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### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2000-present Associate Director, BYU International Center for Law and Religion Studies

- Research and write on international and comparative law and religion issues
- Organize and speak at over 75 academic conferences in the U.S. and abroad
- Analyze legislation and draft legislation on religion for U.S. State Department, USAID, OSCE, and international NGOs
- Primary author of multiple U.S. Supreme Court *amicus* briefs and expert testimony for Indonesian Constitutional Court
- Testify before the U.S. Congress
- Teach (Professional Responsibility) and co-teach (Comparative Law, Comparative Constitutional Law, European Union Law, International Human Rights)

1998-2000 Associate, Appellate and Supreme Court Practice Group, Mayer, Brown and Platt, Washington D.C.

- Researched and drafted briefs in federal and state courts of appeal and in the United States Supreme Court
- Principal drafter of multiple successful Supreme Court petitions for writ of certiorari

1997-1998 *Judicial Clerk*, Judge J. Clifford Wallace, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

1995 Legal Intern, Department of Churches, Ministry of Culture, Czech Republic

## **EDUCATION**

J.D., J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University, 1997 (summa cum laude)

*Honors:* Editor-in-Chief, *BYU Law Review;* Order of the Coif; twice recipient, J. Reuben Clark Award for scholarship, service, and integrity

B.A., Brigham Young University, 1994 (magna cum laude in Comparative Literature and Russian)

*Honors:* Student Commencement speaker (out of class of over 5,000); graduation with University Honors; Recipient, Outstanding Honors Graduate graduate/professional school fellowship

### **SCHOLARSHIP**

### Selected Significant Recent Publications:

- Neutrality, Public Space, and Discrimination by Religious Organizations in the United States, QUADERNI DI DIRITTO E POLITICA ECCLESIASTICA (2018) (forthcoming).
- Headscarf Bans, Equal Treatment, and Minority Integration into the Workplace, 93 NOTRE DAME L. REV. ONLINE 101 (2018) (forthcoming).
- The Ascendancy of Equality in Multi-Tier Religious Systems, Phil. OF L. AND GENERAL THEORY OF L. (Ukraine) (2018) (forthcoming)
- International and Comparative Law Protections of Collective Aspects of Religious Freedom, 75 S. Ct. L. Rev. (Canada) (2016).
- ELIZABETH A. CLARK AND BRETT G. SCHARFFS, LAW AND RELIGION IN THE UNITED STATES (Wolters Kluwer, 2016), part of the *International Encyclopedia of Laws* series, Rik Torfs, general editor.
- The Emergence of Corporate Religious Freedom, in MALCOLM D. EVANS ET AL., EDS., THE CHANGING NATURE OF RELIGIOUS RIGHTS UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW (Oxford University Press 2015) (primary author) (with W. Cole Durham, Jr.).

### Full List of Publications:

#### **BOOKS**

HENRYK HOFFMAN, ET AL. EDS. RELIGION IN THE CONTEXT OF GLOBALIZATION: LEGAL ASPECTS OF THE FUNCTIONING OF RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS (Baden-Baden: Nomos 2018) (editorial committee).

- ELIZABETH A. CLARK AND BRETT G. SCHARFFS, LAW AND RELIGION IN THE UNITED STATES (Wolters Kluwer, 2016), part of the *International Encyclopedia of Laws* series, Rik Torfs, general editor.
- Associate editor, TORE LINDHOLM, ET AL., EDS., FACILITATING FREEDOM OF RELIGION OR BELIEF: A DESKBOOK (Leiden, Netherlands: Martinus Nijhoff, 2004) (has been translated and published in Chinese, Indonesian and Russian, and a Bosnian translation is forthcoming).
- Associate editor, W. Cole Durham, Jr. and Silvio Ferrari, eds., Law and Religion in Post-Communist Europe (Leuven, Belgium: Peeters, 2003) (has been translated and published in Slovak, Greek, and Italian, and a Chinese translation is forthcoming).

#### **BOOK CHAPTERS**

- Religious Freedom and the Functioning of Religious Organizations in the U.S., in Henryk Hoffman, et al., eds., Religion in the Context of Globalization: Legal Aspects of the Functioning of Religious Organizations (Baden-Baden: Nomos 2018).
- Conscientious Objection in a Pluralistic Society, in Michaela Moravčíková and Marek Šmid, eds., Freedom of Conscience and Religious Freedom (Prague: Leges 2017).
- International and Comparative Law Protections of Collective Aspects of Religious Freedom, in DWIGHT NEWMAN, ED., RELIGIOUS FREEDOM AND COMMUNITIES (LexisNexis 2017).
- The Emergence of Corporate Religious Freedom, in MALCOLM D. EVANS ET AL., EDS., THE CHANGING NATURE OF RELIGIOUS RIGHTS UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW (Oxford University Press 2015) (primary author) (with W. Cole Durham, Jr).
- The Place of Religious Freedom in the Structure of Peacebuilding, in Atalia Omer, et al., eds., The Oxford Handbook of Religion, Conflict, and Peacemaking (Oxford University Press 2015) (with W. Cole Durham, Jr.).
- Becoming a Fruitful Tree: Christ and the Limits of Legal Thinking, Scott Cameron, et al., eds., Life in the Law (BYU Press, 2013).
- Religious Education in the United States, in Derek Davis and Elena Miroshnikova, eds. International Handbook on Religious Education (Routledge, 2012).
- Religious Organizations, Legal Entity Status, and State Benefits in the United States, in MAREK ŠMID, ED., PRÁVNA SUBJEKTIVITA CIRKVÍ A NÁBOŽENSKÝCH SPOLOČNOSTÍ (Trnava, Slovakia: Trnava University Press, 2012) (primary author) (with Jonathon Tichy).
- State Financing and Autonomy of Religious Groups, in MICHAELA MORAVČÍKOVÁ, ED.,

- FINANCING OF CHURCHES AND RELIGIOUS SOCIETIES IN THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY (Bratislava: Ústavu pre vzťahy štátu a cirkví, 2010).
- Religious Liberty and Religious Minorities in the United States, in DEREK DAVIS, ED., OXFORD HANDBOOK ON CHURCH AND STATE IN THE UNITED STATES (Oxford Press, 2010).
- Presiding Bishop of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints v. Amos, 483 U.S. 327 (1987): Addressing Tensions between the Free Exercise and Establishment Clauses, in Leslie C. Griffin, Ed., Law and Religion: Cases in Context (Aspen Press, 2010).
- Religious Exceptionalism, in Ekaterina Elbakian, ed., Religiia v sovremennom obshchestve (Moscow: ATISO, 2009).
- Women and the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, in MICHAELA MORAVČÍKOVÁ AND LUCIA GREŠKOVÁ, EDS., ŽENY A NÁBOŽENSTVÁ WOMEN AND RELIGIONS (Bratislava: Ústavu pre vzťahy štátu a cirkví, 2007) (primary author) (with Jennifer C. Lane).
- Conscientious Objection in the United States in MICHAELA MORAVČÍKOVÁ, ED., VÝHRADA VO SVEDOMÍ CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTION (Bratislava: Ústavu pre vzťahy štátu a cirkví, 2006). (primary author) (with W. Cole Durham, Jr.).
- A Comparative Perspective on Secular Governments and Equality of Religious Organizations, in Alexander Verkhovsky, ed., Пределы светскости. Общественная дискуссия о принципе светскости государства и о путях реализации свободы совести (Moscow, 2005).
- Defining "Religion," in James A. Serritella, et al, eds., Religious Organizations in the United States: A Study of Legal Identity, Religious Freedom and the Law (Durham: Carolina Academic Press, 2005), 3-83 (with W. Cole Durham, Jr.).
- A Comparative Analysis of Religious Association Laws in Post-Communist Europe, in W. Cole Durham, Jr. and Silvio Ferrari, eds., Religious Registration Laws in Post-Communist Europe (Leuven, Belgium: Peeters, 2004) (primary author) (with W. Cole Durham, Jr. and Natalie Peterson).
- Facilitating Freedom of Religion or Belief Through NGOs, in TORE LINDHOLM, ET AL., EDS., FACILITATING FREEDOM OF RELIGION OR BELIEF: A DESKBOOK (Leiden, Netherlands: Martinus Nijhoff, 2004).
- Veroterpimost' kak osnova mezhdunarodnoi stabilnosti i nationalnoi bezopasnosti in Elena N. Melnikova and Mikhail I. Odintsov, eds., Svoboda sovesti v Rossii: istoricheskiy i sovremenniy aspekti (Moscow, Russia: Rossiyskoe Obyedinenie Issledovatelei Religii, 2004).

- The Virginia Founders and the Birth of Religious Liberty, IN JOHN W. WELCH, ED., LECTURES ON RELIGION AND THE FOUNDING OF THE AMERICAN REPUBLIC (Provo, UT: BYU Press, 2003). (primary author) (with W. Cole Durham, Jr.).
- International Norms on Freedom of Religion or Belief and Laws Affecting the Structuring of Religious Organizations, in Religija ir teise pilietinėje visuomenėje (Law and Religion in Civil Society) (Vilnius, Lithuania: Justitia, 2002).
- Case law of the European Court of Human Rights on Freedom of Religion and Belief, in Desyat' Let Po Puti svobody sovesti, (Moscow: Institut religii i prava, 2002).
- Ye Are My Friends, in YE SHALL BEAR RECORD OF ME (Salt Lake City: Deserte Book, 2002).

#### ARTICLES AND REVIEWS

- Neutrality, Public Space, and Discrimination by Religious Organizations in the United States, QUADERNI DI DIRITTO E POLITICA ECCLESIASTICA (2018) (forthcoming).
- Headscarf Bans, Equal Treatment, and Minority Integration into the Workplace, 93 NOTRE DAME L. REV. ONLINE 101 (2018) (forthcoming).
- The Ascendancy of Equality in Multi-Tier Religious Systems, PHIL. OF L. AND GENERAL THEORY OF L. (Ukraine) (2018) (forthcoming)
- International and Comparative Law Protections of Collective Aspects of Religious Freedom, 75 S. Ct. L. Rev. (Canada) (2016).
- Liberalism in Decline: Legislative Trends Limiting Religious Freedom in Russia and Central Asia, 22 Transn. L. & Contemporary Problems 2 (Summer 2013).
- Religion and the European Union: Two European Books and Comparative Reflections from Across the Atlantic, (review essay) 28 JOURNAL OF LAW AND RELIGION 2 (2013).
- Becoming a Fruitful Tree: Christ and the Limits of Legal Thinking, CLARK MEMORANDUM (Winter 2013).
- The Spirit of the Law: *Religious Voices and the Constitution in Modern America*, (book review) 27 JOURNAL OF LAW AND RELIGION 1 (2011-12).
- Plus ça change: Fraud, Religion, and Law in France, BRIDGES (2007).
- Religious Monopolies and the Commodification of Religion, PEPPERDINE L. REV. 32.4 (May 2005): 885-943 (with Brett Scharffs and Shima Baradaran).

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- Religious Liberty—Developments in Eastern Europe and the Former Soviet Union, in CHURCH DEVELOPMENT IN THE DEVELOPING WORLD (Brigham Young University: David M. Kennedy Center for International Studies, 2004).
- A Place of Protest or Peace, LIBERTY (May/June 2003).
- A License to Speak?: The Jehovah's Witnesses' Challenge to Licensing Requirements in Stratton, Liberty (May 2002).
- Church -State Relations in the Czech Republic: Past Turmoil and Present Transformation, 1996 BYU L. Rev. 1019.
- Foreign Arbitration Clauses and Foreign Forum Selection Clauses in Bills of Lading Governed by COGSA: Vimar Seguros y Reaseguros, S.A. v. M/V Sky Reefer, 1996 BYU L. REV. 483.
- Pushkin's Bronze Horseman and Russian Romanticism PISANIE/DIE SCHRIFT (Spring 1994).

#### **OTHER**

- And the Winner is . . . Pluralism? SCOTUSblog Symposium (6 June 2018), available at <a href="http://www.scotusblog.com/2018/06/symposium-and-the-winner-is-pluralism/">http://www.scotusblog.com/2018/06/symposium-and-the-winner-is-pluralism/</a>.
- Will Trump Confront Renewed Religious Repression in Russia?, National Review Online (5 May 2017), available at <a href="http://www.nationalreview.com/article/447363/jehovahs-witnesses-russia-ban-extremist-religious-freedom-trump-administration">http://www.nationalreview.com/article/447363/jehovahs-witnesses-russia-ban-extremist-religious-freedom-trump-administration</a>.
- Russia's New Anti-Missionary Law in Context, Religious Freedom Institute, Cornerstone Blog (30 August 2016), available at <a href="https://www.religiousfreedominstitute.org/cornerstone/2016/8/30/russias-new-anti-missionary-law-in-context">https://www.religiousfreedominstitute.org/cornerstone/2016/8/30/russias-new-anti-missionary-law-in-context</a>.
- Religion and the State in the United States in Tony Brown, Et al., Mastering Russian Through Global Debate (Washington D.C.: Georgetown University Press, 2014).
- Latter-day Saints, Religion and Belief Systems in World History (Berkshire Press, 2012).
- *Religion and Government*, RELIGION AND BELIEF SYSTEMS IN WORLD HISTORY (Berkshire Press, 2012).

- Hosanna-Tabor Evangelical Lutheran Church and School v Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, case note, 1 OXFORD J. OF L. AND RELIGION 526 (September 2012).
- Persecution of Mormons, in THE LITTLE BOOK OF MORMON (Berkshire Press, 2012).
- History, in THE LITTLE BOOK OF MORMON (Berkshire Press, 2012).
- Russian State Policies and Practices on Religion (panelist), in F. Joseph Dresen, ed., Religion in Russian Society: State Policy, Regional Challenges, and Individual Rights, Kennan Institute Occasional Paper Series #298 (Woodrow Wilson Center, 2008).
- Religion and Government, in KAREN CHRISTENSEN ET AL., EDS., ENCYCLOPEDIA OF WORLD HISTORY (New York: Berkshire, 2004) (now in second edition).
- Latter-day Saints, in KAREN CHRISTENSEN ET AL., EDS., ENCYCLOPEDIA OF WORLD HISTORY (New York: Berkshire, 2004) (now in second edition).
- Guest co-editor, International Journal of Not-For-Profit Law, vol. 6, issue 1 (Summer 2003), available online at http://www.icnl.org/journal/vol6iss1/religionfeature.htm.
- *Mormons*, in Catharine Cookson, ed., Encyclopedia of Religious Freedom (New York: Routledge, 2003).

#### Presentations:

- "Religious Freedom: A Cherished Heritage to Defend," *BYU Women's Conference*, Provo, Utah (May 4, 2018) (with Hannah C. Smith).
- "Civil Religion and Religious Freedom in Times of War," *War and Peace and Religion: Religious Freedom during the Russian-Ukrainian Conflict*, sponsored by the Center for the Rule of Law and Religion Studies, Yaroslav the Wise National University, Kharkiv, Ukraine (April 12, 2018).
- "The Power of Women of Faith and Vision," *Women in Leadership*, sponsored by BYU Women in Law and Women in Business associations, Provo, Utah (March 30, 2018).
- "Trinity Western University, Discrimination, and State Neutrality," European Academy of Religion First Annual Conference, Bologna, Italy (March 6, 2018).
- "The Future of Religious Freedom: International Perspectives," *European Academy of Religion First Annual Conference*, Bologna, Italy (March 7, 2018)
- "Freedom of Religious Institutions, Conceptions of the Public Sphere, and Neutrality," *Symposium on Religious Liberty*, sponsored by University of Detroit Mercy School of Law, Detroit, Michigan (Nov 7, 2017).

- "Current Challenges to Religious Freedom," *Interfaith Religious Freedom Conference*, sponsored by J. Reuben Clark Law Society Detroit Chapter and Michigan Catholic Conference, Detroit, Michigan (November 7, 2017).
- "Religious Institutions and Social Justice," *Violence, Social Justice, and Human Rights at the Intersection of Law and Religion,* sponsored by the Council on Religion and Law, United Theological Seminary of the Twin Cities, Minneapolis, Minnesota (October 20, 2017).
- "Beliefs in Family, Family Practices, and Religious Freedom," *Religion and Family*, sponsored by the Marriage and Family Law Research Project at the J. Reuben Clark Law School of Brigham Young University and the Ave Maria Law Review, Ave Maria School of Law (October 12, 2017).
- "A Changing Supreme Court: The Future of Constitutional Interpretation" panel discussion, Supreme Court Review, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University (September 22, 2017).
- "Rewinding the Past and Understanding the Present," *Religion and the Legacy of the Soviet State*, sponsored by Free University of Tbilisi Law School, Tbilisi, Georgia (June 3, 2017).
- "Mormon Postmodern Critiques of the Nature of Law," *Religious Critiques of Law*, sponsored by the Nootbar Institute on Law, Religion, and Ethics, Pepperdine School of Law (March 10, 2017).
- "The Ascendancy of the Equality Paradigm and Tensions in Church-State Relations in Multi-Tier States," *Law, Religion, and the Social Transformations of the 20-21st Centuries*, sponsored by Ivanovo State University Law School, Ivanovo, Russia (October 20, 2016).
- "Headscarves Bans, Equal Treatment, and Minority Integration in the Workplace," *Freedom of Religion or Belief in Situations of Crisis*, sponsored by the University of Tartu School of Law, Tallinn, Estonia (June 18, 2016).
- "The Implications of *Obergefell v. Hodges* for Religious Freedom," *Supreme Court Review*, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University (September 18, 2015).
- "Civility in Religious Freedom Advocacy," *CLE Ethics Symposium*, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University (September 11, 2015).
- "Religious Freedom Advocacy and Civility," *Religious Freedom Annual Review*, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University (July 6, 2015).
- "Freedom of Conscience in a Pluralistic Society," *The Importance of Application of the Freedom of Conscience in a Democratic Society*, sponsored by the Institute for Legal Issues of Religious Freedom and the Konrad Adenauer Foundation, Trnava University, Slovakia (May 21, 2015).

- "Conscientious Objection and a Pluralistic Society," *Challenges and Opportunities: Religious Freedom Development in the Sphere of Law*, sponsored by the Coordinating Counsel for CIS and Baltic Counties on Theoretical and Practical Aspects of Religious Studies, American University of Armenia (May 15, 2015).
- "Religious Freedom and the Functioning of Religious Organizations in the U.S.," *Religion in the Context of Globalization: Legal Aspects of the Functioning of Religious Organizations*, Institute of Religious Studies, Jagellonian University, Krakow, Poland (November 5, 2014).
- "International Protection of Religious Autonomy and Accommodation of Religion in the Workplace," *Religious Freedom Annual Review*, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University (July 9, 2014).
- "Civility in Religious Freedom Advocacy," *Religious Freedom Annual Review*, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University (July 9, 2014).
- "Ethics and the Religious Lawyer," *Religious Freedom Annual Review*, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University (July 8, 2014).
- "Religious Freedom and Sovereignty in Comparative Perspective," A Global Conversation:

  Exploring Interfaith and International Models for the Interaction of Religion and State,
  Fifth Annual Religious Legal Theory Conference, Center for the Study of Law and
  Religion, Emory University (February 25, 2014).
- "Converging Challenges to Religious Freedom," *Religious Freedom Discussion Series*, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University (May 8, 2013).
- "Converging Challenges to Religious Freedom in the Baltics and CIS," *Challenges for Democracy: Religion, Law, and Dialogue in the CIS and Baltics*, Baltic International Academy, Riga, Latvia (April 26, 2013).
- "Is Religion Different? Should We Care?: Contemporary Religious Freedom Controversies and Arguments on the Value of Religion," *Religious Freedom Discussion Series*, J. Reuben Clark Law School, BYU (July 11, 2012).
- "Secular and Religious Challenges to Religious Tolerance," *Year of Russian History: The State-Individual-Faith*, sponsored by the Expert Council under the Commissioner for Human Rights in the Russian Federation, Scientific-Methodological Council for Religious Studies, Znanie Society of Russia, and St. Petersburg Christian University, St. Petersburg, Russia (June 19, 2012).
- "Law and Religion Institutes," *Conference of Religiously Affiliated Law Schools*, sponsored by Touro Law Center, New York (May 3, 2012).

- "Defining 'Religion,'" group of African dignitaries, U.S. Department of State's International Visitor Leadership Program (March 20, 2012).
- "Recent Legislative Trends Affecting Religious Freedom in Eastern Europe and Central Asia," *Religious Freedom Discussion Series*, J. Reuben Clark Law School, BYU (December 1, 2011).
- "Understanding Freedom of Conscience: Recent Developments in the European Court of Human Rights," Freedom of Conscience: International Standards and National Experience (Russian Far East and countries of Asia-Pacific Region), sponsored by the Russian Federation Office of the Human Rights Ombudsman, Blagoveshchensk Division of the Economic Moscow Academy of Entrepreneurship under the direction of the Moscow Government, and Blagoveshchensk State Pedagogical University, Blagoveshchensk, Russia (April 20, 2010).
- "Subjection, Mastery, and Discipleship," *Society for Mormon Philosophy and Theology Annual Meeting*, Utah Valley University (March 26, 2010) (with Jennifer C. Lane).
- "State Funding and Autonomy of Religious Groups," *Financing of Churches and Religious Societies in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, sponsored by Minister of Culture of the Slovak Republic and the Institute for Church-State Relations, Slovakia (October 14, 2009).
- "Religious Exceptionalism," *Religion in Contemporary Society*, Academy of Labor and Social Relations (Moscow, Russia February 2, 2009).
- "Religious Pluralism, Democracy, and International Human Rights Norms," *Religion and Democracy*, sponsored by the Heinrich Böll Foundation (Istanbul, Turkey, November 30, 2008).
- "The Work of Religious Freedom," 2007 Annual Conference for the J. Reuben Clark Law Society, Pepperdine University School of Law, February 16-17, 2007, sponsored by the J. Reuben Clark Law Society, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University.
- "Issues Affecting the International Protection of Religious Freedom," Alpine Utah School District Teacher Training, (January 16, 2007).
- "Historical Perspectives on the 1997 Law and on Religious Freedom in Russia Today," *Religion in a Changing Russia: Problems of Researching Religion and Defense of Freedom of Conscience*, sponsored by Association of Researchers of Religion of Russia, Perm Region Administration (Perm, Russia April 23, 2006).
- "Religious Freedom in Historical and Comparative Perspective," Freedom of Conscience in the Century of Russian Parliamentarism: Historical Lessons, Modern Legal Collisions,

- Essential Tasks of Human Rights Protection, sponsored by the Russian Federation Office of the Human Rights Ombudsman, (St. Petersburg, Russia, April 27, 2006).
- "Russian State Policies and Practices on Religion," *Religion in Russian Society: State Policy, Regional Challenges, and Individual Rights*, Cosponsored by the Henry M. Jackson Foundation and the Kennan Institute, Woodrow Wilson Center (Washington, D.C., June 8, 2006).
- "Religion in Post-Socialist Europe," lecture sponsored by the Institute for Church-State Studies (Bratislava, Slovakia, November 5, 2004).
- "A Comparative Perspective on Secular Governments and Equality of Religious Organizations," *Freedom of Conscience and the Secular State: Problems and Solutions*, sponsored by the Informational-Analytic Center "SOVA" and the NGO "Lawyers for Constitutional Rights and Freedoms," held at the Russian Academy of State Service in the Presidential Administration (Moscow, Russia, November 1, 2004).
- "Hidden Paradoxes in Religious Association Laws in Post-Communist Europe," *Religious Freedom: Transition and Globalization*, sponsored by the Ukrainian State Committee on Religious Affairs, the Ukrainian Association of Researchers of Religion, and the International Religious Liberty Association (Kiev, Ukraine, May 27, 2004).
- "Creating Stable Societies and Avoiding Religious Conflict," *Freedom of Religion and Ensuring Interreligious Understanding in the Countries of Central Asia*, sponsored by Open Society Institute, Central Asian Research Initiative, and the Kyrgyz-Russian Slavic University (Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic, April 27, 2004).
- "Islam and U.S. Society," *Religion and Contemporary Political Processes*, sponsored by the Russian Academy for State Service in the Presidential Administration (Moscow, Russia, February 21, 2004).
- "Tolerance as a Modern Basis for International Peace and National Security," *Religious Freedom and Human Rights as the Pathway to Democracy,* sponsored by the Russian Federation Human Rights Commissioner and the Russian Union of Researchers of Religion (Volgograd, Russia, November 17, 2003).
- "Thomas Jefferson and Freedom of Religion in Early U.S. History," *Open World Program, Leadership Dialogue on Freedom of Religion and Belief,* sponsored by the Center for Russian Leadership in Library of Congress and the International Academy for Freedom of Religion and Belief (Washington, D.C., June 25, 2003).
- "Religious Pluralism and Social Stability," *Freedom of Conscience in Modern Russian Society:*Constitutional Principles, Legislative Guarantees, Legal Assistance, sponsored by the Russian Federation Human Rights Commissioner and the Russian Union of Researchers of Religion (Vladivostok, Russia, May 28, 2003).

- "Media and Religion: Roles and Tensions in a Democratic Society," *Religion and Nationalities*, Russian Academy for State Service in the Presidential Administration (Moscow, Russia, March 1, 2003).
- "European Court of Human Rights Case Law and the Right to Register Religious Organizations," *Training Seminar*, sponsored by the Russian Association of Lawyers for Religious Freedom and the Slavic Legal Center (Moscow, Russia, February 1, 2003).
- "European Union Initiatives in Religious Employment Discrimination and Religious Autonomy," *Combating Discrimination in Russia: Strategies for Lawyers and NGOs*, sponsored by Open Society Initiative (Soros Foundation) (Moscow, Russia, January 30, 2003).
- "Religious Freedom and Early U.S. History," Open World Program, *Leadership Dialogue on Freedom of Religion and Belief*, sponsored by Center for Russian Leadership in Library of Congress and International Academy for Freedom of Religion and Belief (Washington, D.C., June 16, 2002).
- "European Court of Human Rights' Case Law on Freedom of Religion and Belief," *Training Conference for Lawyers in the Sphere of Church-State Relations*, sponsored by the Institute for Religion and Law (Moscow, Russia, December 13, 2001).
- "New Religious Movements in Europe and Freedom of Religion," *Religious Freedom: An Instrument of Peace*, sponsored by the International Religious Liberty Association (Lima, Peru, November 28, 2001).
- "International Approaches to Interreligious Cooperation," *Ecumenism and Problems in Interconfessional Approaches in Ukraine*, sponsored by the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine and Ukrainian Academy of Sciences (Kiev, Ukraine, May 29, 2001).
- "Church-State Relations in the United States," lecture presented at the Taras Shevchenko University, Ukraine (Kiev, Ukraine May 28, 2001).
- "The Role of Education in Promoting Religious Freedom and Tolerance: International Norms and Views," *Religious Freedom: Mass Media, Education and Church as Public Factors of Promotion*, sponsored by the Ukrainian Academy of Sciences and the Ukrainian Association of Religion Scholars (Kiev, Ukraine, May 24-25, 2001).
- "Ye Are my Friends: Gospel Perspectives on Interfaith Friendships," *Women's Conference*, sponsored by Brigham Young University and the Relief Society of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (Provo, Utah, May 4, 2001).
- "Religious Liberty Concerns in Western Europe," testimony presented before U.S. Senate Foreign Relations Committee, European Affairs Subcommittee (Washington, D.C., May 1, 2001).

"Faith-Based Charities and the Establishment Clause," *Nineteenth Annual State and Local Government Conference*, sponsored by the Utah Government and Politics Legal Society (Provo, Utah, March 23, 2001).

# **LANGUAGES:**

Russian (fluent) Czech (fluent) German (reading, conversational speaking level) French (reading)

### **ADDITIONAL SERVICE:**

Executive Committee, Law and Religion Section, American Association of Law Schools International Editorial Board, Studia Religiosa Rossica
Editorial Board, Forum Iuris Europaeum
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Review Board, Critical Issues in Politics and Justice
Reviewer, Journal of Law and Religion; European Politics and Society; and Государство, религия, церковь в России и за рубежом