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Education:

2014 Ph.D. in Political Science

Georgia State University

Concentrations: Comparative Politics, International Politics, Comparative Judicial

Dissertation Title: Constitutional Courts, Legislative Autonomy, and Democracy: What Price Rights?

2012 L.L.M. in International Human Rights Law and Practice

University of York, United Kingdom

Distinction

2005 M. A. in Political Science

Georgia State University

Pi Sigma Alpha (Political Science Honor Society)

1978 B. A. in Political Science and Psychology

State University of New York at Buffalo

Publications:

Rackaway, Chapman, Kathie Barrett (2025) *Policy Analysis*. University of North Georgia Press.

Barrett, Kathleen, George Klay Kieh, Jr., Gavin M. Lee and Neema Noori (2023). *Torture: An Interdisciplinary Approach*. Lexington Books

“Environment and Ecology” accepted for publication in Henry F. Carey, ed. *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean 3rd Ed.*

“International Law Developed Through the European Union.” in the *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of International Studies*. Oxford University Press. (2023)

“Richard Falk, Public Intellectual” co-authored with Henry (Chip) F. Carey in Andreopoulos, George and Henry F. Carey, eds. (forthcoming) *Justice and World Order: Reassessing Richard Falk’s Scholarship and Advocacy* Routledge: Taylor & France Group

“Looking to the Future” co-authored with Henry (Chip) Carey in Carey, Henry (Chip) ed. (2022) *Understanding Contemporary Latin America 5th ed.* Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner

“Customary International Law” in *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of International Studies*. Oxford University Press. (2020)

“Lawyers for Civil Rights Under Law” in *Political Groups, Parties, and Organizations that Shaped America*, edited by Ainsworth and Harward (ABC-CLIO, 2019)

“Using Mixed-Methods to Model Constitutional Court Protections of International Human Rights” SAGE Research Methods Case Study (December 2018)

Contributed book review of *The Defendant in International Criminal Proceedings: Between Law and Historiography* by Björn Elberling to *Law and Politics Book Review* (October 13, 2013)

“Special Tribunal for Lebanon” in *Trials and Tribulations of International Prosecution*, edited by Henry F. Carey and Stacey M. Mitchell (Lexington Books, 2013)

“Bail and Bond” in *The Social History of Crime and Punishment in America*, edited by Wilbur R. Miller (Sage, 2012).

“Cruel and Unusual Punishment” in *The Social History of Crime and Punishment in America*, edited by Wilbur R. Miller (Sage, 2012).

“Due Process” in *The Social History of Crime and Punishment in America*, edited by Wilbur R. Miller (Sage, 2012).

“Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure” in *The Social History of Crime and Punishment in America*, edited by Wilbur R. Miller (Sage, 2012).

“Legal Counsel” in *The Social History of Crime and Punishment in America*, edited by Wilbur R. Miller (Sage, 2012).

“Eighth Amendment” in *Encyclopedia of American Law and Criminal Justice*, by David Schultz (Facts on File, 2012).

Contributed book note on *The Global Justice Movement: Cross-National and Transnational Perspectives* (edited by Donatella Della Porta) to *Human Rights and Human Welfare Newsletter* January, 2009.

Contributed analysis to *Global Corruption Report* June 2008.

Contributed book review on *Development on the Periphery: Democratic Transitions in Southern and Eastern Europe* (by Howard J. Wiarda) to *Nationalities Papers* November, 2007.

Contributed book note on *Challenges to Peacebuilding: Managing Spoilers During Conflict Resolution* (Edited by Edward Newman and Oliver Richmond) to *Human Rights and Human Welfare Newsletter* June, 2007.

“Whistleblowers” in *Encyclopedia of American Civil Liberties*, edited by Paul Finkleman (Routledge, 2006).

Publications Under Review:

“Public Policy” co-authored OER textbook for the University of North Georgia Press

“Civic Action and Policy Change: The Case of Poland” co-authored article

“Global Reactions to Constitutional Crises: Poland, Hungary, and Israel in Comparison” co-authored article

Conference Presentations:

“Title: Immigration and R2P: Are states recognizing their responsibilities?” 2023 *EISA Pan-European Conference on International Relations*

“Global Reactions to Constitutional Crises: Poland, Hungary, and Israel in Comparison” 2023 *International Studies Association* (co-authored)

“Community Patrols or Community Policing: Who are the guardians?” 2022 *Midwest Political Science Association Convention*

“EU Democracy and Human Rights: Is the dog wagging the tail?” 2022 *International Studies Association Convention* Nashville, TN co-authored

“Civil Action & Policy Change: The Case of Poland” 2022 *International Studies Association Convention* Nashville, TN co-authored

“Unauthorized Immigration: Small Change and Reframe Instead of Reform” 2021 *Midwest Political Science Association Convention*

“Native American Advocacy Issues, Methods, Challenges and Successes” 2020 *Midwest Political Science Association Convention*

“Blowing in the Wind: Environmental Policy and Environmental Justice in the Caribbean” 2019 *Midwest Political Science Association Convention* Chicago, IL

- “What’s Happening? Eastern European Constitutional Courts, Rights, and Democracy”
2019 Midwest Political Science Association Convention Chicago, IL
- “Illiberal or New Authoritarian: Are Human Rights Protected” coauthored with Tijan Drammeh
2019 International Studies Association Annual Convention Toronto, Canada
- “Torture and the State of Democracy” *2018 International Studies Association Annual Convention San Francisco, California*
- “Peacebuilding Through Mediation” *2018 International Studies Association Annual Convention San Francisco, California*
- “Environmental Policy and Environmental Justice in the Caribbean” *2018 American Society for Public Administration Georgia Conference, Milledgeville, GA.*
- “Constitutional Court Advocacy: Influential or Interesting?” coauthored with Robert Cabrera
2017 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Convention, Chicago, IL
- “National Torture Prosecution: What Makes It Less Torturous?” *2017 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Convention, Chicago, IL*
- “Indigenous Contribution to Human Rights: The Case of the United States” *2016 American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA*
- “The International Law of Torture: Does Specification Matter” *2016 International Studies Association Annual Convention, Atlanta, GA*
- “The Correlates of Torture Investigation and Prosecution” *2015 Research Symposium on Torture in the Americas Atlanta, GA.*
- “Reforming Torture: When are the reforms from the Committee Against Torture Effective?” coauthored with Dr. Henry Carey
2015 International Studies Association Annual Convention New Orleans, LA.
- “National Torture Prosecution: What Makes It Less Torturous?” *2014 International Studies Association Annual Convention Toronto, CA.*
- “Constitutional Courts and Legislative Autonomy: Democracy or Rights” *2012. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Convention Chicago, IL.*
- “Indigenous Contribution to Human Rights: The Case of the United States” *2012. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Convention Chicago, IL.*

Hybrid Tribunals: Advancing Victims' Rights" 2012 *International Studies Association Annual Convention* San Diego, CA.

"Appeals to International Human Rights Law in Constitutional Court Cases: Four European Cases" 2011. *International Studies Association Annual Convention* Montreal, Canada.

"Constitutional Courts, Legislative Power, and Democracy: What Price Rights?" 2010. *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Convention* Chicago, IL.

"Constitutional Courts and International Human Rights Law: Why do National Constitutional Courts Cite International Human Rights Law?" 2010. *Romanian Studies Conference* Bloomington, IN January 2010..

"Constitutional Courts and International Human Rights Law: Why do National Constitutional Courts Cite International Human Rights Law?" 2009. *International Studies Association Annual Convention* New York, NY.

"Romanian or European: Why Does the Romanian Constitutional Court Choose National or Supranational Influences?" 2009. Co-authored by Raluca Miller. *International Studies Association Annual Convention* New York, NY.

"Collaboration versus Confrontation: A Comparison of Post-Communist Constitutional Courts Under the Influence of the European Union" 2008. *American Political Science Association Annual Convention* Boston, MA.

"Pre-Accession Influence of the European Court of Justice" 2007. *International Studies Association Annual Convention* Chicago, IL.

"Corrupted Courts: A Cross-National Perceptual Analysis of Judicial Corruption" 2006. *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Convention* Chicago, IL.

"Trusting the ECJ: Integration, the EU, and Decisions" 2006. *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Convention* Chicago, IL.

"Corrupted Courts: A Cross-National Perceptual Analysis of Judicial Corruption" 2006. *Southern Political Science Association Annual Convention* Atlanta, Ga.

"European Court of Justice: To Trust or Not To Trust" 2006. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the *Western Political Science Association Annual Convention* Albuquerque, NM.

"Is the Romanian Constitutional Court Moving Toward Integration?" 2006. *Association for the Study of Nationalities Annual Convention*, New York, NY.

“The Judiciary in El Salvador: Reformed or Revamped?” 2005. *International Studies Association South Annual Convention* Miami, FL.

“What Comes First: Democracy or Corruption?” 2005. *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Convention* Chicago, IL.

Other Conference Participation:

Program Chair and section Co-Chair International Law Section of International Studies Association

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Discussant, Panel on “The Autocrat’s Toolkit: Coups, Social Control and Foreign Conflict” at the Annual Convention of the *Midwest Political Science Association* Chicago, IL 2019

Discussant, Panel on “Migration and Refugees in Europe” at the Annual Convention of the *Midwest Political Science Association* Chicago, IL 2019

Discussant, Panel on “Perspectives on International Tribunal Backlash” at the Annual Convention of the *International Studies Association* Toronto, Canada 2019

Discussant, Panel on “Illiberal Democracy and Human Rights: Case Studies II” at the Annual Convention of the *International Studies Association* San Francisco, California 2018

Discussant, Panel on “People on the Move: State Responses” at the Annual Convention of the *Midwest Political Science Association* Chicago, IL., 2017

Discussant, Panel on “Issues in Democracy and Democratic Transitions” at the Annual Convention of the *Midwest Political Science Association* Chicago, IL., 2017

Participant, Panel on “Affordable Education and Open Educational Resources” at the *Teaching Matters Conference* at Gordon State College, Barnesville, GA., 2017

Participant, Panel on “Open Education Resources: Boon or Burden?” at the *Innovations in Pedagogy Conference* Carrollton, GA, 2016

Participant, Panel on “Lessons From the First Year of QEP Implementation” at the *Innovations in Pedagogy Conference* Carrollton, GA, 2016

Presenter, “Curating OERs in a Master Course“ *CAE Teaching and Learning Conference* Dalton, GA, 2016

Discussant, Panel on “Turkey and the EU” at the Annual Convention of the *Midwest Political Science Association* Chicago, IL., 2011.

Participant, Moot Court “Prosecuting a Head of State for Chemical/Herbicide Weapons and Long Term Civilian Suffering Identified After a Peace Agreement” Annual Convention of the *International Studies Association*, New Orleans, LA February 2010

Participant, Moot Court “Prosecuting a Junta for Allegedly Preventing a UN Security Council Humanitarian Aid Mission” Annual Convention of the *International Studies Association*, New York, NY., February 2009

Participant, Moot Court on Habeas Corpus Annual Convention of the *International Studies Association*, San Francisco, CA., March 2008

Discussant, Panel on “Families, Generations, and the Nation in Central Europe” Annual Meeting of the *Association for the Study of Nationalities*, New York, NY., April 2007.

Participant, Panel on “Politics of International Law in the Developing World” Annual Convention of the *International Studies Association*, Chicago, IL., March 2007. (Substituted for Dr. Henry Carey.)

Teaching Experience:

Teaching:

American Government (University of West Georgia, West Georgia Tech, Georgia State)

Approaches to the Study of Politics (Agnes Scott College)

British Politics (University of West Georgia)

Constitutional Law Civil Liberties (Georgia State University, Agnes Scott College)

Comparative Politics (Georgia State)

European Politics (University of West Georgia)

First Year Experience (University of West Georgia)

First Year Seminar: Human Rights and Social Justice (University of West Georgia)

First Year Seminar: Terrorism (University of West Georgia)

First Year Seminar: Native Americans in Fact and Fiction (University of West Georgia)

Global Human Rights (University of West Georgia)

Global Issues (University of West Georgia, West Georgia Tech, Georgia State University)

Human Rights Advocacy (University of West Georgia)

Human Rights and Social Justice (University of West Georgia)

Independent Study (University of West Georgia)

International Law (University of West Georgia)
International Politics (Georgia State University)
Senior Seminar (University of West Georgia)
Terrorism (University of West Georgia)

Online Teaching:

Administrative Law (University of West Georgia)
American Government (University of West Georgia, West Georgia Tech)
Environmental Policy (University of West Georgia)
EU in Comparative Perspective (European Union Program)
EU Law and Legal Systems (European Union Program)
Global Issues (West Georgia Tech, Georgia State University)
Grant Writing for Nonprofits (University of West Georgia)
Health Policy (University of West Georgia)
International Law (University of West Georgia)
Problems in Politics (University of West Georgia)
Public Human Resource Management (University of West Georgia)
Public Management (University of West Georgia)
Senior Seminar (University of West Georgia)

Graduate Courses

Administrative Law (University of West Georgia)
Environmental Policy (University of West Georgia)
e-Government (University of West Georgia)
Grant Writing for Nonprofits (University of West Georgia)
Health Policy (University of West Georgia)
International Law (University of West Georgia)
Public Human Resource Management (University of West Georgia)
Public Management (University of West Georgia)
Public Policy (University of West Georgia)
Theory of Public Administration & Ethics (University of West Georgia)

Course Development – No Cost to Student

American Government (University of West Georgia)
Administrative Law (eMajor for University of West Georgia)
Environmental Law and Policy (University of West Georgia)
EU Law and Legal System (European Union Program)
First Year Multi-Discipline Seminar on Terrorism (University of West Georgia)
First Year Seminar on Human Rights and Social Justice (Univ. West Georgia)
First Year Seminar on Native Americans in Fact and Fiction (U. West Georgia)
Global Politics (West Georgia Tech and University of West Georgia)
Health Policy (University of West Georgia)
Human Rights Advocacy (University of West Georgia)
International Law (University of West Georgia)

Public Human Resource Management (eMajor for University of West Georgia)
Public Human Resource Management (MPA QM for University of West Georgia)
Public Management (eMajor OER for University of West Georgia)
Theory of Public Administration & Ethics (University of West Georgia)

Graduate Teaching Assistant:
American Constitutional Law
American Civil Liberties

Other Education:

2021 Quality Matters Online Teaching Certificate

2021 Quality Matters Master Reviewer

2020 – The Humanity of Inclusive Practices
John H. Gardner Institute

2018 – Governor’s Teaching Fellowship
Institute of Higher Education
University of Georgia

2017 Mediator Training - Registered Neutral with the Georgia Supreme Court

2017 LEAD Certified Organizational Advisor Certification

2015 Quality Matters Peer Reviewer Certification

2009 Human Rights Section Working Group
International Studies Association Annual Convention

2007 Constitutionalism Summer Research Seminar
Institute for Constitutional Studies
George Washington University Law School

2007 Junior Scholars Training Seminar
Eastern European Studies
Woodrow Wilson Center

2007 Comparative Research Design and Configurational Comparative Methods
European Consortium for Political Research
Summer School on Methods and Techniques

2000 Paralegal Certificate
East Georgia College

Academic Awards and Grants:

- 2015 Affordable Learning Georgia Class Transformation Grant
- 2006 National Recommendation for Fulbright
- 2006 Recognition for Outstanding Achievement for Graduate Teaching

Other Professional Experience:

8/02 – 8/03 Bothwell Law – Atlanta, GA

Paralegal

7/95 - 8/02 Worldcom (a.k.a. MCI, MCIWorldcom) - Atlanta, GA

- 10/01 - 8/02 - Sr. Manager Systems Integrity
- 12/98 - 10/01 - Sr. Manager Business Technology
- 12/97 - 12/98 - Manager, Sales Force Automation
- 7/95 - 12/97 - Manager, Commissions Operations

3/87 - 7/95 First Data Corporation (a.k.a. GerberAlley) - Charlotte, NC

- 4/90 - 7/95 - Customer Support Manager
- 3/89 - 4/90 - Manager, Research and Development
- 3/88 - 3/89 - Supervisor, Research and Development
- 3/87 - 3/88 - Software Specialist

07/82 - 03/87 HBO and Company - Atlanta, GA

7/82 - 3/87 - Programmer Analyst

6/78 - 6/82 Gold Bond Building Products - Charlotte, NC

- 1/82 - 6/82 - Programmer
- 6/80 - 1/82 - Payroll Clerk
- 6/78 - 6/80 - Accounts Payable Clerk

Additional Skills:

Computer Hardware: UNIVAC 1100, Hewlett Packard 9000, DEC VMS, Data General, IBM compatible PCs

Computer Operating Systems: MPE, MPE XL, VMS, MS DOS, PC DOS, WINDOWS, OS

DataBase: IMAGE, VSAM, Access

Computer Software: COGNOS QDDR; HP DICTIONARY 3000; HBO MAXIMUMPS; FDC (a.k.a. Gerber Alley) Precision Alternative; HBO: FINSTAR, IFAS, MSA Payroll/Personnel, WordPerfect, Lotus 123; Microsoft: Word, EXCEL, PowerPoint, Outlook, Access

Computer Languages: COBOL, COGNOS: QUICK, QUIZ, QTP, JCL

Statistical Packages: SPSS, STAT8, STATA 13, Tosmana

Statistical Methods: OLS Regression, Fuzzy Set

Foreign Language: Basic French Reading, Introductory German, Introductory Spanish,
Introductory Italian