



Research Centers Newsletter, Summer 2019



Event Spotlight: Administrative Law New Scholarship Roundtable, June 10-11, 2019



The University of Wisconsin Law School will host the 4th annual **Administrative Law New Scholarship Roundtable** on **June 10th and 11th**. The Roundtable is hosted each year by one of the rotating set of five schools—Yale University, Michigan State University, University of Michigan, Ohio State University, and University of Wisconsin. The goal of the roundtable is to bring together a mix of emerging and established scholars to present new work on administrative law. Participants will present their papers in small panel sessions designed to foster rich

discussions with experts in the field and contribute to a vibrant Administrative Law community. Each panel will be introduced by a distinguished scholar who will then facilitate the discussion.

The 2019 Administrative Law New Scholarship Roundtable is hosted by **[Professor Miriam Seifter](#)**.

More information about the Roundtable can be found here: **<https://law.wisc.edu/ils/2019adminlawroundtable/index.html>**

Program Spotlight: 2019 Hurst Summer Institute

The 10th **J. Willard Hurst Summer Institute in Legal History** will take place during June 9 - June 22, 2019. The Hurst Institute is a biennial event sponsored by the Institute for Legal Studies in conjunction with the **American Society for Legal History (ASLH)**. Each Hurst Institute is organized and chaired by a well-known legal historian and includes visiting senior scholars who lead specialized sessions. This year's institute is chaired by **Professor Mitra Sharafi** (UW Law School). Guest scholars include **Michelle McKinley** (University of Oregon School of Law), **Will Hanley** (Florida State University), and **Karen Tani** (University of California, Berkeley School of Law).

For each Institute, a committee appointed by the ASLH reviews applications from early career faculty members and doctoral students with completed or almost completed dissertations and selects 12 junior scholars from around the world as Institute Fellows. Fellows come to Madison for two weeks to participate in seminars, meet other legal historians, and discuss their own work. The two-week program is structured but informal, and features discussions of core readings in legal history and analysis of the work of the participants in the Institute.

This year's Fellows are an accomplished and diverse group hailing from around the world. Learn more about the group:

https://law.wisc.edu/ils/hurst_summer_institute/2019/fellows.html



J. Willard Hurst

Intellectual Property Conference at Nanjing University, China



The **East Asian Legal Studies Center**, in collaboration with **WARF**, the **Wisconsin China Initiative**, and Nanjing University, is organizing a conference on intellectual property conference at **Nanjing University** on Thursday, May 23rd. This conference coincides with Chancellor Blank's visit to Nanjing, and she will be attending part of the conference. The conference, entitled "**The 2nd China-US Intellectual Property Forum**," is a follow up to a conference organized by EALSC, WARF, and Nanjing University in 2008.

As with the 2008 conference, EALSC Director **Professor John Ohnesorge** is the lead organizer of the conference. Three speakers from Madison will participate in the conference: **Erik Iverson**, Managing Director of WARF; **Professor BJ Ard**, intellectual property law expert at the UW Law School; and **Justin Anderson**, UW Law student and WARF employee. The conference will explore various aspects of intellectual property, innovation, and technology transfer. It will feature experts in law, technology transfer, start-up financing, and systems for

"incubating" start-up companies. Speakers will address these issues in both China and the United States.

Selected Upcoming Events

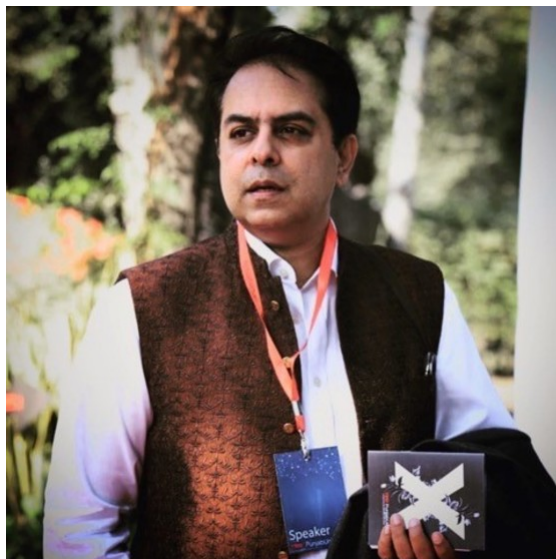
- **September 11, 2019:** Law & Society Speaker Rohit De (ILS)
- **September 12-13, 2019:** "Rethinking the Shareholder Franchise" Conference (ILS)
- **September 18, 2019:** Ideas & Innovations Speaker Sarah Seo (Dean's Office)
- **October 3, 2019:** Annual Mildred Fish Harnack Lecture by Dr. Charlotte Bunch (GLS/HRP)
- **October 16, 2019:** Ideas & Innovations Speaker Kate Shaw (Dean's Office)
- **October 17, 2019:** South Asia Legal Studies Workshop (GLS)
- **October 18-19, 2019:** Wisconsin Discussion Group on Constitutionalism (Dean's Office)
- **October 24-25, 2019:** Law Review Symposium (ILS)
- **November 7, 2019:** Ideas & Innovations Speaker Nikolas Bowie (Dean's Office)
- **December 5-6, 2019:** "Agency and Race in Criminal Procedure" Conference (ILS)

For a complete list of upcoming events, visit: <http://law.wisc.edu/researchcenters/events.html>

Visiting Scholar Spotlight

Dr. Osama Siddique

Dr. Osama Siddique, Senior Faculty member at the Institute for Global Law & Policy (IGLP) at Harvard Law School, is a visiting scholar at UW Law from March 2019 - May 2019. In addition to his position on Harvard Law's Faculty, Dr. Siddique serves as an Associate Fellow at the Institute of Development & Economic Alternatives (IDEAS) and is the Executive Director of the Law & Policy Research Network (LPRN). Dr. Siddique is currently working on two projects. The first project examines how recent Pakistani judicial application of certain clauses of the constitution poses a danger of judicial determination of electoral eligibility. The second explores the value of literary narratives in highlighting additional dimensions of the impact of colonial and post-colonial legal projects on subject populations and subservient voices.



Dr. Osama Siddique

Dr. Siddique chose to do research at UW Law because he has many colleagues here with whom he has engaged with over the years and share similar interests in comparative law, critical approaches to legal analysis, law and society, and legal sociology.

News and Announcements

- The **Wisconsin Law Review** has issued a **call for proposals** for the **2019 Law Review Symposium**. Proposals are due **Friday, May 24th**. More information: <http://wisconsinlawreview.org/symposium/>
- The **Institute for Legal Studies** is on Twitter! Follow us [@UWLawILS](https://twitter.com/UWLawILS)



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