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**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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## EMPLOYMENT

### COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL

Charles Evans Gerber Professor of Law, 2014-present  
Special Advisor to the Dean for Strategic Initiatives, 2015-present  
Co-Director, Columbia-Amsterdam-Leiden Summer Program in American Law, 2006-12,  
2014-present  
Co-Director, Richard Paul Richman Center for Business, Law, and Public Policy, 2011-12  
Harvey R. Miller Professor of Law and Economics, 2009-2012  
Professor of Law, 2007-09  
Associate Professor of Law, 2003-07  
John M. Olin, Jr. Fellow, 2002-03

### UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO LAW SCHOOL

Paul H. and Theo Leffmann Professor of Commercial Law, 2013-2014  
Director, Kreisman Initiative on Housing Law and Policy, 2013-14  
Director, Kreisman Program on Housing Law and Policy, 2013-2014  
Professor of Law, Fall 2012; Visiting Professor, Spring 2008

### FRED HUTCHINSON CANCER RESEARCH CENTER, DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH SCIENCES (SEATTLE, WA)

Affiliate Investigator, Cancer Prevention Program, 2013-present

### UNIVERSITY OF AMSTERDAM BUSINESS SCHOOL, CENTER FOR LAW & ECONOMICS

Visiting Professor in Financial Markets and Corporate Governance, Nov. 2013

### UNIVERSITY OF GRANADA (SPAIN), DEPARTAMENTO DE TEORÍA E HISTORIA ECONÓMICA

Visiting Scholar, Spring 2011

### HON. ANTONIN SCALIA, SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Law Clerk, 2001-02

### HON. RICHARD A. POSNER, UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS, SEVENTH CIRCUIT

Law Clerk, 2000-01

## EDUCATION

### UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO LAW SCHOOL

J.D., with High Honors, 2000

*Activities:* Articles Editor, U. CHI. L. REV., 1998-99; Staff, 1997-98

*Honors:* John M. Olin Prize, 2000; Joseph Henry Beale Prize, for outstanding work in first-year legal research and writing, 1995

### UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

Ph.D., 2003; M.A., 1997

*Thesis:* "Bankruptcy Decision Making: An Empirical Study of Small-Business Bankruptcies"

*Teaching:* Assistant to Profs. Becker, Heckman, and Scheinkman

*Honors:* State Farm Foundation Dissertation Award, 2000-01; Bradley Foundation Scholarships, 1997-99

## UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

B.S., *summa cum laude*, Economics and Accounting, with Honors Program Degree, 1994  
*Honors*: Phi Beta Kappa; Phi Kappa Phi Graduate Fellowship, 1994; Honors Baccalaureate Scholarship, 1994; full-tuition scholarship

## TEACHING

### *Courses*

Bankruptcy  
Contracts  
Corporate Finance

### *Seminars*

Advanced Topics in Corporate Reorganization  
Empirical Law & Economics

## PUBLICATIONS

### **Housing and Mortgage Policy**

“Coasean Bargaining in Consumer Bankruptcy,” in RONALD H. COASE (Univ. Chicago Law School 2014)

*Mortgage Modification and Strategic Default: Evidence from a Legal Settlement with Countrywide*, 104 AM. ECON. REV. 2830 (2014) (with Christopher Mayer, Tomasz Piskorski, & Arpit Gupta)

*A New Proposal for Loan Modifications*, 26 YALE J. REG. 417 (2009) (with Christopher Mayer & Tomasz Piskorski)

### **Business Bankruptcy and Corporate Restructuring**

*Rules of Thumb for Intercreditor Agreements*, UNIV. ILL. L. REV. 2015 U. Ill. L. Rev. 721

*Creditor Control and Conflict in Chapter 11*, 2 J. LEGAL ANAL. 511 (2009) (with Kenneth M. Ayotte) (modified version published in *Senior Creditor Control in Chapter 11*, in ENTERPRISE LAW: CONTRACTS, MARKETS, AND LAWS IN THE US AND JAPAN (Edward Elgar Press: Zenichi Shishido, ed.))

*Bargaining around Bankruptcy: Small Business Distress and State Law*, 38 J. LEGAL STUD. 255 (2009)

*Bankruptcy's Rarity: Small Business Workouts in the United States*, 5 EUR. CO. & FIN. L. REV. 172 (2008)

*Who Needs Bankruptcy Law?*, in 1000 WORDS OR LESS (Columbia Law School: Elizabeth Scott, ed.) (2008)

*Bankruptcy Decision Making: An Empirical Study of Continuation Bias in Small Business Bankruptcies*, 50 J. L. ECON. 381 (2007)

*Serial Entrepreneurs and Small Business Bankruptcies*, 105 COLUM. L. REV. 2310 (2005) (with

Douglas G. Baird)

*Bankruptcy Decision Making*, 17 J. LAW, ECON. & ORG. 356 (2001) (with Douglas G. Baird)

### **Financial Contracts and the Bankruptcy Code**

*Rolling Back the Repo Safe Harbors*, 69 Bus. Lawyer 1015 (2014) (with Mark Roe and Christopher Sontchi)

*Financial Contracts and the New Bankruptcy Code: Insulating Markets from Bankrupt Debtors and Bankruptcy Judges*, 13 AM. BANKR. INST. L. REV. 641 (2005) (with Joerg Riegel)

*Derivatives and the Bankruptcy Code: Why the Special Treatment?*, 22 YALE J. REG. 91 (2005) (with Franklin R. Edwards) (modified version published in *Derivatives and Systemic Risk: What Role Can the Bankruptcy Code Play?*, in SYSTEMIC FINANCIAL CRISES (World Scientific Press: Douglas D. Evanoff & George G. Kaufman, eds.) (2005))

### **Bankruptcy and Financial Institutions**

*Dodd-Frank for Bankruptcy Lawyers*, 19 AM. BANKR. INST. L. REV. 287 (2011) (with Douglas G. Baird) (received 2011 Hon. Wesley W. Steen Prize for best article published in the law review)

Discussion remarks, *Legal Aftershocks of the Global Financial Crisis, Panel 3: Bankruptcy & Restructuring of Financial Institutions*, 6 N.Y.U. J. L. & BUS. 241 (2010)

*Is the Bankruptcy Code an Adequate Mechanism for Resolving the Distress of Systemically Important Institutions?*, 82 TEMPLE L. REV. 449 (2009)

### **General Bankruptcy Law**

*Extraterritorial Avoidance Actions: Lessons from Madoff*, 9 Brooklyn J. Corp., Fin & Comm. L. 268 (2014)

*The Economics of Bankruptcy: An Introduction to the Literature*, in ECONOMICS OF BANKRUPTCY (Edward Elgar Press: Edward R. Morrison, ed., 2012)

Timbers of Inwood Forest, *the Economics of Rent, and the Irrelevance of Supreme Court Precedent*, in BANKRUPTCY STORIES (Foundation Press: Robert K. Rasmussen, ed.) (2007)

*Adversary Proceedings in Bankruptcy: A Sideshow*, 79 AM. BANKR. L. J. 951 (2005) (with Douglas G. Baird)

### **Other**

Comment, *Judicial Review of Discount Rates Used in Regulatory Cost-Benefit Analysis*, 65 U. CHI. L. REV. 1333 (1998)

*Off-Balance Sheet Risks: What Are They and Why is Their Disclosure Important?*, 11 J. ACCT. EDUC. 313 (1993)

*Impact of the Salt Lake City Airport on the Utah Economy*, 53 UTAH ECON. & BUS. REV. 1 (1993)  
(with Boyd L. Fjeldsted)

#### **WORKS IN PROGRESS**

##### **Consumer Finance and Bankruptcy**

“Health and Financial Fragility: Evidence from Car Crashes and Consumer Bankruptcy”  
(with Arpit Gupta, Larry Cook, Heather Keenan, & Lenora Olson) (in draft)

“Cancer Diagnoses and Household Debt Overhang” (with Arpit Gupta, Scott Ramsey, &  
Catherine Fedorenko) (in draft)

“Impact of Financial Health on Treatment Choices and Outcomes in Cancer Patients,” grant  
proposal, currently under review at National Institutes of Health (with Aasthaa Bansal,  
Hannah Linden, Scott D. Ramsey, and Veena Shankaran of the Fred Hutchinson Cancer  
Research Center, Seattle WA)

“Judicial Discretion in Chapter 13 Bankruptcy: Consequences for Debtors and Creditors” (in  
progress)

“Analysis of Second Liens and a New Proposal” (with Christopher Mayer & Tomasz  
Piskorski) (in draft)

##### **Business Bankruptcy and Corporate Restructuring**

“Beyond Options” (with Anthony Casey) (in draft)

“Bankruptcy Exemptions and Small Business Signaling” (with John Armour, Michael Minnis,  
and Andrew Sutherland) (in progress)

“Intercreditor Agreements and Covenant-Light Loans” (with Maya Shaton & David C. Smith)  
(in progress)

“Bankruptcy Distress Costs: Evidence from Market Reactions to Judicial Assignments” (with  
Maya Shaton) (in progress)

##### **Financial Contracts and the Bankruptcy Code**

“Systemic Risk, Financial Contracts, and the Bankruptcy Code” (with Mark Roe) (in  
progress)

#### **CASE STUDIES AND CLE MATERIALS**

“Sufficient Conditions for Valuation in Fraudulent Transfer Actions” (prepared for NYU’s 2013  
King/Seligson Bankruptcy Workshop)

“The Legal Architecture of Delphi’s Emergence” (prepared for the 2012 TMA Distressed  
Investing Conference)

“Fraudulent Transfers After Madoff” (prepared for NYU’s 2011 King/Seligson Bankruptcy Workshop)

“General Growth Properties: Stage 2” (prepared for the 2011 TMA Distressed Investing Conference)

“Collective Action Clauses” (prepared for NYU’s 2010 King/Seligson Bankruptcy Workshop)

“Circuit City’s Perfect Storm” (prepared for the 2010 TMA Distressed Investing Conference)

“Chrysler, GM, and the Future of Chapter 11” (prepared for NYU’s 2009 King/Seligson Bankruptcy Workshop)

“Vertis/American Color Graphics: First (Not Last?) Dual Prepack Merger” (prepared for the 2009 TMA Distressed Investing Conference)

“Westpoint Stevens: A Clash of Titans” (prepared for the 2008 TMA Distressed Investing Conference)

#### **GRANTS**

Pew Charitable Trusts, Conference on Strategies to Improve the Housing Market, “Analysis of Second Liens and a New Proposal,” 2012, with Christopher Mayer & Tomasz Piskorski, \$25,000

National Science Foundation, “Understanding the Determinants of Household Default Decisions in the Mortgage Crisis,” September 2011-August 2015, with Christopher Mayer & Tomasz Piskorski, SES 1124188, \$347,811

#### **POLICY WORK**

Co-Reporter, Advisory Committee on Financial Contracts, Derivatives, and Safe Harbors, American Bankruptcy Institute (ABI) Commission to Study the Reform of Chapter 11, September 2012-April 2014

“The Economic Effects of Bankruptcy Exemptions” (November 2011) (contribution to National Bankruptcy Conference proposal for revising consumer bankruptcy legislation) (available on request)

“A Proposal for Amending Chapter 12 to Accommodate Small Business Enterprises Seeking to Reorganize” (January 2010) (with members of the Small Business Working Group, National Bankruptcy Conference) (available at <http://www.judiciary.senate.gov/pdf/3-17-10%20Small%20Report.pdf>)

Testimony, “Promoting Bank Liquidity and Lending Through Deposit Insurance, Hope for Homeowners, and Other Enhancements” (February 3, 2009) (before the Committee on Financial Services, U.S. House of Representatives) (available at

<http://financialservices.house.gov/Calendar/EventSingle.aspx?EventID=231845>)

“A New Proposal for Loan Modifications” (January 2009) (with Christopher Mayer and Tomasz Piskorski) (available at [http://www8.gsb.columbia.edu/sites/realestate/files/LoanModIncentives\\_MMP-1-7-2009.pdf](http://www8.gsb.columbia.edu/sites/realestate/files/LoanModIncentives_MMP-1-7-2009.pdf))

“Small Business Bankruptcy and the Bankruptcy Abuse and Consumer Protection Act of 2005” (September 22, 2008) (commissioned by the Small Business Administration pursuant to Government Contract No. SBAHQ-06-A-0023) (available on request)

#### **SERVICE TO PROFESSION**

Member, Judicial Conference Advisory Committee on Bankruptcy Rules, 2010-present  
(reappointed in 2013 to second three-year term by Chief Justice Roberts)

Conferee, National Bankruptcy Conference, 2007-present

#### **ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES**

**Editorial:** Editor, JOURNAL OF LEGAL STUDIES, 2013-present  
Associate Editor, AMERICAN LAW & ECONOMICS REVIEW, 2010-12  
Editorial Board, AMERICAN BANKRUPTCY INSTITUTE LAW REVIEW, 2010-present  
Board of Directors, COLUMBIA BUSINESS LAW REVIEW, 2005-2012, 2015-present

**Refereeing:** AMERICAN BANKRUPTCY LAW JOURNAL, AMERICAN LAW AND ECONOMICS REVIEW, HARVARD LAW REVIEW, INTERNATIONAL REVIEW OF LAW AND ECONOMICS, JOURNAL OF EMPIRICAL LEGAL STUDIES, JOURNAL OF LAW AND ECONOMICS, JOURNAL OF LEGAL STUDIES, JOURNAL OF POLITICAL ECONOMY, LAW AND SOCIAL INQUIRY, REVIEW OF FINANCE, YALE LAW JOURNAL

**AALS Service:** Creditors’ and Debtor’s Rights Section (Board Member, 2015-present); Law and Economics Section (Chair, 2008; Chair-Elect, 2007; Secretary, 2005)

**ALEA Service:** Program Chair (2105), Director (2013-present), Area Organizer (2012)

**Conferences:** Program Chair, 2015 Annual Meeting of the American Law & Economic Association  
Co-Organizer, “Roundtable on Repo Markets” at Columbia University, April 2015  
Education Committee, National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges Annual Conference, October 2009  
Scientific Committee, Conference on “Bankruptcy and Distress Resolution,” Ghent University, Belgium, December 2008  
Organizer, Roundtable on “Hedge Funds, Creditor Control, and Restructuring,” Columbia Law School, October 2006

Organizer, Federal Judicial Center and Columbia Law School  
Program for Bankruptcy Judges, Columbia Law School, April 2005

**Committee work:** *At Columbia Law School:* Entry-Level Appointments: 2008-2012, 2014-2015; Co-Chair, Clerkships & Judicial Relations: 2006-08; Resources and Development: Fall 2006, Fall 2007; Business Task Force: 2004-07; Associates: 2004-06; Information Technology: 2004-05; Admissions and Financial Aid: 2003-04; Student Services: 2003-04

**Other:** *At Columbia Law School:* Ad Hoc Tenure Committee Member, Spring 2008; Dissertation Committee Member for Stav Gaon, Ph.D. Candidate, Columbia Business School, Spring 2006; Dissertation Committee Member for Nan Chen, Ph.D. Candidate, Columbia Business School, Spring 2004

*At University of Chicago Law School:* Advisor to Hagay Volvovsky, JSD Candidate, 2013-14

#### **AWARDS**

2012 Judge Wesley Steen Law Review Writing Prize, presented by the American Bankruptcy Institute, for “Dodd-Frank for Bankruptcy Lawyers” (with Douglas Baird)

2009 Par Excellence Award, presented by the University of Utah Alumni Association and Young Alumni Board

#### **INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND PANEL DISCUSSIONS**

“Safe Harbors for Financial Contracts: Proposed Reforms and Unanswered Questions”  
Lawrence P. King and Charles Seligson Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business Reorganization, NYU Law School, September 2015

“Rolling Back the Repo Safe Harbors”  
University of Amsterdam Business School, Finance Seminar, May 2015

“Cancer Diagnoses and Household Debt Overhang”  
University of Amsterdam Center for Law & Economics, May 2015

“The Drive to Revise Chapter 11”  
University of Amsterdam ARILS Seminar on “Revision of Chapter 11 vs. Revision of the Dutch Bankruptcy Act,” May 2015

“Extraterritorial Avoidance Actions: Lessons from Madoff”  
Lawrence P. King and Charles Seligson Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business Reorganization, NYU Law School, September 2014

“Health and Financial Fragility: Evidence from Car Crashes and Consumer Bankruptcy”  
NBER Law & Economics Meeting, February 2014; AALS Annual Meeting, January 2014;



Columbia Law School, December 2013; University of Amsterdam Business School, November 2013; University of Chicago Department of Economics, February 2013; University of Chicago Law School, December 2012; American Law and Economics Association (ALEA) Annual Meeting, May 2012; Columbia Law School, April 2012; American College of Bankruptcy, March 2012

“Will New Resolution Regimes End Too Big to Fail?”  
University of Amsterdam Law School, November 2013

“Rules of Thumb for Intercreditor Agreements”  
ABI-University of Illinois Symposium on Chapter 11 Reform, April 2014  
Lawrence P. King and Charles Seligson Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business Reorganization, NYU Law School, September 2013

“Analysis of Second Liens and a New Proposal”  
Pew Charitable Trusts Conference, “Strategies to Improve the Housing Market,” June 2012

“Mortgage Modification and Strategic Default: Evidence from a Legal Settlement with Countrywide”  
Penn/NYU Conference on Law and Finance, February 2012; Harvard Law School, November 2011; University of Granada Economics Department, April 2011; Northwestern Law School, February 2011; Stanford Law School, January 2011; Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (CELS), November 2010; Columbia Law School, October 2010; University of Virginia School of Law, September 2010; Conference on Household Heterogeneity and Household Finance, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, September 2010

“The Legal Architecture of Delphi’s Emergence”  
Turnaround Management Association Distressed Investing Conference, January 2012

“Protecting Options in Bankruptcy?” and “Fraudulent Transfers after Madoff”  
Lawrence P. King and Charles Seligson Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business Reorganization, NYU Law School, September 2011

“Legislative Update on Small Business Bankruptcy Reform”  
Annual Bankruptcy Law Seminar, State Bar of Georgia, October 2010

“Dodd-Frank for Bankruptcy Lawyers” and “Collective Action Clauses”  
Lawrence P. King and Charles Seligson Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business Reorganization, NYU Law School, September 2010

“Governmental Involvement in Distressed Opportunities”  
Wharton Restructuring and Turnaround Conference, February 2010

“Bankruptcy and Restructuring of Financial Institutions”  
NYU JOURNAL OF LAW & BUSINESS Symposium, January 2010

“Circuit City’s Perfect Storm”  
Turnaround Management Association Distressed Investing Conference, January 2010

- “Protection of Capital Market Transactions” and “Automobile Industry Chapter 11 Cases”  
Lawrence P. King and Charles Seligson Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business  
Reorganization, NYU Law School, September 2009
- “The Role of Bankruptcy Law in Mitigating Systemic Risk in Financial Markets”  
TEMPLE LAW REVIEW Annual Symposium, April 2009
- “American Color Graphics and Vertis: The First Dual Prepack Merger”  
Turnaround Management Association Distressed Investing Conference, January 2009
- “Special Protections for Capital Markets Transactions” and “Is the Bankruptcy Code Capable of  
Dealing with the Next Round of Challenges?”  
Lawrence P. King and Charles Seligson Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business  
Reorganization, NYU Law School, September 2008
- “*Lionel* Revisited: Bankruptcy Sales ... The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly”  
National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges Annual Conference/Commercial Law League of  
America Education Program, September 2008
- “Health Shocks and Bankruptcy”  
Harvard/Texas Conference on Commercial Law Realities, February 2008; Columbia Law  
School, October 2007
- “Creditor Control and Conflict in Chapter 11”  
University of Utah Law and Business Schools, April 2009; Yale Law School, March 2009;  
Bonn University, Department of Economics, June 2008; University of Chicago Law School,  
May 2008; University of Virginia School of Law, April 2008; University of Southern  
California Law School, March 2008; Case Western Law School, February 2008; Columbia  
Law School, November 2007; University of Pennsylvania Law School, November 2007;  
Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (CELS), November 2007; Oxford University, October  
2007; Triangle Law & Economics Conference, Duke University, April 2007; Harvard/Texas  
Conference on Commercial Law Realities, April 2007
- “Westpoint Stevens in Chapter 11: A Clash of Titans”  
Turnaround Management Association Distressed Investing Conference, January 2008
- “Financial Contracts and the Bankruptcy Code: Safe Harbors with Broad Scope and Uncertain  
Justification”  
Lawrence P. King and Charles Seligson Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business  
Reorganization, NYU Law School, October 2007; Deals Roundtable, Columbia Law School,  
October 2006
- “Bankruptcy’s Rarity: Small Business Workouts in the United States”  
EUROPEAN COMPANY AND FINANCE LAW REVIEW Conference, October 2007
- “Bargaining around Bankruptcy: Small Business Distress and State Law” (and other titles)  
Stanford/Yale Junior Faculty Forum, May 2007; American Law and Economics Association

(ALEA) Annual Meeting, May 2007; Fordham Junior Faculty Forum, March 2007; University of Toronto Faculty of Law, March 2007; Columbia Law School, Faculty Lunch Series, March 2007; National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER), March 2007; Columbia Law School, Contracts and Economic Organization Workshop, March 2007; University of Chicago Law School, February 2007; AALS Annual Meeting, January 2007; Northwestern University School of Law, November 2006; Georgetown University Law Center, April 2006; Harvard/Texas Conference on Commercial Law Realities, April 2006

“Hedge Fund Failures”

American Bankruptcy Institute Insolvency Symposium, February 2007

“Serial Entrepreneurs and Small Business Bankruptcy”

American Law and Economics Association (ALEA) Annual Meeting, May 2005; Harvard/Texas Conference on Commercial Law Realities, April 2005; University of Virginia School of Law, February 2005; Boalt Hall, November 2004; Columbia Law School, October 2004; Cornell Law School, October 2004

“Derivatives and Systemic Risk: What Role Can the Bankruptcy Code Play?”

International Conference on Systemic Financial Crises, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, September 2004

“Bankruptcy Decision Making: An Empirical Study of Continuation Bias in Small Business Bankruptcies” (and other titles)

Columbia Business School, April 2004; William & Mary School of Law, April 2004; University of Virginia School of Law, February 2004; Harvard Law School, February & March 2003; Cornell Law School, January 2003; NYU School of Law, January 2003; University of Pennsylvania Law School, January 2003; Northwestern University School of Law, January 2003; Columbia Law School, January 2003; Yale Law School, December 2002; Georgetown University Law Center, December 2002; Vanderbilt Law School, December 2002

“Theory and Evidence on the Costs of Damages Rules” (and other titles)

American Law and Economics Association (ALEA) Annual Meeting, May 2001; University of Chicago Department of Economics, October 2000; Vanderbilt University Law School, October 2000

“Bankruptcy Decision Making”

University of Chicago Law School, May 2000 (with Douglas Baird); American Law and Economics Association (ALEA) Annual Meeting, May 2000; University of Virginia School of Law, April 2000 (with Douglas Baird)

## COMMENTARY ON ACADEMIC WORK

Young Bankruptcy Scholars' Work-in-Progress Workshop, November 2014 (Anthony Casey, "The New Corporate Web: Tailored Partitions and Creditors' Selective Enforcement;" Rory van Loo, "Giving Markets a Chance: Consumer Law and Inequality")

American Finance Association (AFA) Annual Meeting, January 2012 (Per Stromberg, Edith S. Hotchkiss, & David C. Smith, "Private Equity and the Resolution of Financial Distress")

American Economic Association (AEA) Annual Meeting, January 2010 (Wenli Li, Michelle J. White, & Ning Zhu, "Did Bankruptcy Reform Cause Mortgage Defaults to Rise?")

Conference on Bankruptcy and Distress Resolution, Ghent University, Belgium, December 2008 (Donald Morgan, Benjamin Iverson, & Matthew Botsch, "Seismic Effects of the Bankruptcy Reform")

Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (CELS), September 2008 ("Paige M. Skiba & Jeremy B. Tobacman, "Do Payday Loans Cause Bankruptcy?")

Conference on the Law and Economics of Consumer Credit, University of Virginia School of Law, February 2008 (Adair Morse, "Payday Lenders: Heroes or Villains?")

Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (CELS), November 2007 (Lynn M. LoPucki & Joseph W. Doherty, "The Determinants of Professional Fees in Large Bankruptcy Reorganization Cases Revisited")

University of Chicago Conference on Current Research on Medical Malpractice Liability, May 2006 (Kenneth S. Reinker & David Rosenberg, "Improving Medical Malpractice Liability by Allowing the Insurers to Take Charge")

Columbia Law School Faculty Lunch Series, September 2005 (Katharina Pistor, "Who is Tolling the Bells to Firms? Lessons from Transition Economies")

Columbia Law School Faculty Retreat, November 2004 (Victor P. Goldberg, "*Alcoa v. Essex*: Bad Contracts Can Make For Bad Law")