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Education

- Ph.D., History, University of Cambridge, 1992 (Gonville and Caius College).
- Diploma in Historical Studies, University of Cambridge, 1989.
- J.D., *cum laude*, Brigham Young University, 1984.
- B.A., History, *cum laude*, Brigham Young University, 1980.
- Graduate studies in Classical Islamic History, 1985-86, University of Utah.

Professional Experience

Current Position

International Center for Law and Religion Studies
Associate Director

J. Reuben Clark Law School
Brigham Young University
2005-present

This is a professional faculty position (non-tenure track) with significant advocacy, research, training, and administrative duties in the field of international religious freedom. In addition, the position entails teaching. The center is a global academic leader in the field of comparative religion-state law, collaborating on 15 to 20 international conferences and training seminars a year, authoring numerous publications, and consulting on draft legislation thus far in 55 countries. Duties include:

- Network with diverse academic, government, religious, and community leaders from all parts of the world.
- Lead the center's activities and outreach for Latin America and assist colleagues with activities in other regions.
- Help plan and execute activities of the center, including conferences, international visitors, publications, websites, issue advocacy, and legislative consultations worldwide.
- Lead the center's financial development efforts, including drafting of key materials used in fundraising.
- As part of faculty duties, teach two courses each semester in the History Department.
- Present scholarly and practical research at international academic conferences and training seminars on issues involving law and religion, with a personal research interest in the historical development of religious freedom.
- Review and provide expert comment on proposed laws of various countries affecting not-for-profit organizations and religious associations.

Past Professional Experience

State of Utah
Chief of Staff to Governor Olene S. Walker

Office of the Governor
2003-2004

- Headed the governor's Cabinet, supervised the governor's senior staff, and directed the

administration of the Office of the Governor.

- Discharged the duties equivalent to those of a chief operating officer of the Executive Branch of the state of Utah, a AAA bond-rated state consistently rated in the top two or three best managed state governments in the nation.
- Worked closely with leadership in all branches and agencies of state government.
- Helped in the selection and hiring or appointment of key officials.
- Interacted regularly with community and business leaders on a variety of issues.
- Worked with a number of federal and local elected and appointed officials on behalf of the governor and the state.
- Helped lead the planning and implementation of all initiatives, political and public relations strategy, and policy analysis and decision making.
- Participated fully in the governor's budget process and helped make key budget decisions.

State of Utah

General Counsel to Governor Michael O. Leavitt

Office of the Governor
1997-2003

- Legal counsel to governor
- Key liaison to the Legislature and helped carry the governor's legislative agenda.
- Performed in-house legal duties in the Office of the Governor.
- Helped develop, advocate, and implement policy and budget decisions at the highest level of discussion.
- Advisor to Cabinet members on a variety of policy and legislative issues.
- Member of governor's policy, budgetary, and management decision team.
- Chief liaison to the Judicial Branch, helped evaluate all judicial appointments.
- Coordinated with the Office of the Attorney General on significant state litigation.
- Point person on several key projects, including, among others, opposition to high-level nuclear waste, tax reform, biotech development proposals at University of Utah, and issues relating to public lands.

State of Utah

Deputy Commissioner of Financial Institutions

Department of Financial Institutions
1993-1994

Utah Legislature

Associate General Counsel

Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel
1986-1988; 1992-1993 (three-year hiatus to pursue PhD)

Mosier, Straley & Doxey (small bankruptcy and commercial law firm)

Partner

Salt Lake City
1985-1986

United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Utah

Judicial Clerk for the late Hon. John H. Allen

Salt Lake City
1984-1985

Past Academic Appointments

Brigham Young University

Assistant Professor, Department of History

Provo, Utah
1994-1998

(Continued teaching assignments to present)

University of Utah
Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Liberal Education

Salt Lake City
1994

Board Appointments

Merrill Lynch Bank USA (credit card bank acquired by Bank of America)
Member, Board of Directors

Salt Lake City
2005-2006

LineaGen Research Corporation
Member, Board of Directors

Salt Lake City
2003-2006

(At the time, this was a nonprofit engaged in developing commercial opportunities for biomedical research utilizing the significant genomics databases at the University of Utah. Subsequently became Lineagen, a for-profit engaged in genetic testing and personalized medicine.)

First USA Financial Services, Inc. (credit card bank acquired by Chase)
Member, Board of Directors

Salt Lake City
1995-1997

Community Service

- Member, Independent Executive Branch Ethics Commission, State of Utah, 2016 to present
- Member, Executive Board, Utah National Parks Council, Boy Scouts of America, 2016 to present
- Area Seventy (broad regional leadership responsibility), The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 2011-2016
- Mission President (supervising the service, training, and wellbeing of 500 young volunteers), The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Mexico City, 2006-2009
- Member, District Committee, Timpanogos District, Utah National Parks Council, Boy Scouts of America, 1999-2006
- Member, National Advisory Council, College of Family, Home and Social Sciences, Brigham Young University, 2002-2005

Languages

- Speak, read, and write with near-native proficiency: Spanish
- Speak, read, and write with near-professional proficiency: French, Italian, Portuguese, Catalan
- Other research languages (fair reading ability): Latin, Old Norse, German, and to a more limited extent, Russian and Greek

Publications

Law

- “La educación pública frente a la libertad religiosa” [Public Education and Religious Freedom], V Coloquio del Consorcio Latinoamericano de Libertad Religiosa (Mexico City, 17-19 Nov. 2005).
- «Церква в умовах практичної політики» [Practical Political Dimensions of Church-State Relations], Церква і політика: від президентських виборів 2004 до парламентських виборів 2006 (Kyiv, Ukraine, 17-18 February 2005) pp. 70-72.
- Have assisted with numerous publications and briefs authored by colleagues at the International Center for Law and Religion Studies.

History

- *Majorca before the Conquest: Christian Europe and the Muslim Balearic Islands, 1015-1229.* (Book manuscript completed).
- "Norwegian crusaders and the Balearic islands," *Scandinavian Studies*, 68 (1996) 139-60.
- "Diplomacy, trade and war: Muslim Majorca in international politics, 1159-81," *Journal of Medieval History* 20 (1994) 39-61.
- "Genovesos i Pisans a les illes Balears (1146-1229)," *XIV Congresso di Storia della Corona d'Aragona*, ed. M. G. Meloni and O. Schena (Sassari-Alghero, 19-24 May 1990) vol. 3, pp. 367-81.
- Book review of Constable, Olivia Remie. *Trade and Traders in Muslim Spain: The Commercial Realignment of the Iberian Peninsula, 900-1500*, in *International History Review*, 18 (1996) 131-3.

Research and Professional Interests

- Historical aspects of the emergence of religious tolerance and the development of religious freedom in Western Civilization (historical articles and a monograph survey planned)
- Medieval history and Late Antiquity, with an emphasis on the Mediterranean region and cross-cultural interaction
- Comparative religion-state law
- Legislation and policymaking
- Collaborating on training, assisting in academic career development, and fostering professional academic networks for scholars and government officials working on religion-state issues in many parts of the world

Courses Taught

- Hist. 200, The Historian's Craft
- Hist. 201 and Hist. 201H, World Civilization to 1500
- Hist. 390R, Special Topics: Aspects of the History of Religious Freedom
- Hist. 490, Capstone Research Seminar—emphasis on History of Religious Freedom
- Hist. 305, Mediterranean History
- Hist. 310, The Early Middle Ages
- Latin 121, Latin for Family History
- Hist. 498R, Directed Readings (undergraduate)
- Hist. 598R, Directed Readings (graduate)
- IAS 399R, International Internship
- The Crusades and the Search for "Just War" (special topic taught at University of Utah)
- Intellectual Traditions of the West, ancient, medieval and early modern (University of Utah)

Honors

- Recipient of Silver Beaver Award, Utah National Parks Council, Boy Scouts of America, 2016
- Recipient of Outstanding Eagle Scout Award, National Eagle Scouts Association, 2012

- Named the 2004 Amicus Curiae “Friend of the Court” by the Utah Judicial Council “for outstanding contribution to the improvement of the judicial system,” the highest honor awarded to a non-judge by the Utah state judiciary
- Co-recipient of the World Trade Association of Utah’s 2004 International Award for contribution to international business
- Executive Award of Merit “for extraordinary service,” Utah Department of Public Safety, December 2004
- Student honors (funded Ph.D. at Cambridge):
 - Overseas Research Scholarship, awarded by the Committee of Vice-Chancellors and Principals of the Universities of the United Kingdom
 - Prince Consort and Thirlwall Fund Research Grant, awarded on a highly competitive basis to aid historical research
 - Overseas Student Bursary, awarded by Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge

Professional and Service Associations

- Member, International Consortium for Law and Religion Studies
- Member *extraordinario*, Consorcio Latinoamericano de Libertad Religiosa
- Member, Utah Bar Association
- Member, National Eagle Scouts Association