

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Political Science, Columbia University	1972
J.D., School of Law, Columbia University	1965
B.A., Princeton University	1962

PROFESSIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Professor of Law Touro College, Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center	1995-Present
Associate Professor of Law, Touro College, Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center	1990-95
Visiting Associate Professor of Law, Brooklyn Law School	1988-90
Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of Pennsylvania	1981-88
Department of Political Science, The City College of the City University of New York (Lecturer, 1968-70; Instructor, 1970-72; Assistant Professor, 1972-74)	1968-74
Lecturer in Law, Baruch College, City University of New York	Summer 1967

COURSES TAUGHT ABROAD, TOURO SUMMER PROGRAMS

Israel Program – Comparative ‘Church-State’ Law	2011
Germany Program – Comparative Constitutional Law	2004, 2005
India Program – Comparative Supreme Courts: U.S. and India	1999

ADJUNCT TEACHING

Brooklyn Law School	2002
Honors College, Adelphi University	2004

HONORS

Christian R. and Mary F. Lindback Award for Distinguished Teaching [for “teaching that is intellectually demanding, unusually coherent, and permanent in its effect”] at the University of Pennsylvania	1986
Selected as one of three Judicial Fellows in the United States	1976-77

JUDICIAL COMMITTEES AND CONFERENCES

Member, Second Circuit Committee on Historical and Commemorative Events	1995-2000
Member, Judicial Conference of the District of Columbia Circuit	1990-92

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Research Associate to the Administrative Assistant to the Chief Justice of the United States	1976-81
Research and analysis for the Chief Justice of the United States, Warren E. Burger, and the Administrative Assistant to the Chief Justice, Mark W. Cannon	
Special Assistant to the Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost, Columbia University	1974-76
Senior level staff position with specific responsibilities in the areas of long-range university-wide academic planning, student life and governmental relations	

Part-time practice of law, New York City	1967-74
Teaching Assistant, Law Department, Baruch College, City of New York	1966-68
Reader in History, Columbia University	1966-68
Legal Assistant, Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice	Summers 1962-63

BAR ADMISSIONS

Member of the Bars of the State of New York, the District of Columbia, the Supreme Court of the United States, the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia

BAR ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

Association of the Bar of the City of New York; Federal Bar Council; District of Columbia Bar Association

Member, Committee on International Human Rights, Association of the Bar of the City of New York (1997-99)

CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

Supreme Court Briefs

Co-Author with Shari G. Newman amicus curiae brief of Madison County, N.Y., in United Haulers Association, Inc. v. Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Management Authority, 550 U.S. 330 (2007) (constitutionality of flow control ordinances under Dormant Commerce Clause)

Author, Special appendix (“The Role of the Special Prosecutor in American History”) for amicus curiae brief of Whitney North Seymour, Jr. in Morrison v. Olson, 487 U.S. 654 (1988) (constitutionality of Independent Counsel Statute)

Expert Witness

Litigation involving student rights, commercial speech and the First Amendment: Middle District of Pennsylvania, 1982 (See American Future Systems, Inc. v. Pennsylvania State University, 752 F2d 854 (3rd C. 1984); Northern District of New York, 1986 (see Board of Trustees v. Fox, 492 U.S. 469 (1989))

Judicial Administration

Pennsylvania Superior Court Study (Institute of Judicial Administration and Institute of Court Management) (1981-82)

Curriculum and Advising

Department of Political Science, Rosemont College (1988-89)

Historical Exhibitions

Independence National Historical Park and the Friends of Independence National Historical Park (for exhibits commemorating the bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution) (1986) Awarded Best Exhibition Design, 1990 Print Yearbook

Educational Materials

Consultant on teaching guide, "Equal Justice Under Law" for films produced for public television and secondary schools sponsored by the Judicial Conference of the United States (1977)

Consultant to various publishers on texts, casebooks and anthologies

International Visitors

Constitutional Philadelphia Project, International Visitors Center of Philadelphia (1986)

Oral Histories Undertaken

1993-94, 1997, 2006-07, 2010, 2012- Judge Jack B. Weinstein, U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York (36 sessions)

1996-97 Judge Wilfred Feinberg, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (5 sessions)

2003 Judge Ralph Winter, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (1 session on administrative activities as Chief Judge)

EDITORIAL BOARDS

The Papers of John Jay (Columbia University)

Yale Biographical Dictionary of American Law (Yale University Press)

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Leadership On The Federal Bench: The Craft and Activism of Jack Weinstein
(Oxford University Press, 2011)

Establishing Justice in Middle America: A History of the United States
Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit (University of Minnesota
Press, 2007)

Calmly To Poise The Scales of Justice:
A History of The Courts of The District of Columbia Circuit
(Carolina Academic Press, 2001) (undertaken at the request of the court)

Brooklyn Law School: The First Hundred Years (2001)

'Making Sure We Are True To Our Founders':
The Association of the Bar of the City of New York In Its Second Century,
1970-95 (Fordham University Press, 1997)

Encyclopedia of American History

Editor, completely rev. 7th ed. (Harper/Collins, 1996)

6th rev. ed. 1986: associate editor (ed.: R. Morris)

5th (completely) rev. Bic. ed. 1976: associate editor (ed.: R. Morris)

4th rev. ed. 1970: Updatings and revisions editor (ed.: R. Morris)

Six childrens' books published by Lerner Books, 1994-1996:

Great Presidential Decisions: The Washington Way

Great Presidential Decisions: The Jefferson Way

Great Presidential Decisions: The Lincoln Way**

Great Presidential Decisions: The F.D.R. Way**

Great Presidential Decisions: The Truman Way*

Great Presidential Decisions: The Reagan Way**

*Chosen as one of the best books of 1995 in the category of Secondary Social Studies for Grades 7-12 by the Society of School Librarians International (SSLI)

**Chosen as Notable Children's Trade Books in the Field of Social Studies for 1997 by the National Council for the Social Studies and the Children's Book Council

To Administer Justice On Behalf of All The People: The United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York (1992) [undertaken at the request of the court]

A Pocket History of the United States (1986) (co-authors: A. Nevins & H. Commager) (9th rev. ed. 1992) (8th rev. ed. 1986)

American Voices: A History of The United States (co-author with C. Berkin, A. Brinkley, E. Foner, L. Wood and others) (Scott Foresman, 1992)

Federal Justice in the Second Circuit: A History of the United States Courts in New York, Connecticut & Vermont, 1787 to 1987 (1988)
(Official history of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, commissioned by the Court)

Great Presidential Decisions (Richardson, Steirman & Black, rev. 7th ed. 1988)
(co-editor: R.B. Morris)

Journals

Associate Editor, Yearbook, Supreme Court Historical Society (1979-83); Member, Board of Editors (1983-86)

Selected Articles, Chapters or Encyclopedia Entrees

On the Occasion of Leon Lazer's 90th Birthday, 28 Touro L.Rev. 551 (2012)

David Trager: Jurist, 77 Brook.L.Rev. 181 (2011)

Jack B. Weinstein, Yale Biographical Dictionary of American Law
(R.K. Newman, ed. 2009)

In Memoriam: Dr. Deborah C. Hecht, 22 Touro L. Rev. 1 (2006)

'We Cannot Remain Morally Neutral': Howard A. Glickstein, Dean, Touro Law Center, 20 Touro L. Rev. 189 (2004)

Warren Earl Burger in Oxford Companion to the Supreme Court of the United States (K.L. Hall, ed. 1992) [also revised for second edition, 2005]

Hail to the Chief Justice, Constitution, Vol. 4, no. 2 (Spring/Summer 1992) 40

To Be 'Right On Time': Judge Charles E. Clark, The House Un-American Activities Committee and U.S. v. Josephson, (with Kerry A. Brennan) in Judge Charles Edward Clark (P. Petruck, ed. 1991)

Reds, Reverends, Resisters and Robes: The Second Circuit and Free Expression 1917-20 [1987 Second Circuit History Lecture] in Second Circuit Redbook, 1988-89 Supplement (V.C. Alexander, ed.)

The Chase and Waite Court Eras, 1 Encyclopedia of the American Judicial System 90 (Robert J. Janosik, ed. 1987)

William Howard Taft, The First Modern Chief Justice, 1983 Y.B. Sup. Ct. Hist. Soc'y 80

A Lawyer's Lawyer, A Judge's Judge: Justice Potter Stewart and the Fourth Amendment (with Helaine Meresman Barnett and Janis Meresman Goldman), 51 U. Cin. L. Rev. 509 (1982)

Chief Justice Edward Douglas White and President Taft's Court, 1982 Y.B. Sup. Ct. Hist. Soc'y 27

The Changing Federal Courts, in (ed.) Richard M. Pious, "The Power to Govern: Assessing Reform in the United States," 34 Proc. Acad. Pol. Sci. no. 2, 90-103 (1981)

The Era of Melville Weston Fuller, 1981 Y.B. Sup. Ct. Hist. Soc'y 38

Morrison Waite's Court, 1980 Y.B. Sup. Ct. Hist. Soc'y 39

'No Other Herald,' Niles Register and the Supreme Court, 1978 Y.B. Sup. Ct. Hist. Soc'y 50

The American Jewish Judge -- An Appraisal on the Occasion of the Bicentennial, 38 Jewish Soc. Stud. 195 (1976)

Book Review Essays

35 Int'l J. Legal Info. 179 (2007) (reviewing with Shari D. Newman, A. Barak, The Judge in a Democracy (2006))

80 N.D.L. Rev. 535 (2004) (reviewing with Maureen Fitzgerald, A. Tharaldson, Patronage: Histories and Biographies of North Dakota's Federal Judges (2002))

- 5 Const. Commentary 219 (1988) (reviewing D. O'Brien, Storm Center: The Supreme Court in American Politics (1986))
- 50 Tul. L. Rev. 201 (1975) (reviewing L. Snyder, The Dreyfus Case: A Documentary History (1973))
- 19 N.Y.L.F. 702 (1974) (reviewing M. Frankel, Criminal Sentences: Law Without Order (1973))
- 20 UCLA L. Rev. 1426 (1973) (reviewing P. Murphy, The Constitution in Crisis Times, 1918-1969 (1972))
- 1973, Wis. L. Rev. 644 (reviewing J. Casper, The Politics of Civil Liberties (1972))
- 39 Fordham L. Rev. 169 (1970) (reviewing G. Martin, Causes and Conflicts, The Centennial History of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York (1970))

Many book reviews including those published in the Law and History, American Political Science Review, Review of Politics, Journal of Politics, Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, Policy Studies Journal, H-Net Book Review, Arkansas Historical Quarterly

PAPERS, PANELS & PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Panelist, Jack Weinstein at Ninety, Touro Law School, Sept. 27, 2011 (with Kenneth Feinberg and Judge Weinstein)
- Chair and Panelist, The Jurisprudence of Jack Weinstein, New York City Bar Association, Sept. 13, 2011 (with Judge's Denise Cote and Jack Weinstein, Profs. Kate Stith, Linda S. Mullenix, John C. Coffee, Jr.)
- "Warren Burger and Harry Blackmun: From St. Paul Roots to a National Legal Legacy" (Lecture delivered October 2009, Landmark Center, St. Paul)
- Discussion: Focus on Federalism, 16th Annual Supreme Court Review Program; with E. Chemerinsky and M. Schwartz), published in 20 Touro L. Rev. 909 (2005)
- "The Teaching of Constitutional Law Forty Years Later," (presentation before Columbia University School of Law, Class of 1965 40th reunion, 2005)

“Ensuring Fairness and balance in Court History Projects”; (Paper For Roundtable: “Problems of Official Histories,” State and Federal Court History Society, American Association For State and Local History, 2003)

“The Great Adversaries: The Bazelon/Burger Duel Forty Years Later” (paper delivered at 1997 Midwest Political Science Association meeting)

“Before Scalia, Bork, Thomas and Ginsburg: How the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit evolved into the Nation’s Second Most Important Court” (paper delivered Southwestern Social Science Association meeting, 1997)

“Assessing the Influence of a Court of Appeals Judge: The Case of David L. Bazelon” (paper delivered Northeastern Political Science Association meeting, 1996)

Opening Address, “The Supreme Court of the United States”, Conference on “The Role of Constitutional Courts in Politics”, Theodore-Heuss-Akademie, Gummersbach, West Germany (May 1987) reprinted in Verfassungsgerichte Im Vergleich (1988)

Taught short course for political scientists sponsored by the American Political Science Association; “Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About the Supreme Court and Couldn’t Find in Books” at the Supreme Court in conjunction with APSA annual meeting (1979, 1980, 1984, 1986)

“Leadership in the Supreme Court: Warren E. Burger as Chief Justice” (paper delivered 1988 Midwest Political Science Association meeting)

“The American Constitution on its 200th Birthday: How Surprised Would Our Founding Fathers Be,” opening lecture, Wichita State University Lecture series on the Constitution, 1987

Taught (with William F. Harris, III) University of Pennsylvania Alumni College on the Constitution, 1987

Participant, Special plenary session roundtable: “The Rehnquist Court,” (Midwest Political Science Association meeting, 1987)

“Can the Supreme Court Be Led? A Re-evaluation of the Role of Chief Justices,” (paper delivered at 1986 American Political Science Association meeting)

“Leadership in the Supreme Court,” (paper delivered at the Seminar on Legal

History, New York University Law School, 1986)

“Who Reagan Should Appoint to the Supreme Court: A View From the Inside,” G. Graybill Diehm Lecture in Public Affairs, Juniata College, March 1985

“The State Senate Should Let Casey Choose the Judges,” Philadelphia Inquirer, April 14, 1988, p. 23-A (op-ed piece)

“The Southern District of New York: A Bicentennial Retrospective,” Fraunces Tavern Museum, New York City (Nov. 1989)

“The Centennial of the Evarts Act,” 5 D.C. Circuit Update p. 2 (Fall 1991)

Commentator, chairperson, or participant in panels at American Political Science annual meetings (New York, 1981; New York, 1978; Chicago, 1976); Midwest Political Science Association (Cincinnati, 1981); Western Political Science Association (Denver, 1981); Northeastern Political Science Association (Philadelphia, 1985); National Academy of Public Administration (Philadelphia, 1987); National Association of Women Judges (Washington, 1980); “The Creation of the American Constitution” (Philadelphia Center for Early American Studies, 1987); Jewish Law Institute (2004); National Conference of Puerto American Women (Philadelphia, 1987); New York State Political Science Association (Albany, 1977); Conference on Legal History (Williamsburg, 1977); Conference on Future of Law (Antioch Law School, 1977)

Rapporteur, National Conference on the Causes of Popular Dissatisfaction with the Administration of Justice (Pound Conference) (St. Paul, 1976); Participant, Conference on the Office of Chief Justice of the United States, White Burkett Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia (1982); Participant, Regional Hearings, Committee on the Constitutional System (Philadelphia, 1987); Participant, Williamsburg [Brookings sponsored] Conference on Interbranch Relations (1980, 1981)

Guest lectures, papers on seminars include those presented at Columbia University; Smith College (1977, 1981); Mount Holyoke College; University of Miami; SUNY - New Paltz; University of Massachusetts; Brooklyn College; Florida State University; William and Mary Law School; Loyola University School of Law (Chicago); New England School of Law; The 1980 Anglo-American Interchange; Advanced Study Program, Brookings Institution; Conference for Business Executives on Federal Government Operations, Brookings Institution, (1978, 1979, 1980);

University of Pennsylvania Trustees; Leon Jaworski Constitutional
Institute, ABA Special Committee on Youth Education for Citizenship