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PROFESSOR OF LAW, SEATTLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW,
(2007 – present).

DIRECTOR, CENTER FOR GLOBAL JUSTICE, SEATTLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, (2009-2019).

WALLACE S. FUJIYAMA DISTINGUISHED VISITING PROFESSOR, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SCHOOL OF LAW, (JANUARY 2010).

PROFESSOR OF LAW & ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR RESEARCH & FACULTY DEVELOPMENT, SEATTLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, (2007 – 2009).

PROFESSOR OF LAW & CHAIR, GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES GROUP, THE JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL, CHICAGO, (2004-2007).

PROFESSOR OF LAW, CLEVELAND-MARSHALL COLLEGE OF LAW
(2000-2004). ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (1989-1994); ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (1994-2000).

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, (1981-1982).

FELLOWSHIPS:

LAW & PUBLIC AFFAIRS (LAPA) FELLOW, WOODROW WILSON SCHOOL OF PUBLIC AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, (2011-2012).

VISITING SCHOLAR, HARVARD UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL, (1997-1998).

EDUCATION:

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA COLLEGE OF LAW. SAN FRANCISCO.

Juris Doctor (J.D.), 1987.

Articles Editor, Hastings Int'l & Comparative Law Review.

Member, Hastings Moot Court Board.

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, HONOLULU.

Ph.D. Political Science, 1981.

M.A. Political Science, 1977.

Phi Kappa Phi.

UNIVERSITY OF ISLAMABAD, PAKISTAN.

M.Sc. International Relations, 1975.

UNIVERSITY OF THE PUNJAB, PAKISTAN.

B.A. Political Science & History, 1973.

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES:

Admitted to practice law: California 1987 (currently inactive); Pakistan 1990.

SERVICE TO THE LEGAL ACEDEMY:

Co-President, Society of American Law Teachers (SALT) 2006-2008.

Member, Board of Governors, SALT (2002-present).

Member, Steering Committee and Board of Directors, Latina/o Critical Legal Theory, Inc., [LatCrit] (2003 – present).

Member, Board of Editors, American Journal of Comparative Law (1996-2004).

Member, International Activities Committee, Law & Society Association, 2009-present.

TEACHING AREAS:

Comparative Law, Constitutional Law, Contracts, Globalization and the Law, International Environmental Law, International Business Transactions, International Law, Jurisprudence & Legal Theory, Law & Political Economy, Laws of War & Armed Conflict, Legal History, and Torts.

RESEARCH AREAS:

Comparative Constitutional Law, International Law, Human Rights, Jurisprudence, Legal History, Legal Theory, South Asian Politics and Legal Systems.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

PROFESSOR OF LAW & DIRECTOR, CENTER FOR GLOBAL JUSTICE, SEATTLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW. (2009 – 2019)

Spearheaded the Center for Global Justice, which fosters multidisciplinary research, education, and advocacy about critical international legal issues, including human rights, dispute resolution, governance, development, security, and the environment. The center's primary engagement is with the Global South. The Center actively engages with doctrinal and policy dimensions of key questions that confront international legal regimes through colloquiums, conferences, and publications. The Center also coordinates the School of Law's international and comparative law programs and aims to equip students with the knowledge and experience necessary to be leaders for justice in international legal affairs.

Member, Budget Committee, (2014- 2018).

Member, Executive Committee, (2013-14)

Member, Strategic Planning Committee, (2007-2008), (2013-14)

Member, Dean's Advisory Committee, (2007-2009), (2010-2012).

Member, Dean Search Committee, (2009-2010).

Member, Personnel Review Committee, (2009-2010; 2025-26).

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR RESEARCH & FACULTY DEVELOPMENT, SEATTLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, (2007 – 2009).

Spearheaded efforts to enhance the quality and quantity of scholarship produced by faculty members at the school. Oversaw the progress of the faculty towards fulfillment of requirements for tenure and promotion. Supervised efforts to enhance the scholarly climate of the law school through academic conferences, visits by leading scholars, and presentations of works-in-progress.

PROFESSOR OF LAW & CHAIR, GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES GROUP, THE JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL, CHICAGO, (2004-2007).

Administrative Responsibilities:

Supervisor of the Center for International Business & Trade, LLM program in Global Legal Studies and Summer Programs in China, Europe and Latin America.

Chair, Faculty Affairs Committee (2005-06).
Member, Selection and Appointments Committee (2004-05).
Member, Faculty Affairs Committee (2004-05)

VISITING PROFESSOR, SEATTLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW (2003-04).

Offered courses in Contracts, Public International Law and Race & the Law.
Organized a SALT Teaching Conference entitled "Class in the Classroom," (October 2004), at UNLV Law School, Las Vegas.

PROFESSOR OF LAW, CLEVELAND-MARSHALL COLLEGE OF LAW
(2000-2004). ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (1989-1994); ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (1994-2000).

Wilson G. Stapleton Faculty Excellence Award by Cleveland-Marshall Law Alumni Association, (May 2001).

Faculty Award for Excellence in Legal Writing, (1995-96).
Organized a conference entitled "City & the Citizen," in (May 2003).
Organized a conference entitled "Law's Grounds," in (April 2000).
Organized a conference entitled "Re-Orienting Law & Sexuality," in (October 1999).

Edited symposium issue of Cleveland State Law Review entitled "City and the Citizen: Operations of Power, Strategies of Resistance," Vol. 52 (2005).
Edited symposium issue of Cleveland State Law Review entitled, "Re-Orienting Law and Sexuality," Vol. 48 (2000).

Member, Academic Steering Committee of the University Senate (2000-2002).
Law College Representative to the University Senate (1994-1996; 1998-2002).
Dean's Faculty Advisory Committee (1994-1996, 1998-2002).
Faculty Appointments Committee (1994-1996; 1998-99; Chair 1999-2000; 2000-2001).
Faculty Advisor, Cleveland State Law Review (1991-2003).
Strategic Planning Committee (1996-97).
Teaching Committee (1996-97; Chair 2000-2001).
Graduate Studies Committee (1996-97; 2000-2003).
Baker-Hostetler Visiting Chair Committee (1998-2001).

ASSOCIATE ATTORNEY, PETTIT & MARTIN, SAN FRANCISCO, (1987-89).

Worked in the firm's litigation department. Work included legal research, pleadings, discovery, depositions, brief-writing, motion practice and arbitrations. Cases included securities regulation, reinsurance and contract disputes and construction litigation.

CERTIFIED LAW STUDENT INTERN, LOS ANGELES DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, (SUMMER 1986).

Conducted preliminary hearings, bench trials and jury trials under the supervision of an attorney as part of California Bar's Certified Law Student Program.

Legal Intern, California Attorney General's Office, San Francisco, (1985-86).

Conducted legal research and assisted in drafting motions and briefs.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, (1981-1982).

Offered courses in Political Theory and Comparative Politics. Conducted research in areas of international development and information flows.

LECTURER OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, UNIVERSITY OF ISLAMABAD, 1975-81.

Offered courses in Theories of International Relations and Southeast Asian Politics.

PUBLICATIONS:

Caught Between the Lines: Colonial Borders and Postcolonial Insecurities, in HANDBOOK ON SPACE, PLACE AND LAW Robyn Bartel and Jennifer Carter eds., (Edward Elgar: forthcoming).

Decolonizing Debt, 24 SEATTLE J. OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ____ (forthcoming)

Neoliberalism, Debt & Discipline, in POLITICAL ECONOMY AND LAW: A HANDBOOK OF CONTEMPORARY RESEARCH, THEORY AND PRACTICE 2nd ed., John Haskell and Ugo Mattei eds. (Edward Elgar: 2025).

Becoming LatCrit, 17 U. MIAMI RACE AND SOCIAL JUSTICE L. REV. 342 (2018).

Storytelling and Theorizing Resistance, 16 SEATTLE J. OF SOCIAL JUSTICE 607 (2018).

Wanted Dead & Alive: Constitutionalism, Human Rights and the Colonial Exception, 33 WISCONSIN INTERNATIONAL L. J. 532 (2016).

Neoliberalism, Debt & Discipline, in POLITICAL ECONOMY AND LAW: A HANDBOOK OF CONTEMPORARY RESEARCH, THEORY AND PRACTICE, John Haskell and Ugo Mattei eds. (Edward Elgar: 2015).

Precarious Existence and Capitalism: A Permanent State of Exception, 44 SOUTHWESTERN LAW REVIEW (2015)

LatCrit Praxis @ XX: Toward Equal Justice in Law, Education, and Society, 90 CHICAGO-KENT L. REV. 361 (2015);(co-authors Athena Mutua & Francisco Valdes).

Looking Back, Moving Forward: Latin Roots of the Modern Global and Global Orientation of LatCrit, 12 SEATTLE J. SOCIAL JUSTICE 699 (2014).

Cheaper Than a Slave: Indentured Labor, Colonialism and Capitalism, 34 WHITTIER L. REV. 215 (2013).

Debt & Discipline: Neoliberal Political Economy and the Working Classes, 104 KENTUCKY L. J. 1 (2013).

Debt and Discipline, 64 AMERICAN QUARTERLY 469 (2012).

Is it Greek or déjà vu all over again? Neoliberalism, and Winners and Losers of International Debt Crises, 42 LOYOLA CHICAGO L. J. 629 (2011).

PIGGS, ITraxx Sov, Neoliberalism, and Unshackled Finance Capital, 1 GLOBAL BUSINESS L. REV. 108 (2011).

Colonial Cartographies, Postcolonial Borders, and Enduring Failures of International Law: The Unending War along the Afghanistan-Pakistan Frontier, 20 BROOKLYN J. INT'L L. 1 (2010).

"Surplus Humanity" and Margins of Law: Slums, Slumdogs, and Accumulation by Dispossession, 14 CHAPMAN L. REV. 1 (2010).

Geography of Law & the Law of Geography: A Postcolonial Mapping, 3 WASH. U. JUR. REV, 64 (2010).

Slums, Slumdogs, and Resistance, 18 AM. U. J. GENDER, SOCIAL POLICY & THE LAW 685 (2010).

Geography and International Law: A Postcolonial Mapping, 5 SANTA CLARA J. OF INT'L L. 525 (2007).

Postcoloniality and Mythologies of Civil(ized) Society, 26 U.C.L.A. CHICANO-LATINO L. REV. 41 (2006).

Limit Horizons & Critique: Seductions and Perils of the Nation, 50 VILLANOVA L. REV. 939 (2005).

Citizen and Citizenship Within and Beyond the Nation, 52 CLEVELAND STATE L. REV. 51 (2005).

Treason, OXFORD COMPANION TO AMERICAN LAW 140 (2002).

Genealogy of a State-Engineered "Model Minority": "Not Quite/Not White" South Asian Americans, 78 DENVER L. REV. 657 (2001).

Foreword: Re-Orienting Law and Sexuality, 48 CLEVELAND STATE L. REV. 1 (2000) [co-authored with Ratna Kapur].

Hegemony, Coercion and Teeth Gritting Harmony: A Commentary on Law, Power and Culture in Franco's Spain 33 MICHIGAN J. OF LAW REFORM 411/ 5 MICHIGAN J. OF RACE AND LAW 995 (2000) [co-authored with Ratna Kapur].

Race, Reason and Representation, 33 U. DAVIS L. REV. 1581 (2000).

Colonial Migrations and Post-Colonial Identities in South Asia, 23 SOUTH ASIA: J. OF SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES 87 (2000).

Colonialism and Modern Constructions of Race: A Preliminary Inquiry, 53 U. MIAMI L. REV. 1219 (1999).

Postcolonial Imaginaries: Alternative Development or Alternatives to Development?, 9 TRANSNATIONAL L. & CONTEMPORARY PROBLEMS 25 (1999).

Book Review (The Challenge in Kashmir: Democracy, Self-Determination and a Just Peace), 21 SOUTH ASIA: J. OF SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES 311 (1998).

International Law and the "Race-ed" Colonial Encounter, 1997 AMERICAN SOCIETY OF INT'L LAW PROCEEDINGS 413 (1997).

Migration, Identity & the Colonial Encounter, 76 OREGON L. REV. 633 (1997).

Freedom of Religion & Religious Minorities in Pakistan: A Study of Judicial Practice, 19 FORDHAM INT'L L. J. 40 (1995).

Protecting Religious Minorities: The Courts' Abdication, in PAKISTAN: 1995 (Charles H. Kennedy and Rasul B. Rais eds. Boulder: Westview 1995).

Jurisprudence of Successful Treason: Coup d'Etat & Common Law, 27 CORNELL INT'L L. J. 49 (1994)

Praetorianism & Common Law in Post-Colonial Settings: Judicial Responses to Constitutional Breakdowns in Pakistan, 1993 (4) UTAH L. REV. 1225 (1993).

Nature & Role of the State in Peripheral Societies, 2:2 OCCASIONAL PAPERS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE 162 (1982).

Epistemology of Social Inquiry: Towards a Critique of Logical Positivism/Empiricism, 4:2 SCRUTINY 29 (1981).

"Politics of the New International Information Order," Ph.D. dissertation, Department of Political Science, University of Hawaii, (1981).

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

Law & Society – the Next 30 Years, Presented at the first plenary session of LatCrit Conference, October 2025, Denver.

Keynote address, *The Americas, the Long 16th Century, and Assemblage of Modernity*, at South-North Exchange (SNX), in Bogota, Columbia, July 2024. (via Zoom).

Judicialization of Politics: The Case of Pakistan, presented (via Zoom) at 52nd Annual South Asia Conference (Madison, October 2024).

The Supreme Court as the Political Ring-Master: The Case of Pakistan, presented at South Asia and Law Section at the AALS Annual Meeting, (San Francisco, January 2025).

Hybrid Regimes and Constitutionalism: The Case of Pakistan, presented at South Asia and Law Section at the AALS Annual Meeting, (Washington, D.C., January 2024).

Colonizing the Future: Neoliberal Financialization and Debt, presented at ClassCrits XIV Conference, (Los Angeles, February 2024).

Debt and the Death of Democracy, presented (virtually) at LatCrit Biennial Conference, (October 2023).

Justiciability of Constitutional Amendments: Divergent Paths in South Asia, presented (virtually) at the 51st Annual South Asia Conference (Madison, October 2023).

Colonialism and Race: The Case of "Criminal Tribes" in Colonial India, presented (virtually) at the Annual Meeting on Law & Society (San Juan, June 2023).

Finance as Public Utility, presented at Law & Society Association's Annual Conference (Chicago, May 2021)

Sociolegal Dynamics of the War on Terror and the New Cold War, LatCrit 2021 Conference (Denver October 2021).

Roundtable: CRT Panic, LatCrit 2021 Conference (Denver, October 2021)

“Critical Approaches to Political Economy,” at Annual Meeting of the Society of Socio-Economics, (New Orleans, Jan. 2019).

Teaching to the New Generation of Law Students, Roundtable Participant, SALT Teaching Conference, Penn State, Oct. 2018.

“Race, Global Labor Markets and Capitalism” at Workshop on International Law and Racial Justice, University of Colorado School of Law, (August 2018).

Neoliberalism and the Global Turn to the Right – Biennial LatCrit Conference (Orlando, September 2017).

Capitalism and the Death of Democracy – ClassCrits IX, (Chicago, October 2016).

Colonial Cartographies and Postcolonial Borders – Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (Chicago April 2015).

Wanted Dead & Alive: Constitutionalism, Human Rights and the Colonial Exception – University of Wisconsin, (March 2015). Invited presentation.

Int’l Law and Bandung 1955 – a 50-year retrospective – Harvard University, (June 2014).

Neoliberalism, Financialization and the Unending Debt Crises, presented at Law & Society Association Annual Meeting (Boston, June 2013).

Modern Law & the Colonial Exception, presented Institute of Global Law and Policy (IGLP) Annual Conference (Boston, June 2013).

Plenary presentation on the Student Debt Crisis at the LatCrit Conference (Chicago, Oct. 2013).

Introduction to LatCrit Theory and Praxis at Salt/LatCrit Junior Faculty Development Workshop (Chicago, Oct. 2013).

Who Gives a Damn: Hydro Electric Projects and the Myth of the Green Revolution, presented at Law & Society Association West Coast Meeting (Seattle, Oct. 2013)

Towards Collective Default, presented at ClassCrit V (Los Angeles, Nov. 2013).

Finance as Public Utility, presented at Annual Meeting of the Association of Socio-Economics (New York, Jan. 2014).

Critical Race Theory: Breaking Free of American Exceptionalism, presented at Chicao-Kent LatCrit at 20 Symposium Workshop (Miami, March 2014).

"Globalization from Below: Global Networks of Social Movements," (January 8, 2013), Comparative Law Workshop, LatCrit, New Orleans.

"Banking as Utility: Towards a New System of Credit," January 5, 2013, Annual Meeting of the Society of Socio-Economics, New Orleans.

"Post-Keynesian Fixes for the Crisis of Neoliberalism," January 6, 2013, Annual Meeting of the Socio-Economics Annual Meeting, New Orleans.

"Shadows of Colonialism and Constitutional Law in South Asia," (January 7, 2013) AALS Annual Meeting, New Orleans.

"Neoliberal Financialization and the Working Classes," (October 4, 2012), SALT Teaching Conference, Baltimore.

"Geo-politics and Constitutional Law," (July 27, 2012), Comparative Law Workshop, UCLA, Los Angeles.

"Geographies of Law and Postcolonial Theory," June 8, 2012, at the Annual Meeting of Law and Society Association, Honolulu.

"Geopolitics and Constitutional Law," April 20, 2012, at Geography and Law Workshop at Buffalo Law School, Buffalo. (invited presentation)

"Wanted Dead and Alive: Universality of Modern Law and the Enduring Colonial Exception," March 22, 2012, Whittier Law School, Costa Mesa. (invited keynote address at Expanding Critical Spaces Conference).

"Demand-Deficit and Debt under Neoliberal Financialization," March 21, 2012, Chapman University Law School. (invited presentation).

"From Keynesian Compromise to Neoliberalism: Transformed Context of Civil and Economic Rights," January 6, 2012, AALS Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.

"Debt, Discipline & the Dispossessed," January 5, 2012, Annual Meeting of Socio-Economists,

Washington, D.C.

"Colonial Cartographies and Post-Colonial Insecurities," November 24, South Asia Faculty Seminar, Columbia University, New York. (invited presentation)

"Alternative Development or Alternatives to Development?" November 11, 2011, Rethinking Development Conference, Cornell University, Ithaca. (invited keynote address)

"Third World Approaches to Int'l Law: A Reappraisal," October 22, 2011, TWAIL Conference, University of Oregon Law School, Eugene.

"Rule of Law: Prospects and Challenges in Pakistan," October 14, 2011, Kennedy School, Harvard University, Cambridge.

"Neoliberalism, Financial Capital, and the Working Classes," October 7, 2011, XVI LatCrit Conference, San Diego.

"Constitutional Dilemmas of Pakistan," September 23, 2011, Dept. of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore.

"Neoliberalism and the Working Classes," September 17, 2011, IV ClassCrit Conference, American University, Washington, D.C.

"Race, Colonialism, and the Geography of Law," Law & Society Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, June 4, 2011.

"Debt & Discipline: Neoliberal Financialization, Household Debt, and the Working Classes," Touro Law School, April 13, 2011. By invitation.

"Wanted Dead and Alive: Colonialism and Race in Contemporary International Law," scheduled for, Critical Race Studies Annual Conference, UCLA, Los Angeles, April 2, 2011.

"Neoliberalism, the Great Recession, and Public Interest Lawyering," SALT Public Interest Retreat, Uni. of San Francisco School of Law, San Francisco, March 26, 2011.

"Inequality and International Law," Law, Culture and Humanities Annual Conference, Las Vegas, March 12, 2011.

"Debt & Discipline: Neoliberal Financialization, Household Debt, and the Working Classes," Law & Society Association West Coast Retreat, Southwestern Law School, Los Angeles, February 12, 2011.

"The Lawyers' Movement in Pakistan," AALS Annual Meeting, San Francisco, January 6, 2011.

"Class in Critical Legal Theory," AALS Annual Meeting, San Francisco, January 5, 2011.

"Teaching International Law From the Left," December 9, 2010, SALT Teaching Conference, Honolulu.

"Imperial Tithe?: Capital Account Deficit of the United States and the Global Financial Order," LatCrit Annual Conference, Denver, October 2010.

"Neoliberalism and the Global Financial Order," Third National People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference, Newark, September 2010.

"Colonial Cartographies and Post-Colonial Borders: Foundational Sins of Modern International Law," Law & Society Association Annual meeting, Chicago, May 2010.

"Sovereign Debt Crisis and International Finance," Loyola Law School, Chicago, April 2010.

"Neoliberalism and Global Financial System," Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, March 2010. [Invited Presentation]

"Neoliberalism, Global Financial Meltdown, and Sovereign Debt Crisis," Oregon University School of Law, March 2010. [Invited Presentation].

"The Global Constitutional Code Red: The State of Permanent Emergency," University of Hawaii School of Law, January, 2010. [Invited Presentation]

"Socio-Economics and Critical Theories of the Law," AALS Annual Conference, January, 2010. [Invited Presentation]

"Constitutional Crisis and the Lawyers' Movement in Pakistan," South Asia Conference, University of Wisconsin, Madison, October, 2009.

"Kelsen, Courts, and Constitutions," IALS Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., September 2009. [Invited Presentation]

"The Justice Mission of a Jesuit University: Lessons of History," Keynote Address, Student Convocation, Seattle University, September 2009. [Invited Presentation]

"Law & Geography: Lessons of Empire," Law & Society Association Annual Meeting, Denver, May, 2009.

"Solomon Litigation: The Back Story," AALS Annual Meeting, San Diego, January 7, 2009.

[Invited Presentation]

"Lawyers and the Rule of Law: Lessons of Pakistan's Constitutional Crisis," Keynote Address, State of Washington Attorney General's Annual Conference, Tacoma, September 17, 2008. [Invited Presentation]

"Rule of Law: Challenges and Responsibility of Lawyers," Keynote Address, Student Orientation, University of Wyoming School of Law, August 22, 2008. [Invited Presentation]

"Law & Global Minorities," Plenary Address at the Annual Meeting of the Cultural Studies Association (USA), at New York University, May 23, 2008. [Invited presentation]

"Global Labor Markets and Geographies of Resistance: Lessons of the Ghadar Movement Along I-5." Ethnic Studies Department Colloquium, UC San Diego, May 14, 2008. [Invited Presentation]

"Right of Self-Determination at the Crossroad of International Law and Constitutional Law." Villanova Law School, April 23, 2008. [Invited presentation]

"Rules & Exceptions: Lessons of Pakistan's Constitutional Crisis." Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, Cleveland, April 10, 2008. [Invited presentation]

"Teaching for Social Change Goes Global." Presented at SALT Teaching Conference, Berkeley, March 15, 2008.

"The Language and Ethics of Globalization." Plenary presentation at the Globalization & Justice Conference, Seattle University, February 21, 2008.

"Changing Patterns of Judicial Review in Pakistan." Presented at Workshop of South Asian Law, University of Wisconsin, Madison, October 22, 2007. [Invited presentation]

"Genealogy and Principles of LatCrit Theory." Presented at the SALT/LatCrit Junior Faculty Development Workshop, Miami, October 11, 2007.

"Liberal Constitutionalism and the Colonial Question." Presented at DePaul Law School, Chicago, April 12, 2007. [Invited presentation]

"Geography and International Law: A Postcolonial Mapping," presented at the Annual Conference on Law, Culture and Humanities, Washington, D.C., March 2007.

"International Law & Sub-Nationalism: The Case of Baluchistan," presented at Workshop on Sub-Nationalism at University of Oregon School of Law, February 2007.

"International Law & Geography: Cross-Cutting Issues of Sovereignty, Identity and Equity," presented at the Evolving World of International Law Conference, New York, October 2006.

"Genealogy and Approaches of Latina/o Critical Legal Theory," presented at the SALT/ LatCrit Junior Faculty Development Workshop, Las Vegas, October 2006.

"Carl Schmitt and the Question of Coup d'Etat," presented at Workshop on The Politics of Courts in Authoritarian Regimes, University of Pennsylvania law School, August, 2006.

"Evolution and Foundational Principles of LatCrit," presented at SALT/ LatCrit Junior Faculty Development Workshop, San Juan, October 2005.

"Norm & the Exception: Liberal Constitutionalism and Empire," presented at the Law & Society Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, June 2005.

"Social Justice and Legal Education in the United States: A History," presented at Seattle University Law School, April 2005.

"Grutter and After," presented at the Midwest People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference, Notre Dame, March 2005.

"Social Justice and American Legal Education," presented at Seattle University Law School, Seattle, March 2005.

"Emergencies & the Rule of Exception," presented at the Law & Society Conference, Chicago, June 2004.

"Colonialism as an Exception to Liberal Constitutionalism," presented at the "Sovereignty & Right to Death" conference, Cleveland, October 2003.

"Rise and Fall of a State-Engineered 'Model Minority'," presented at the Law & Society Annual Meeting, Pittsburg, June 2003.

"International Law and Delusions of Colonial Rule: The Case of Diego Garcia," presented at the Seventh Annual LatCrit Conference, University of Oregon, Eugene, May 2002.

"What Subaltern Studies Can Teach Critical Legal Studies," presented at Sixth Annual LatCrit Conference, University of Florida, Gainesville, May 2001.

"Colonial Land Regimes and Construction of Race, Class and Nation: The Case of Punjab 1857-1947," presented at Conference on Land Regimes, Harvard University Law School, Cambridge, March 2001.

"Comparative Law in the Shadow of Globalization: The South Asian Experience," presented at 29th Annual Conference on South Asia, University of Wisconsin, Madison, October 2000.

"Colonialism and Modern Constructions of Race," presented at Law and Society Association's Summer Institute, University of Buffalo School of Law, July 2000.

"What South Asia Can Teach Critical Legal Studies," presented at the joint annual meeting of Asian American Law Teachers and Western Law Teachers of Color, Honolulu, June 2000.

"South Asian Muslims in the United States: Prospects and Perils," presented at Muslims in America Conference, University of California, Irvine, May 2000.

"Implementing Human Rights: A New White Man's Burden?," presented at Effective Strategies for Protecting Human Rights Conference, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, Cleveland, April 2000.

"Law's Grounds: The Post-Colonial Search," presented at Law's Grounds Conference at Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, Cleveland, April 2000.

"Civil Society and Postcoloniality," presented at Cal-Western School of Law, San Diego, March 2000.

"South Asian's in the United States: Law, Identity, Theory," presented at the First Workshop of Asian American Law Teachers at San Francisco, July 1999.

"Postcolonial Approaches to International Law," Lat-Crit IV, Lake Tahoe, April 1999.

"Colonialism and Modern Constructions of Race," Annual Meeting American Society of International Law, Washington, D.C., April 1999.

Colonial Form and the Post-Colonial Imaginary: Locating Law in Sites of "Power" and "Civil Society," Conference on State & Civil Society in Pakistan, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., November 1998.

"Race, Nation & the Law: Lessons from South Asia," Annual Lat-Crit Conference, University of Miami Law School, May 1998.

"Construction of State, Nation and Citizen in Pakistan: Role of the Judiciary," presented at Judicial Activism in South Asia Conference at Georgetown University Law Center, March 1998.

"The Search for Foreign Law Students: Desires and Anxieties of American Law Schools," presented at the AALS Annual Meeting at San Francisco, January 1998.

"Post-Colonial Imaginaries: Alternative Development or Alternatives to Development?," presented at Critical Race Theory Conference at Yale University, November 1997.

"Judicial Construction of the State, the Nation, and the Citizen: The Case of Pakistan," presented

at the 26th Annual Conference on South Asia at University of Wisconsin, Madison, October 1997.

"International Law and the Post-Colonial State," presented at New Approaches to International Law Conference at Harvard University, May 1997.

"Culture, Personality and State-Society Dynamics in Pakistan: Prospects of Realignment," presented at the 25th Annual Conference on South Asia at University of Wisconsin, Madison, October 1996.

"Cultural Studies & Comparative Law," presented at New Approaches to Comparative Law Symposium of Utah Law Review at Salt Lake City, October 1996

"Calculus of Power & Elusive Federalism in Post-Colonial Societies," presented at the 24th Annual South Asia Conference at University of Wisconsin, Madison, October 1995.

"The Second Coming of Law & Development," presented at the Culture, the Sovereign, and the Market Conference at the University of Connecticut, April 1995.

"Essentialism, Contingency and Islamic Law," presented at the Western Law Teachers of Color Conference at San Diego, March 1995.

"Judicial Protection of Human Rights," presented at the Law & Society Conference organized by the American Institute of Pakistan Studies at Myrtle Beach, March 1995.

"Religious Minorities & Freedom of Religion: The Experience of Pakistan," presented at Freedom of Religion Conference, Emory University, Atlanta, October 1994.

"Rethinking Democracy in Pakistan: Constitutional Implications," Presented at the 23rd Annual Conference on South Asia, University of Wisconsin, Madison, November 5, 1994.

"Religious Minorities in Pakistan: Identity, Rights & the Law," Presented at Conference on Pakistan, Columbia University, New York, March 1994.

"Judicial Review in Praetorian States," Presented at the Fourth Annual Meeting of Midwest People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference, Cleveland, 1993.

"The Right of Self-Determination in International Law: A Right of Peoples or States?" Presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Third World Legal Studies Association, San Francisco, 1993.

"Roots of Authoritarianism in Post-Colonial Societies," Presented at the South Asian Center, University of California, Berkeley, 1984.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

American Bar Association.
American Political Science Association.
ClassCrits.
LatCrit, Inc.
Law & Society Association.
Society of American Law Teachers (SALT).

CIVIC ASSOCIATION:

Member, Board of Directors, TASVEER, Seattle (2021 to present).
Member, Cultural Advisory Committee, ArtsWest Theater, Seattle (2017-present).
Member, Board of Trustees, Cleveland Public Theater (2000-03)
Member, Board of Directors, Cleveland Filmworks (1999 to present)
Member, Advisory Board, South Asian Network, Los Angeles (1997- present)

REFERENCES: