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Georgetown Law is pleased to welcome eight new faculty members for the 2015-2016 academic year. They will strengthen Georgetown in a number of important areas, including tax, technology and privacy, corporate finance, comparative constitutional law, discrimination law, and legal research and writing. Our students will benefit from this year’s remarkable entering faculty for many years to come.

Tax scholars Lilian Faulhaber and Brian Galle enrich a tax program that is already considered one of the finest in the country. Faulhaber was formerly a Climenko Fellow and Lecturer on Law at Harvard Law School, and Galle was previously a professor at Boston College Law School. Former University of Colorado Law Professor Paul Ohm spent several years working as a computer programmer and network systems administrator and will serve as a faculty director for Georgetown Law’s Center on Privacy and Technology. He is an important new addition to our burgeoning law-tech faculty, as is Princeton economics Ph.D. Neel Sukhatme, an expert on corporate finance and patent law. Sukhatme’s varied experience includes being lead programmer and patent counsel for a music technology company that he co-founded. Yvonne Tew, formerly a Hauser Global Research Fellow at New York University School of Law, has a B.A. and Ph.D. from Cambridge, where she served as editor-in-chief of the Cambridge Student Law Review. Her book on constitutional adjudication in Southeast Asia will be published by Oxford University Press in 2016. Jamillah Bowman Williams, a Stanford Ph.D. in sociology, researches contemporary bias and the effectiveness of antidiscrimination law. She has served as a visiting scholar at the American Bar Foundation in Chicago and was formerly a National Science Foundation fellow. And finally, we are proud to welcome two new faculty member to our legal research and writing faculty: Jarrod Reich, who arrives from the faculty of the Florida State University College of Law, and Jessica Wherry, who joins us from the legal research and writing program of George Washington University Law School and is the co-author of two books on writing. Reich and Wherry will teach Legal Practice: Writing and Analysis and a legal writing seminar.

It is my pleasure to introduce you to the new faculty members of Georgetown Law.

William M. Treanor
Dean of the Law Center
Executive Vice President, Law Center Affairs
Professor Lilian Faulhaber comes from Boston University School of Law. Since 2013, she has worked at the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development, where she is an adviser to the Base Erosion and Profit Shifting Project. Before joining the Boston University faculty, she was a Climenko Fellow and lecturer on law at Harvard Law School. Her research and teaching interests include international tax law, federal income tax law, tax policy, European Union law and international law. She clerked for Senior Judge Robert E. Keeton and Judge William G. Young, both on the U.S. District Court for the District of Massachusetts, and was an associate at Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP in New York. She has published articles on international taxation, tax avoidance, charitable giving and European Union law. A magna cum laude graduate of Harvard College, she received an M.Phil. from Cambridge University and a J.D. cum laude from Harvard Law School, where she was editor-in-chief of the Harvard International Law Journal. She will teach Taxation, International Business Transactions and the seminar Taxation in the European Union.
Professor Brian Galle arrives at the Law Center from Boston College Law School. Before that, he was on the faculty at Florida State University College of Law. His research and teaching interests include taxation, nonprofit organizations, behavioral law and economics, federalism and public finance economics. He was a visiting professor at the Law Center in the 2008-2009 academic year and has been a visitor at George Washington University Law School and a visiting fellow at the Urban/Brookings Tax Policy Center. He was twice selected to participate in the Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum, and appears in Brian Leiter’s list of the top 10 most highly cited legal scholars in taxation. A graduate of Harvard College, he received a J.D. from Columbia, where he was special issues editor of the *Columbia Law Review*, and an LL.M. in taxation, with distinction, from Georgetown. He will teach Taxation and the Law and Economics Workshop at Georgetown Law.
PAUL OHM

B.S. 1994
Yale

J.D. 1999
UCLA School of Law

EXPERIENCE AND AFFILIATIONS
University of Colorado Law School, Associate Professor and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
Federal Trade Commission, Senior Policy Adviser
United States Department of Justice, Computer Crime and Intellectual Property Section, Honors Program Trial Attorney

COURSES
Information Privacy Law
Technology of Privacy Seminar
Criminal Justice
Computer Crime Lab

REPRESENTATIVE PUBLICATIONS

Professor Paul Ohm comes to the Law Center from the University of Colorado Law School. His research and teaching focus on information privacy, computer crime law, Internet law and criminal procedure. Much of his scholarship examines how evolving technology disrupts individual privacy. From 2012 to 2013, he served as senior policy adviser to the Federal Trade Commission, and before becoming a law professor he worked as an honors program trial attorney in the U.S. Department of Justice’s Computer Crime and Intellectual Property Section. Before that, he clerked for Judge Betty Fletcher of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 9th Circuit and Judge Mariana Pfaelzer of the U.S. District Court for the Central District of California. He earned his law degree from UCLA and undergraduate degrees in computer science and electrical engineering from Yale. After college, he spent several years working as a computer programmer and network systems administrator. He will teach Information Privacy Law, a Technology of Privacy Seminar, Computer Crime Lab and Criminal Justice, and he will serve as a faculty director for Georgetown Law’s Center on Privacy and Technology.
Professor Jarrod Reich joins the Law Center faculty from the Florida State University College of Law, where he focused his teaching on lawyering skills, including courses in legal writing, alternative dispute resolution, appellate advocacy and an in-house counsel externship seminar. He also served as the faculty adviser to Florida State’s dispute resolution and undergraduate moot court teams, and coached several of the College of Law’s moot court and mock trial teams. He was awarded the 2014 Open Door Teaching Award for his work mentoring and advising students. Prior to joining Florida State, he spent eight years at Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP as both an associate and as counsel, focusing his practice on complex commercial litigation. During his tenure there, Professor Reich worked on some of the highest-profile litigation in recent memory — most notably Hollingsworth v. Perry, the historic civil rights case for marriage equality in California — and represented a wide range of clients in diverse matters in state and federal courts and in domestic and international arbitrations. In addition to his practice, from 2009 to 2013 he served as an adjunct professor at the Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, where he taught lawyering skills and legal writing and a judicial externship seminar. He served as a law clerk to Judge William J. Haynes Jr. of the U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee. He graduated magna cum laude from Brandeis University and with an Order of the Coif from Vanderbilt University Law School, where he was managing editor of the Vanderbilt Law Review. He will teach Legal Practice: Writing and Analysis and a Legal Writing Seminar: Theory and Practice for Law Fellows.
NEEL SUKHATME

B.S. 2001
University of Illinois

J.D. 2005
Harvard

PH.D. 2015
Princeton

EXPERIENCE AND AFFILIATIONS
Law Clerk to Judge Vaughn R. Walker of U.S. District Court of the Northern District of California and to Judge Ann Clair Williams of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 7th Circuit
Co-founder and creator of Spindrop.com, a patented music technology company
Visiting fellow, NYU School of Law’s Engelberg Center on Innovation Law and Policy

COURSES
Corporate Finance
Empirical Analysis for Lawyers and Policymakers Seminar

REPRESENTATIVE PUBLICATIONS

Professor Neel Sukhatme joins the Law Center from Princeton University, where he received his M.A. and Ph.D. in economics. His dissertation focused on empirical patent law, and his other research interests include law and economics, civil procedure and corporate finance. Sukhatme has been a visiting fellow at the Engelberg Center on Innovation Law & Policy at New York University School of Law, and he was awarded the 2014 Towbes Prize for Outstanding Teaching at Princeton. He clerked for Judge Vaughn R. Walker of the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California and Judge Ann Claire Williams of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 7th Circuit. He practiced as an attorney at the law firm of Latham & Watkins and has published in the Harvard Law Review, William & Mary Law Review, Washington and Lee Law Review and Harvard International Law Journal. He is the lead programmer and patent counsel for Spindrop, a music technology company that he co-founded in 2010. Sukhatme also received a B.S. in computer engineering (highest honors) with a minor in mathematics from the University of Illinois, and a J.D. cum laude from Harvard Law School, where he served as notes editor of the Harvard Law Review. At Georgetown Law, he will teach Corporate Finance and Empirical Analysis for Lawyers and Policymakers.
YVONNE TEW

B.A. 2007
Cambridge

LL.M. 2008
Harvard

PH.D. 2013
Cambridge

EXPERIENCE AND AFFILIATIONS
Editor-in-chief, Cambridge Student Law Review
Hauser Global Research Fellow, New York University School of Law
Associate-in-Law (Postdoctoral Fellow and Lecturer in Law), Columbia Law School

COURSES
Constitutional Law I: The Federal System
Comparative Constitutional Law Seminar

REPRESENTATIVE PUBLICATIONS
The Constitutional Core: Constitutional Adjudication in Southeast Asia (Oxford University Press, 2016 forthcoming)
“Originalism at Home and Abroad,” 52 Columbia Journal of Transnational Law 780 (2014)
Arbitrating God (work in progress)

Professor Yvonne Tew arrives at Georgetown Law from New York University School of Law, where she was a Hauser Global Research Fellow. She teaches and writes in the areas of constitutional law and comparative constitutional law. She has taught at Columbia Law School as an associate-in-law, the University of Cambridge in the United Kingdom and the University of Malaya in Malaysia. She also worked as an attaché at the Permanent Mission of Malaysia to the United Nations in New York. Her scholarship has been published in the Columbia Journal of Transnational Law, the Cambridge Law Journal and several Commonwealth law journals, and her book on constitutional adjudication in Southeast Asia is forthcoming in 2016 with Oxford University Press. She received her first law degree from the University of Cambridge, graduating with Double First Class Honors. She then graduated from Harvard Law School with a Master of Laws (LL.M.), after winning the Cambridge-Harvard Law Link scholarship awarded to the top final-year graduates from the University of Cambridge admitted to Harvard Law School. She completed her Ph.D. at the University of Cambridge, where she was a Gates Cambridge Scholar and served as editor-in-chief of the Cambridge Student Law Review. Her dissertation was awarded the Distinction in Research Prize in the Arts and Humanities by St. Catharine’s College, Cambridge. At the Law Center, she will teach Constitutional Law I and the Comparative Constitutional Law Seminar.
Professor Jessica Wherry arrives from George Washington University Law School, where she was associate professor of legal research and writing and associate director of the legal research and writing program. She was a visiting associate professor of legal research and writing at Georgetown Law from 2012 to 2014. Previously, she served as assistant counsel in the U.S. Department of the Navy’s Office of the General Counsel and as a cryptologic technician in the U.S. Navy. She earned an undergraduate degree from Lawrence University, a master of social science from Syracuse University and a J.D. from the George Washington University Law School, where she was a dean’s fellow in the legal research and writing program and senior managing editor of the Public Contract Law Journal. She volunteers as a pro bono attorney serving veterans through the Homeless Persons Representation Project (Veterans’ Benefits Project) and Maryland Legal Aid (Veterans’ Telephone Hotline). She will teach Legal Practice: Writing and Analysis and a Legal Writing Seminar: Theory and Practice for Law Fellows.
JAMILLAH BOWMAN WILLIAMS

B.S. 2003  
Georgetown University

M.A. 2005  
University of Michigan

J.D. 2011, PH.D. 2013  
Stanford University

EXPERIENCE AND AFFILIATIONS
National Science Foundation Fellow
Associate, Paul Hastings LLP Employment Law Department
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COURSES
Employment Discrimination
Contemporary Bias and Law Seminar

REPRESENTATIVE PUBLICATIONS
Status Processes and Inequality in Organizations: The Social Psychology of Inclusion, doctoral dissertation (December 6, 2013)


Professor Jamillah Bowman Williams arrives at the Law Center from the American Bar Foundation in Chicago, where she is a visiting scholar. Her research focuses on contemporary bias, the effectiveness of antidiscrimination law and the capacity of law to promote compliance and social change. More specifically, she uses psychological theory and empirical analysis to examine the impact of antidiscrimination law on the individuals it was intended to protect. Her teaching interests include employment law, employment discrimination, law and society, and civil rights. A former National Science Foundation fellow, she worked as an associate in the employment law practice of Paul Hastings, LLP in Chicago, where she specialized in conducting privileged diagnostics and employment processes and advising employers on diversity/inclusion programs. She received a B.S. in business administration from Georgetown University, an M.A. in higher education from the University of Michigan, a J.D. from Stanford Law School and a Ph.D. in sociology from Stanford University. At Georgetown Law, she will teach Employment Discrimination and the Contemporary Bias and Law Seminar.