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## FACULTY WRITINGS

**Robert Hamilton**, *Teacher's Manual for Cases and Materials on Corporations (Including Partnerships and Limited Liability Companies)* (St. Paul: West, 6th ed. 1999).

**Calvin Johnson**, *Apportionment of Direct Taxes: The Foul-up in the Core of the Constitution*, 7 William & Mary Bill of Rights Journal 1 (1998).

**Basil Markesinis**, *Privacy, Freedom of Expression and the Human Rights Bill: Lessons From Germany*, 115 Law Quarterly Review 47 (1999).

**Richard Markovits**, *The Professional Assessment of Legal Academics: On the Shift from Evaluator Judgment to Market Evaluations*, 48 Journal of Legal Education 417 (1998).

**Linda Mullenix**, *Complex Litigation: The Art of Intervening*, National Law Journal, Jan. 18, 1999, at B17.

**Charles Silver**, *How Not to Start an Ethics Investigation*, Texas Lawyer, Feb. 1, 1999, at 33.

**Teresa Sullivan**, *From the Ivory Tower to the Electronic Tongue*, On Campus, Jan. 20, 1999, at 3.

## FACULTY ACTIVITIES

"A Dialogue About Constitutional Moments," a seminar co-sponsored by the Law School and UT's Department of Government, will include **James Fishkin**, **Sanford Levinson**, **H. W. Perry**, and **Scot Powe** as discussants, followed by a response from Bruce Ackerman.

At the Southwestern Legal Foundation's 50th Institute on Oil and Gas Law and Taxation, Feb. 18-19, 1999, in Dallas, **John Dzienkowski** will speak on recent developments in legal ethics, and **Ernest Smith** will be one of the speakers at a session on the use of law to promote domestic exploration and production in the 21st century.

**David Anderson** was interviewed by the Australian Broadcasting Company on Feb. 1, 1999, about media coverage of the impeachment proceedings.

**George Dix** was quoted in the Houston Chronicle, Jan. 31, 1999, on a self-defense claim in a Houston capital murder trial.

**William Forbath** will deliver a paper entitled "Diversity After the Death of Affirmative Action: Texas's Talented Tenth" at the annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians, Apr. 23, 1998, in Toronto.

**Henry Hu** was quoted in the New York Times, Bloomberg News, and other media on Jan. 7, 1999, on the effort at self-regulation by the world's largest financial institutions, an effort being encouraged by Fed Chairman Greenspan, SEC Chairman Levitt, and Treasury Secretary Rubin in the wake of the Long Term Capital Management crisis.

**Douglas Laycock** commented on the proposed Texas Religious Freedom Restoration Act in the Jan. 11, 1999, Texas Lawyer; the Jan. 12, 1999, Houston Chronicle; the Jan. 23, 1999, Dallas Morning News; and the Jan. 26, 1999, Christian Science Monitor.

**Terri LeClercq** has been selected chair-elect of the AALS Section on Teaching Methods.

**Brian Leiter** presented a paper on "Legal Realism and Legal Positivism Reconsidered" to the Legal Theory Workshop at the University of Chicago Law School on Jan. 19, 1999.

**Sanford Levinson** commented on the Clinton impeachment proceedings in the Dallas Morning News, Jan. 9, 1999, and in a Copley News Service story, Jan. 23, 1999.

**Basil Markesinis'** Foreign Law & Comparative Methodology: A Subject and a Thesis (1997) was reviewed at 9 Law & Politics Book Review 18 (1999).

**John Robertson** commented on ethical questions involving fertility drug treatments in the London Free Press, Jan. 2, 1999.

**Tom Russell** gave an invited talk entitled "A Legal History of Admissions and Affirmative Action from Sweatt v. Painter (1950) to Hopwood v. Texas (1996)" to the Education Writers Association, Jan. 22, 1999, in Austin.

**Charles Alan Wright** attended a meeting of the University Stadium Club Board of Directors on Jan. 19, 1999, and presided over a meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics, Jan. 21, 1999.

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**Sarah Buel**, *The Role of Employers in Curbing Domestic Violence*, Texas Prosecutor, Jan./Feb. 1999, at 22. ... **Skip Horne** has been appointed to the Board of Directors of the National Association for Law Placement.

## LAW LIBRARY NEWS

**Adrienne Diehr** has been invited to serve on the University Task Force on Accessible Electronic Information.

**Tobe Liebert**, *Ballot Measure Research*, in Henke's California Law Guide 107 (Daniel W. Martin ed.; Charlottesville, VA: LEXIS Law Publishing, 4th ed. 1998).

**Jonathan Pratter** was in Guatemala, Jan. 22-27, 1999, consulting with the Legislative Modernization Program, a joint project of USAID, UT-Austin, and the Congress of Guatemala. He gave a 45-minute lecture in Spanish on "Theory and Practice of Documentary Research." **Pratter** also met with the rector and other officials at the Quetzaltenango campus of the University of San Carlos; this branch campus is important because over half the student body is Mayan.