 31, 2014
- *Buffalo Criminal Law Center Conference on Causation and Culpability*, May 2, 2014
- Law and Philosophy Workshop, Georgetown University Law Center, Feb. 2, 2015

“Compromise and Complicity: A Response to Michele Moody-Adams.” Presented at:

- *Nomos Symposium*, American Society for Political and Legal Philosophy, American Philosophical Association (Central Division) meeting, Chicago, IL, Feb. 28, 2014.

“Monsters, Incorporated: Why Corporations Aren’t Persons and Why We Shouldn’t Care Anyway.” Presented at:

- *Wharton-INSEAD Alliance Conference on the Moral Responsibility of Firms*, Fontainebleau, France, Dec. 13, 2013.

“Shared Responsibility for Corporate Crime.” Presented at:

- *Law & Humanities Junior Scholars Workshop*, co-organized by Columbia Law School, Georgetown University Law School, University of Southern California Center for Law, History & Culture, UCLA School of Law, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., June 3, 2013.

“Corporate Political Accountability and Business Ethics Education.” Presented at:

- *Corporate Political Accountability Initiative Roundtable*, NYU Stern School of Business, New York, NY, Feb. 15, 2013.

“Citizens United and Corporate Citizenship.” Presented at:

- *Good Business – Ethics and the Corporation*, Business Law Program of University of Maryland Law School and Network 2000, May 23, 2013.
- *University of Pennsylvania Journal of Business Law Symposium*, University of Pennsylvania Law School, Philadelphia, PA, Feb. 8, 2013.

“Responsibility, Repair and Redistribution in the Wake of the Financial Crisis.” Presented at:

- *Inaugural Symposium*, Georgetown Institute for the Study of Markets and Ethics, McDonough School of Business, Georgetown University, Nov. 30, 2012.

“Righting Others’ Wrongs: A Critical Look at Clawback Suits in the Wake of Ponzi Schemes.”

Presented at:

- FH Wien, University of Applied Sciences for Management and Communications, Vienna, May 19, 2015
- *Huber Hurst Research Seminar in Business Law*, Legal Studies and Ethics, Warrington College of Business Administration, University of Florida, Feb. 4, 2012.

“Collective Responsibility for Corporate Crime.” Presented at:

- University of North Carolina Law School Faculty Speaker Series, Oct. 14, 2010.

“Shared Responsibility for the Financial Crisis.” Presented at:

- *Accountability for the Financial Crisis*, The Wharton School, Dec. 7, 2009.

“Collective Sanctions and Member Responsibility.” Presented at:

- *Conference on Collective Punishment*, University of Western Ontario, Apr. 18, 2009.

“Failures To Punish: Command Responsibility in Domestic and International Criminal Law.”

Presented at:

- University of Southern California Law School Speaker Series, Los Angeles, CA, Jan. 2009.
- Georgetown University Law Center Speaker Series, Washington, D.C., Jan. 2009.

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Corrective and Distributive Justice Concerns in Restoring Stolen Art”

- Applied Philosophy and Professional Ethics Conference, March 1, 2019
- Philosophy, Politics and Economics Conference, March 30, 2019

“Complicity in the Provision of Healthcare,” Central American Philosophical Association Annual Meeting, Feb. 23, 2019

“Cakes and Complicity,” *The Social Philosophy and Business Ethics of the American Wedding*, The Wharton School, Nov. 5, 2017

“The Strange Career of Complicity,” *Crimfest! 2016*, Cardozo Law School, July 11, 2016.

“Burdening ‘Substantial Burdens.’” Presented at:

- Academy of Legal Studies in Business, San Juan, August 10, 2016.

“Conscience and Complicity: Assessing Pleas for Religious Exemptions After *Hobby Lobby*.” Presented at:

- *Law, Religion, and Health in America*, Petrie-Flom Annual Conference, Harvard Law School, May 9, 2015.

“Corporate Piety and Impropriety.” Presented at:

- *Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting*, Seattle, WA, Aug. 8, 2014.
- *Society for Business Ethics Annual Meeting*, Philadelphia, PA, Aug. 2, 2014.

“Monsters, Incorporated: Why Corporations Aren’t Persons and Why We Shouldn’t Care Anyway.” Presented at:

- *Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting*, Boston, MA, Aug. 7, 2013.
- *Society for Business Ethics Annual Meeting*, Orlando, Florida, Aug. 11, 2013.

“Bailing and Flailing: Why We Must Pay for the Excesses of the Well-Off and the Needs of the Poor.” Presented at:

- *Association for Legal and Social Philosophy Annual Conference*, Stirling, Scotland, June 24, 2013.

“Bribery: A Victimless and Causeless Crime?” Presented at:

- *2013 Wharton Workshop on Decision-making and Bribery*, Philadelphia, PA, June 3, 2013.

“Responsible Shares and Shared Responsibility: In Defense of Responsible Corporate Officer Liability.” Presented at:

- *Inaugural meeting of the Mid-Atlantic Chapter of the Law and Society Association*, Drexel Law School, Philadelphia, PA, Oct. 20, 2012.

“Responsibility for Bailing Us Out.” Presented at:

- *Annual Meeting of the Mid-Atlantic Chapter of the Academy of Legal Studies in Business*, Pierce College, Philadelphia, PA, Mar. 22, 2013.

“Righting Others’ Wrongs: A Critical Look at Clawback Suits in the Wake of Ponzi Schemes.” Presented at:

- *Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual meeting*, Kansas City, MO, August 13, 2012;
- *Society for Business Ethics Annual Meeting*, Boston, MA, Aug. 6, 2012.

“Commitment and Shared Responsibility,” Presented at:

- *Annual meeting for the Association for Social and Legal Philosophy*, Trinity University, Belfast, UK, June 24, 2012.

“Responsible Corporate Officer Liability,” Presented at:

- NYU Law School Criminal Law Theory Workshop, New York, NY, Apr. 23, 2012.

“*Citizens United* and the Ineluctable Question of Corporate Citizenship,” Presented at:

- *Society for Business Ethics Annual Meeting*, San Antonio, TX, Aug. 11, 2011;
- *Academy for Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, LA, Aug. 9, 2011.

“Guilty by Proxy: Expanding the Boundaries of Responsibility for Corporate Crime.” Presented at:

- University of Pennsylvania Law School Ad Hoc Speaker Series, Jul. 12, 2011.

“Righting Others’ Wrongs: Restitution in the Bernie Madoff Ponzi Scheme and Transitional Justice.” Presented at:

- *Law and Society Association Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, CA, Jun. 4, 2011.

“Restituting Others’ Injustices: Clawbacks and the Madoff Ponzi Scheme.” Presented at:

- *Department of Legal Studies and Business Ethics Faculty Speaker Series*, The Wharton School, May 3, 2011.

“Collective Responsibility for Corporate Crime.” Presented at:

- *Albany Law School Faculty Development Conference*, Feb. 3, 2011.

INVITED ROUNDTABLES/CONFERENCES

- Annual Law and Religion Roundtable, Notre Dame University, June 15-16, 2017
- Analytical Legal Philosophy Conference, University of Michigan, April 20-21, 2017
- Racial Justice and Religious Liberty Convening, Columbia Law School, March 3, 2017

- *New Voices Workshop on the Purpose of the Corporation*, Aspen Institute Business and Society Program and the Cornell Law School Clarke Business Law Institute, New York, NY, Mar. 28, 2014.
- *Aspen Academic-Practitioner Roundtable “Rethinking ‘Shareholder Value’ and The Purpose (s) of the Firm II,”* NYU Stern School of Business, New York, NY, Mar, 1-2, 2012.
- *Corporate Responsibility and Liberty*, Liberty Fund, Indianapolis, IN, Oct. 20-23, 2011.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS ORGANIZED

2019	Legal Norms and Intimate Relationships, International Association for the Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy, Switzerland (with Nicolas Cornell)
2019	Transatlantic Normative Business Ethics Conference, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium (with Sandrine Blanc)
2018	Wedding vendors, Religion, and Equality, University Center for Human Values, Princeton University
2017	Transatlantic Normative Business Ethics Conference, Paris (with Sandrine Blanc)
2017	Wharton-CUNY Conference on Business and Religious Accommodation
2013-2017	Normative Business Ethics Works-in-Progress Series, Zicklin Center for Business Ethics Research, Wharton (roughly 5 meetings per academic year)
2013	<i>Corporate and Constitutional Law Scholars Convene for Hobby Lobby v. Burwell</i> , Zicklin Center for Business Ethics Research, Wharton, Dec. 12, 2014
2010	<i>Citizens United and the Changing Political Role of the Corporation</i> , Co-organized by the Center for Political Accountability, UCLA Law School and the Zicklin Center for Business Ethics Research, Wharton, Oct. 1, 2010.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

A. University Service

2016-2017	Chair, Senate Committee on Faculty and the Academic Mission, University of Pennsylvania Faculty Senate
2014-2017	Coordinator, LGST Junior Faculty Works-in-Progress Series
2013-2017, 2018 on	Coordinator, Normative Business Ethics Initiatives, Carol and Lawrence Zicklin Center for Business Ethics Research, Wharton
2012-2017	Faculty designee, Law Without Walls, Wharton

2012 & 2016	Member, LGST Department Search Committee
2011-2016, 2018 on	Member, Senate Committee on Faculty and the Academic Mission, University of Pennsylvania Faculty Senate
2014-2015	Member, Faculty Committee on Student Evaluations, Wharton
2013-2014	Member, Wharton 2013 Faculty Survey Steering Committee
2012-2013	Member, Wharton Dean's Advisory Committee
2011-2013	Member, LGST Department Doctoral Executive Committee
2010-2012	Member, Planning and Execution Committee, "Corporations and Citizenship" Speaker Series, Program on Democracy, Citizenship and Constitutionalism, University of Pennsylvania

B. Editorial Work

2017-2018	Reviewer, <i>Philosophical Quarterly</i>
2016-2017	Reviewer, <i>Social Theory and Practice</i>
2016-2018	Reviewer, <i>Journal of Business Ethics</i>
2009-2018	Reviewer, <i>Business Ethics Quarterly</i>
2010-2016	Reviewer, <i>American Business Law Journal</i>
2012	Reviewer, <i>Criminal Law and Philosophy</i>
2011	Reviewer, <i>Law and Philosophy</i>

RESEARCH AND TEACHING AREAS:

- Moral Philosophy, especially responsibility; business ethics
- Constitutional law, especially business and constitutional rights
- Corporate responsibility and corporate governance
- Civil Rights and Civil Liberties
- White collar crime
- Criminal Law
- Jurisprudence
- Bioethics and the Law
- International Criminal Law

SELECTED MEDIA APPEARANCES AND PRESS MENTIONS

Podcast, *Should a Business Reflect the Values of Its Owner?*, KNOWLEDGE@WHARTON SIRIUS RADIO, Aug. 9, 2016, *transcript available at* <http://knowledge.wharton.upenn.edu/article/should-a-business-reflect-the-values-of-its-owner/>.

Podcast, *Apple v. the FBI: What It Could Mean for Privacy and Security*, KNOWLEDGE@WHARTON SIRIUS RADIO, Mar. 9, 2016, *transcript available at* <http://knowledge.wharton.upenn.edu/article/apple-vs-the-fbi-what-it-means-for-privacy-and-security/>.

Sarah Green, *The Hobby Lobby Decision: How Business Got Here*, HARVARD BUSINESS REVIEW, Jul. 3, 2014, <http://blogs.hbr.org/2014/07/the-hobby-lobby-decision-how-business-got-here/>.

Podcast, *Could the Hobby Lobby Case Unleash a “Parade of Horribles”?*, KNOWLEDGE@WHARTON SIRIUS RADIO, Jul. 2, 2014, *transcript available at* <http://knowledge.wharton.upenn.edu/article/hobby-lobby-case/>.

The Price of the GM Recalls: Advice for Mary Barra, KNOWLEDGE@WHARTON, April. 9, 2014.

It’s Complicated: When a CEO’s Personal Position Becomes Public. NPR, April 4, 2014.

Conscientious Objectors: Local Ethicists Lead the Way to Better Behavior, JEWISH EXPONENT, Nov. 19, 2013.

Wal-Mart Women: In a Class by Themselves?, KNOWLEDGE@WHARTON, March 28, 2011.

Citizens ‘Dis-united’: How a Recent Supreme Court Case Sounds the Alarm about the Political Role of Corporations, KNOWLEDGE@WHARTON, Oct. 27, 2010.

Financial Industry Overhaul: Will the New Law Avert Another Crisis?, 20 C.Q. RESEARCHER 629 (2010).

A Race to the Bottom: Assigning Responsibility for the Financial Crisis, KNOWLEDGE@WHARTON, Jan. 6, 2010.

RESEARCH AWARDS

- 2016 Dean’s Research Fund award to pursue work on money and expressive implication.
- 2015 Dean’s Research Fund award to pursue work on complicity.
- 2014 Dean’s Research Fund award to pursue work on corporate conscience.
- 2014 Zicklin Center for Business Ethics Research Award to pursue work on corporate conscience.
- 2013 Wharton Public Policy Initiative Summer Research Program funding (covered expenses for a full-time R.A. over summer 2013).
- 2013 Dean’s Research Fund award to pursue work on constitutional commodification.

- 2013 Zicklin Center for Business Ethics Research award to pursue work on faultless wrongdoing.
- 2012 Dean's Research Fund award to pursue work on corporate moral personality.
- 2012 LGST Research Fund award to pursue work on responsibility in corporate and international criminal law.
- 2012 Zicklin Center for Business Ethics Research award to pursue work on responsibility in corporate and international criminal law.
- 2010 Dean's Research Fund award to pursue work on the Responsible Corporate Officer Doctrine.
- 2010 Legal Studies Summer Research award to pursue work on the Supreme Court's *Citizens United* case.
- 2010 Zicklin Center research award to pursue work on the Supreme Court's *Citizens United* case.