PUBLICATIONS


Bennett Capers, Cross Dressing and the Criminal, 20 Yale Journal of Law and the Humanities 1 (lead article)


Joanna Grossman, columns in Findlaw’s Writ: Adoption Rights for Gays and Lesbians in Florida: A Trial Court Rules That the State’s Longstanding Ban Must End (Dec. 9, 2008); Why the New Administration Should Focus on Workplace Equality: Some Easy Fixes for Important Problems (Nov. 25, 2008); The Thirtieth Anniversary of the Pregnancy Discrimination Act: Cause for Celebration, but also Reflection on the Progress Yet to be Made (Oct. 28, 2008); And Connecticut Makes Three: The State’s Highest Court Declares Same-Sex Marriage Ban Unconstitutional (Oct. 14, 2008); Why A Federal District Court’s Decision Is a Victory for Transsexuals’ Right Not to Face Employment Discrimination (Sept. 30, 2008); The California Supreme Court Rules That Fertility Doctors Must Make Their Services Available to Lesbians, Despite Religious Objections (Sept. 2, 2008)


Eric Lane, The Genius of America: How the Constitution Saved Our Country, and How It Can Again (Bloomsbury USA, paperback ed.) (with Michael Oreskes)


Andrew Schepard, Editorial Note, 46 Family Court Review 571 (2008)

Andrew Schepard, No Fault Divorce for N.Y.: In the Best Interests of Children, New York Law Journal


PRESENTATIONS

Alafair Burke presented “Rethinking Prosecutorial Disclosure” at the Northeast
People of Color Conference at Boston University on September 13.

**Bennett Capers** presented “Cross Dressing and the Criminal” at the Lavender Law Conference in San Francisco on September 6. On September 13, he presented “Policing, Race, and Place” at the Northeast People of Color Conference at Boston University.

**J. Herbie DiFonzo** presented “Legal Dilemmas in Forensic Evidence” at the Forensic Science Partnership at the University of Rhode Island, Kingston, RI, in September. In November, he chaired a panel and made a presentation on “Family Law Careers for Law Students” at the Association of Family and Conciliation Courts - New York Chapter Annual Conference.

**Eric Freedman** presented “From Stewartstown to Guantanamo and Beyond” to The New Hampshire Supreme Court Historical Society. He also gave a CLE presentation, “Overview of Federal Habeas Corpus,” to Second Circuit law clerks on October 16.

**Leon Friedman** spoke at an event on September 18 discussing Hofstra’s Presidential Conferences in conjunction with the Obama-McCain Presidential debate at Hofstra. On October 1, he spoke at NYU regarding legal problems in book publishing. On October 24, he discussed “Applying for Statutory Attorneys’ Fees, From A to Z” before the New York chapter of the National Employment Lawyers Association. Finally, on October 31, he spoke about attorneys fees before a civil rights program at the Practising Law Institute.

**Elizabeth Glazer** presented “Transitional Discrimination” (co-authored with Zachary Kramer) as an invited symposium participant at the Temple Political & Civil Rights Law Review symposium on Intersections of Lives and the Law: Critical Perspectives on Legal and Social Challenges. She also presented “Volumes of Hate Speech” at West Virginia University College of Law and Cumberland School of Law (Samford University). Finally, she presented “The Awkward Phase of Antidiscrimination Law” (co-authored with Zachary Kramer) at the Third Annual Colloquium on Current Scholarship in Labor and Employment Law, in San Diego.

**John DeWitt Gregory** was a panelist for a program on Teen Animal Cruelty sponsored by the Special Committee on Animal Law of the New York State Bar Association, held at Cardozo Law School on September 15.


**Holning Lau** presented “Tailoring Equal Protection to Address Today’s Democratic Deficit” at the University of Virginia School of Law.


**Theo Liebmann** led a program on Immigration Issues Affecting Juveniles in the Court System for the Appellate Division Second Department Law Guardian Training Program in October.

**Alan Resnick** presented “Critical Vendor Orders in Retail Chapter 11 Cases” and “Formulating and Confirming a Chapter 11 Plan” on September 17 and 18, respectively, during the 34th Annual New York University School of Law Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business Reorganization.

the Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action, in Philadelphia.

**Norman I. Silber** presented a manuscript, “The Life of Judge Bernard S. Meyer,” at New York University’s Legal History Colloquium.

**Barbara Stark** presented “Jam Tomorrow” at the American Society of International Law, Symposium on Redistributive Justice, in November; “The Limits of Redistributive Justice and International Economic Law” at the West Virginia University College of Law, also in November; and “Still Stumbling,” a workshop on work/family balance, at the West Virginia Women’s Law Caucus in October.

**Amy Stein** presented “Election 2008 and Beyond: Teaching Students to Become Lifelong Citizens” on October 24 as part of the 32nd Annual Law, Youth & Citizenship Conference.

**Vern Walker** organized and presented a panel plenary session entitled “Demystifying Scientific Evidence: Categorization and Prediction,” at the Annual Conference and Meeting of the National Association of Administrative Law Judiciary, held in New York City, October 12-14, 2008; he also presented a program entitled “Demystifying Scientific Evidence” for the City of New York Administrative Judicial Institute, on December 10, 2008.

**Broadcast Appearances**

**Barbara Barron** twice appeared on NTN, “the PBS of Japan,” to discuss the U.S. jury system and its role in death penalty cases, and the trial advocacy training program she runs in Japan.

**Joanna Grossman** was interviewed by WNYC on October 10 about the Connecticut ruling in favor of same-sex marriage.

**Julian Ku** appeared on the News 12 television program “Long Island Talks” to discuss the discovery of Ku Klux Klan recruiting posters in the parking lots of two Long Island Railroad stations.

**Quoted In**


**CITATIONS**

Miriam R. Albert: 57 Emory L.J. 1301, 2008 U. Ill. L. Rev. 557


Bennett Capers: 102 Nw. U.L. Rev. 1379


J. Scott Colesanti: 67 Md. L. Rev. 570


Vern Walker: 39 McGeorge L. Rev. 1025, 19 Vill. Envtl. L.J. 1

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**HONORS, APPOINTMENTS, AND OTHER ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

Barbara Barron was featured in Long Island Business News’ legal briefs of the week for her appearance on Japanese television.

John DeWitt Gregory, was reelected to continue serving as Vice Chair of the Center on Economic Justice ad Law, and as a member of the Center’s Nominating, Audit, and Executive Committees.

Katrina Kuh was selected for the Task Force on Global Warming, created by the New York State Bar Association, to address the profound impact climate change is having on the natural environment and ecosystems.


Barbara Stark served as the Visiting John T. Copenhaver Chair of Law at West Virginia College of Law during the fall semester.

**PRO BONO SERVICE**

Barbara Barron delivered the keynote address “Convincing a Jury: Trial Advocacy in the Saiban-In Mixed Jury Trial” during the Japanese Federation of Bar Associations Program in Tokyo, Japan.

Elizabeth Glazer spoke in November as part of Nixon Peabody LLP’s Diversity Day on the rights of gay, lesbian, bisexual, & transgendered persons’ rights in the workplace.

Norman Silber offered an analysis of recent New York State commercial law and UCC decisions at a December 3 luncheon sponsored by the Corporation Banking & Securities Law and Commercial Litigation committees of the Nassau County Bar Association.