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### **EMPLOYMENT**

Wake Forest University School of Law  
Professor, July 1998 to present  
Associate Professor, July 1995 to July 1998  
Assistant Professor, July 1991 to July 1995

Graves, Dougherty, Hearon & Moody, Austin, TX  
Associate Attorney, September 1989 to June 1991

Law Clerk to the Honorable Jerre S. Williams  
United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit  
August 1988 to August 1989

### **COURSES TAUGHT**

Immigration Law; Immigration Policy; Legislation and Administrative Law; Torts

### **EDUCATION**

Yale Law School, J.D. 1988  
Editor, Yale Law and Policy Review

University of Texas School of Law  
Visiting Student, 1987-1988

University of Texas at Austin  
B.A. in History with Highest Honors, May 1985  
Phi Beta Kappa

## **AWARDS**

*Elected Member, American Law Institute* since October 2008

*Elmer Fried Excellence in Teaching Award, 2003*

American Immigration Lawyers Association

National award given to a professor who has made significant contributions to the field of immigration and nationality law.

*Joseph Branch Excellence in Teaching Award, 2002*

Wake Forest University School of Law

Awarded each year to a professor who exemplifies excellence in teaching, scholarship, and professional example.

## **SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **A. Appointments**

*Consultant, Judicial Conference of the United States, Committee on Federal-State Jurisdiction.* Appointed to advise committee of the federal judiciary on issues of federal court jurisdiction and judicial review in immigration law. September 2010 to January 2018.

*Special Master, Northwest Immigrant Rights Project, et al.,*

*v. USCIS, et al., No. 88-379R (W.D. Wash.).* One of two Special Masters appointed to resolve disputed claims of class membership in nationwide class-action litigation arising from the INS administration of 1986 legalization statute. 2009-2012.

### **B. Invited Testimony**

United States House of Representatives

Judiciary Committee, Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims

Hearing on Review of INS Detention Policies

December 19, 2001

U.S. Commission on Immigration Reform,

Consultation on INS Detention, March 1996

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **A. Law Review Publications**

*Congressional Constraint? The Review of In Absentia Immigration Removal Orders in Federal Circuit Courts*, currently under consideration for publication in *Political Research Quarterly* (with Christina Boyd, Roberto Carlos, Matthew Baker, and Elise Blasingame)

*Midnight Agency Adjudication: Attorney General Review of Board of Immigration Appeals Decisions*, 102 IOWA L. REV. ONLINE 18 (2016), *reprinted in* 21 BENDER'S IMMIGRATION BULLETIN 1043 (Sept. 15, 2016)(invited essay responding to article by former Attorney General Alberto Gonzales & Patrick Glen)

*What Happened to non-LPR Cancellation? Rationalizing Immigration Enforcement by Restoring Durable Relief from Removal*, XXX J. LAW & POLITICS 527 (2015)(symposium issue commemorating the career of David A. Martin, Professor of Law, University of Virginia School of Law; former Deputy General Counsel, U.S. Dept. of Homeland Security; former General Counsel, Immigration & Naturalization Service.)

*"Vast Hordes...Crowding In Upon Us": The Executive Branch's Response to Mass Migration and the Legacy of Chae Chan Ping*, 68 OKLA. L. REV. 185 (2015)(with Kit Johnson)(symposium issue).

*Refugee Roulette in an Administrative Law Context: The Déjà vu of Decisional Disparities in Agency Adjudication*, 60 STANFORD LAW REVIEW 475 (2007), *reprinted in* 28 J. NAT'L ASS'N ADMIN. L. JUD. 158 (2008)(symposium issue).

*Dangerous by Decree: Detention without Bond in Immigration Proceedings*, 50 LOYOLA LAW REVIEW 149 (2004)(Symposium on Immigration Law and Terrorism)

*The Sentencing Judge as Immigration Judge* (with Ronald F. Wright)  
51 EMORY LAW JOURNAL 1131(2002)(symposium issue)

*Behind the Scenes of St. Cyr and Zadvydas: Making Policy in the Midst of Litigation*, 16 GEORGETOWN IMMIGRATION LAW JOURNAL 271 (2002) (symposium issue)

*Promoting Legal Representation for Detained Aliens: Litigation and Administrative Reform*, 29 CONNECTICUT LAW REVIEW 1647 (1997)(symposium issue)

*Detained Aliens Challenging Conditions of Confinement and the Porous Border of the Plenary Power Doctrine*, 22 HASTINGS CONSTITUTIONAL LAW QUARTERLY 1087 (1995)

## **B. Book Chapters**

*Refugee Roulette in an Administrative Law Context: The Déjà Vu of Decisional Disparities in Agency Adjudication*, in *REFUGEE ROULETTE: DISPARITIES IN ASYLUM ADJUDICATION AND PROPOSALS FOR REFORM* (J. Ramji-Nogales, A. Schoenholtz, and P. Schrag ed., New York University Press 2009)

*Demore v. Kim: Judicial Deference to Congressional Folly*, *IMMIGRATION STORIES*, (David A. Martin and Peter H. Schuck, ed., Foundation Press 2005)

## **C. Other Works**

Book Review of *DETAINED: IMMIGRATION LAWS AND THE EXPANDING I.N.S. JAIL COMPLEX*, by Michael Welch, published in *37 International Migration Review* 1306 (2003)

*Deportation of Criminal Aliens: A Geopolitical Perspective* (with T. Alexander Aleinikoff) (May 1998). A briefing paper prepared for the Inter-American Dialogue.

*Symbolic Detention*, *XX IN DEFENSE OF THE ALIEN* 153 (1997)

*The 1996 Immigration Act: Detention and Related Issues*, 74 *INTERPRETER RELEASES* 209 (Feb. 3, 1997), revised and reprinted in *UNDERSTANDING THE 1996 IMMIGRATION ACT* (Federal Publications 1997)

## **D. Scholarly Impact**

Included among the ten most-cited tenured law faculty members at Wake Forest University School of Law in studies published by Gregory Sisk, et. al in 2021, 2018, 2015, and 2012.

## **ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **A. Symposium Presentations**

*What Happened to non-LPR Cancellation? Rationalizing Immigration Enforcement by Restoring Durable Relief from Removal*, Symposium on the Future of Immigration Enforcement.  
University of Virginia School of Law, October 2014.

*"Vast Hordes...Crowing In Upon Us": The Executive Branch's Response to Mass Migration and the Legacy of Chae Chan Ping*, Symposium on the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of *Chae Chan Ping*.  
University of Oklahoma School of Law, November 2014.

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*Immigration Law: Myths and Reality.* Voices of Our Time Symposium on  
Immigration: Recasting the Debate.  
Wake Forest University, October 2007

*Dangerous by Decree: Detention without Bond in Immigration Proceedings.*  
Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting. Extended Program  
Sponsored by Sections on Constitutional Law, Immigration Law, International  
Human Rights, and National Security: Terrorism's Heritage? Legislative and  
Executive Responses to Terrorism and Their Constitutional Ramifications. January  
2004.

Also presented at University of North Carolina School of Law  
Symposium on The USA PATRIOT Act: Privacy v. Security in a Post-9/11 World.  
February, 2004

*The Sentencing Judge as Immigration Judge* (with Ronald F. Wright)  
Emory Law School Randolph W. Throver Symposium: Immigration Law: Assessing  
New Immigration Enforcement Strategies and the Criminalization of Migration.  
February, 2002

*Behind the Scenes of St. Cyr and Zadvydas: Making Policy in the Midst of Litigation*  
Georgetown Law School  
Georgetown Immigration Law Journal, Symposium on the Supreme Court and  
Immigration Law. November, 2001

*Legal Fictions and Harsh Realities: Reconsidering Indefinite Detention by the INS.*  
Michigan Law School  
Michigan Journal of Race and Law Symposium: Identities in the Year 2000 and  
Beyond. March 2000

*The Accidental Jailer*  
Harvard Law School  
Criminal Justice Institute Symposium: U.S. Immigration Law at the Millennium:  
What's Liberty Got to Do With It?  
December 1999

*Criminal Alien Deportations from a Geopolitical Perspective*  
Inter-American Dialogue Conference on the Impact of New U.S. Immigration Laws  
on U.S. Foreign Policy in the Americas, November 1997, Washington, DC

*Promoting Legal Representation for Detained Aliens.*  
University of Connecticut Law School  
Connecticut Law Review Symposium, April 1997

*Symbolic Detention*

Center for Migration Studies National Legal Conference on Immigration and Refugee Policy, March 1997, Washington, DC

**B. Other Presentations**

Update on Immigration in Congress, the Executive Branch, and the Courts. Biannual presentation to the Committee on Federal-State Jurisdiction, Judicial Conference of the United States. (Most recent presentation, Austin TX, December 2017).

Panelist, *Arizona Senate Bill 1070: One State's Attempt to Curb Illegal Immigration*, September 2010, Wake Forest University

Panelist, *Padilla v. Kentucky: Ethical and Practical Implications*, North Carolina Bar Association, June 2010, Cary, North Carolina

Plenary Session Panelist, *Immigration Enforcement and its Consequences*, Immigration Law Teachers Biannual Workshop, May 2010, Chicago, IL

Faculty, Immigration Law for Court of Appeals Judges, Federal Judicial Center Symposium, October 2006, Washington, DC

Moderator, Workshop for Beginning Teachers, Immigration Law Teachers Biannual Workshop, May 2006, Las Vegas, NV

Moderator, Seeking Review: Immigration Law and Federal Court Jurisdiction, New York Law School, September, 2005, New York, NY

Panelist, Immigration Law Basics, American Immigration Lawyers Association Annual Conference, June, 2003, New Orleans, LA

Moderator, Symposium on Work, Migration, and Identity, University of North Carolina School of Law, January 2002, Chapel Hill, NC

Panelist, The Supreme Court, the Constitution, and Immigration Law  
Migration Policy Institute  
November 2001, Washington, DC

Panelist, Liberty and Justice Denied: American Bar Association Midyear Meeting, Coordinating Committee on Immigration Law and Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities, February 2001, San Diego, CA

Moderator, Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, Immigration Law Section, New Immigration Enforcement Strategies: At the Border and Beyond, January 2001, San Francisco, CA

Moderator, Panel on Challenging Mandatory Detention, American Immigration Lawyers Association Annual Conference, June 2000, Chicago, IL

Panelist, Legal Issues Concerning Alien Detention in the United States, American Bar Association Annual Meeting, Section of International Law and Practice, August 1999, Atlanta, GA

*Reorienting INS Detention Policy*  
Immigration Law Teachers Biannual Workshop, Works-in-Progress Session, May 1998, Berkeley, CA

Moderator, Panel on Bond and Detention, American Immigration Lawyers Association Annual Conference, June 1997, Orlando, FL

*Promoting Legal Representation for Detained Aliens*  
Immigration Law Teachers Biannual Workshop, Works-in-Progress Session, June 1996, Boulder, CO

### **C. Service**

#### *Professional*

Pro Bono Volunteer, CARA Pro Bono Project, South Texas Residential Detention Center, Dilley, Texas, July 1-7, 2018.

Special Liaison of the American Bar Association Section of Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice to the ABA Commission on Immigration, 2002-2004

Member, American Bar Association Coordinating Committee on Immigration Law, 2000-2002

Member, Advisory Board, Vera Institute of Justice Appearance Assistance Program, 1997-2000. The Vera Institute of Justice contracted with the INS to pilot and study a model of supervised release as an alternative to INS detention.

Member, Executive Committee, AALS Section on Immigration Law, 1997-2001  
Chair, 2000-2001  
San Antonio Workshop Planning Committee, 2000  
Las Vegas Workshop Planning Committee, 2006

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Co-Administrator, *Immprof* listserv for immigration law professors, since 1995

*Community*

Board of Directors, The Arts Based School, Public Charter School, Winston-Salem,  
NC. 2014-2020, Board Secretary, 2015-2020