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Center for the Study of Law and Religion

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The Center for the Study of Law and Religion is a **thought leader** dedicated to producing innovative scholarship, facilitating challenging conversations, convening the best minds, and training the next generation of academics, lawyers, and religious leaders to advance the global conversation on **law and religion**.
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Executive Summary

The 2022-2023 academic year was a whirlwind of celebrations and new beginnings at the Center for the Study of Law and Religion. As we marked the Center’s fortieth anniversary, we also celebrated the roll out of Emory Law’s concentration in law and religion within its JD program.

One of our major highlights this year was CSLR at Forty, an open house event that brought over 60 faculty, staff, fellows, students, alumni, and friends to Emory Law’s Hunter Atrium. On display were posters from each decade of the Center’s robust and storied past. Dean Mary Anne Bobinski called the Center a “center of excellence, and a crown jewel” at the Law School, and CSLR Faculty Director John Witte, Jr., highlighted the Center’s role as “laboratory for faculty and students to do creative interdisciplinary work.” CSLR Executive Director Whittney Barth expressed the Center’s ongoing commitment to “encouraging rigorous scholarship that is accessible to a wide public.” We awarded prizes to graduating students and recognized graduating student members of the Journal of Law and Religion. To further celebrate the fortieth anniversary milestone, Emory Historian Emeritus Gary Hauk penned Forty Years of Law and Religion, a beautifully written and richly archival history of the Center that is available online.

Student engagement and teaching remain a focal point in our Center’s mission. CSLR core faculty and fellows taught hundreds of Emory students during the 2022-2023 academic year in courses that include Islamic Finance (Lee Ann Bambach) and Religion, Culture, and Law in Comparative Perspective (Hallie Ludsin), among others. Last November, we kicked off our year-long celebration of the Center’s fortieth anniversary with cake during Emory Law’s weekly student social. Just a few short weeks ago, in mid-August, Executive Director Whittney Barth addressed Emory Law’s class of incoming 1Ls during Orientation.

Scholarship, too, took center stage. Throughout the year, the Center hosted monthly works in progress sessions for faculty and fellows to share their work, one of several ways we strive to cultivate a scholarly community of mutual support. Some of those papers are available as part of the Center’s SSRN series. At the start of the spring semester, we also welcomed Dr. Mariam Chuqhtai to the Center for a lunchtime discussion of her forthcoming book exploring the different religious ideologies promoted through education policies in Pakistan’s public schools. In February, we hosted “Continuing the Conversation: Early Arguments and Contemporary Thoughts” to celebrate the distinguished teaching career of Michael J. Perry and the Festschrift published in his honor by the Emory Law Journal (Volume 71, Issue 7 (2022)).

March was a bustling month as Atlanta’s beautiful spring took hold. We welcomed back over a dozen McDonald Distinguished Fellows to Emory Law for a two-day workshop, led by John Witte, Jr. with invaluable support from Amy Wheeler. During their visit, some fellows discussed their research updates with our student team. Those talks are available here, here, here, and here. As the current fellowship concludes (2019-2024), we are pleased to announce a recent $2 million gift from the McDonald Agape Foundation to convene a new fellowship cohort from 2024-2029. That gift came on the cusp of the new year, stay tuned for updates as that initiative gets underway.

In the final days of March, McDonald Fellows Terri Montague (CSLR) and Brandon Paradise (Rutgers Law) convened a day-long symposium on law, Christianity, and racial justice, with
contributions being published in a forthcoming symposium issue with the *Journal of Law and Religion* and the *Journal of Political Theology*. Colleagues from around Emory University joined for a lunchtime discussion with [the Rev. Dr. Bernice King and Dr. Cornel West](https://www.emory.edu). In April, the Center hosted [a webinar to celebrate](https://www.emory.edu) the *Journal of Law and Religion*’s fortieth anniversary, led by JLR Managing Editor Silas Allard with assistance from Rachael Orbeta. A few days later, *Canopy Forum* hosted a webinar on the [future of religious property](https://www.emory.edu). This past Spring, with the help of our talented undergraduate student producer, Eythen Anthony, the Center revamped our podcast *Interactions*, with CSLR fellows Ira Bedzow and Matthew Cavedon as co-hosts. Our upcoming *Interactions* season will feature new scholarship from CSLR faculty and fellows. Find *Interactions* at the link above or on all major podcast platforms.

At the end of August, the Center completed a [multi-year study of law and Protestant ministry](https://www.emory.edu). Funded by a generous grant from the Lilly Endowment, Inc., the Study employed legal research and qualitative and quantitative methods to better understand the legal issues Protestant leaders face within their ministries, the frequency of those encounters, as well as leaders’ knowledge about the law and existing resources. Read [the full report](https://www.emory.edu) and listen to [a special episode](https://www.emory.edu) of the *Interactions* podcast discussing themes from the Study.

Our community also said a few good-byes this past year. Spruill Family Professor of Law and Religion [Rafael Domingo](https://www.emory.edu) returned to his native Spain where he holds the Alvaro d’Ors Professor of Law at the University of Navarra. *Canopy Forum* Managing Editor and Director of Academic Programs [Justin Latterell](https://www.emory.edu) transitioned out of his role at the Center to launch his own company. [Gary Hauk](https://www.emory.edu) wrapped up his time as Senior Editor to focus on other projects. The Center would like to thank Rafael, Justin, and Gary for all that they brought to the Center community over the years. We wish them the very best in the next chapters.

Sadly, we experienced a great loss in May with the passing of [Johan van der Vyver](https://www.emory.edu), a long-time member of the Emory Law faculty and expert in international human rights law. As CSLR Faculty Director John Witte, Jr., wrote in [his tribute](https://www.emory.edu), Johan “was a giant in the legal academy with high standing around the globe for his brilliant contributions to many fields of legal study.” Please watch for more information about plans to honor Johan and his memory.

With the new academic year underway, we are fortunate to be able to welcome new faculty, staff, and fellows to the Center. [Ariel Liberman](https://www.emory.edu) will join as *Canopy Forum*’s new managing editor and the Center’s inaugural Director of Undergraduate Outreach and Engagement in January 2024. A hearty thanks to [John Bernau](https://www.emory.edu) and [Christy Green](https://www.emory.edu) for serving as interim co-managing editors of *Canopy Forum*. We are also excited this year to undertake new scholarly projects, such as the new law, religion, and artificial intelligence working group led by [Michael Broyde](https://www.emory.edu) and Whittney Barth. This year also brings with it the inaugural [CSLR Faculty Advisory Committee](https://www.emory.edu), which will advise Center leadership and allow us to deepen our connections across Emory’s units and departments. We thank each member of the Committee for their willingness to collaborate with the Center in this new way.

[Read more about our work at](https://www.emory.edu) [https://cslr.law.emory.edu](https://www.emory.edu). Sign up for [our newsletters](https://www.emory.edu) and follow us on social media to learn about upcoming events and new research and initiatives.
CSLR Faculty, Fellows, and Staff (2022-2023)

Core Faculty, Fellows, and Staff

Silas Allard  
Senior Fellow  
Managing Editor, Journal of Law and Religion

Abdullahi An-Naim  
Charles Howard Candler Professor of Law Emeritus

Lee Ann Bambach  
Senior Fellow, Law and Islam

Whitney Barth  
Executive Director  
Charlotte McDaniel Scholar

Ira Bedzow  
Senior Fellow  
Executive Director, Emory Purpose Project (June-)

John Bernau  
Director of Digital Scholarship  
Interim Co-Managing Editor, Canopy Forum (April-December 2023)

Michael Broyde  
Professor of Law  
Harold J. Berman Projects Director  
Director of Emory Law SJD Program

Matthew Cavedon  
Robert Pool Fellow in Law and Religion

Rafael Domingo  
Spruill Family Professor of Law and Religion  
Co-Director of Law and Christianity (September-April)
Core Faculty, Fellows, and Staff (continued)

Courtney Freer  
Senior Fellow, Law and Islam  
Visiting Assistant Professor of Middle Eastern Studies, Emory College of Arts and Sciences

M. Christian Green  
Senior Fellow  
Interim Co-Managing Editor, Canopy Forum (April-December 2023)  
Special Content Editor, Journal of Law and Religion

Gary S. Hauk  
Senior Editor

Justin Latterell  
Director of Academic Programs  
Managing Editor, Canopy Forum (September-March)

Terri Montague  
McDonald Distinguished Senior Fellow

Michael J. Perry  
Robert W. Woodruff Professor of Law

Johan D. van der Vyver  
I.T. Cohen Professor of International Law and Human Rights (1934-2023)

Amy Wheeler  
Chief of Staff

John Witte, Jr.  
CSLR Faculty Director  
Robert W. Woodruff Professor of Law  
McDonald Distinguished Professor
New and Incoming CSLR Faculty, Fellows, and Staff (2023-2024)

Deepa Das Acevedo  
Professor of Law  
Senior Fellow

Yasemin Çelikhası  
Visiting Scholar

Thomas Jared Farmer  
McDonald Scholar in Residence

Songfeng Li  
Visiting Scholar

Ariel Liberman  
Managing Editor, Canopy Forum  
Director of Undergraduate Outreach and Engagement  
Paul and Marion Kuntz Scholar  
(effective January 1, 2024)

Hallie Ludsin  
Visiting Assistant Professor of Practice  
Senior Fellow  
*Hallie joined CSLR as a senior fellow in early 2023.*

Catherine Loftus  
Administrative Assistant

Rachael Orbeta  
Editorial Assistant, Journal of Law and Religion / Canopy Forum

Yolanda van der Vyver  
Visiting Guest Editor, Canopy Forum  
(Fall 2023)

*Rachael is a two-year veteran of both JLR and CF and has now taken on new leadership roles with both publications.*
Scholarship Highlights

Producing and promoting pathbreaking scholarship is a pillar of both the Center’s legacy and its ongoing mission. To date, Center faculty and fellows have published more than 380 books (in fifteen languages) and thousands of articles and book chapters, largely with university and trade presses and in numerous journals. The Center now edits five book series published by Brill, Cambridge, Wm. B. Eerdmans, Routledge, and Thomson Reuters Aranzadi. Since 2013, the Center has been home to the Journal of Law and Religion, the flagship journal in the field.

Over the past several years, the Center has prioritized making scholarship available through digital platforms, including SSRN, Google Scholar, ResearchGate, and Emory Law School’s Scholarly Commons.

Canopy Forum, the Center’s online publication of expert analysis on law and religion for broad audiences, had another strong year in 2022–23 with 118 essays published.

New Books by Core CSLR Faculty and Fellows

During the 2022–23 academic year, scholarly productivity continued to thrive at CSLR. Core faculty and fellows produced 7 new books.


New Volumes Published in CSLR Book Series

Brill Perspectives on Law and Religion

Brill Perspectives on Law and Religion, coedited by Director of the Law and Religion Centre at Cardiff Law School Norman Doe and CSLR Faculty Director John Witte, Jr., published 1 book this year.


Cambridges Studies in Law and Christianity

The Cambridges Studies in Law and Christianity Series is an ongoing collaboration between CSLR and Cambridge University Press. The series features cutting-edge scholarship on Catholic, Protestant, and Orthodox Christian contributions to public, private, penal, and procedural law and legal theory. Works collected by the series include groundbreaking monographs and historical and thematic anthologies. Created in 2014, the series is edited by John Witte, Jr., with a fifteen-member international editorial board. No new volumes were published in this series during 2022-2023.

CSLR, in collaboration with the Centre for Law and Religion at Cardiff University, commissions and publishes titles in the Routledge Law and Religion Series, edited by Norman Doe, director of the Cardiff Centre. This series published 8 new titles this past academic year:


*Emory Studies in Law and Religion (Wm. B. Eerdmans)*

CSLR publishes the *Emory Studies in Law and Religion Series* with Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing. One book was published this past year:


*Raices del derecho (Thomson Reuters Aranzadi)*

*Raices del derecho (Roots of Law)* is a new series by Thomson Reuters Aranzadi, the leading legal publisher in Spain. Coedited by Rafael Domingo, Spruill Family Professor of Law and Religion, and John Witte, the series will publish books in Spanish with wide distribution in Europe and Latin America. Included will be fresh scholarship from Spanish-speaking authors, and new Spanish translations of the “best scholarship of the best scholars” in the non-Spanish-speaking world. This series published 2 books this year.

Domingo, Rafael. *Derecho y Trascendencia.* Madrid: Thomson Reuters Aranzadi, 2023 (also listed above).


*Additional Partnership*

CSLR also collaborates with the Research Center for International and Interdisciplinary Theology (FIIT) at the University of Heidelberg on a series of workshops and volumes on “*Character Formation, Ethical Education, and the Communication of Values in Late Modern Pluralistic Societies.*” Led by Michael Welker, director of FIIT, and John Witte, Jr., several CSLR faculty and fellows have contributed chapters to the series, and senior editor Gary Hauk has been lead editorial consultant. Four new volumes in this series were published in the past year, focused on the impact of health care, the media, the military, and political economy.

*New Articles and Book Chapters*

During the 2022–23 academic year, CSLR’s core faculty and fellows published 39 scholarly articles, book chapters, book reviews, along with 16 shorter articles, editorials, and essays. These publications, 55 in total, are listed in Appendix I.
The *Journal of Law and Religion*

Edited at CSLR since 2014 and published as an imprint of Cambridge University Press, the *Journal of Law and Religion* (*JLR*) is the flagship journal in our field. *JLR* publishes cutting-edge interdisciplinary, interreligious, and international research on critical issues of law and religion, and it reaches a global audience of both readers and contributors. *JLR* celebrated forty years of publishing in 2023 with an online symposium reflecting on the history and future of the journal. Read more about the celebration and watch a video of the symposium [here](#).

*JLR* is managed by CSLR Senior Fellows Silas Allard and M. Christian (Christy) Green and draws on the expertise of a fifteen-member editorial board comprising prominent scholars in law and religion from across disciplines and around the globe:

- Silas W. Allard (Emory University)
- Michael J. Broyde (Emory University)
- Joseph E. David (Sapir Academic College)
- Donald R. Davis, Jr. (University of Texas at Austin)
- Rafael Domingo (Emory University; University of Navarra)
- Farid Esack (University of Johannesburg)
- M. Christian Green (Emory University)
- M. Cathleen Kaveny (Boston College)
- Mirjam Künkler (Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study)
- Linda C. McClain (Boston University)
- Mark L. Movsesian (St. John’s University)
- Jaclyn L. Neo (National University of Singapore)
- Mona Siddiqui (University of Edinburgh)
- Brent A. Strawn (Duke University)
- John Witte, Jr. (Emory University)

In addition to the editorial board, *JLR* is supported by a forty-three-person international advisory board and dozens of peer reviewers from across academic disciplines.

*JLR* attracted *7,863 subscriptions* and *54,364 article downloads* in 2022–23. The *Journal* continues to work with Cambridge University Press on a plan to become fully open access by 2025.

This past year, *JLR* published *29 scholarly articles, essays, and reviews in 3 issues*; these are set out in Appendix II.
Canopy Forum

Launched in fall 2019, Canopy Forum (CF), CSLR’s digital publication for the dissemination of expert analysis on law and religion, continued to thrive in its third full year and enjoys a global reach. With several hundred contributors from around the world, and tens of thousands of readers spread across nearly every country in the world, CF is now a fixture in CSLR’s portfolio of public scholarship.

During the 2022–23 academic year, Canopy Forum published 4 thematic series, 118 essays, and 17 new videos. Full bibliography can be found in Appendix III.

Canopy Forum’s thematic series in 2022–23 (each with several essays) include:

- Kennedy, Carson, and Dobbs: Law and Religion in Pressing Supreme Court Cases
- 200 Years of Johnson v. M’Intosh: Law, Religion, and Native American Lands
- Clothed in Religion: Law and Religious Attire/Garb
- Religion, Property Law, and the Crisis of Houses of Worship (includes webinar videos available on YouTube)

Interactions Podcast

This year, Interactions published five new podcast episodes. Four episodes were part of a season hosted by CSLR Senior Fellows Ira Bedzow and Matthew Cavedon. The fifth episode was hosted by CSLR Executive Director Whittney Barth and Director of Digital Scholarship John Bernau. All episodes were produced by Eythen Anthony, a member of CSLR’s undergraduate student team. Read more about the episodes in Appendix VI.

SSRN Research Paper Series

In February 2021, CSLR launched a new Research Paper Series with the Social Science Research Network (SSRN). The CSLR Research Paper Series highlights new and innovative scholarship from faculty and fellows at CSLR that advances the study of law and religion. The CSLR Research Paper Series also highlights excellent student work in the Emerging Scholars series. The CSLR Research Paper Series includes an ejournal distributed to subscribers three times annually by SSRN.

The CSLR Research Papers Series posted 28 papers in 2022–23. As of this report, papers in this series have been downloaded a collective 4,087 times, and the abstracts have been viewed 19,426 times. The papers posted to the CSLR Research Paper Series in 2022–23 can be found in Appendix IV.
Incoming CSLR Scholars for 2023–24

**Yasemin Çelikhasi** is completing her PhD in Islamic Law at the Institute of Social Sciences at Istanbul University. Her dissertation research focuses on modern applications of Islamic family law, specifically within the United States. She is currently a part of a team of researchers based in Turkey who are working on a study examining Islamic law and contemporary mediation and arbitration practices in several countries around the world. She earned a Master’s degree in Islamic Law and a Bachelor of Science from Marmara University Faculty of Theology. As a research assistant at Istanbul University, she also teaches different subjects within Islamic Law.

**Dr. Thomas Jared Farmer** is the McDonald Scholar in Residence at the Center for the Study of Law and Religion at Emory University. He holds a BA in Philosophy from the University of Illinois, an MTS and Th.M. from Emory University’s Candler School of Theology, an MA in Philosophy as well as an MA in Religion from Claremont Graduate University and a PhD in the Philosophy of Religion from the University of Münster (Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität Münster).

**Dr. Songfeng Li** is an associate professor at China University of Political Science and Law in Beijing. He has previously held visiting scholar positions at Notre Dame Law School (2016-2017) and Brigham Young University J. Reuben Clark Law School (2014), and at Emory University School of Law (2012-2013). During his prior visit to Emory Law, he worked closely with Michael J. Perry. Li has published articles in a number of academic journals, including the Journal of Law and Religion, and has translated several books on church-state relations and constitutional law. Dr. Li earned a PhD from China University of Political Science and Law and a masters degree from Tsinghua Law School, and a bachelor’s degree from Zhengzhou Law School. His dissertation was on church-state relations. His current research is on religion and constitutional law in China.
Student and Public Engagement

Teaching Emory Students

CSLR is dedicated to scholarship and to teaching. Nearly a dozen courses were taught in law and religion at the Law School, with some open to enrollment from undergraduates and graduate students from other professional schools. CSLR core faculty and fellows taught a number of other core subjects within the Law School curriculum, including arbitration, criminal law, legal issues in family violence, international human rights law, and health law and bioethics. In total, CSLR core faculty and fellows taught 22 courses during the 2022-2023 academic year, reaching over 440 students.

CSLR core faculty and fellows also supervised a number of student writing projects, ranging from law journal comments to SJD and PhD dissertations. Several also employed law students as research assistants.

The 2022-2023 academic year was the first in which Emory Law School offered a law and religion concentration for JD students. As part of the course of study, students may select either practice or an academic track and must complete a First Amendment religious freedom course, a theories and methods in the study of law and religion course, and at least one course in religious legal systems, among other requirements. Read more about the concentration here.

Courses Taught

Rahimjon Abdugafurov
- Islamic Law (16 students)

Silas Allard
- Law and Religion: Theories, Methods, & Approaches (18 students)
- Race, Religion, and Law in the Making of America (9 students)
- Journal of Law and Religion (second year) (6 students)
- Journal of Law and Religion (third year) (8 students)

Lee Ann Bambach
- Islamic Finance (25 students)

Ira Bedzow
- Leadership for Lawyers (24 students)
- Health Law, Bioethics, and the President’s Commission for the Study of Bioethical Issues (7 students)

Michael Broyde
- Arbitration (15 students)
- Legal Profession (63 students)
Matthew Cavedon
- Legal Issues in Family Violence (5 students)

Courtney Freer (Middle Eastern and South Asian Studies, Emory College of Arts and Sciences)
- MESAS370/POLS337 Islam and Politics (22 students)
- MESAS190 American Foreign Policy in the Middle East (19 students)
- MESAS370/POLS 385 Jihadist Movements and Politics in the Middle East (31 students)

Hallie Ludsin
- International Human Rights Law (11 students)
- Religion, Culture, and Law in Comparative Perspective (16 students)
- International Criminal Law (12 students)
- Human Rights Advocacy (8 students) Students in this course completed 7 research projects for the Carter Center, the National Center for Civil and Human Rights, the Panzi Foundation, the Kashmir Law and Justice Project and the Southern Poverty Law Center on topics ranging from transitional Justice in the Democratic Republic of Congo, truth commissions in the United States to human rights violations committed under the Indus Waters Treaty.

Michael Perry
- Jurisprudence of Human Rights (15 students)

Shlomo Pill
- Jewish Law

Johan van der Vyver
- International Humanitarian Law
- Implementing U.S. International Law

John Witte, Jr.
- Criminal Law (84 students)
- First Amendment: Religious Freedom (47 students)

Writing Supervision

Silas Allard
- Supervised 9 law journal comments

Lee Ann Bambach
- Advised 1 SJD dissertation
- Supervised 2 directed research projects

Ira Bedzow
- Supervised 1 law journal comment
Michael Broyde
- Directs SJD program
- Served on 2 SJD committees
- Supervised 9 directed research projects/study
- Supervised 1 journal comment

Courtney Freer
- Supervised 3 undergraduate honors theses

Hallie Ludsin
- Supervised 2 law journal comments
- Supervised 1 directed research project

Michael Perry
- Supervised 15 student writing projects

John Witte, Jr.
- Supervised 1 journal comment
- Supervised 6 directed research projects/study
- Advised 5 SJD dissertations

Research Assistants

Silas Allard: 2 research assistants

Michael Broyde: 7 research assistants

Matthew Cavedon: 1 research assistant

Courtney Freer: 1 research assistant

John Witte, Jr.: 4 research assistants

Public Scholarship: Select Presentations, Public Lectures, Media Appearances, and Engagements

During 2022-2023, CSLR core faculty and fellows participated in over 75 events, including:

- “Reassessing Democracy: Christian and Islamic Perspectives,” a CSLR-hosted panel at the Parliament of the World’s Religions in Chicago, IL, featuring Matthew Cavedon, Courtney Freer, and Elizabeth Kincaid, moderated by Whittney Barth.
“Religion, Property Law, and the Crisis of Houses of Worship,” an online conference hosted by Canopy Forum featuring over a dozen presenters from different disciplines and locations. Read more about the event in Appendix III.

“What is the Role of Islamic Social Finance in Promoting Economic Justice in Society” panel at the 6th Annual Symposium on Muslim Philanthropy & Civil Society that included Lee Ann Bambach, hosted by IUPUI (Indiana University) Muslim Philanthropy Initiative.

John Witte, Jr. delivered a series of lectures in Europe in Fall 2022, including the Gifford Lecture and Seminars at the University of Aberdeen, Scotland.

Michael J. Broyde delivered lectures discussing “What Does Jewish Law Think American Abortion Law Ought to be?” at a medical ethics conference at Yeshiva University and at Netanya College of Law in Israel.

Further engagements are included in Appendix V, a reflection of CSLR’s ongoing commitment to leadership in the field of law and religion.

Conclusion

The Center for the Study of Law and Religion thus celebrates its fortieth anniversary with appreciation for its past and excitement for its future. CSLR is proud to be a center of excellence at Emory University and deeply grateful for the generous support and cooperation of our friends at Emory Law School, Candler School of Theology, Laney Graduate School, and the Emory College Department of Religion. We also express our profound gratitude to the Offices of the President and Provost of Emory University, not only for their ongoing endowment support, but even more important for fostering a robust research culture where interdisciplinary centers like CSLR can thrive. Here’s to the next forty!

Whittney Barth
Executive Director
Appendix I | Articles and Book Chapters by CSLR Core Faculty and Fellows


_____________. “האמה אשתו של יהודי הבטוחים בש photoshop ושותפים לחוות ילודה בישראל?” Ohr Yisrael, 85, 208-220. 2022.


_____________. “The Rule of the Talmud vs the Rule of Rabbinic Consensus in the Orach Chaim Section of Rabbi Yehei Mikjel Epstein’s Arukh HaShulhan,” Jewish Law Annual, 30, 61-81. 2022.

_____________. “vinshaכון עמש ומורשת מאימוזה בידיקות,” Techumin, 42, 385-393. 2022


[__________] “Corpo, alma e espírito de Direito,” in *Revista Intercontinental de Literatura Jurídica* (Brazil) 4.1, 2023, 255-279.


[__________] “Por que a espiritualidade é importante para o direito: uma explicação,” in *Revista Intercontinental de Literatura Jurídica* (Brazil) 3.3 (2022) 296-330.

[__________] “Rethinking the School of Salamanca,” in *Journal of Law and Religion* 37.3, 2022, 560-568.

[__________] “Ius, ius suum, res iusta: una crítica a la Introducción crítica de Hervada,” in *Persona y Derecho* 86, 2022, 249-266.

[__________] “Toward a Global Canon Law Centered on the Human Person” in *Ius Canonicum* 62, 2022, 121-142.

[__________] “El posibilismo de Antonio Garrigues Díaz-Cañabate” (Diario ABC, Madrid, 1.22.2023).

[__________] “Benedict XVI, a wise and humble pope” (Exaudi Catholic News, Miami, 1.1.2023); Italian version “Benedetto, un papa saggio e umile” (Exaudi Catholic News, Miami, 1.1.2023); Spanish version: “Benedicto XVI, un papa sabio y humilde” (CNN Espanol, 1.4.2023).


___________. “Religious Freedom in Religious Education,” *Advance* (Fall, 2022), 1-10.


“Law and Theology in the Western Legal Tradition,” St. Andrews On-Line Encyclopaedia of Theology (2022) [https://www.saet.ac.uk/Christianity/LawandTheologyintheWesternLegalTradition](https://www.saet.ac.uk/Christianity/LawandTheologyintheWesternLegalTradition).


Appendix III | Canopy Forum

New Articles: 118
Thematic Series: 3
Unique Page Views: 95,415 (with visitors from every country in the world)

Thematic Series

Clothed in Religion: Law and Religious Attire/Garb
November 2022 - January 2023
Ongoing debates about religious attire and appearance – such as the prohibition (or requirement) of hijabs in public spaces; beard restrictions in prison, military, and employment contexts; and more – have significant implications for the legal systems and religious practices of communities around the world. Canopy Forum invited scholars and experts to write on this topic. These essays can be found at https://canopyforum.org/clothed-in-religion-law-and-religious-attire/.

200 Years of Johnson v. M’Intosh: Law, Religion, and Native American Lands
March - April 2023
Produced through a partnership between Canopy Forum, the Indigenous Values Initiative (IVI), and Syracuse University, this series of essays brought together religion scholars, legal scholars, and Indigenous activists to explore the problematic legacy of Johnson v. M’Intosh (1823) and the 15th century Doctrine of (Christian) Discovery – a legal and religious rationale by which European powers claimed the right to discover and claim lands inhabited by non-Christian peoples. Focusing primarily on the 19th through the 21st centuries, these essays illustrate how Johnson and the Doctrine of Christian Discovery have global import to Turtle Island (especially the United States and Canada) and Aotearoa (New Zealand). These essays can be found at https://canopyforum.org/200-years-of-johnson-v-mintosh-law-religion-and-native-american-lands/.

Thematic Series and Webinar

Religion, Property Law, and the Crisis of Houses of Worship
May 3, 2023
This virtual conference, sponsored by Canopy Forum of the Center for the Study of Law and Religion at Emory (CSLR), featured scholars, experts, and practitioners on the topic of houses of worship that are falling into disrepair or vacancy. The essays and presentations that resulted from this conference can be found at https://canopyforum.org/religion-property-law-the-crisis-of-houses-of-worship/.
Articles and Essays

This list includes essays that were part of the above series.


Appendix IV | SSRN Research Paper Series


Appendix V | Lectures and Presentations


_______________. “What Does Jewish Law think American Abortion law Ought to be,” Tendler Medical Ethic Conference of Yeshiva University, Yeshiva University, 2023.

_______________. “Religious Legal Systems and Family Violence,” Emory University CSLR, March 2023


___________. Speaker, “Religious Liberty Banquet,” Federalist Society Emory Student Chapter, Atlanta, GA, April 1, 2023.


___________. “Law and Spirituality,” Catholic University of Valparaiso, Chile, June 8, 2023.

___________. “Connecting Law and Transcendence,” Metropolitan University of Monterrey, Mexico, June 5, 2023.


“Solidarity, Christianity, and Law,” Center for the Study of Law and Religion’s Seminar, Emory University, October 12, 2022.


“Authority and Change in the Arabian Peninsula,” The Middle East Studies Center at Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia, March 22, 2023.


Montague, Terri. Lecture, Emory Emeritus College Colloquy Series, Virtual (Zoom) presentation, July 18, 2022.

Lecture, “Demystifying and Meeting the Nation’s Affordable Housing Challenge,” Phi Beta Kappa Association (Atlanta) Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, November 15, 2022.


Presenter, McDonald Distinguished Fellows Conference, Emory Law School, Atlanta, GA, March 17, 2023.


___________. Participant, Panel on Church, State, and Family, September 19, 2022.

___________. Plenary Lecture on American Religious Freedom, University of Navarra, Spain, September 23, 2022.

___________. Seminar on Why No Polygamy, Institute of Culture and Society, University of Navarra, Spain, September 23, 2022.


___________. Gifford Lecture and Seminars, University of Aberdeen, Scotland, October 2-4, 2022.


___________. Keynote Lecture, 30th Anniversary Conference for the Law and Religion Centre, Cardiff University, Wales, October 20, 2022.

___________. Lecture on the Vocation of Law and Religion, Cardiff University, Wales, October 21, 2022.

___________. Plenary Lecture, Center for English Legal History, Cambridge University, England, October 25, 2022.

___________. Blavatnik Lecture on Religion and Human Rights, Oxford University, England, October 26, 2022.

___________. Lecture to State Bar of Georgia Religious Liberty Section, Atlanta, GA, January 18, 2023.


___________. Host and Presenter, McDonald Distinguished Fellows Conference, Emory Law School, Atlanta and Emory Conference Center Hotel, March 16-18, 2023.

Appendix VI | Additional Media

September 1, 2022–August 31, 2023

Social Media

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Handles

- @LawandReligion
- @CanopyForum
- @JLRatEmory

Followers: 3,482
Posts: 250
“Likes”: 510

Facebook

Pages:

- Center for the Study of Law and Religion
- Canopy Forum

Followers: 1,374
Posts: 181
“Likes”: 114

YouTube

Total subscribers: 1,091
New videos: 8 (excluding the Canopy Forum videos from the “Religion, Property Law, and the Crisis of Houses of Worship” webinar)

Anniversary Events

- 40th Anniversary of the Center for the Study of Law and Religion at Emory University
- 40th Anniversary of the Journal of Law and Religion

McDonald Fellows Research Updates

- Nathan Chapman: “Agreeing to Disagree”
- Audra Savage: “The Corporate Religion of Race”
- Melissa Moschella: “School Choice”
Additional Videos

- Miriam Chughtai: “Religious Nationalism in Pakistan”
- Ira Bedzow: “Why I Became a Holocaust Scholar”

Interactions Podcast Episodes

*Interactions* explores how law and religion interact in today’s world and throughout history. The podcast is produced by the Center for the Study of Law and Religion and in collaboration with *Canopy Forum*. More at *https://canopyforum.org/listen/*.

The spring 2023 season of the *Interactions* podcast produced four episodes, each a conversation with a contributing author to the volume *At Home and Abroad: The Politics of American Religion* (Columbia University Press).

- *At Home and Abroad*: Cooper Harriss, co-hosted by Ira Bedzow and Matthew Cavedon (air date: June 6, 2023)
- *At Home and Abroad*: Winnifred Fallers Sullivan, co-hosted by Ira Bedzow and Matthew Cavedon (air date: May 23, 2023)
- *At Home and Abroad*: Greg Johnson, co-hosted by Ira Bedzow and Matthew Cavedon (air date: March 17, 2023)
- *At Home and Abroad*: Sarah Imhoff, co-hosted by Ira Bedzow and Matthew Cavedon (air date February 24, 2023)

Over the summer, the Interactions team produced a special episode that expanded on some of the findings of the Center’s Law and Ministry study, funded by the Lilly Endowment, Inc. The episode was co-hosted by Whitney Barth and John Bernau, and featured interviews with:

- Rev. Dr. Ted Smith
- Rev. Caroline Magee
- Rev. Ingrid McIntyre

Read more about the Law and Ministry report and special podcast episode *here*. 