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EDUCATION

IRISH CENTER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS, National University of Ireland, Galway, Ireland, Ph.D. expected 2011

- Conducting doctoral research on role of gravity of crimes in international criminal law

YALE LAW SCHOOL, New Haven, CT, J.D. 1999

- Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship
- Yale Law Journal, *Editor*
- Yale Journal of International Law, *Editor*

THE FLETCHER SCHOOL OF LAW & DIPLOMACY, Tufts University, M.A. in Law & Diplomacy, 1996, with concentrations in Human Rights & Negotiation

- Sasakawa Young Leaders Award, for leadership promise in international affairs
- Research Assistant to Professor Hurst Hannum, International Human Rights Law
- Fletcher Women's Forum, *President*
- Admissions Committee, *Admissions Officer*
- United Nations Intern, Analysis of Political Climates in Africa

FULBRIGHT SCHOLAR, Darou Ndiar, Senegal, 1993

- Studied syncretism between traditional religion and Islam

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL OF FOREIGN SERVICE, Washington, D.C., B.S.F.S., *magna cum laude*, 1992

- African Studies Certificate
- Africa prize, awarded to best student in African Studies
- Waterman award for study in Africa
- Studied African history, culture, and law at University of Dakar, Dakar, Senegal, 1991

PUBLICATIONS

Gravity and the Legitimacy of the International Criminal Court, 32 FORDHAM INT'L L.J. 1400 (2009).

Initiation of Investigations and Selection of Cases, in TOWARDS CODIFICATION OF GENERAL RULES AND PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL PROCEDURE (with William A. Schabas) (forthcoming 2010).

Crimes Against Humanity, in HANDBOOK OF INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL LAW (Bartram S. Brown ed., forthcoming 2009) (solicited).

Justice in Cambodia: Past, Present, and Future, 19 CRIM. L. FORUM 335 (2008) (book review).

Article 21, Applicable Law, in COMMENTARY ON THE ROME STATUTE OF THE ICC 435 (Triffterer ed., 1999 & 2008).

The Road From Rome: The Developing Law of Crimes Against Humanity, 22 HUM. RTS. Q. 335 (2000).

EXPERIENCE

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY BEASLEY SCHOOL OF LAW, Philadelphia, PA (July 2009 – Present)
Assistant Professor. Teach criminal law and international criminal law.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY, INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL LAW & POLITICS, Washington, D.C. (Spring 2008)
Adjunct Professor. Taught graduate-level course in international human rights law.

WAR CRIMES RESEARCH OFFICE, American University Washington College of Law, Washington, D.C. (Fall 2007)
Consultant. Drafted a legal memorandum for the prosecutor of an international criminal tribunal.

FARELLA, BRAUN & MARTEL, LLP, San Francisco, CA (2001-2007)
Litigation Associate. Litigated a variety of cases, with specialty in criminal defense. Represented criminal defendants from investigation through trial and sentencing. Lead litigator in numerous *pro bono* cases, including representing prisoner in successful civil rights lawsuit.

DONALD P. MCCULLUM YOUTH COURT, Oakland, CA (2002-2006)
Judge. Served as volunteer judge for youth court that adjudicates juvenile misdemeanors as an alternative to the traditional juvenile justice system.

HONORABLE JAMES R. BROWNING, NINTH CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS, San Francisco, CA (1999-2000)
Law Clerk. Assisted judge by performing case analysis, conducting legal research, and drafting opinions for a wide variety of cases, including numerous criminal and immigration appeals.

YALE UNIVERSITY, New Haven, CT (1999)
Teaching Assistant. Taught class, mentored students, and graded papers for undergraduate course in international human rights law.

SENEGAL DELEGATION, INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT CONFERENCE, Rome, Italy (1998-1999)
International Law Advisor. Participated in Rome Conference and subsequent Preparatory Commission meetings, including advising delegation, drafting speeches, and assisting in negotiations, particularly regarding definitions of crimes against humanity and gender crimes.

LOWENSTEIN INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS CLINIC, New Haven, CT (1997-1998)
Team Leader. Supervised students, drafted trial brief, conducted research, and worked with clients in preparation for trial in *Doe v. Karadzic*. Drafted submission to South Africa's Truth and Reconciliation Commission on apartheid as a crime against humanity. Also, for the related Lowenstein Project, drafted memorandum to Human Rights Watch regarding mistake of law as a defense under the ICC Statute.

SCHELL CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS, New Haven, CT (1997-1998)
Student Director. Coordinated human rights activities at Yale Law School and Yale University, liaised with other human rights organizations, organized speakers and conferences, assisted

students in obtaining employment in human rights field, and helped administer human rights fellowships.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE, OFFICE OF THE LEGAL ADVISOR, Washington, D.C. (Summer 1998)

Summer Legal Intern. Performed legal research, writing, and analysis of international law issues, particularly in the areas of international human rights and employment.

IMMIGRATION LEGAL SERVICES CLINIC, New Haven, CT (1997)

Student Lawyer. Successfully represented clients seeking asylum, including working with a psychiatry expert to secure asylum for a client with post-traumatic stress disorder.

INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL TRIBUNAL FOR FORMER YUGOSLAVIA, The Hague, The Netherlands (Summer 1997)

Law Clerk. Researched and wrote legal memoranda for trial teams on various international legal issues, including the definitions of crimes against humanity and gender crimes.

UNITED STATES EMBASSY, Libreville, Gabon (Summer 1995)

Foreign Service Intern. Worked directly with Ambassador Joseph C. Wilson IV, performing duties of political officer, which included drafting Human Rights Country Report on Gabon.

UNITED STATES AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, Washington, D.C. (1992-1993)

Program Assistant. Assisted program officer in organizing and administering aid for Africa.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

IRISH CENTER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS (May 2009)

Gravity and Prosecutorial Discretion at International Criminal Courts, Doctoral Seminar

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER (July 2008)

Gravity and the Legitimacy of the International Criminal Court, Faculty Workshop

IRISH CENTER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS (March 2008)

Gravity in International Criminal Law, Doctoral Seminar

JUNIOR INTERNATIONAL LAW SCHOLARS CONFERENCE (February 2008)

The Gravity Principle in International Criminal Law

EDWARD J. MCFETRIDGE AMERICAN INN OF COURT (April 2006)

Did You See What I Saw? Mistaken Eye Witness Identification

ABA WHITE COLLAR CRIME COMMITTEE ANNUAL MEETING (February 2006)

Playing Hardball with the Government, Panel Organizer & Moderator

BOARD AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS

CENTER FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT THROUGH LAW, Berkeley, CA (2004-2006)

Board Member. Participated in running non-profit organization aimed at exposing underprivileged youth to careers in the law by providing summer courses and internships.

EDWARD J. MCFETRIDGE AMERICAN INN OF COURT, San Francisco, CA (2003-2006)
Associate and Pupilage Group Leader. Participated in and organized educational presentations on various legal topics, including leading presentation regarding mistaken eyewitness identification.

ABA WHITE COLLAR COMMITTEE, YOUNG LAWYERS DIVISION, San Francisco, CA (2001-2005)
Founder and Chairperson. Founded and ran Bay Area chapter of organization to promote career advancement and continuing education of young lawyers practicing criminal defense.

BAR ADMISSIONS

New York (2002)

California (2001)

LANGUAGES

Spanish (fluent), French (fluent), Italian (proficient), Wolof (conversational)