

MATTHEW A. SELIGMAN

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Stanford Law School *Palo Alto, CA*
Fellow, Center for Constitutional Law July 2022 – Present

Yale Law School *New Haven, CT*
Fellow, Center for Private Law July 2021 – July 2022

Harvard Law School *Cambridge, MA*
Instructor August 2020 – December 2020
Course: Wargaming 2020 (with Prof. Lawrence Lessig)

Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law *New York, New York*
Visiting Assistant Professor of Law June 2018 – May 2020
Courses: Contracts, Corporations

Harvard Law School *Cambridge, MA*
Climenko Fellow and Lecturer on Law July 2016 – June 2018

PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

Stris & Maher LLP *Los Angeles, CA/Washington, D.C.*
Partner June 2023 – Present
Founded election law practice.

Keller Postman LLC *Washington, D.C.*
Counsel November 2021 – November 2022
Focuses on Supreme Court and appellate litigation. Drafted successful petition for certiorari and merits brief in *Mallory v. Norfolk Southern Railway Co.*, No. 21-1168.

Campaign Legal Center *Washington, D.C.*
Special Counsel August 2020 – October 2021
Provided legal analysis and litigation planning on crisis scenarios in the 2020 presidential election. Drafted white paper analyzing potential manipulation threats under Electoral Count Act of 1887. Drafted model legislation of Electoral Count Reform Act.

Public Citizen Litigation Group *Washington, D.C.*
Attorney August 2020 – February 2021
Drafted briefs for Supreme Court and appellate litigation, particularly civil litigation involving the rights of consumers and workers, the separation of powers, and other issues of constitutional law.

Kellogg, Huber, Hansen, Todd, Evans & Figel PLLC *Washington, D.C.*
Associate January 2013 – June 2016
Drafted numerous briefs before the U.S. Supreme Court, including successful petition for certiorari and merits briefs in *Jesinoski v. Countrywide Home Loans*, 574 U.S. 259 (2015), successful merits brief in *Tyson Foods, Inc. v. Bouaphakeo*, 577 U.S. 442 (2016), and merits brief in *RJR Nabisco, Inc. v. The European Community*, 579 U.S. 325 (2016). Drafted briefs before the federal courts of appeals and state supreme courts. Briefed and argued case in D.C. Circuit case involving unresolved constitutional issue as Court-appointed *amicus*. Deposed president of major Wall Street investment bank.

United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit
The Honorable Judge Douglas H. Ginsburg
Law Clerk

Washington, D.C.

August 2011 – October 2012

Stanford Supreme Court Litigation Clinic
Clinic Student

Stanford, California

September 2010 – December 2010

Participated in drafting briefs in cases before the U.S. Supreme Court at the certiorari stage and at the merits stage. Assisted instructors to prepare for oral argument.

Office of the Solicitor General, State of New York
Summer Intern

New York, New York

August 2010 – September 2010

Drafted appellate briefs in state and federal court on behalf of the State of New York, including Second Circuit brief and brief in opposition to certiorari.

Kellogg, Huber, Hansen, Todd, Evans & Figel PLLC
Summer Associate

Washington, D.C.

June 2010 – August 2010

Drafted brief in successful Tenth Circuit appeal of denial of habeas petition brought by state prisoner. Drafted legal memoranda for various trial and appellate matters.

International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia
Legal Intern

The Hague, Netherlands

May 2009 – August 2009

Drafted briefs and memoranda in war-crimes trial for ethnic cleansing and crimes against humanity during the Balkans war.

EDUCATION

Stanford Law School – J.D.

June 2011

- Gerald Gunther Prizes for Outstanding Performance in Administrative Law, Antitrust, Constitutional Law III – First Amendment, Constitutional Litigation, Economic Analysis of Law, and Regulation of the Political Process
- John Hart Ely Prize for Outstanding Performance in Comparative Constitutional Law
- STANFORD JOURNAL OF LAW, BUSINESS, & FINANCE – Editor-in-Chief
- Kirkwood Moot Court Competition – Highest-Scoring Brief
- Research Assistant, Justice Richard Goldstone, Constitutional Court of South Africa
- Public Interest Law Fellow; Fellow, John M. Olin Program in Law and Economics

New York University – Ph.D., Department of Philosophy

May 2013

- Dissertation: *The Moral Galilean Intuition: An Essay on Metaethics, Morals, and Colors*
- Committee: Thomas Nagel (Chair), Derek Parfit, Sharon Street
- Focus: Political Theory, Moral Philosophy, Metaethics

Stanford University – B.A., Philosophy; B.S., Mathematics; M.A., Philosophy

June 2002

BOOK

How to Steal a Presidential Election

February 2024

Yale University Press (Co-authored with Lawrence Lessig)