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## Education

Ph.D., UCLA Philosophy, 2018

Dissertation: *Compromise, Religious Freedom, and the Liberal State*

Co-chairs: Barbara Herman and Seana Shiffrin

Committee: John Carriero, Mark Greenberg, Robert Goldstein

J.D., UCLA School of Law, 2014

Law and Philosophy Joint Degree Program

B.A., New York University, 2006

*Cum laude*, with highest honors in Philosophy

Honors Thesis: "Contents of Belief," advised by Jim Pryor

**Areas of Specialization:** Social and Political Philosophy, Philosophy of Law, Normative and Applied Ethics

**Areas of Competence:** History of Modern Philosophy, Philosophy of Religion, Kant's Moral and Political Philosophy

## Publications and Works in Progress

"Religious Arbitration and the Establishment Clause"

- forthcoming, *Ohio State Journal on Dispute Resolution* 33 (2018).

"Compromise and Religious Accommodation"

- under review

"Conscientious Objection or Civil Disobedience, but Not Both"

## **Academic Positions**

Lecturer, University of Pennsylvania, Department of Philosophy (Fall 2018)

Lecturer, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Department of Legal Studies and Business Ethics (Spring 2018)

Predocctoral Fellow, UCLA School of Law (2016-2018)

Lecturer, UCLA Department of Philosophy (2012-2017)

University Teaching Fellow, UCLA (2014)

## **Academic Presentations**

“Conscientious Objection or Civil Disobedience, but Not Both”

American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division Meeting, New York City  
(Jan. 8, 2019)

“Conscientious Objection or Civil Disobedience, but Not Both”

Law, Religion and Complicity Conference, Center for Human Values, Princeton  
University (May 8, 2018)

“Speaker Anonymity as a Shield or a Sword”

Freedom of Expression Scholars Conference, Yale Law School (April 27, 2018)

“Compromise and Religious Accommodation”

American Law and Religion Roundtable, Notre Dame School of Law, Chicago, Ill.  
(June 15, 2017)

“On the Distinction between Conscientious Objection and Civil Disobedience”

Ethics Breakfast, University of Pennsylvania (April 12, 2017)

“Religious Arbitration and the Establishment Clause”

Zicklin Center for Normative Business Ethics Workshop, the Wharton School, University  
of Pennsylvania (March 17, 2017)

“Hate Speech, Political Conversation, and Citizenship”

Freedom of Expression Scholars Conference, Yale Law School (April 30, 2016)

“Rawls on Accepting the Punishment for Civil Disobedience”

American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division Meeting, Washington D.C.  
(Jan. 8, 2016)

“Rawls on Accepting the Punishment for Civil Disobedience”

Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress, University of Colorado, Boulder (Aug. 8, 2015)

## **Comments Delivered**

Ryan Doerfler “Arguing with Friends”

Bechtel Conference, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa. (May 22, 2017)

Gabriel Mendlow “Punishing Pure Thought”

American Philosophical Association, Central Division Meeting, Kansas City, Mo.  
(March 2, 2017)

Suzanne Love “The Material Conditions of Freedom”

UCLA Law and Philosophy Graduate Conference (April 10, 2016)

Micha Glaeser “(How) Does Morality Depend on Law?”

UCLA Law and Philosophy Graduate Conference (April 13, 2013)

## **Awards and Fellowships**

Predocctoral Fellowship, UCLA School of Law, 2016-2018

Dissertation Year Fellowship, UCLA, 2016-2017

Collegium of University Teaching Fellows, mentored by Máximo Langer, UCLA, 2014

Graduate Summer Research Mentorship with John Carriero, UCLA, 2010

Graduate Summer Research Mentorship with A.J. Julius, UCLA, 2009

Pauley Fellowship, UCLA, 2008-2009

Salomonowitz Memorial Prize for Outstanding Scholarship in Philosophy, NYU, 2006

## **Courses Taught**

Philosophy of Law (University of Pennsylvania, Fall 2018)

Law and Social Values (The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Spring 2018)

Topics in Modern Philosophy: The Idea of Progress (UCLA, Summer 2017)

Philosophy of Law (UCLA, Summer 2015)

Introduction to Political Philosophy (UCLA, Summer 2014)

International Law and the Legitimacy of Global Governance (UCLA, Winter 2014)

Topics in Political Philosophy: Theories of Punishment (UCLA, Summer 2012)

## References

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