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Academic Appointments

Georgetown University: Washington, DC

- Assistant Professor: [Communication, Culture & Technology](#) (August 2013-present)
- Assistant Professor: [Science, Technology, & International Affairs](#) (by courtesy)
 - School of Foreign Service
- Affiliate Faculty: [Center on Privacy & Technology](#)
 - Georgetown Law Center

Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB): Brussels, Belgium

- Affiliate Faculty: [Brussels Privacy Hub](#) (visiting 2017)

Harvard University: Cambridge, MA

- [Berkman Center](#) for Internet and Society Fellow (2012 - 2013)

Education

University of Colorado: Boulder, CO

- PhD in [Engineering and Applied Science](#) (2013)
- Interdisciplinary doctoral program in [Technology, Media, and Society](#)
- Graduate Professional Certificate in [Computer and Network Security](#)
- Advisor: [Paul Ohm](#), University of Colorado School of Law and Jill Dupre, ATLAS
- Dissertation: *Digital Oblivion: The Right to be Forgotten in the Internet Age*

University of Illinois School of Law: Champaign, IL

- [J.D.](#) (2008)
- Licensed to practice law in Illinois and Colorado (inactive)

University of Illinois: Champaign, IL

- Bachelors in [Sociology](#) (2004)
- Scholar Athlete, [cheerleading](#)

Publications

Books

[Ctrl+Z: The Right to be Forgotten](#) (NYU Press, 2016).

Legally New: The Politics of Novelty in the Digital Age (in progress).

Journal Articles, Law Reviews, & Conference Proceedings

Another Shot at Technological Exceptionalism: Legal Constructions of Novelty from Brownies to Drones, in progress.

@TayAndYou Around the World: AI Communications Across Techno-Legal Cultures, in progress.

A Right to a Human in the Loop: Legal Constructions of Computer Automation & Personhood from Data Banks to Algorithms, under review.

Ready to Forget: American Attitudes toward the Right to be Forgotten, under review (with Leticia Bode).

Can (and Should) Hello Barbie Keep a Secret?, IEEE International Symposium on Ethics in Engineering, Science, and Technology (with Kevin Meurer, forthcoming 2016).

[*Privacy Without Screens & the Internet of Other People's Things*](#), 51 IDAHO LAW REVIEW 639 (invited, 2015).

[*The Ironies of Automation Law: Tying Policy Knots with Fair Automation Practices Principles*](#), 18:1 VANDERBILT JOURNAL OF ENTERTAINMENT & TECHNOLOGY LAW 77 (2015).

[*Users or Students? Privacy in University MOOCs*](#), SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING ETHICS 1-24 (with Lucas Regner, 2015).

[*Lessons from the Avalanche of Numbers: Big Data in Historical Context*](#), 11:2 I/S: A JOURNAL OF LAW AND POLICY FOR THE INFORMATION SOCIETY 201 (2015).

[*When Robots Lie: A Comparison of Auto-Defamation Law*](#), in Proceedings of the IEEE Workshop on Advanced Robotics and its Social Impacts (ARSO 2014) (with Ben Ambrose).

[*Speaking of Forgetting: Analysis of Possible Non-EU Responses to the Right to be Forgotten and Speech Exception*](#), 38 TELECOMMUNICATIONS POLICY 800 (2014).

[*The Law & the Loop*](#), in Proceedings of the IEEE International Symposium on Ethics in Engineering, Science, and Technology in conjunction with Technology and Society (2014).

[*It's About Time: Privacy, Information Lifecycles, and the Right to be Forgotten*](#), 16 STANFORD TECHNOLOGY LAW REVIEW 369 (2013) (invited abbreviated version published as *A Digital Dark Age and the Right to be Forgotten*, 17:3 Journal of Internet Law 1 (2013)).

[*The Right to be Forgotten Across the Pond*](#), JOURNAL OF INFORMATION POLICY, Vol. 3 (2012), 1-23 (with Jef Ausloos).

[*Seeking Digital Redemption: The Future of Forgiveness in the Internet Age*](#), 29 SANTA CLARA JOURNAL OF COMPUTERS AND HIGH TECHNOLOGY LAW 99 (2012) (with Nicole Friess & Jill Van Matre).

[*You Are What Google Says You Are: The Right to be Forgotten and Information Stewardship*](#), 17 INTERNATIONAL REVIEW OF INFORMATION ETHICS (July 2012).

Book Chapters & Other Publications

Privacy without Screens and the Internet of Other People's Things, in *Contested Privacy Spaces: Privacy in Public Spaces* (forthcoming 2017).

Hacking Analogies in the Regulation of Robotics, in *The Oxford Handbook of Law and Technology* (with Jason Millar, forthcoming 2016).

[*Your New Best Frenemy: Hello Barbie and Privacy Without Screens*](#), 2 *Engaging Science, Technology, and Society* 242-246 (2016).

[*Two Years After the Right to be Forgotten: The Internet Still Works but is it Still Global?*](#), *New Scientist* (May 2016).

[*Forgetting Made \(Too\) Easy*](#), 58 COMMUNICATIONS OF THE ACM 34 (June 2015).

From the Avalanche of Numbers to Big Data: A Comparative Historical Perspective on Data Protection in Transition, in the Digital Enlightenment Foundation Yearbook (invited 2014).

Timing the Right to be Forgotten, in *Reloading Data Protection: The Global Perspective* (with Paulan Korenhof, Jef Ausloos, Ivan Szekely, Giovanni Sartor, & Ronald Leenes, 2014).

Must be 13 to Play: Addressing Children Participating in Networked Games (Foundations of Digital Games 2014 poster, with Kara A. Behnke and John K. Bennett).

Blog: Pla(Y)giarizing For Educational Purposes: www.playgiarizing.com

Conferences Presentations and Invited Talks

Privacy Law Scholars Conference (June 2-3, 2016)

- Another Shot at Technological Exceptionalism: Legal Constructions of Novelty from Brownies to Drones

IEEE International Symposium on Ethics in Engineering, Science, and Technology (IEEE 2016 Vancouver, May 14-16, 2016)

- Can (And Should) Hello Barbie Keep a Secret? (presented by co-author Kevin Meurer) University of Maryland Carey School of Law Bulk Data Collection Symposium (Apr 1, 2016)

- Deleting Data

Internet Law Works in Progress, New York Law School (Mar 5, 2016)

- Comparing Cyberconstitutionalism

Washington College of Law IP Brief Symposium (Feb 18, 2016)

- Who Owns Your Content? (panelist)

University of Maryland Department of Communication Colloquium (Feb 5, 2016)

- When Technology Breaks the Rules: Investigating Law + Tech + Society Issues

State of the Net (Jan 25, 2016)

- The Collapse of Safe Harbor: Assessing the Damage and Exploring Solutions (panelist)

Society for the Social Studies of Science (4S) annual conference (Nov 11-14, 2015)

- The Man/Machine in the Middle: Databases, PCs, Intermediaries, & Personhood

Association for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T) annual meeting (Nov 6-10, 2015)

- The Right to be Forgotten (panel organizer and moderator)

Amsterdam Privacy Week Privacy Law Scholars Conference (Oct 26, 2015)

- The Man/Machine in the Middle

The Internet Governance Forum USA 2015 (July 16, 2015)

- The Politics of Innovation: Can the Internet Cause Too Much Disruption? (panelist)

Third Annual Governance of Emerging Technology, Arizona State University (May 23-26, 2015)

- The Man in the Middle of the Right to be Forgotten

Center for Intellectual Property Law Speaker Series, Whittier Law School (Apr 21-22, 2015)

- The Right to be Forgotten
- The Ironies of Automation Law (faculty workshop)

We Robot (Apr 11, 2015)

- Discussant for “Personal Responsibility in Neuroprosthetics”

Privacy Law in a Data Collection Society, Loyola University Chicago Law (Apr 10, 2015)

- Digital Redemption in the US & EU

Privacy in the Age of Pervasive Surveillance, University of Idaho School of Law (Apr 3, 2015)

- Privacy Without Screens

CITP Speaker Series, Princeton Center for Information Technology Policy (Mar 10, 2015).

- Digital Ephemera & The Right to be Forgotten

Graduate Program in STS, Virginia Tech (Mar 6, 2015)

- International Privacy Policy

Algorithms & Accountability, New York University (Feb 28, 2015)

- Ironies of Automation Law

Should There be a Right to be Forgotten?, George Washington University (Feb 20, 2015)

- Panelist

The US and Europe: Norms Convergence or Divergence?, Eurasia (Feb 11, 2015)

- The Transatlantic Digital Divide: Oblivion in the US & EU

International Law and the Internet: Data Security, Privacy, and Freedom of Speech, University of Minnesota School of Law (Feb 10, 2015)

- Digital Ephemera and Law in the Meantime

Federal Communications Bar Association CLE (Jan 26, 2015)

- Connected Cars and other Web-Connected Devices: How Will Your Data Be Protected? (presenter panelist)

Association of American Law Schools, Defamation and Privacy and Internet and Computer Law Joint Program (Jan 3, 2015)

- Automated Decision-Making (presenter panelist)

When Companies Study Their Customers: The Changing Face of Science, Research, and Ethics Silicon Flatirons Center (Dec 7, 2014)

- The Public and Private Divide (panel moderator)

American Society of International Law (Sept 16, 2014)

- Exploring the Right to be Forgotten (panelist)

IEEE Workshop on Advanced Robotics and its Social Impacts (Sept 12, 2014)

- When Robots Lie: A Comparison of Auto-Defamation Law (with Ben Ambrose)

Privacy Law Scholars Conference (June 5-6, 2014)

- Lessons from the Avalanche of Numbers: Big Data in Historical Context

IEEE International Symposium on Ethics in Engineering, Science, and Technology ([IEEE Ethics 2014](#)) (May 23-24, 2014)

- The Law & The Loop

[We Robot](#) (April 3-5, 2014)

- Regulating the Loop: Ironies of Automation Law

Game of Drones, Albany Law School Symposium (Mar 20, 2014)

- Drone Loops & Drone Laws

George Washington School of Media & Public Affairs (Feb 27, 2014)

- The Right(s) to be Forgotten: Developments in Digital Oblivion

Computer Privacy Data Protection (Jan 22-25, 2014)

- Timing the Right to be Forgotten

[The New Frontiers of Privacy Harms](#)

- Measuring Privacy Harms & Privacy Risks (panel moderator)

Drones & Aerial Robotics Conference ([DARC](#)) (Oct 11-13, 2013)

- Law and Technology of Robotic Negligence (panelist)

[Telecommunications Policy Research Conference](#) (paper presentation, Sept 27-29, 2013)

- Speaking of Forgetting: Analysis of Possible Non-EU Responses to the Right to be Forgotten and Speech Exception

European Commission [Joint Research Centre](#), Workshop “Right to be Forgotten: Ethical Considerations” (paper presentation, Nov 12-13, 2012)

- The Right to be Forgotten and to Erasure: A Crime Against History or a Necessity in an Age of Insecurity?

[Telecommunications Policy Research Conference](#) (paper presentation, Sept 20-22, 2012)

- The Right to be Forgotten Across the Pond

National Association of Attorneys General [Annual Meeting](#) (speaker, June 20, 2012)

- Browser Based Games and COPPA

[Privacy Law Scholar Conference](#) (paper presentation, June 7-8, 2012)

- It's About Time: Privacy, Information Life Cycles, and the Right to be Forgotten

[Information Ethics Roundtable](#) (paper presentation, April 27-28, 2012)

- You Are What Google Says You Are: The Right to be Forgotten and Information Stewardship

SXSW [Interactive 2012](#) (speaker/moderator, March 11-15, 2012)

- [Right to be Forgotten: Forgiveness or Censorship?](#)
- Designated [core conversation](#)

[33rd International Conference of Data Protection and Privacy Commissioners](#) (panelist, Nov 2-3, 2011)

- Is it possible to be forgotten in a digital networked world?

IAPP [Global Privacy Summit](#) (awarded student scholarship, March 9, 2011)

Silicon Flatirons Annual Privacy Conference (rapporteur, Dec 3, 2010)

- [Privacy and the Press: Scoops, Secrets and Ethics in the New Media Landscape](#)

Women in Technology Law Luncheon (panelist, October 26, 2010)

[Library Research Seminar](#), University of Maryland iSchool (presenter, October 6, 2010)

- Secondary Sources in 140 Characters or Less: Blawgs, Twitter, and the Free Access to Law Movement

[American Association of Law Libraries](#) Annual Summit student scholarship, July 11, 2010)

Silicon Flatirons Special Event: Software Patents (rapporteur, April 29, 2010)

- [Patents and Free and Open Source Software](#)

Teaching & Guest Lectures

Governance of Emerging Tech: Algorithms, AI, & Robots (Georgetown University, current)

- Course covers issues and strategies for governing unknown and uncertain tech futures

Technology Policy: Historicizing the New (Georgetown University, current)

- Course challenges and develops notions of newness in policy debates over new technology and focuses on historical and legal research methods.

Comparative International Privacy and Surveillance (Georgetown University, current)

- Course covers privacy and surveillance theory, technology, and law, as well as comparative methodology, in an international context.

Legal Analysis in ICT Law & Policy (Georgetown University, current)

- Course topics include Internet architecture and censorship, anonymity, freedom of expression, data privacy, intellectual property, computer crime, government surveillance.

Governing Algorithms: Data, People & Policy (Georgetown University, Spring 2014)

- Course topics include data and automation in historical context, collection and consent, algorithmic living, quantified knowledge and decisions, and regulatory oversight.

Robots & Society (Georgetown University, Fall 2013)

- Course topics include history and introduction to robotics, artificial intelligence, military use, domestic and commercial drones, legal issues, HRI and cultural acceptance, cyborgs and biohacking, love and sex robots, robot rights.

Graduate Teaching Program Certification (University of Colorado, Spring 2012)

Law and Technology (University of Colorado, Spring 2012)

- Instructor of record: designed course, assigned readings, and managed grades
- Course topics included Internet architecture and censorship, online and mobile privacy, government surveillance and access, intellectual property and remix culture, and science fiction futures.

Guest Lectures

- The Right to be Forgotten (Meaning of Information Technology)
- The Right to be Forgotten (Facebook Privacy Business Course)
- Copyright and employment contracts in digital arts profession (Boulder Digital Works)
- Legal issues in gaming: copyright, patent, First Amendment, and civil liability (Game Design for the XBox)
- Using creative commons licenses and content (Meaning of Information Technology)
- Moral rights (Copyright)

eCSite (Engaging Computer Science in Traditional Education) GK12 Program at Fairview High School (May 2010-May 2012)

- Instruct and lecture in American Government classroom integrating computational thinking and computer science subjects.

Awards, Grants, Fellowships, and Research Experience

- Gerald Mara Faculty Mentorship Award Nominee (2014-2015)
- Robotics Policy Consortium (Microsoft funded collaboration with Yale, University of Washington, and Stanford, 2013-2014)
- Harvard [Berkman Center](#) for Internet and Society Fellow (2012 - 2013)
- [CableLabs](#) Doctoral Fellow (May 2012 – Present)
- [Centre for Information Policy Leadership](#) Policy Advisor (June 2012 – Present)
- Provost University [Library Fellow](#) (Spring 2012)

- NSF Graduate Fellow: Computer Science, University of Colorado (2010 – 2012)
- Research Assistant: [Silicon Flatirons Center](#), University of Colorado (May 2010 – May 2012)
- Research Associate: Natural Resources Law Center, University of Colorado (2008 – 2010)

Professional Service

- Society for Social Studies of Science (4S) member
- Society for the History of Technology (SHOT) member
 - Special Interest Groups: Computers, Information and Society (SIGCIS)
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) member
 - Global Initiative for Ethical Considerations in the Design in Autonomous Systems
 - Privacy/Personal Data group
 - Society on Social Implications of Technology
 - Robotics and Automation Society
- Association of Computing Machinery (USACM) member
 - Law, Privacy, and Security committees
- Association of Information Science & Technology (ASIS&T) member
 - Information Ethics & Policy SIG
- The Takedown Project Affiliated Researcher
- We Robot program committee (2016-present)
- STGlobal Faculty Advisory committee (2014-present)
- International Workshop on Privacy Engineering program committee (2016)

University and Department service:

- Main Campus Executive Faculty committee (Spring 2015-present)
- Integrative Learning Analytics Committee
- Admissions and scholarship review
- Georgetown Alumni College Day (April 26, 2014)
- CCT curriculum committee
- CCT ginger group
- CCT speaker series organizer

Academic Advising

- Patrick Schmitz, German & European Studies SFS thesis advisor (Spring 2016)
- Edward Percarpio, International History SFS honors thesis advisor (Spring 2016)
- J. Stephanie Rose, CCT thesis advisor (Spring 2016)
- Chris Miller, CCT independent study publication (Spring 2016)
- Kevin Meuer, STIA SFS honors thesis advisor (Fall 2015, Spring 2016)
- Scott Eldridge, CCT independent study publication (Spring 2015)
- Minah Yeom, CCT thesis advisor (Spring 2015)
- Andrew Postal, CCT thesis reader (Spring 2015)
- Katie Gach, CCT thesis advisor (Spring 2015)
- David Shen, CCT thesis reader (Spring 2015)
- Lucas Regner, CCT thesis advisor (Spring 2014)
- Sara Anderson, CCT thesis advisor (Spring 2014)
- Samantha Fried, CCT thesis reader (Spring 2014)
- Alexander Miceli, SITA SFS honors thesis advisor (Fall 2013, Spring 2014)

Consulting & Legal Experience

Policy Consultant: [Anonos](#) (2014-present)

Policy Consultant: [Centre for Information Policy Leadership](#) (2012-2013)

- Big Data and Analytics: Seeking Foundations for Effective Privacy Guidance (Feb. 2013).

Summer Associate: [Meyer Capel](#) (2011)

Library Assistant: [National Indian Law Library](#) (2009-2010)

Entertainment Law Clerk: [Entertainment Law Office, P.C.](#) (2007-2008)

Summer 200Law Clerk: [University of Illinois Office of General Counsel](#) (Spring 2007)

Judicial Internship: [Central District of Illinois, Hon. Michael Mihm](#) (Summer 2006)

Grant Recipient: Animal Welfare Trust (Summer 2007)

In the Press

Select *Ctrl+Z* Media Coverage and Reviews

- “Man vs. Machine,” New York Times Review of Book (July 20, 2016).
- To the Best of Our Knowledge (May 27, 2016).
- Letters and Politics, KPFA Berkeley Public Radio (Mar. 30, 2016).
- “Why Won’t Americans Let Bygones be Bygones Online?,” The Atlantic (June 1, 2016).
- “Virtual Memory: The Race to Save the Information Age,” Financial Times (May 19, 2016).
- Review (two parts), Inside Higher Ed (Apr. 6 & 13, 2016).

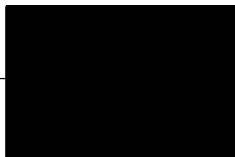
Select General Press Coverage and Interviews

- Mattel’s Wi-Fi-Connected Hello Barbie Doll Shows the Limits of Privacy, Comm Daily Notebook (June 2, 2016).
- “Would You Trust a Robot to Give Your Grandmother Her Meds?,” IEEE Spectrum (June 1, 2016).
- “A Brief History of Robot Law,” The Atlantic (Mar. 17, 2016).
- “Silt,” Digital Human BBC Radio series (May 18, 2015).
- “Why ‘Tweet Deleters’ are Choosing to Erase their Digital Past,” Spark CBC Radio (Mar. 1, 2015).
- “We’re Being Stigmatized by ‘Big Data’ Scores We Don’t Even Know About,” Los Angeles Times (Jan. 15, 2015).
- “Don’t Speak, Memory,” The Boston Globe (Nov. 13, 2014).
- “Google Can Now Delete Your Past – But How Much Should Be Erased?” Popular Science (Sept. 2014).
- “Google’s Child Pornography Tip Should be Commended, Not Lambasted,” The Washington Post (Aug. 15, 2014).
- “Remember to Forget,” New York Times (May 20, 2014).
- “Right to be Forgotten,” Spark CBC Radio (May 18, 2014).
- “Right to be Forgotten vs. Free Speech,” The Washington Post (May 14, 2014).
- “Right to be Forgotten’ is a Foreign Concept in America,” The Wall Street Journal (May 14, 2014).
- “EU Court Tells Google that People Have ‘The Right to be Forgotten,’” NPR (May 13, 2014).
- “Deleting Digital Past,” The Stream Al Jazeera America (Dec. 2, 2013).
- “Longevity, Integration, Disposal,” Spark CBC Radio (Apr 14, 2013).

Committee on Energy and Commerce
U.S. House of Representatives
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