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Professional History

Professor of Law and Co-Director, Center for the Study of Sports in Society, The Pennsylvania State University, 2006 through present, Lewis H. Vovakis Distinguished Faculty Scholar, 2008-present. Courses taught: Contracts, Comparative Constitutional Law, Common Law Reasoning and Statutory Interpretation, Constitutional Law, Sports Law, Sports & Public Policy, Statutory Interpretation, Special project in Baseball Salary Arbitration

Visiting Professor, University of Sydney Faculty of Law, 2013-15. Courses taught: Canadian Constitutional Law

Senior Fellow, Sports Law Program, Melbourne Law School, University of Melbourne, 2013-20. Courses taught: Comparative Sports and Competition Law

Professeur associé, Faculty of Law, University of Montreal, 2014, 2020-2021. Course taught: Comparative Constitutional Law (via teleconferencing to American and UdeM students)

Visiting Scholar in Law and Sproul Fellow in Canadian Studies, University of California (Berkeley), 2012-13

Visiting Professor, Cass Business School, City University of London, 2009-10. Courses taught: Sports Business

Visiting Professor of Law, University of British Columbia Faculty of Law, 2000-09, 2013
Course taught: Comparative U.S./Canadian Law (via teleconferencing to American and UBC students)

Professor of Law, University of Illinois College of Law, 1986-2006 (Associate Professor, 1989-91, Assistant Professor, 1986-89). Courses taught: Antitrust, Advanced Antitrust, Antitrust & Intellectual Property (both U.S. and Comparative U.S./ Canadian/ European), Canadian Competition Law, Comparative Constitutional Law (U.S./ Canada), Government Regulation, Legislation, Real Property, Sales, Sports Law, Sports Law & Economics, Statutory Interpretation (Voting Rights Act), Statutory Interpretation (Welfare Legislation). Seminars and projects supervised: Appellate Advocacy, Baseball and Antitrust, Baseball and Public Policy (undergraduate course), Baseball Salary Arbitration, Canadian Constitutional Law, Legislative Drafting, N.C.A.A. Rulemaking

Visiting Professor of Law, University of New Brunswick Faculty of Law, 2005
Course taught: Canadian Competition Law

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Professional History, cont'd

Visiting Scholar, University of British Columbia Faculty of Law, January-June 1999

Contributing Editor, Antitrust magazine of the Section on Antitrust Law of the American Bar Association, 1991-99 (founding Editor-in-Chief, 1986-91)

Minority Counsel, Committee on the Judiciary, United States Senate, 1983-85

Attorney, Appellate Section, Antitrust Division, United States Department of Justice, 1981-83

Law Clerk, Hon. Ruth Bader Ginsburg, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, 1980-81

Attorney, Office of General Counsel, Federal Trade Commission, 1979-80

Education

J.D., 1979, University of California (Berkeley)

Associate Editor, California Law Review, 1977-79.

Member, Order of the Coif.

American Jurisprudence Awards in Crimes, Constitutional Law, and Evidence.

Finalist, Jamison Award for Law and Advocacy.

A.B., 1976, cum laude, University of California (Berkeley) (departmental honors in political science)

Publications

BOOKS:

Sports and the Law, 7th ed. (co-authored by Paul C. Weiler, Jodi Balsam, Will Berry, and Michael C. Harper) (Thomson/West 2023)

Derecho Deportivo Global (Thomson-Reuters 2022) (with Sergio Gonzalez Garcia)

Advanced Introduction to Global Sports Law (Edward Elgar 2021)

Comparative Constitutional Law: A Contextual Approach (with Helen Irving and Heinz Klug) (Lexis/Nexis Publishing 2014)

Handbook of International Sports Law (co-edited with James A. Nafziger) (Edward Elgar Press (2011) (including own chapter on Competition Law and Labor Markets).

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Academic Publications, (cont'd)

BOOKS (cont'd)

Fans of the World, Unite! A (Capitalist) Manifesto for Sports Consumers (with Stefan Szymanski) (Stanford Univ. Press 2008)

Principles of the Law of Antitrust (Foundation Press 1993)

LAW REVIEW AND ECONOMIC JOURNAL ARTICLES AND ACADEMIC BOOK CHAPTERS:

Fútbol Profesional, Derecho de la Competencia y Fair Play (Professional Football, Competition Law, and Fair Play), Vol 1, No. 1, (Laboral Open Access Revista, Universidad de Rey Juan Carlos, Madrid), available at <https://revistas.urjc.es/index.php/loar/article/view/59>

Would Jackie Robinson play baseball today? How baseball owners conspire to restrain trade and foster unequal opportunities for player development, 35 Marq. Sports L. Rev. 1 (2024)

Applying the FTC Act to Anti-Consumer Contract Terms that are not Key Salient Terms to Most Consumers, 53 Univ. of Balt. L. Rev. Issue #1, Art. No. 5 (2024) (symposium)

Promoting Female Sporting Opportunities Without Title IX: The Spanish Experience, 33 Marq. Sports L. Rev. 607 (2022) (co-authored with Maria Josefa Garcia Cirac).

Is It Ever Too Soon to Call a Penalty? A Philosophical Investigation on the Role Discretion in Considering Commercial Interests Should Play in Sport Refereeing, in **Jurisprudence of Sport** (Miroslav Imbrisovic, ed. Routledge Press 2022) (with Francisco Javier López Frías)

Proportionality Review in Pennsylvania Courts, 2021 Pa. Bar Ass'n Q. 109 (with Jud Mathews)

Solving the Problem of Social Cost through Legislative Pressure: A Case Study of the Coase Theorem as Applied to the College Basketball Shoe Scandal, 30 Marq. Sports L. Rev. 9 (2019) (with Miles J. Gueno)

The Political Process and Substantive Due Process, 20 U. Penn. J. Const'l L. 983 (2018) (with Jesse H. Choper)

Clear Statement Rules and the Integrity of Labor Arbitration, 10 Arbitration L. Rev. 1 (2017) (with Roy Eisenhardt)

The Single-Entity Doctrine of Antitrust as Applied to Sports Leagues in **The Oxford Handbook of American Sports Law** (Michael A. McCann, ed.) (Oxford University Press 2018))

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Academic Publications (cont'd)

Litigation as Strategy to Overcome Monopolistic Inefficiency in Sports, 386 Managerial and Decision Econ. 644 (2016)

A Strategic Legal Challenge to the Unforeseen Anticompetitive and Racially Discriminatory Effects of Baseball's North American Draft, 115 Colum L. Rev. Sidebar 127 (2015) (with Michael James, Jr.)

Reform of Sports Gambling in the United States: Lessons from Down Under, 5 Ariz. St. Sports & Ent. L.J. 7 (2015) (with James Gorman III and Ryan Mentzer)

A Rapid Reaction to O'Bannon: The Need for Analytics in Applying the Sherman Act to Overly Restrictive Joint Venture Schemes, 119 Penn St. L. Rev. Penn Statim 43 (2015) (with Wayne S. DeSarbo)

Insights from Canada for American Constitutional Federalism, 16 U.Pa. J. Const'l L. 891 (2014)

A Regulatory Solution to Better Promote the Educational Values and Economic Sustainability of Intercollegiate Athletics, 92 U. Ore. L. Rev. 837 (2014) (with Matthew J. Mitten)

Judicial Review of NCAA Eligibility Decisions: Evaluation of the Restitution Rule and a Call for Arbitration (with Richard T. Karcher & S. Baker Kensinger), 40 J. Coll. & Univ. L. 101 (2014)

Accommodating Labor and Antitrust, 2013 Utah L. Rev. OnLine No. 1

Using Contract Law to Tackle the Coaching Carousel (with Lindsay Berkstresser), 47 U.S.F. L. Rev. 709 (2013)

Radical Reform of Intercollegiate Athletics: Antitrust, Title IX, and Public Policy Implications, 86 Tulane L. Rev. 933 (2012) (symposium)

The Supreme Court's Renewed Focus on Inefficiently Structured Joint Ventures, 14 U. Pa. Bus. L. Rev. 261 (2012)

The Story of *Flood v. Kuhn*: Dynamic Statutory Interpretation, At the Time, in **Statutory Interpretation Stories** (William Eskridge, Philip Frickey, and Elizabeth Garrett, eds. Foundation 2010)

Seizing the Moment: A Blueprint for Reform of World Cricket (with Ian Preston and Stefan Szymanski) in Stefan Szymanski, **The Comparative Economics of Sport** (Palgrave 2010) (originally web published 2001)

Academic Publications (cont'd)

Statutory Interpretation as a Parasitic Endeavor, 44 U.S.D. L. Rev. 1027 (2008) (symposium)

The Concept of the Residual Claimant and Sports League Governance in **Governance and Competition in Professional Sports Leagues** (Placido Rodriguez Guerrero, Stefan Kesenne, Jaume Garcia, eds.) (Univ. of Oviedo Press 2007)

Governance and Vertical Integration in Team Sports (with Stefan Szymanski), 25 Contemporary Econ. Pol. 616 (2007)

Antitrust and Inefficient Joint Ventures: Why Sports Leagues Should Look More Like McDonald's and Less Like the United Nations, 16 Marquette Sports L.J. 213 (2006)

The Effect of Baseball's Status as a Legal 'Anomaly and Aberration', in **Legal Issues in Professional Baseball** (L. Kurlantzik, ed.) (Academic Press, 2005)

Player Restraints and Competition Policy Throughout the World, 15 Marquette Sports L. Rev. 49 (2004) (symposium on international sports law and business)

The NHL Labour Dispute and the Common Law, the Competition Act, and Public Policy, 37 U.B.C. L.Rev. 343 (2004)

Some Outside Observations on Overly Restrictive Agreements and the *Souths* Rugby Case, 12 Australian Consumer & Comp. L. J. 83 (2004)

Competition Law as a Constraint On Monopolistic Exploitation by Sports Leagues and Clubs, 19 Oxford Rev. of Econ. Policy 569 (2004)

Antitrust, Professional Sports, and the Public Interest, 4 J. Sports Econ. 318 (2003) (symposium on baseball and economics)

The Political Economy of the Efficiency Defence, 21 Canadian Competition Record 89 (2003)

Some Useful Charter Insights for American Equality Jurisprudence, in **XXI Windsor Yearbook of Access to Justice** (2003) (symposium on 20th anniversary of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms)

Location and Limits of Dynamic Statutory Interpretation in Modern Judicial Reasoning, Issues in Legal Scholarship (Boalt Hall faculty journal) (2003) (symposium on dynamic statutory interpretation), available at http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=420500

Academic Publications (cont'd)

Light, Less Filling, It's Blue Ribbon!, 23 Cardozo L.J. 1675 (2002) (symposium on legal issues in baseball)

Open Competition in League Sports, 2002 Wisconsin L. Rev. 625 (with Stefan Szymanski)
Antitrust Options to Redress Anticompetitive Restraints and Monopolistic Practices by Sports Leagues, 52 Case Western L.J. 133 (2001) (symposium)

Promotion and Relegation, 2 World Economics 179 (2001) (with Stefan Szymanski)

Network Economic Effects and the Limits of Efficiency, 68 Antitrust L.J. 945 (2001) (symposium)

Myths, Realities, and Creative Approaches to Antitrust and Franchise Relocation Issues, 14 Antitrust 57 (Spring 2000)

Legalizing Merger to Monopoly and Higher Prices, Antitrust 71 (fall 2000)

Necessary Restraints and Inefficient Monopoly Sports Leagues, 1 Int'l Sports L. Rev. 27 (2000) (with Stefan Szymanski)

Statutory Interpretation in the Courtroom, the Classroom, and Canadian Legal Literature, 31 Ottawa L. Rev. 39 (2000)

Myths, Realities, and Creative Approaches to Antitrust and Franchise Relocation Issues, 14 Antitrust 57 (Spring 2000)

Anti-competitive aspects of sports, 7 (Australian) Competition & Consumer L.J. 125 (1999)

Restraints on Player Competition that Facilitate Competitive Balance and Player Development and their Legality in the United States and Europe, in **Competition Policy and Professional Sports** (C. Jenrenaud & S. Késenne, ed.) (International Center for Sports Studies, Neuchatel, Switzerland 1999).

The Modern Parol Evidence Rule and its Implications for New Textualist Statutory Interpretation, 87 Georgetown L.J. 195 (1998) (with Daniel Tranen)

"Pro-Competitive Executive Compensation" as a Condition for Approval of Mergers that Simultaneously Exploit Consumers and Enhance Efficiency, Canadian Competition Record (spring 1998) (with Ian Ayres)

Academic Publications (cont'd)

Light, Less Filling, It's Blue Ribbon!, 23 Cardozo L.J. 1675 (2002) (symposium on legal issues in baseball)

Open Competition in League Sports, 2002 Wisconsin L. Rev. 625 (with Stefan Szymanski)

The Misunderstood Alliance Between Sports Fans, Players, and the Antitrust Laws, 1997 Univ. of Illinois L. Rev. 519

Lessons from the "True North Strong and Free", 65 Antitrust L.J. 467 (1997) (symposium on Canadian competition law)

Did the Canadian Parliament Really Permit Mergers that Exploit Canadian Consumers So the World Can be More Efficient?, 65 Antitrust L.J. 641 (1997) (symposium)

The Evolving Tort of Conspiracy to Restrain Trade Under Canadian Common Law, 75 Canadian Bar Rev. 193 (1996)

Reconsidering Flood v. Kuhn, 12 U. Miami J. Ent. & Sports Law 169 (1995)

The Limited Relevance of Plain Meaning, 73 Washington U. L. Q. 1057 (1995) (symposium)

Justice Breyer and the Fault Lines of Antitrust, 40 Antitrust Bulletin 169 (1995)

Where Have You Gone, Karl Llewellyn? Should Congress Turn Its Lonely Eyes To You?, 45 Vand. L. Rev. 561 (1992)

Comment on Spulber & Besanko's Delegation, Commitment and the Regulatory Mandate, 8 Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization 155 (March 1992) (symposium)

Break Up the Sports League Monopolies, in **The Business of Professional Sports** (P. Staudohar & J. Mangan, eds.) (Univ. of Illinois Press 1991)

An Antitrust Analysis of Sports League Contracts with Cable Networks, 39 Emory L.J. 463 (1990)

Reaganist Realism Comes to Detroit, 1989 University of Illinois L. Rev. 399

Monopoly Sports Leagues, 73 Minnesota L. Rev. 643 (1989)

Legislative Enforcement of Equal Protection, 72 Minnesota L. Rev. 311 (1987)

PROFESSIONAL AND STUDENT PUBLICATIONS:

Cung Le v. Zuffa Promised To Change the UFC. What the Settlement Means for MMA Fighters and the Industry, ProMarket (Univ. of Chicago Stigler Center for the Study of the Economy and the State), April 17, 2024 (with Gurtej Grewal)

Sports & competition law: An overview of EU and national case law, 21 March 2024, e-Competitions Sports & Competition Law, Art. N° 117120SHME (with Sergio Gonzalez Garcia)

NCAA proposal for athletes' image rights falls short of athlete-welfare protection, Sports Business Journal (May 28, 2020) (with Doug Allen)

Learning from Laurier About American Constitutional Federalism, The Federal Idea: A Quebec Think Tank on Federalism (February, 2017)

The Commissioner's Power to Redress Systematic Club Mismanagement, Sports Litigation Alert 9:10 (June 1, 2012)

La Jurisprudence des Ligues Américaines en Quelques Cas Majeurs (Major Cases in American Sports Law Jurisprudence), 119 Jurisport: Revue Juridique et Economique Du Sport 28 (April 2012)

A Roundtable Discussion for the Digital Age: Brady v. NFL, 29 Ent. & Sports Lawyer 1 (Summer 2011) (with numerous co-participants)

Judicial Review of NFL Drug Cases: Backgrounder on the Minnesota Vikings steroids case and Judge Magnuson's injunction against discipline, *available at* http://law.psu.edu/academics/research_centers/sports_law/topical_discussion

Exploiting Kids: The Scandal in Agent Recruiting of Athletically-Gifted Teens (with Raynell Brown and S. Douglas Webster), Policy Paper for Penn State Institute for Sports Law, Policy and Research (June, 2009), *available at* http://law.psu.edu/academics/research_centers/sports_law/topical_discussion

Interpreting the Canada Pipe Decision (roundtable for American Bar Association Sherman Act Section 2 Committee Newsletter, Fall 2006)

A Framework for Policymakers to Analyze Proposed and Existing Antitrust Immunities and Exemptions (with Darren Bush & Gregory K. Leonard), Antitrust Modernization Commission, October, 2005

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Non-Academic and Student Publications, cont'd:

English Cricket: Lifting Cricket's Fortunes, The Sports Nexus Report 2004 (with Oliver Hylton, Philip Snape, Philip de Nahlik, Ian Preston, and Stefan Szymanski)

The Baseball Antitrust Exemption Lives, But with Criticism, in the Eleventh Circuit, American Antitrust Institute Website, May 31, 2003 (www.antitrustinstitute.org)

Legalizing Merger to Monopoly and Higher Prices: The Canadian Competition Tribunal Gets it Wrong, Antitrust magazine (2001)

Fan-friendly competition is open competition, Sports Business Journal (July 17-23, 2000)

Verbot der zentralen Vermarktung bringt nur Vorteile (The Prohibition of Centralized Marketing Brings Advantages), Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung, January 3, 1998

Losing the Football Game, Legal Times, July 29, 1996

Consumers lose in recent sports labor exemption cases, Antitrust magazine (summer 1995)

A Solution to return to the ballpark, Indianapolis Star, Aug. 28, 1994

After McNeil: How About Plan "F" (For Fans)?, For the Record (Marquette Univ. Nat'l Sports Law Inst.), Oct./Nov. 1992

Recent Sports Antitrust Developments: Another Perspective, The Sports Lawyer, Mar.-Apr. 1992

Notre Dame's maverick deal demands action, The National Sports Daily, Mar. 12, 1990

Standards for Judging Allegedly Anticompetitive Agreements Between Leagues and Players, Antitrust magazine, summer 1987

Power Play: The NFL Wins, Arizonans Lose in Antitrust Case Brought By USFL, Arizona Republic, August 10, 1986

Comment, Exclusionary Zoning in California: A Statutory Mechanism for Judicial Nondeference, 68 Calif. L. Rev. 1154 (1979) (with Edward G. Weil)

Note, Bordenkircher v. Hayes: Ignoring Prosecutorial Abuses in Plea Bargaining, 67 Calif.L. Rev. 675 (1978)

Original Teaching Materials

Law and Strategy in the Sports Business (2024) (class for law and undergraduate business students)
Comparative Constitutional law (2021-present) (with Heinz Klug & Jean Leclair)
Elements of the Law (2010-present) [1st year required course, then seminar]
Comparative Canadian/U.S. Law (2000-14)
Interpreting the Voting Rights Act [1st year statutory interpretation elective] (2001-05)
Interpreting Welfare Legislation [1st year statutory interpretation elective] (1996-98)
Comparative Canadian Competition Law (1997)
Sports Law (1989)

Academic Presentations

“Fair Play”: Fútbol Profesional contra Derecho de la competencia (Universidad de Pacifico, Lima, Peru, 2024)

The Coase Theorem and sports league revenue sharing (Columbia Univ. 2024)

The Unique and Essential Functions of sports governing boards (Columbia Univ. 2023)

A Comparatively Paradoxical View on Australian Constitutional Formalism (Australian Ass’n of Constitutional Law 2022)

Insights from global sports law for Indian sports (Nirma Univ. 2021)

Common Law & Commandments: How Judges Reason About Precedents As a Method for Jews to “Wrestle with the Torah” (Penn State University 2020)

Interpreting Texts, Including Contracts (Univ. of Pretoria 2019)

Remedies for Breach of Contract by Professional Athletes (Univ. of Adelaide 2018)

The Constitutional Right to Human Dignity in Comparative Perspective (Univ. of Haifa 2017, Univ. of Sydney 2018)

Redefining the Mission of Sports Governing Boards (Monash Univ. 2018, Columbia Law School 2017, Univ. of Melbourne 2009)

The Contested Values of College Sports (Univ. of Michigan 2014)

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Academic Presentations, cont'd

An Outsider's Perspective on Canadian Originalism (Univ. of Montreal 2014)

Why Federalism? Judicial Arbitration of Federalism in the Absence of Regional Majorities that are National Minorities (Univ. of Sydney 2013)

The Value of Advisory Opinions on Conventions in Sports and Constitutional Law (Univ. New South Wales 2014)

"Bodyline" and "Cheating" in Sports and Constitutional Law (Univ. of Sydney 2009)

Designing a Sports League (C 5 Sports Law & Business Conference, London 2009)

A Trans-Atlantic Conversation: What Americans Can Learn from European Sports, and Some Outsider Observations About European "Football" (Birkbeck Univ. London 2009)

Legal Lessons from Baseball (Penn State 2007)

Invited Expert Testimony

Bold in Substance and Meek in Procedure, Knight Commission on Intercollegiate Athletics, May 2016

If it Walks Like a Duck and Quacks Like a Duck, It's Not a Goose: Why North American Sports Leagues Should Be Single Entities, But They Are Not Now, House Subcommittee on Courts and Competition Policy, January 2010

Crisis and Competition Policy, Turkish Competition Authority, March 2009

Restoring the Market for Out-of-Market Baseball, Senate Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation, March 2007

A Framework for Policymakers to Analyze Proposed and Existing Antitrust Immunities and Exemptions, Antitrust Modernization Commission, December, 2005 (with Darren Bush and Gregory K. Leonard) (*available at* www.amc.gov/commission_hearings/statutory_immunities_exemptions.htm)

Options for Amending the *Competition Act*, Canadian Competition Bureau, September, 2003

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Invited Expert Testimony (contd)

Competition Policy for Ordinary Canadians, Not Economists, Canadian House of Commons Standing Committee on Industry, Science, and Technology, April 2003

A US Perspective on Competition Law Reform, Canadian Bureau of Competition, May, 2000

In the Matter of An Agreement Between the Football Association Premier League *et al.*, British Restrictive Practices Court (1996 No 1 (E&W)), October, 1998 (testimony on American sports and antitrust jurisprudence applicable to sports league sales of television rights)

Competition Policy toward Joint Ventures, Federal Trade Commission, October 1997 and March 1998

Protecting Fans and Taxpayers Against Exploitation by Monopoly Sports Leagues, House Committee on the Judiciary, February, 1996

Franchise Relocations by Monopoly Sports Leagues, Senate Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Antitrust, Business Rights, and Competition, November, 1995

Repealing baseball's antitrust exemption, House Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Economics and Commercial Law, March, 1993 (together with supplemental testimony concerning the effect of the baseball exemption on minor league baseball)

Antitrust Implications of Compulsory License Repeal for Sports Broadcasting, Senate Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks, April, 1992 (together with supplemental testimony concerning abuses of the antitrust exemption by Major League Baseball)

The Attack on Legislative History as a Tool for Statutory Interpretation, House Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Administration of Justice, April, 1990

Antitrust and Policy Implications of Increased Cablecasting of Sports Programming, Senate Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Antitrust, Monopolies, and Business Rights, November, 1989

Sports Broadcasting, Antitrust, and Public Policy, Senate Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Antitrust, Monopolies, and Business Rights, October 1987

Judge Bork, Judicial Activism, and Antitrust, Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 1987

Conference & Workshop Participation

“The Concept of the Residual Claimant in Sports: Why Sports Leagues Should Resemble McDonald's Rather than the United Nations”, Bocconi University, May 2009

“The Role of the Academic as an Advisor to Sports Entities,” C5 Conference on Sports Law and Business, London, April 2009

“A Trans-Atlantic Conversation: What Americans can Learn from European Sport, and Some Outsider Observations About European ‘Football’”, Birkbeck College Sports Management Lecture Series, March, 2009

“How Australian Law Teaches an American Law Professor How To Advise a British Sports Manager Helping Build an Indian Sports League”, University of Melbourne Sports Law Centre, May 2008

“MLB/DirecTV as a Case of Anti-consumer Exclusive Dealing Without Foreclosure,” Federal Communications Bar Ass’n and Stanford Institute of Economic Policy Research, April 2007

“New Frontiers in International and Comparative Sports Law,” Association of American Law Schools Sections on Law and Sports and Comparative Law, January 2007

“The Antitrust Modernization Commission at Mid-Course,” American Bar Association Section on Antitrust Law, June, 2006

“*Dagher* and *Illinois Tool Works*: The Supreme Court Steps In,” American Bar Association Section on Antitrust Law, March, 2006

“Robinson-Patman Act Reform,” American Bar Association Section on Antitrust law, May 2005

“Competition Policy and Sports Leagues,” University of British Columbia Division of Strategy and Business Economics, February 2005

“Sports League Restraints and the *Clarett* care”, AALS Annual meeting, January 2005

“A Statutory Charter for Social and Economic Rights,” University of British Columbia Faculty of Law, September, 2004

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Conference & Workshop Participation, cont'd

"The Limits of Efficiency," Ass'n of American Law Schools Annual meeting, January, 1999

"Interpreting Different Texts," Ass'n of American Law Schools Annual meeting, January, 1999
(organizer, moderator, and author of discussion materials)

"The Labor Exemption and Professional Sports," Sports Law Conference sponsored by the Association of American Law Schools Section on Sports Law and the National Sports Law Institute of Marquette University, November, 1998

"Current Issues in Professional Sports," American Bar Association Forum on Entertainment and Sports Law, October, 1998

"Fan Oriented Enforcement Initiatives by State Attorneys General," National Association of Attorneys General Sports Summit, November, 1996

"Textualism and the 104th Congress," Ass'n of American Law Schools annual meeting, January, 1996

"The Unreasonableness of Sports League Salary Caps under Antitrust Statutes and the Common Law," New York Bar Ass'n Section on International Law, October, 1995

"Franchise relocation and antitrust", ABA Section on Antitrust Law, April 1995

"Inferring conspiracies under the Sherman Act," Conference Board Antitrust Seminar, 1993

"Myth of Amateurism and the Reality of the Cartel," Chicago Bar Association Antitrust Section/University of Illinois Alumni Association, February 1992

"Distinguishing price and non-price restraints," Conf. Bd. Annual Antitrust Seminar, March 1991

University Service

Director, Center for the Study of Sports in Society, 2016-present

Member, University Committee on Promotions & Tenure, Penn State University, 2009-11

Chair, Sports-Interested Interdisciplinary Faculty Group, Penn State University, 2007-16

Chair, Professional Sports Counseling Panel, University of Illinois, 1990-2006

Member, University Senate, University of Illinois, 1987-89, 1994-96

Member, University of Illinois Athletic Board, 1988-93 (Chair, Committee on Athletic Progress and Eligibility, 1989-91)

Member, various doctoral and masters committees, Institute for Labor and Industrial Relations, University of Illinois, 1988-2004

Member, University of Illinois Senate Committee on Admissions, 1987-88

Professional Activities

American Association of Law Schools, sections on Legislation, Antitrust, and Sports Law
Sports Law Section Executive Committee, 1988-90, 2007-present
Antitrust Section Executive Committee, 1993-96
Legislation Section Executive Committee, 1994-2000

American Bar Association, Section on Antitrust Law
Member, Monograph Committee, 1989-93
Member, Task Force on Robinson-Patman recommendations for the Antitrust
Modernization Commission Committee, 2005-07

American Antitrust Institute
Member, Advisory Board, 1998-present
Chair, Sports and Antitrust Task Force, 2000-present
Senior Fellow, 2004-2012

Sports Lawyers Association: Lifetime Achievement Award 2021

Marquette University National Sports Law Institute
Member, Advisory Board, 2002-06

Public Service Activities

Consultant, Canadian Competition Bureau, November 2002 (with regard to role of efficiencies in merger litigation)

Consultant, United States Department of Justice, November 2002 (with regard to antitrust policy re professional and college sports)

Consultant to Antitrust Modernization Commission re immunities and exemptions, 2005-06

Counsel for amicus curiae Consumer Federation of America, Chicago Professional Sports Ltd. Partnership v. National Basketball Association, No. 91-1434 (7th Cir.) (pro bono)

Counsel for amici curiae American College of Nurse-Midwives and American Medical Students Association, National Organization for Women v. Scheidler, No. 91-2468 (7th Cir.) (pro bono)

Counsel for amici curiae Consumer Federation of America and Sports Fans United, Butterworth v. National League of Professional Baseball Clubs, No. 82,287 (Fla. S.Ct.) (pro bono) (challenge to baseball's antitrust exemption)

Counsel for amici curiae Consumer Federation of America and Sports Fans United, National Basketball Association v. Williams, No. 94-7709 (2d Cir.) (pro bono) (challenge to salary cap and other labor market restraints)

Counsel for amici curiae Antitrust Law Professors, NYNEX Corp. v. Discon, Inc., No. 96-1570 (U.S. S.Ct.) (pro bono) (antitrust standard for vertical exclusionary conspiracies)

Counsel for amici curiae Consumer Federation of America and FANS, Inc., Minnesota Twins Partnership v. State of Minnesota by Humphrey, No. C9-98-890 (Minn. S. Ct) (pro bono) (challenge to baseball's antitrust exemption)

Counsel for amicus curiae Consumer Federation of America, State of Minnesota by Hatch v. Minnesota Twins Partnership, No. 99-414 (U.S. S. Ct.) (pro bono) (same)

Counsel for Appellant, South Austin Coalition Community Council v. SBC Communications, Inc., No. 00-3864 (7th Cir.) (pro bono) (challenge to phone company merger)

Counsel for amici curiae Consumer Federation of America and American Antitrust Institute, Major League Baseball v. Butterworth, No. 02-10333-C (11th Cir.) (pro bono) (challenge to baseball's antitrust exemption)

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Public Service Activities (cont'd)

Consultant to counsel for respondents, News Ltd. v. South Sydney District Rugby League Football Club, No. S34 (High Ct. of Australia) (2002) (pro bono) (challenge to rugby league contraction that excluded respondent club)

Co-author on behalf of American Antitrust Institute, In the Matter of Nestle Holdings; Dreyer's Grand Ice Cream Holdings, Inc., Docket No. C-4082 (Federal Trade Commission) (2003) (pro bono) (comments on proposed consent decree in merger case)

Counsel for amicus curiae American Antitrust Institute, Texaco, Inc. v. Dagher, No. 04-805 (U.S.) (2004) (pro bono) (antitrust review of joint ventures)

Counsel for amici curiae American Antitrust Institute and Consumer Federation of America, American Needle, Inc. v. National Football League, No. 08-661 (U.S.) (2008) (pro bono) (whether sports leagues are 'single entities' for antitrust purposes)

Consultant for The Sports Nexus and co-author, State of Sport Britain 2010: A reforming sports policy for the new coalition government (advocating reform of national governing boards to be trustees for the game rather than serving parochial self-interests)

Counsel for amicus curiae Sports Fans Coalition, Brady v. National Football League, No. 11-1898 (8th Cir.) (2011) (pro bono) (whether lockout of decertified union can be enjoined)

Counsel for amici curiae Sports and Labor Law Scholars, United States Soccer Federation, Inc. v. United States National Soccer Team Players Association, No. 15-3402 (7th Cir. 2016) (whether arbitrator's contract interpretation can be overturned if contrary to plain meaning)

Counsel for amici curiae sports law and economic scholars, Relevant Sports LLC v. United States Soccer Federation, No. 21-2088 (2d Cir. 2021) (whether sports federations policies are agreements subject to section 1 of Sherman Act)