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University of Connecticut School of Law
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Academic employment

University of Connecticut School of Law
Professor of Law (2019 - present)
Courses: Business Organizations, Private Equity and Hedge Funds, and Corporate Finance

Yale Law School
Florence Rogatz Visiting Professor of Law, Spring 2020
Visiting Professor of Law, Fall 2018
Course: Business Organizations

Brooklyn Law School
Professor of Law (2015 - 2019); Associate (2012 - 2015); Assistant (2009 - 2012)
Visiting Assistant Professor of Law (2007 - 2009)
Courses: Corporations, Property, Corporate Finance, Mergers & Acquisitions, and
Corporate Law: Advanced Topics (seminar)
Service: Appointments Committee (chair), Clerkship Committee, Curriculum Committee

Education

Yale Law School, J.D., 2003
Olin Summer Research Grant, 2002
Olin Fellow, 2001-2003

Connecticut College, B.A., *summa cum laude*, History, 2000

Articles

Incentive Awards for Plaintiffs: Law, Economics, and Policy, 72 VAND. L. REV. __ (forthcoming 2019) (with C. Korsmo).

The Paradox of Executive Compensation Regulation, 44 J. CORP. L. __ (forthcoming 2019) (with J. Sevier).

The Flawed Corporate Finance of Dell and DFC Global, 68 EMORY L.J. 223 (2019) (with C. Korsmo).

Reforming Modern Appraisal Litigation, 41 DEL. J. CORP. L. 279 (2017) (with C. Korsmo).

Interest in Appraisal, 42 J. CORP. L. 109 (2016) (with C. Korsmo).

Do the Merits Matter? Empirical Evidence on Shareholder Suits from Options Backdating Litigation, 164 U. PENN. L. REV. 291 (2016) (with Q. Curtis).

Aggregation by Acquisition: Replacing Class Actions with a Market for Legal Claims, 101 IOWA L. REV. 1323 (2016) (with C. Korsmo).

Appraisal Arbitrage and the Future of Public Company M&A, 92 WASH. U. L. REV. 1551 (2015) (with C. Korsmo).

Included in Top 10 Corporate and Securities Articles of 2016 in poll conducted by Corporate Practice Commentator

Reprinted at 58 CORPORATE PRACTICE COMMENTATOR 411 (2016).

Excerpted in CLAIRE HILL, BRIAN JM QUINN, & STEVEN DAVIDOFF SOLOMON, MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS: LAW, THEORY, AND PRACTICE (2016).

The Structure of Stockholder Litigation: When Do the Merits Matter?, 75 OHIO STATE L.J. 829 (2014) (with C. Korsmo).

Fixing Multi-Forum Shareholder Litigation, 2014 U. ILL. L. REV. 467.

Reprinted at 57 CORPORATE PRACTICE COMMENTATOR 83 (2015).

The Perils of Shareholder Voting on Executive Compensation, 36 DEL. J. CORP. L. 417 (2011).

The Decisions of Corporate Special Litigation Committees: An Empirical Investigation, 84 IND. L. J. 1309 (2009).

Excerpted in FOUNDATIONS OF CORPORATE LAW (R. Romano, ed., 2d ed., 2010).

Reprinted at 52 CORPORATE PRACTICE COMMENTATOR 127 (2010).

Obstacles to Bargaining Between Local Governments: The Case of West Haven and Orange, Connecticut, 37 URB. LAW. 853 (2005).

A Redistributive Role for Local Government, 36 URB. LAW. 753 (2004).

Works in progress

The Political Economy of Delaware's Corporate Law

Various others

Invited contributions

Appraisal as Aggregate Litigation, in ELGAR RESEARCH HANDBOOK ON REPRESENTATIVE SHAREHOLDER LITIGATION (Jessica Erickson, Sean Griffith, David Webber, & Verity Winship, eds.) (2018).

Recent Developments in Stockholder Appraisal, in ELGAR RESEARCH HANDBOOK ON REPRESENTATIVE SHAREHOLDER LITIGATION (Jessica Erickson, Sean Griffith, David Webber, & Verity Winship, eds.) (2018) (with C. Korsmo).

The Deterrence Value of Stockholder Appraisal, in ELGAR RESEARCH HANDBOOK ON MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS (Claire A. Hill & Steven Davidoff Solomon, eds.) (2016) (with C. Korsmo).

Competition and the Future of M&A Litigation, 100 U. IOWA L. REV. BULLETIN 19 (2015) (with C. Korsmo).

Shorter works

Aruba and the Flawed Corporate Finance of Dell and DFC Global, HARVARD LAW SCHOOL FORUM ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND FINANCIAL REGULATION, May 9, 2019 (with C. Korsmo) (adaptation of article).

A Reality Check in the Appeal of the DFC Global Appraisal Case, COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL BLUE SKY BLOG, July 17, 2017 (with C. Korsmo).

Interest in Appraisal, HARVARD LAW SCHOOL FORUM ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND FINANCIAL REGULATION, August 8, 2016 (with C. Korsmo) (adaptation of article).

Reforming Modern Appraisal Litigation, COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL BLUE SKY BLOG, March 16, 2016 (with C. Korsmo) (adaptation of article).

Shareholder Litigation that Works, NEW YORK TIMES DEALBOOK, April 16, 2015 (with C. Korsmo).

The Structure of Stockholder Litigation: When Do the Merits Matter?, COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL BLUE SKY BLOG, Sept. 17, 2014 (with C. Korsmo) (adaptation of article).

Appraisal Arbitrage and the Future of Public Company M&A, COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL BLUE SKY BLOG, May 12, 2014 (with C. Korsmo) (adaptation of article).

Supreme Court Usage and the Making of an “Is,” 11 GREEN BAG 2D 457 (2008).

The Judicial Service of Retired United States Supreme Court Justices, 32 J. SUP. CT. HIST. 46 (2007).

Honors

Selected for 2015 Harvard/Yale/Stanford Junior Faculty Forum for “Do the Merits Matter?
Evidence from Options Backdating Litigation”

Selected for 2013 Harvard/Yale/Stanford Junior Faculty Forum for “The Structure of Stockholder
Litigation: When Do the Merits Matter?”

Selected to be 2013 Scholar in Residence at Widener University Delaware Law School.

Winner of Federalist Society Young Legal Scholars Paper Competition in 2015 and 2013.

Selected presentations

Do the Merits Matter? Evidence from Options Backdating Litigation

Harvard/Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum, June 2015

Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, November 2014

Appraisal Arbitrage and the Future of Public Company M&A

American Law & Economics Association, May 2014

Aggregation by Acquisition: Replacing Class Actions with A Market for Legal Claims

American Law & Economics Association, May 2015

Vanderbilt Branstetter Conference on Civil Litigation, May 2015

The Structure of Stockholder Litigation: When Do the Merits Matter?

Harvard/Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum, June 2013

American Law & Economics Association, May 2013

Fixing Multi-Forum Shareholder Litigation

Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, November 2012

Fordham Law School Murphy Colloquium, May 2012

The Decisions of Corporate Special Litigation Committees

NYU/Penn Conference on Law & Finance, February 2009

Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, September 2008

Media appearances

New York Times, Wall Street Journal, Washington Post, Reuters, Bloomberg TV, Financial Times, and others

Clerkships

Hon. Ralph K. Winter, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, 2005-06

Hon. Peter W. Hall, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, 2004-05

Past legal experience

Debevoise & Plimpton LLP, New York, N.Y., 2006-07, 2003-04