

MADHAVI SUNDER
Georgetown University Law Center
600 New Jersey Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20001

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Georgetown University Law Center (2018-present)

- Frank Sherry Professor of Intellectual Property Law (2021-present)
- Center for Transnational Legal Studies, London, Co-director (Fall 2024-Spring 2025)
- Associate Dean for Graduate & International Programs (July 1, 2020-June 30, 2023)
- Professor of Law (2018-present)
- Visiting Professor of Law (Spring 2018)

Harvard University, Berkman Klein Center for Internet and Society

- Fellow-in-Residence (Fall 2023-Spring 2024)

University of California, Davis, School of Law (1999-2018)

- Senior Associate Dean for Academic Affairs (2015-2018)
- Daniel J. Dykstra Endowed Chair (2017-2018)
- Professor of Law (2003-2018); Assistant Professor of Law (1999-2003)

UC Berkeley School of Law

- Thelton E. Henderson Visiting Scholar-in-Residence (January 2013)

University of Chicago Law School

- Visiting Professor of Law (2008-2009)

Yale Law School

- Visiting Professor of Law (Spring 2008)

Cornell Law School

- Visiting Professor of Law (Fall 2003)

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

U.S. Court of Appeals for the 9th Circuit, Judge Harry Pregerson, Law Clerk, Woodland Hills, CA (1998-99)
Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton, Associate, New York, NY (1997-98)

EDUCATION

Stanford Law School, J.D. (1997)

- Articles Editor, *Stanford Law Review*
- Irving H. Hellman, Jr. Award for Outstanding Law Review Note
- Block Civil Liberties Award for Exceptional Scholarship in Furtherance of Personal Freedom

Harvard University, A.B., magna cum laude in Social Studies (1992)

- Hoopes Prize for Outstanding Honors Thesis
- John Harvard Scholarship, Harvard Scholarship, Trustman Fellow
- Associate Managing Editor, *Harvard Crimson*

DISTINCTIONS

- American Law Institute (ALI), Member
- Hagler Fellow, Hagler Institute, Texas A&M University (2022-2027)
- Associate Dean for Graduate & International Programs, Georgetown Law (2020-2023)
 - Oversaw largest graduate law program in U.S. with 760+ students and 15 degrees
 - Oversaw Center for Transnational Legal Studies (CTLS) in London; recruited first new global partners in a decade, including partners from Asia and Latin America
 - Led through pandemic and period of rising xenophobia and hostile immigration policies.
 - Led self-study of 15 degree programs, including LLM in tax, international economic law, energy & environmental law, health law, and MLS in law and technology
 - Developed Strategic Plan for Graduate and International Programs
 - Placed several Afghan Legal Scholars at Risk at Georgetown's DC and London campuses
 - Graduate and International Programs has 30+ staff in DC and London
- Senior Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, UC Davis School of Law (2015-2018)
 - Founded First Generation Advocates program for first generation law students
 - Helped recruit and support excellent and diverse faculty, students, staff
 - Calvin E. Handy Leadership Award for Diversity & Principles of Community, UC Davis
- Elected Member of Davis School Board, Davis, CA (2014-2018)
 - Governed K-12 public school district, 8,700 children, annual budget of \$85 million
 - Board President (2015-2016), led hiring of new Superintendent in June 2016
 - Led district to be one of the 1st in California to adopt later school start times for teens
 - Recognized by California State Legislature for work as Davis School Board Trustee (2017)
- H-Index 25; 6 books, 40+ articles and book chapters
- Author of the Most Cited International Intellectual Property Article of the Decade (2016) (for Madhavi Sunder, *IP³*, 59 *Stanford Law Review* 257 (2006))
- Author of a Top 20 Most Cited Intellectual Property Article of the Decade (2016) (for Madhavi Sunder, *IP³*, 59 *Stanford Law Review* 257 (2006))
- Co-author of a Top 20 Most Cited Intellectual Property Article of the Decade (2014) (for *The Romance of the Public Domain*, 92 *California Law Review* 1331 (2004) (with Anupam Chander))
- Featured in *The New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, *L.A Times*, *PBS Newshour*, *The Harvard Business Review* and *The Journal of the American Medical Association (JAMA)*
- Recognized as an "Intellectual Property Pioneer" by *Billboard* magazine (October 2018)
- Chair, Grade Curve Reform Committee, Georgetown University Law Center (GULC) (2019-2020)
- Advisory Board, PatentX, Co-designed course for World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)
- Led campaign to name [first school in the U.S. named after civil rights hero Fred T. Korematsu](#)
- Board President, Women's Learning Partnership for Rights, Development and Peace (WLP) (partnership of 20+ autonomous women's rights organizations in the Global South)
- Smithsonian DC Regional Council Member
- ["Free, Fair, Share, Care."](#) TEDxUCDAVIS Lecture (May 19, 2012)
- Named One of the "Nation's Top 12 Emerging Scholars Under 40" by *Diverse: Issues in Higher Education* Magazine (January 2010)
- Carnegie Corporation Scholar (2006-08)
- Named One of Four "Top Young Intellectual Property Scholars" by Lawrence Lessig (2006)
- Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum Winner, *IP³* selected as best paper in "Law and Culture" (2006)
- AALS Scholarly Paper Prize Honorable Mention (2002) *Cultural Dissent*, *STANFORD LAW REVIEW* (2001)

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- WHAT'S WRONG WITH CULTURAL APPROPRIATION? (book manuscript in progress).
- INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, COVID-19, AND THE NEXT PANDEMIC: DIAGNOSING PROBLEMS, DEVELOPING CURES, Co-editor with Haochen Sun (Cambridge University Press, 2024).
- ACADEMIC BRANDS: PROJECTING DISTINCTIVENESS IN GLOBAL HIGHER EDUCATION, Co-editor with Mario Biagioli (Cambridge University Press 2022).
- THE LUXURY ECONOMY AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY: CRITICAL REFLECTIONS, Co-editor with Haochen Sun & Barton Beebe (Oxford University Press 2015).
- FROM GOODS TO A GOOD LIFE: INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND GLOBAL JUSTICE (Yale University Press 2012).
- FRED KOREMATSU: ALL-AMERICAN HERO (with Anupam Chander) (Carolina Academic Press 2011).
- GENDER AND FEMINIST THEORY IN LAW & SOCIETY, Editor (Ashgate Publishing 2007).

Recent Op-eds and Book Reviews

- [Does Copyright Help Artists? Not Necessarily, Say These Writers.](#) (Book Review of *Who Owns This Sentence* by David Bellos and Alexandre Montagu), WASHINGTON POST, February 18, 2024.
- [It's Time to Recognize and Reward Black Creators on TikTok and Beyond](#), LA TIMES (July 7, 2021).
- [Sharing Technology and Vaccine Doses to Address Global Vaccine Inequity and End the COVID-19 Pandemic](#), JAMA (July 1, 2021) (with Matthew M. Kavanagh and Lawrence O. Gostin).
- [Biden Must Push Drug Firms To Share Science With the World](#), BLOOMBERG LAW (April 23, 2021) (with Matthew M. Kavanagh).
- [Don't Let Intellectual Property Rights Get In The Way of Global Vaccination](#), WASHINGTON POST (March 10, 2021) (with Matthew M. Kavanagh).
- [When Fandom Clashes With IP Law](#), HARVARD BUSINESS REVIEW (July 23, 2019).

Articles and Book Chapters

- *About-Face: Deepfakes and the Misuse of Copyright*, 29 STAN. TECH. L. REV. ___ (forthcoming 2026).
- *Property and Provenance*, 73 UCLA L. REV. ___ (forthcoming 2026).
- *Measuring What Matters in Law School Excellence*, 59 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 3051 (2026).
- *Intellectual Property, COVID-19, and the Next Pandemic: Diagnosing Problems, Developing Cures – Introduction* (with Haochen Sun) in INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, COVID-19, AND THE NEXT PANDEMIC: DIAGNOSING PROBLEMS, DEVELOPING CURES, Co-editor with Haochen Sun (Cambridge University Press 2024).
- *Intellectual Property and the "Lost Year" of COVID-19 Deaths*, HARV. INT. L. J. ONLINE (Nov. 8, 2023).
- *Foreword: Intellectual Property After George Floyd*, in INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND SOCIAL JUSTICE (Lateef Mtima, ed. 2023).
- *Epilogue: The Aesthetic University*, in ACADEMIC BRANDS: PROJECTING DISTINCTIVENESS IN GLOBAL HIGHER EDUCATION, (Mario Biagioli & Madhavi Sunder, eds.) (Cambridge University Press 2022).
- *Fighting Fundamentalism With Pluralism: Technologies of Enlightenment During the Arab Spring*, in THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF GLOBAL LEGAL PLURALISM, 995-1015 (Paul Schiff Berman, ed. 2020).
- *Dancing on the Grave of Copyright*, in Festschrift in Honor of John Perry Barlow, 18 DUKE L. & TECH. REV. 143 (2019) (with Anupam Chander).
- *Intellectual Property in Experience*, 117 MICHIGAN LAW REVIEW 197 (2018).
- *The Battle to Define Asia's Intellectual Property Law: From TPP to RCEP*, 8 UC IRVINE L. REV. 331 (2018) (with Anupam Chander).

- *The Law of Look and Feel*, 90 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA LAW REVIEW 529 (2017) (with Peter Lee).
- “Carhart Memorial Lecture at Ohio Northern University’s Pettit College of Law: Copyright Law for the Participation Age,” 40 OHIO NORTHERN U. L. REV. 359 (2014).
- *Design Patents: Law Without Design?*, 17 STANFORD TECH. & LAW REV. 277 (2013) (w/ Peter Lee).
- *Brand New World: Distinguishing Oneself in the Global Flow*, 46 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 455 (2013) (Introduction to Symposium) (with Mario Biagioli & Anupam Chander).
 - Reprinted as *Brands R Us*, in THE LUXURY ECONOMY AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY: CRITICAL REFLECTIONS (Haochen Sun, Barton Beebe & Madhavi Sunder, eds.) (Oxford University Press 2015).
- *Novartis v. Myriad: The Indian and U.S. Supreme Courts on Patents and Public Health*, EUROPEAN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY REVIEW (November 2013).
- *Trade Secret and Human Freedom, in* INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND THE COMMON LAW (Shyam Balganesh, ed.) (Cambridge University Press 2013).
- *Copyright’s Cultural Turn*, 91 TEXAS LAW REVIEW 1397 (2013) (with Anupam Chander).
- *Golan v. Holder*, 105 AM. J. INT’L L. 637 (2012) (with Anupam Chander and Uyen Le).
- *Occupying Our Hearts*, 45 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 1585 (2012) (Introduction to Symposium honoring Keith Aoki) (with Anupam Chander).
- *Democratizing Islam, in* A JIHAD FOR JUSTICE: HONORING THE WORK AND LIFE OF AMINA WADUD (2012).
- *Keeping Faith: Religion and Women’s Human Rights, in* RELIGION AND HUMAN RIGHTS: AN INTRODUCTION (Oxford University Press 2011).
 - Reprinted in THE LIBRARY OF ESSAYS ON EQUALITY AND ANTI-DISCRIMINATION LAW (Ashgate Publishing 2013).
- *New Working Group on ‘Cultural Protocols’ Convenes at New York University, 19 August 2011*, 18 INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF CULTURAL PROPERTY 459 (2011).
- *Foreword, in* ACCESS TO KNOWLEDGE IN INDIA: NEW RESEARCH ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, INNOVATION, AND DEVELOPMENT (Bloomsbury 2011).
- *Bollywood/Hollywood*, 12 THEORETICAL INQUIRIES IN LAW 275 (2011).
- *Review of ‘Intellectual Property and Theories of Justice,’* ERASMUS JOURNAL FOR PHILOSOPHY AND ECONOMICS, Vol. 3, No. 1 (Spring 2010).
- *Intellectual Property and Development as Freedom, in* THE DEVELOPMENT AGENDA: GLOBAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES (Oxford University Press 2008).
- *Power & Difference 2.0*, ASIL PROCEEDINGS (2008).
- *The Invention of Traditional Knowledge*, 70 LAW & CONTEMPORARY PROBLEMS 95 (Spring 2007).
- *Is Nozick Kicking Rawls’s Ass? Intellectual Property and Social Justice*, 40 U.C. DAVIS L. REV. 563 (2007) (coauthored with Anupam Chander) (symposium introduction).
 - Reprinted in ICFAI Journal of Intellectual Property Rights.
- *Everyone’s a Superhero: A Cultural Theory of “Mary Sue” Fan Fiction as Fair Use*, 94 CALIFORNIA LAW REVIEW (2007) (with Anupam Chander).
 - Reprinted in FAIR USE (ed. A.V. Narsimha Rao 2008).
- *Introduction: Feminism in the Power/Knowledge Age, in* GENDER AND FEMINIST THEORY IN LAW & SOCIETY (ASHGATE PUBLISHING 2007).
- *IP³*, 59 STANFORD LAW REVIEW 257 (2006).
 - Selected for Stanford/Yale Jr. Faculty Forum as best paper in “Law and Culture” (presented at the Yale Law School, June 2006).
- *The Right to Mary Sue, in* SELF-ORGANIZATION/COUNTER-ECONOMIC STRATEGIES (2006) (with Anupam Chander).

- *Enlightened Constitutionalism*, 37 CONNECTICUT LAW REVIEW 891 (2005) (Invited reply to Noah Feldman, *Imposed Constitutionalism*, in same volume).
- *Foreword: The Subject and Object of Commodification* (with Margaret Jane Radin), in RETHINKING COMMODIFICATION (Martha M. Ertman & Joan C. Williams, eds.) (NYU Press 2005).
- *Property in Personhood*, in RETHINKING COMMODIFICATION (Martha M. Ertman & Joan C. Williams, eds.) (NYU Press 2005).
- *The Romance of the Public Domain*, 92 CALIFORNIA LAW REVIEW 1331 (2004) (with Anupam Chander).
 - Nominated for “Green Bag Almanac and Reader of Good Legal Writing 2006” in long articles category.
 - Reprinted in INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND INFORMATION WEALTH (Peter Yu, ed.) (Praeger Publishers 2006).
 - Translated into French in LIBRES SAVOIRS: LES BIENS COMMUNS DE LA CONNAISSANCE (2011).
- *Piercing the Veil*, 112 YALE LAW JOURNAL 1399 (2003).
 - Excerpted in Katharine T. Bartlett, et al., GENDER LAW AND POLICY: THEORY, DOCTRINE, AND COMMENTARY (2009).
 - Reprinted in JUST ADVOCACY: WOMEN’S HUMAN RIGHTS, TRANSNATIONAL FEMINISM, AND THE POLITICS OF REPRESENTATION (Wendy Hesford & Wendy Kozol, eds. 2004).
- *(Un)Disciplined*, 26 POLITICAL AND LEGAL ANTHROPOLOGY REVIEW 77 (2003).
- *A Culture of One’s Own: Learning From Women Living Under Muslim Laws*, in NOTHING SACRED: WOMEN RESPOND TO RELIGIOUS FUNDAMENTALISM AND TERROR (NATION BOOKS 2002).
- *Cultural Dissent*, 54 STANFORD LAW REVIEW 495 (2001).
 - Awarded AALS Scholarly Paper Prize-Honorable Mention (2002).
- *Intellectual Property & Identity Politics: Playing With Fire*, 4 J. GENDER, RACE & JUSTICE 69 (2000).
- *In a Fragile Space: Sexual Harassment and the Construction of Indian Feminism*, 18 LAW & POLICY 419 (1996).
- *Authorship and Autonomy as Rites of Exclusion: The Intellectual Propertization of Free Speech in Hurley v. Irish-American Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Group of Boston*, 49 STANFORD LAW REVIEW 143 (1996).

Other Shorter Works

- Video: [Trademarking Digital Likeness: Part I](#) (March 19, 2026)
- Video: [Trademarking Digital Likeness: Part II](#) (March 25, 2026)
- Video: [Office Hours with Madhavi Sunder, Andy Warhol v. Goldsmith](#) (2023).
- Video: [Legalese: "Immoral" and "Scandalous" Trademarks](#) (June 25, 2019).
- [We Can Stop History From Repeating Itself](#), SACRAMENTO BEE (Feb. 19, 2017) (with Anupam Chander).
- [Korematsu and the Struggle for Civil Rights](#), DAVIS VANGUARD (August 1, 2016).
- [All-American Hero Championed Civil Rights](#), SACRAMENTO BEE (Jan. 30, 2011).
- [Apple Rips While Grokster Burns: How MGM v. Grokster Benefits Information Technology Companies](#), FINDLAW.COM (June 29, 2005) (with Anupam Chander).
- [The New Afghan Constitution: Will It Respect Women’s Rights? Will Its Mixture of Religion and Democracy Work?](#), FINDLAW.COM (Jan. 15, 2004) (republished on CNN.com, Jan. 20, 2004).
- [In a Trademark Case, The Supreme Court Recognizes That Art Flows From Multiple Sources](#), FINDLAW.COM (June 12, 2003).
- [Beauty Marred: The “Miss World” Riots, A Stoning Sentence, and the Conflict Between](#)

Religious and Secular Law in Nigeria, FINDLAW.COM (Dec. 5, 2002).

- *Why We Don't Lead the World on Women's Rights Issues: As Shown by An Unsigned Treaty, Not Cultural Imperialism*, FINDLAW.COM (Oct. 10, 2002).
- *Comment on Stuart Kirsch, Lost Worlds: Environmental Disaster, 'Culture Loss,' and the Law*, 42 CURRENT ANTHROPOLOGY 189 (April 2001).

NAMED LECTURES

Bill Cornish Memorial Lecture, London School of Economics & Political Science (May 2026) (forthcoming)
Keynote Speaker, Gonzaga University School of Law Symposium IP & Social Justice (September 2019)
Morse Center Keynote, University of Oregon (January 2014)
Center of Professional & Applied Ethics Lecture, University of North Carolina-Charlotte (December 2013)
Mitchell Lecture, SUNY-Buffalo Law School (October 2013)
Carhart Lecture, Ohio Northern University (October 2013)
Ruth Chance Lecture, University of California, Berkeley, School of Law (January 2013)
Hochelega Lectures, Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong (March 2012)
Juanita Haugen Memorial Lecture 2011, California School Boards Association
Oakley Center Lecture, Williams College, MA (May 2008)
Miliband Lecture, London School of Economics, U.K. (March 2008)
Distinguished Speakers Series, University of the Pacific McGeorge School of Law (September 2007)
Dean's Distinguished Visitor Lecture, Washington University School of Law (October 2006)
Mershon Center Lecture, Ohio State University (October 2004)
Williams¹ Project Lecture, UCLA School of Law (October 2003)
Endries Lecture, Syracuse University College of Law (September 2002)

FACULTY WORKSHOPS

University of Minnesota School of Law (September 2025, forthcoming)
Texas A&M School of Law (March 2023, February 2024)
Singapore Management University (July 2019)
UC Berkeley School of Law (January 2013)
University of Minnesota Law School (December 2012)
Santa Clara School of Law (March 2010)
Loyola University Chicago School of Law (April 2009)
University of Chicago Law School (February 2009)
UCLA Law School (October 2008)
University of Connecticut (April 2008)
Southwestern Law School (October 2007)
Northwestern University School of Law (January 2007)
Stanford Law School (September 2006)
University of Toronto (March 2006)
USC School of Law (September 2005)
Notre Dame School of Law (April 2005)
Thomas Jefferson School of Law (February 2005)
Ohio State Moritz College of Law (October 2004)
University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law (March 2004)
Cornell Law School (September 2003)
Yale Legal Theory Workshop (October 2003)

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY COLLOQUIA

Centre for Intellectual Property and Information Law, University of Cambridge (March 2025)
Oxford Intellectual Property Research Centre, Oxford University (January 2025)
NYU Law Innovation Policy Colloquium, New York University (NYU) (April 2024)
NYU-Harvard-Penn Trademark Scholars Roundtable Participant, NYU Law School (October 2023)
Yale Information Society Project (ISP), Yale Law School (April 2023)
Loyola IP and Information Law Speaker Series (March 2020)
Loyola Chicago IP Colloquium (April 2019)
Hofstra Law School Intellectual Property Colloquium (December 2018)
Distinguished Lecture Series, Center for Intellectual Property & Innovation,
Indiana University McKinney School of Law (February 2016)
University of Pennsylvania School of Law (September 2013)
Loyola-LA School of Law (February 2010)
Fordham Law School (November 2009)
Stanford Law School, IPSC (August 2008)
NYU/Columbia (January 2007)
Cardozo School of Law (April 2006)
University of California, Berkeley, School of Law (Boalt Hall) (September 2004)
Stanford Law School (2004, 2003, 2002)
University of Michigan School of Law (September 2003)
Georgetown University Law Center (November 2002)

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER SUPREME COURT INSTITUTE

Warhol v. Goldsmith (October 3, 2022) (Moot Justice)
Romag Fasteners, Inc. v. Fossil, Inc. (Jan. 8, 2020) (Moot Justice)
USPTO v. Booking.com (April 27, 2020) (Moot Justice)

TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS

Courses: Property, Trademark, Copyright, Comparative AI Regulation

Areas of Research: Cultural Appropriation; Brands & Trademarks; International Intellectual Property; Patents & Access to Medicines; Islam, Democracy & Human Rights; IP & Development

INTERNATIONAL TEACHING

Aug 2024-May 2025	Faculty Co-Director, Center for Transnational Legal Studies, London
November 2021	Center for Transnational Legal Studies, London Taught two-week course on Cultural Appropriation.
June 2014	University of Cologne (Germany) Taught one-week course on international intellectual property law.
June 2013	University of Cologne (Germany) Taught one-week course on U.S. intellectual property law.
December 2011	Petrobras (Brazil) Taught one-week course on U.S. intellectual property law for Petrobras attorneys in Macaé, Brazil.
June 2002	University of Cologne (Germany) Taught one-week course on international intellectual property law.

GRANTS

- Mellon Foundation grant, \$225,000, with Professor Mario Biagioli for Sawyer Seminar entitled “Academic Brands: Privatizing, Quantifying, and Transforming the University (2017-19).
- Google, Inc. Grant, \$35,000 for conference on brands at UC Davis School of Law (2012).
- Carnegie Corporation Scholarship, \$100,000 for book on women, Islam & law (2006-08).
- State of California CCLPEP grant, \$50,000 for comic book on Fred Korematsu (2006-07).
- State of California CCLPEP grant, \$7,500 for curriculum materials related to Korematsu (2006-07).
- U.S. Dept. of Education UISFL grant, \$4,000 for lecture series on international IP (2006-07).

LAW SCHOOL SERVICE

Georgetown University Law Center

- Associate Dean for Graduate & International Programs, Georgetown University Law Center, 2020-2023 (supervised graduate and international programs for 760+ students, 15 degrees)
- Chair, Grade Curve Reform Committee, Georgetown University Law Center (GULC), 2019-2020
- Chair, Graduate and International Programs Committee, GULC, 2021-2022; 2022-2023

UC Davis School of Law

- Senior Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, UC Davis School of Law, 2015-present
- Chair, Faculty Appointments Committee, UC Davis School of Law, 2010-11
- Member, Law Dean Search Committee, UC Davis, 2008-09
- Chair, Tenure Committee for Donna Shestowsky, UC Davis, 2005-08

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & SERVICE

Advisory Board Member, Law and Technology Center, Hong Kong University (Jan. 2017-present)

Member, Access to Knowledge Global Academy (2008-Present).

Section Chair, Law & Anthropology, AALS (2005-06).

Organizing Committee, Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities (2002-2005).

Member, American Association of University Women (AAUW, since 2016)

International Journal of Cultural Property, Associate editor (longtime tenure ending in 2017)

Judge, Shamnad Basheer Essay Competition 2021

Judge, Lalive-Merryman Award from the International Society of Cultural Property 2021 (for best article by an author under 40 published in the International Journal of Cultural Property (IJCP))

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Board President, Women’s Learning Partnership (2023-present)(Board member since 2019).
- Smithsonian DC Regional Council Member (2021-present)
- Davis School Board (2014-2018) (K-12 public school district; 8,700 children; annual budget of \$85 million; Board President (2015-2016) (hired new Superintendent June 2016); Board Vice President (2014-2015).
- Member, Gandhi Statue for Peace Committee, Davis, California (2016)
- Member, Strategic Planning Committee Action Team, DJUSD (2013- 2014).
- Chair, Committee to Name New Elementary School in Davis, CA (2005) (first school in the U.S. named after Fred T. Korematsu, see Matt Bai, [He Said No to Internment, NY TIMES, Dec 25, 2005](#)).
- Harvard College Alumni Interviewer (1999-present).

BAR ADMISSION

New York (1998)

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit (1999)

CONFERENCES, SYMPOSIA, & OTHER PRESENTATIONS

Commentator at 7th Annual Art Law Works-in-Progress Workshop, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston (June 3, 2026) (discussing MFA's repatriation of pottery of enslaved artist David Drake to his descendants).

"About-Face: Deepfakes and the Misuse of Copyright," Annual Conference, Center for Transnational Legal Studies, London (May 21, 2026).

"About-Face: Deepfakes and the Misuse of Copyright," Delivered as the Bill Cornish Memorial Lecture, London School of Economics & Political Science (LSE) School of Law (May 19, 2026).

"About-Face: Deepfakes and the Misuse of Copyright," remarks delivered on "Copyforward" panel at the Flux Festival, organized by the Mozilla Foundation and USC Gould School of Law, Los Angeles, CA (April 24, 2026).

"About-Face: Deepfakes and the Misuse of Copyright," IPR Nanhu Forum , Zhongnan University of Economics and Law, Center for Studies of Intellectual Property Rights (CSIPR), Wuhan, China (via Zoom) (April 10, 2026).

"About-Face: Deepfakes and the Misuse of Copyright," delivered at "Commemorating 50 Years of the 1976 Copyright Act," Stanford Law School, April 3, 2026.

"About-Face: Deepfakes and the Misuse of Copyright," 50th Anniversary of the 1976 U.S. Copyright Act, Texas A&M School of Law (March 27-28, 2026).

"Property and Provenance," presented at symposium on "Labor in the Age of Platform Capitalism," UCLA Law Review, UCLA School of Law (Feb 13, 2026).

Discussant, *The Secret Life of Copyright: Intellectual Property and Inequality in the Age of AI*, Book Launch for Professor John Tehranian, Southwestern Law School, Feb. 6, 2026 (via Zoom).

Speaker, Celebration of Mario Biagioli, UCLA School of Law (Nov. 8, 2025).

Speaker, "Celebrating Dean Kevin R. Johnson: Honoring a Legacy of Transformative Scholarship and Leadership," UC Davis Law Review Symposium, UC Davis School of Law (Oct. 31, 2025).

Participant, International IP Roundtable, Texas A&M University, Sept. 25-26, 2025.

"Copyright feat. Cultural Appropriation," University of Minnesota School of Law Faculty Workshop, Sept 18, 2025.

Transnational Partners Convening, Women's Learning Partnership, Casablanca, Morocco, July 8-11, 2025.

"Transnational Law in Transition: Emergent Issues in Public and Private Law," Center for Transnational Legal Studies Conference Co-convenor, University of Turin Department of Law, Turin, Italy (May 21-22, 2025).

“Property and Provenance,” Change and Continuity in the Global Intellectual Property Order Symposium, Texas A&M School of Law (March 28, 2025).

“Intellectual Property, Covid-19, and the Next Pandemic: Diagnosing Problems, Developing Cures,” Book Launch, Texas A&M School of Law (March 27, 2025).

“Intellectual Property, Covid-19, and the Next Pandemic: Diagnosing Problems, Developing Cures,” Book Launch, London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), London (March 21, 2025).

“Artificial Intelligence, Intellectual Property, and the Creative Industries,” London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), London (March 4, 2025).

“Property and Provenance,” Centre for Intellectual Property and Information Law, University of Cambridge (March 3, 2025).

“Intellectual Property, Covid-19, and the Next Pandemic: Diagnosing Problems, Developing Cures,” Book Launch, Berkman Klein Center for Internet & Society, Harvard University (February 24, 2025).

“Property and Provenance,” Oxford Intellectual Property Research Centre, Oxford University (January 30, 2025).

“AI as Cultural Appropriation,” King’s College London (October 14, 2024).

“AI Authorship: China and the U.S.,” Peking University, Beijing, China (September 24, 2024).

“Three Civilizational Gaps,” Global Intellectual Property Scholars’ Academic Summit, Nanjing University, Suzhou, China (September 21, 2024).

“Intellectual Property, Covid-19, and the Next Pandemic: Diagnosing Problems, Developing Cures,” WIPO Summer School, Zhongnan University of Economics and Law, Center for Studies of Intellectual Property Rights (CSIPR), Wuhan, China (via Zoom) (July 9, 2024).

“Cultural Appropriation: From the Parthenon Marbles to AI,” Berkman Klein Center for Internet & Society, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA (May 13, 2024).

“Intellectual Property Is Theft!,” NYU Law Innovation Policy Colloquium, NYU Law School (April 4, 2024).

“Cultural Appropriation and Intellectual Property,” Panelist at 10th Anniversary Symposium of the Center for Law and Intellectual Property (CLIP), Texas A&M University Law School (February 23, 2024).

“Cultural Appropriation and Responses,” Panelist at Conference on “Indigenous Peoples, Traditional Knowledge, and Intellectual Property in International Law,” Harvard Law School (February 15, 2024).

NYU-Harvard-Penn Trademark Scholars Roundtable Participant, NYU Law School (October 6-7, 2023).

Commentator, Conference on “Indigenous Peoples, Traditional Knowledge, and Intellectual Property in International Law,” Harvard Law School (April 14, 2023).

“Intellectual Property Is Theft!,” Yale Information Society Project (ISP), Yale Law School (April 13, 2023).

“Intellectual Property Is Theft!,” Hagler Lecture, Texas A&M University, delivered in College Station (Feb 27, 2023) and Fort Worth (Feb 28, 2023).

“Web 3 & IP: Understanding the NFT and IP Connection,” panelist for Congressional Public Roundtable on IP and NFTs, organized by State of the Net, Filecoin and Decentralized Future Council (via Zoom, January 25, 2023).

“Indigenizing Intellectual Property,” AALS Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA (Jan. 5, 2023).

“Africa: Intellectual Property, Traditional Knowledge, Cultural Expressions, and Genetic Resources,” AALS Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA (Jan. 4, 2023).

“Beyond the Law: Property and Possession,” Equity for Indigenous Research and Innovation Coordinating Hub (ENRICH) located at the University of Waikato and New York University (via Zoom Nov. 4, 2022).

“Intellectual Property and the Lost Year of Covid-19 Deaths,” IP Mosaic ’22, International IP & Social Justice Plenary (via Zoom Oct. 28, 2022).

“Intellectual Property and the Lost Year of Covid-19 Deaths,” PatentX Lecture (Sept. 30, 2022).

“Intellectual Property and the Lost Year of Covid-19 Deaths,” Harvard Law School (Sept. 28, 2022).

“Intellectual Property Is Theft!,” presented at Intellectual Property Scholars Conference, Stanford Law School (August 11, 2022).

“Intellectual Property Is Theft!,” presented at George Mason IP and Philosophy Colloquium (June 10, 2022).

George Mason CIP2 Roundtable Discussion: Ensuring Diversity and Inclusivity in Copyright, Oceanside, CA (April 28-29, 2022).

“Cultural Appropriation: Finding Just Solutions to Appropriation of Indigenous Creation,” School for Advanced Research, Santa Fe, NM (via Zoom March 31, 2022).

“South Asians in Academia,” South Asian Law Students Association (SALSA), University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School (Feb. 25, 2022).

“Cultural Appropriation: Innovation or Theft?” Keynote Speech, Symposium of the Vanderbilt Journal of Entertainment & Technology Law (via Zoom Feb. 17, 2022).

“From Custodians to Co-producers of Knowledge: Rethinking Scientific Knowledge Production in a Multicultural World,” Panelist, Workshop Sponsored by The Royal Society of Edinburgh (via Zoom January 18, 2022).

“Cultural Appropriation: Innovation or Theft?” Georgetown Law Office of Executive & Continuing Legal Education Program on Cultural Heritage and Art Law (via Zoom December 9, 2021).

Moderator, Women and Afghanistan Panel Discussion, sponsored by the Women’s Learning Partnership (via Zoom December 8, 2021).

“Intellectual Property and Vaccine Equity,” Zhongnan University of Economics and Law (via Zoom December 1, 2021).

Panelist discussing TRIPS Waiver hosted by Women in International Trade (WIIT) (via Zoom Nov 10, 2021).

Convener and Host of International Conference Jointly Sponsored by Georgetown University Law Center & Hong Kong University Faculty of Law, “Intellectual Property and Covid 19: Diagnosing Problems, Developing Cures (via Zoom Nov 5-6, 2021).

“IP Protection and the Race to Vaccinate the World Against Covid 19,” 2021 Tsinghua World Forum on the Rule of Law (via Zoom October 21, 2021).

“IP Protection and the Race to Vaccinate the World Against Covid 19,” South Asian Bar Association (SABA) of San Diego (via Zoom October 19, 2021).

“Intellectual Property in Experience,” Georgetown Student Intellectual Property Law Association (via Zoom October 4, 2021).

“IP Protection and the Race to Vaccinate the World Against Covid 19,” USC IP Institute Keynote (via Zoom September 23, 2021).

“What can be done on the trade front to ensure global access to COVID vaccines,” Trade Expertes panel discussion (via Zoom Sept. 1, 2021).

“Vaccine Colonialism: Global Access to Covid-19 Vaccines,” Center for Transnational Legal Studies, London (via Zoom Aug. 31, 2021).

“Intellectual Property is Theft!,” IP Scholars Conference (via Zoom August 12, 2021).

“Intersectional Scholarship,” Speaker/Discussion Moderator, AALS New Law Teacher’s Workshop (via Zoom June 4, 2021).

“COVID-19 and Vaccine Equity,” panelist for conference on Innovating for the Social Good: 4th Annual Innovation and Technology Law Conference, Seattle University School of Law (via Zoom June 4, 2021).

“Covid Vaccination Strategies: Webinar to Strategize Mass Vaccination in India,” Sri Siddhartha Academy of Higher Education (via Zoom May 19, 2021).

Panelist, “Vaccine Equity and International Economic Law,” ASIL Economic Law Joint Conference with The World Bank (via Zoom May 10, 2021).

Panelist, “Rapid Response Event – The Covid-19 Pandemic in India: The Present and Future,” Harvard Asian American Alumni Association, South Asia Association and Harvard Kennedy School NY Alumni Network (via Zoom May 10, 2021).

Panelist, “Covid-19 Crisis in India,” University of Victoria Centre for Asia-Pacific Initiatives (CAPI) (via Zoom May 10, 2021).

“Global Vaccine Equity,” Race + IP 2021 (via Zoom April 9, 2021).

“Intellectual Property Is Theft: IP and Cultural Appropriation,” Roger Williams University School of Law (jointly sponsored by the U.S. Copyright Office) (via Zoom March 31, 2021).

Moderator, “Revisiting the Access to Medicines Debate in the Covid-19 Era,” Georgetown University Law Center (via Zoom March 5, 2021).

“The Romance of the Public Domain Revisited,” Yale Law School (via Zoom Feb. 26, 2021).

“All Intellectual Property Is Theft: IP and Cultural Appropriation,” Yale University, (via Zoom Dec. 1, 2020).

“Fighting Fundamentalism with Pluralism,” Annual Meeting of the Women’s Learning Partnership (via Zoom November 18, 2020).

Panelist at Barbara Ringer Day Conference on “Advancing Inclusion in Copyright,” The Copyright Office (via Zoom November 19, 2020).

“Fair Culture v. Free Culture,” Columbia University (via Zoom Oct. 14, 2020).

“Intellectual Property in Experience,” presented as part of the Loyola IP and Information Law Speaker Series, Los Angeles (via Zoom March 9, 2020).

“Once More, With Feeling: Copyrighting GIFs, Memes, and Emotes,” Jindal Global Law School, New Delhi (December 13, 2019).

Conversation with Simon Tam, U.S. Supreme Court Trademark Litigant, Georgetown University School of Law (November 19, 2019).

“Free Mickey: Trademark Protection in Characters When Copyright Expires,” AIPLA Annual Meeting, Washington, DC (October 25, 2019).

“All Intellectual Property is Theft,” Conference on Intellectual Property and Social Justice, Howard University Law School, Washington, DC (October 5, 2019).

“All Intellectual Property is Theft,” Keynote Speaker, Gonzaga University School of Law Symposium, “Medicine, Music, and Mascots: Furthering Social Justice in the Age of Intellectual Property,” Spokane, WA (Sept. 20, 2019).

Moderator, Copyright Liability for Online Service Providers (U.S. vs. Europe/U.K.), ABA Business Meeting, Washington, DC (September 13, 2019).

“Dancing on the Grave of Copyright: Internet Innovation, the Experience Economy, and Doge Memes,” Faculty Workshop, Singapore Management University School of Law, Singapore (July 24, 2019).

“Interdisciplinary Scholarship,” AALS New Law Teachers Workshop, Washington, DC (June 6-7, 2019).

“Intellectual Property and Aesthetic Theory,” Law and Society, Washington, DC (May 30-June 2, 2019).

“Intellectual Property in Aesthetic Experience,” Loyola Chicago IP Colloquium, Chicago (April 9, 2019).

“Academic Brands: Privatizing, Quantifying, and Transforming the University,” Conference Co-organizer and host, University of California, Davis, School of Law (March 22-23, 2019).

“Academic Brands: Privatizing, Quantifying, and Transforming the University,” George Washington University Law School Faculty Workshop (Feb. 27, 2019).

“Academic Brands: Privatizing, Quantifying, and Transforming the University,” Temple Law School Faculty Workshop (Jan. 31, 2019).

“Intellectual Property in Experience,” Hofstra Law School Intellectual Property Colloquium (Dec. 3, 2018).

Panel Speaker for Launch of *Feminist Advocacy, Family Law, and Violence against Women: International Perspectives*, Georgetown Institute for Women, Peace and Security (November 1, 2018).

“The Invention of Intellectual Property, Revisited,” University of Michigan Law School (Oct. 23, 2018).

Moderator, “Intersection of Music and Social Change,” Georgetown University Law Center (Oct. 11, 2018).

Delivered TED Talk on “The Battle To Define Asia’s Intellectual Property Laws,” 5th Global Conference on IP and the Public Interest, American University Law School, Washington, DC (Sept 28, 2018).

Moderator, Joint North American Conference on International Economic Law, American Society of International Law (ASIL) and IECLIG Biennial, Montreal (Sept 21-22, 2018).

“Intellectual Property in Experience,” St. John’s University School of Law Faculty Workshop (Sept 17, 2018).

“Intellectual Property in Experience,” Georgetown University Law Center Faculty Workshop (Jan. 25, 2018).

“Intellectual Property and the Experience Economy,” installation to Daniel J. Dykstra Chair in Law, UC Davis School of Law (November 7, 2017).

“The Battle to Define Asia’s Intellectual Property Law: From TPP to RCEP,” presented at the European Policy for Intellectual Property Annual Meeting, Bordeaux, France (September 6, 2017).

“A Development Approach to Genetic Resources Protection,” Lectures at Tohoku University, Sendai, Japan (August 3 & 4, 2017).

“Intellectual Property and Human Development,” Lecture for the Intellectual Property Association of Japan, Tokyo (August 2, 2017).

“The Battle to Define Asia’s Intellectual Property Law: From TPP to RCEP,” UC Davis Law School faculty workshop (July 18, 2017).

Moderator, Supreme Court Year in Review, Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe, Sacramento (July 7, 2017).

“The Invention of Traditional Knowledge Revisited,” Keynote Delivered at Conference on Medical Cultures, Traditions and Law, Northwestern University (May 5, 2017).

Organizer and Moderator of Campus Panel, “Hate Speech, Free Speech, More Speech or Less Speech: The Quad as Free Expression Zone or Safe Space?,” as part of the Chancellor’s series on “Dialogue and Discernment,” UC Davis (May 1, 2017).

“Copyright and Asian Values,” Plenary Speaker, Race and Intellectual Property Conference, Boston College Law School (April 20, 2017).

“IP and Community Values,” Association of American Law Schools (AALS) Annual Meeting, IP Section, San Francisco, CA (January 6, 2017).

“Educating The Whole Child and Every Child,” Keynote Speech at American Association of University Women – Davis Chapter – Annual Dinner, Davis, CA (November 19, 2016).

“#tminfringement #orisit,” Panel Presentation at the National Asian Pacific American Bar Association (NAPABA) Annual Convention, San Diego, CA (November 4, 2016).

“The Battle to Define Asia’s Intellectual Property Law: From TPP to RCEP,” UC Irvine Law School, Law Review Symposium (October 28, 2016).

Invited participant in Intellectual Property Roundtable on “The Psychology and Sociology of Creativity and IP,” Stanford Law School (September 9-10, 2016).

“Korematsu and the Struggle for Civil Rights,” Keynote Address at the 10th Anniversary Celebration of the Davis Vanguard, Davis, CA (July 30, 2016).

“The Law of Look and Feel,” presented at the China University of Political Science and Law (CUPL), Beijing, China (June 15, 2016).

“The Law of Look and Feel,” Distinguished Lecture Series, Indiana University McKinney School of Law, Center for Intellectual Property & Innovation (February 25, 2016).

“In the Name of Love,” Plenary Speaker at “The Present and Future of Civil Rights,” Duke Law School (November 20, 2015).

Bay Area IP Scholars, presented “The Law of Look and Feel,” UC Berkeley School of Law (May 29, 2015).

Invited Participant, Fair Use Workshop, UC Berkeley School of Law (Dec. 8, 2014).

“Learning By Doing,” First Annual Meeting of South Asians in the Legal Academy (SALA), UC Irvine School of Law (Aug. 1, 2014).

“Learning By Doing,” ATRIP (International Association for the Advancement of Teaching and Research in Intellectual Property), University of Montpellier, France (July 8, 2014).

“Human Development, the Capabilities Approach, and Intellectual Property” at conference on “Value Pluralism and Intellectual Property Law” at the Hong Kong University Law School, co-convened by the University of Hong Kong Faculty of Law & the Center for Technology, Innovation and Competition at the University of Pennsylvania Law School (June 10, 2014).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” UC San Diego Dept. of Communications (Feb. 5, 2014).

“The Law of Look and Feel,” Stanford Law School program in Law, Science & Technology (Jan. 30, 2014).

Interlocutor with Keynote Speaker Terry Fisher on “Good Life, Good Law,” at Conference on “Technology, Information and Social Progress,” University of Oregon, Eugene (Jan. 21-24, 2014) (invited).

Center of Professional & Applied Ethics Lecture, University of North Carolina-Charlotte (December 2, 2013) (invited).

Delivered Mitchell Lecture, SUNY Buffalo Law School (October 8, 2013).

Delivered Carhart Lecture, Ohio Northern University School of Law (October 7, 2013).

Panelist at Festschrift for Professor Angela Harris, University of California, Berkeley, School of Law (Sept. 27, 2013).

“Learning By Doing,” IP Colloquia, University of Pennsylvania School of Law (September 17, 2013).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” Book Talk, Oxford University (June 13, 2013).

Commentator, “Knowledge/Value” Conference, UC Davis (April 19, 2012).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” Book Talk, Information Society Project, Yale Law School (April 1, 2013).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” Authors on the Move, Sacramento Public Library Benefit (March 9, 2013).

“Learning By Doing,” “Copyright in the Digital Age,” Stanford Technology Law Review Symposium, Stanford Law School (February 22, 2013).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” Book Talk, Stanford Law School (February 21, 2013).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” Book Talk, McGeorge Law School (February 4, 2013).

Keynote Speaker, “20 Years of Asian Americans in the Academy,” CAPALF 20th Annual Conference, San Francisco (Feb. 1, 2013).

Ruth Chance Lecture, “Reading the Qur’an in Kuala Lumpur,” University of California, Berkeley, School of Law (January 28, 2013).

“Learning By Doing,” Faculty Workshop, University of Minnesota Law School (December 6, 2012).

“Learning By Doing,” IP Scholars Workshop, University of California, Berkeley, School of Law (October 22, 2013).

“Social Media and the Arab Spring,” Yale Law School Alumni Reunion, Yale Law School (Oct. 20, 2012).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” Book Talk, Center for Information Technology Policy, Princeton University (October 17, 2013).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” Book Talk, Berkman Center for Internet & Society, Harvard Law School (Oct. 16, 2012).

Co-convener of International Conference, “Brand New World: Distinguishing Oneself in the Global Flow,” UC Davis School of Law (Oct. 4-5, 2012).

“Feminist Legal Theory in France,” Université Paris Ouest Nanterre La Défense (September 19, 2012).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” Author Event at Avid Reader, Davis, CA (August 31, 2012).

“Learning By Doing,” IP Scholars Conference, Stanford Law School (August 9, 2012).

Radio [Interview](http://www.hearsayculture.com) on Hearsay Culture, available at <http://www.hearsayculture.com> (August 7, 2012).

“Reading the Qur’an in Kuala Lumpur,” Law & Society Annual Meeting, Honolulu (June 8, 2012).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” IP Licensing Academy sponsored by PIPRA and the International Law Program, UC Davis (June 4, 2012).

“Free, Fair, Share, Care.” TEDxUCDAVIS Lecture, UC Davis (May 19, 2012).

“Learning By Doing,” Progressive Property Scholars Workshop, Harvard Law School (May 5, 2012).

Delivered the Hochelaga Lectures at the Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong (March 19-22, 2012).

“From Goods to a Good Life: Intellectual Property and Global Justice,” Business Law Journal Symposium, UC Davis School of Law (February 23, 2012).

“Fair Culture,” Cultural Studies Colloquium, UC Davis (January 26, 2012).

“What’s in a Name? The Amazing Story of the Fred T. Korematsu Elementary School,” 2011 Juanita Haugen Memorial Lecture, California School Boards Association Annual Conference, San Diego, CA (December 2, 2011).

“Technologies of Enlightenment,” Information Society Project (ISP) Speaker Series, Yale Law School (November 11, 2011).

“Cultural Protocols and International Law,” Working Group on Cultural Protocols, NYU School of Law (August 19, 2011).

Moderator, Wine Law, UC Davis School of Law (June 3, 2011).

“Intellectual Property’s Plural Values,” Progressive Property Scholars Workshop, McGill University, Montreal (May 16-17, 2011).

“Trade Secret and Human Freedom,” presented at “Intellectual Property and the Common Law,” University of Pennsylvania School of Law (May 5-6, 2011).

“Bayh-Dole’s Plural Values,” presented at “Bayh-Dole at 30,” UC Davis School of Law (April 29-30, 2011).

“iP: The Case for Participatory Culture,” Sociocultural Studies Workshop, UC Davis (April 18, 2011).

“Making Intangibles Tangible,” Conference on “Intangibles: Immaterial Vectors, Agents, and Effects,” Harvard Humanities Center (April 1-2, 2011).

“iP: YouTube, MySpace, Our Culture,” presented at the Center for Science and Innovation Studies workshop, UC Davis (February 28, 2011).

“Reading the Qur’an in Kuala Lumpur,” Keynote Speech delivered at Conference on “Pluralism in Asia,” University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill School of Law (January 14, 2011).

“Creativity and Culture,” Plenary Panel Speaker for the Section on Intellectual Property at the annual meeting of the Association for American Law Schools (AALS), San Francisco (January 8, 2011).

“Asian Americans in the Academy,” Plenary Panel Speaker, Annual Meeting of the Conference of Asian Pacific American Law Professors, Honolulu, HI, (December 12, 2010).

Keynote Speaker, “iP: The Case for Participatory Culture,” 9th Annual Conference on Recent Developments in Intellectual Property Law and Policy, Golden Gate University School of Law, San Francisco (November 5, 2010).

“Interdisciplinarity Beyond Economics: From Anthropology to Postcolonial Studies,” Bay Area IP Professors Meeting, UC Davis School of Law (October 14, 2010).

“Reading the Qur’an in Kuala Lumpur,” Keynote Speech delivered to the Women Lawyers of Sacramento/South Asian Bar Association Joint Luncheon (September 30, 2010).

“iP: The Case for Participatory Culture,” Plenary Speaker at the Annual Intellectual Property Scholars Conference (IPSC), Berkeley, Calif. (August 12, 2010).

“Bollywood/Hollywood,” Conference of Asian Pacific American Law Professors Annual Meeting, Tucson, Arizona (March 4, 2010).

“Bollywood/Hollywood,” presented at CEGLA symposium on “Copyright History, Copyright Culture,” Tel Aviv University (January 2010).

“Bespoke Culture,” presented at the Center on Law and Information Policy, Fordham Law School, New York City (November 6, 2009).

“Fair Culture,” presented at A2K Global Academy Meeting, Yale Law School (August 19-20, 2009).

Live interview on Capital Public Radio regarding trademark disputes between Sutter Home Winery and local Amador County wineries using the Sutter name (August 13, 2009).

Co-organizer with Martha Nussbaum, Freund Distinguished Service Professor of Law and Ethics, of international conference at the University of Chicago Law School, “Democracy and Gender Equality in the Muslim World” (May 2009).

| [“Chicago’s Best Ideas” Lecture](#), “Reading the Qur’an in Kuala Lumpur,” University of Chicago Law School (May 2009).

“Everyone’s a Superhero: A Cultural Theory of Fan Fiction as Copyright Fair Use,” presented in the Regulating Gender, Sex & Family Workshop, University of Chicago Law School (May 2008).

“iP: YouTube, MySpace, Our Culture,” presented at Yale Law School (April 2009).

| Organizer of [MobBlog](#) on “Beyond Economic Analysis: Toward Social and Cultural Theories of IP,” on the University of Chicago Faculty Blog (March 2009).

Keynote Lecture, “Reading the Qur’an in Kuala Lumpur,” Conference of Asian Pacific American Law Professors Annual Meeting (March 2009).

Invited attendee of the global launch of “Musawah: A Global Movement for Justice and Equality in the Muslim Family” in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (February 14-18, 2009).

“The New Enlightenment,” presented at “Carnegie Scholars Islam Conference: The Faces of Contemporary Islam,” sponsored by the Women's Foreign Policy Group, Washington, D.C. (November 2008).

Conference speaker, “Is There a Role for Shari’ah in Modern States?” Georgetown University (October 2008).

Interviewed on BBC World Service’s “The Forum” and presented a “60 Second Idea to Change the World” (September 2008).

“Third Annual Access to Knowledge Conference,” Panel Organizer and Moderator, Geneva, Switzerland (September 2008).

Invited Speaker, “Poor People’s Knowledge: Bridging the Divide Between Free Culture and Fair Culture,” Ford Foundation, New York (May 2008).

Participant, “IP Without IP” Conference, Harvard University (May 2008).

“The New Enlightenment,” presented at The Centre for Ethnicity and Citizenship, Bristol Institute for Public Affairs, Bristol, U.K. (March 2008).

Invited Participant in Roundtable Discussions on “Religion, Citizenship, and Multiculturalism,” Harvard Law School (Feb. 29-Mar. 1, 2008).

Keynote Speaker, “Engaging Muslims” conference held at the University of Massachusetts, Boston (September 2007).

Panel speaker at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Chicago (August 2007).

Delegate of Knowledge Ecology International (KEI) at the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) meeting of the Provisional Committee for a Development Agenda (PCDA), Geneva (June 2007).

Invited observer and participant at the annual partners meeting of the Women’s Learning Partnership, Antalya, Turkey (June 2007).

Plenary Speaker at second annual conference on “Access to Knowledge,” Yale Law School (April 2007).

“The New Enlightenment? Considering Tony Blair’s “Preventing Extremism Together” Effort,” presented in a seminar on “Race and Religion,” Stanford Law School (April 2007).

Invited observer at “Claiming Our Rights” workshop, organized by the Sisterhood is Global Institute-Jordan, Jerush, Jordan (March 2007).

“Intellectual Property and Development as Freedom,” remarks delivered at conference on WIPO and Development, UCLA School of Law (March 2007).

“The New Enlightenment,” presented at conference, “Beyond Feminism v. Multiculturalism,” London School of Economics (November 2006).

Featured on UCTV Broadcast of "UC Davis Frontiers" television program on "Law and Rights in the Middle East" (November 2006).

Keynote Speaker, "The Invention of Traditional Knowledge," conference organized by Working Group on Science, Technology, Ethics and Law (STELA), University of California, Berkeley (October 2006).

"Everyone's a Superhero: 'Mary Sue' Fan Fiction as Fair Use," Intellectual Property Scholars Conference, University of California, Berkeley, School of Law (August 2006).

2006 AALS Mid-Year Intellectual Property Conference, "The Politics of Global IP," Vancouver, Canada (June 2006).

"IP³," presented at the Stanford/Yale Jr. Faculty Forum, Yale Law School (June 2006).

"Cultural Environmentalism," one of four featured speakers, Stanford Law School (March 2006).

Symposium co-organizer "Intellectual Property and Social Justice," UC Davis School of Law (March 2006).

Keynote Speaker, "IP³," annual meeting of Educause (December 2005).

USC School of Law, "Law, History, and Culture of Intellectual Property" (April 2005).

"The New Enlightenment," "Rethinking Secularism" conference, UC Davis (April 2005).

"The Romance of the Public Domain" presented at "Contested Commons/Trespassing Publics: A Conference on Inequalities, Conflicts, and Intellectual Property," New Delhi, India (January 2005).

"The Romance of the Public Domain," presented at International Seminar on the Law of the 21st Century, Escola Superior Do Ministério Público, Porto Alegre, Brazil (September 2004).

AALS Mid-Year Meeting, Joint Plenary Speaker, "The Romance of the Public Domain," at the Conferences on Environmental Law and Property Law, Portland, Oregon (June 2004).

UCLA School of Law, Commentator, Columbia, Georgetown, UCLA & USC Interdisciplinary Law & Humanities Junior Scholars Workshop (June 2004).

University of Chicago Law School, Center for Comparative Constitutionalism, "Violence Against Women as a Crime Against Humanity" Symposium (May 2004).

"The Romance of the Public Domain," Public Lecture delivered at the Redcat Gallery, Los Angeles (April 2004).

Keynote speaker, "Malthus, Mendel, and Monsanto: Intellectual Property and the Law and Politics of Global Food Supply" symposium at the University of Oregon School of Law (April 2004).

Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies, "Clash or Consensus: Gender and Human Security in a Globalized World," Washington, D.C. (October 2003).

Harvard Law School, Berkman Center for Internet & Society Cyberlaw Retreat, Cape Cod (Aug. 2003).

Yale Law School, Women of Color Legal Academic Speaker Series (April 2003).

University of Michigan, “Redefining Identity Politics—Internationalism, Feminism, Multiculturalism” (October 2002).

Stanford University, “Gender and Globalization: A Dialogue Across Disciplines, Institutions and Generations” (May 2002).

Harvard Law School, Commentator, “The Globalization of Modern Legal Thought: Production and Reception, 1830-2000” (April 2002).

Stanford Law School, *Stanford Law Review* 2001-2002 Lecture Series (April 2002).

AALS Annual Meeting, Scholarly Paper Presentation, New Orleans (January 2002).