

# LAW SCHOOL NEWS

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## FACULTY WRITINGS

**Jonathan Bush**, *Learning the Law: Teaching and the Transmission of Law in England, 1150-1900* (London: Hambledon Press, 1999) (ed. with Alain Wijffels).

**William Forbath**, *Caste, Class, and Equal Citizenship*, 98 Michigan Law Review 1 (1999).

**Steven Ratner**, *The United Nations Group of Experts for Cambodia*, 93 American Journal of International Law 948 (1999).

**Teresa Sullivan**, *Beyond Affirmative Action: Algorithmic Versus Holistic Approaches to College Admissions*, 17 Research in Social Stratification & Mobility 319 (1999).

**Ernest Young**, *Hercules, Herbert, and Amar: The Trouble with Intratextualism*, 113 Harvard Law Review 730 (2000) (with Adrian Vermeule).

## FACULTY ACTIVITIES

At the annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians, Mar. 30-Apr. 2, 2000, in St. Louis, **Sanford Levinson** will be a panelist for a roundtable on "The American Constitution in the Age of Special Prosecutors and Impeachment," and **David Rabban** will be a commentator for a session on "Sex, Censorship, and the Law: The Contexts and Legacies of Comstockery."

**William Allison** taught the first week of the Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law Intensive Trial Advocacy Program in New York City, Jan. 3-9, 2000, which he has taught since the mid-1980s. **Allison** taught his Plan II junior seminar, "Franz Kafka and the Systems of Punishment" in Fall 1999, for the fifth straight year. **Allison** was quoted in Texas Monthly, Nov. 1999, on aspects of the arrest of Matthew McConaghey.

**Henry Hu** was quoted on Goldman Sachs' activities relating to Vodafone Airtouch PLC's attempted takeover of Mannesmann AG in Bloomberg stories on Nov. 15 and 16, 1999.

**Basil Markesinis's** *Protecting Privacy: The Clifford Chance Lectures, Volume Four* (1999) was reviewed at 116 Law Quarterly Review 173 (2000).

**Thomas McGarity** has been appointed as one of the co-reporters for a review of the Administrative Procedure Act sponsored by the ABA's Administrative Law & Regulatory Practice Section.

**Linda Mullenix** finished a three-year term of service on the Board of Editors of the Journal of Legal Education, in January 2000.

**Neil Netanel** will give an "Overview of Intellectual Property for Start-up Companies" at the Travis County Bar Association's CLE program, "Legal Issues Facing the High Tech Start-up," Jan. 28, 2000, in Austin.

**Steven Ratner** gave a talk at the public forum of Austin's First Unitarian Universalist Church, Jan. 9, 2000, entitled "Prosecuting and Preventing Crimes Against Humanity."

**Anthony Reese** was interviewed for background material for an ABC Nightline special on MP3 and music in the digital era, "Steal This Music," which aired on Jan. 7, 2000.

**Charles Alan Wright** presided over the meeting of the Council of The American Law Institute in New York City, Dec. 8-10, 1999. As president of The American Law Institute, **Wright** attended the joint meeting of the ALI and American Bar Association in Philadelphia, Oct. 28-29, 1999, and the meeting of the ALI Advisers on International Jurisdiction and Judgments, Nov. 10-11, in Philadelphia. He attended the meeting of the organizing committee of the Famous Austinites Series at The Headliners Club, Jan. 5, 2000.

## FACULTY ACTIVITIES— AALS Annual Meeting

At the annual meeting of the Association of American Law Schools (AALS) in Washington, D.C., Jan. 5-9, 2000... **Dean Michael Sharlot** attended the meeting of the Board of Directors of the American Law Deans Association. • **Lynn Baker** and **Charles Silver** spoke on "Class Auctions" for a program sponsored by the Section on Insurance Law and moderated by **Charles Silver**, the Section Chair. In addition, **Baker** moderated a program on "The City in the 21st Century" for the Section on State and Local Government Law. • **Douglas Laycock** spoke on "Religious Harassment" at the program on "Religion in the Workplace," sponsored by the Section on Law and Religion. • **Thomas McGarity** was elected Chair of the Administrative Law Section for the upcoming year. • **Linda Mullenix** spoke to the Section on Civil Procedure on "Civil Procedure in the 21st Century—The Future of Complex Litigation." **Mullenix** was the honoree, as the Reuschlein Distinguished Visiting Chair, at the Villanova Law School's AALS Reception. • **Gerald Torres** was one of the speakers on the Plenary Program, "A Recommitment to Diversity," and addressed the topic of "Understanding the Values of a Diverse Learning Environment." • **Russell Weintraub** spoke on the Conflict of Laws program, on the topic of "American Conflicts Law at the Dawn of the 21st Century." **Weintraub** was also elected Chair of the Conflict of Laws Section for 2001. • **Ernest Young** was elected Treasurer of the Maritime Law Section.

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**Brian Rider** chaired a meeting of the Practice and Professionalism Committee at the annual meeting of the American College of Real Estate Lawyers, Oct. 1999, in Vancouver. Also in Oct. 1999, Rider served on the Planning Committee for the State Bar's Environmental Law Section program, "The Ultimate Environmental Toolkit," to be presented in April 2000. • **Pamela Sigman** spoke at a seminar sponsored by the South Dakota Department of Social Services and the National Training Center on Domestic & Sexual Violence on Dec. 3, 1999, in Pierre, S.D.