

Curriculum Vitae

JUSTIN D. LEVINSON

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EXPERIENCE

William S. Richardson School of Law
University of Hawai'i, Mānoa
Honolulu, HI
Aug. 2004-Present

Professor of Law (with tenure, 2012-present)
Associate Professor of Law (with tenure, 2008-2012)
Assistant Professor of Law (2004-2008)
Deputy Director, Institute for Asia Pacific Business Law
Founder and Director, Culture and Jury Project

Law School Outstanding Professor of the Year, 2013-2014
Board of Regents Medal for Excellence in Teaching, 2014-2015
Carlsmith Ball Faculty Scholar, 2015-2018

J.F. Oberlin University
Visiting Professor
Machida, Japan
Aug. 2018-Apr. 2019

Nagoya University
Department of Environmental Studies (Psychology)
Visiting Scholar
Nagoya, Japan
Summer 2016

Beijing University
Department of Psychology
Visiting Assistant Professor
Beijing, China
Dec. 2003- Jan. 2004

Culture and Cognition Lab
University of California, Berkeley
Fellow in Law and Psychology
Berkeley, CA
Sep. 2002- June 2003

Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati, PC
Associate - Corporate & Securities Group
Palo Alto, CA
Oct. 1999- Sep. 2002

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School
LL.M., 2004
Cambridge, MA

UCLA School of Law
J.D., *Order of the Coif*, 1999
Los Angeles, CA

University of Michigan
B.A., Psychology, *with Distinction*, 1996

Ann Arbor, MI

TEACHING

University of Hawai'i:
Law and Psychology, Criminal Law, Business Associations (Corporations, Partnership and Agency), Corporate Finance, Second Year Seminar (Advanced Writing), Legal Practice, High Growth Entrepreneurship (JD/MBA), Implicit Bias and the Law

Other Institutions:

Advanced Psychology & Law (Interdisciplinary Center, Herzliya, Israel, 2007, 2011-12)
Entrepreneurship Law (Interdisciplinary Center, Herzliya, Israel, 2011-12; JF Oberlin Univ. Japan 2018-9)
IP Innovation and Entrepreneurship (Law Trobe University, Australia, 2012, 2013)
Corporate Finance (La Trobe University, Australia, 2008)
Psychology & Law (J.F. Oberlin Univ., Japan, 2018-2019)

BOOK AND BOOK CHAPTERS

IMPLICIT RACIAL BIAS ACROSS THE LAW (Justin D. Levinson & Robert J. Smith, eds).
Cambridge University Press (2012)

Biased Corporate Decision-Making? in IMPLICIT RACIAL BIAS ACROSS THE LAW

Implicit Racial Bias: A Social Science Overview, in IMPLICIT RACIAL BIAS
ACROSS THE LAW (with Danielle Young and Laurie Rudman)

Implicit Bias: A Social Science Overview, in ENHANCING JUSTICE: REDUCING BIAS
(with Danielle Young and Laurie Rudman) (revised and updated revision of 2012 book
chapter, ABA Publishing) (2017)

Culture, Cognitions and Legal Decision-Making, in HANDBOOK OF MOTIVATION AND
COGNITION ACROSS CULTURES (R. Sorrentino & S. Yamaguchi, eds. Elsevier Press)
(2008)

ARTICLES AND ESSAYS

Race and Retribution: An Empirical Study of Implicit Bias and Punishment in America,
(with Robert Smith and Koichi Hioki), 53 U.C. DAVIS LAW REVIEW 839 (2019)

Systemic Implicit Bias, (with Robert J. Smith), 126 YALE LAW JOURNAL FORUM 406
(2017)

Judicially Biased: A National Empirical Study of Judicial Stereotypes, (with Judge Mark W. Bennett & Koichi Hioki) 69 FLORIDA LAW REVIEW 63 (2017)

Judging Federal White-Collar Fraud Sentencing: An Empirical Study Revealing the Need for Further Reform (with Judge Mark W. Bennett & Koichi Hioki), 102 IOWA LAW REVIEW 939 (2017)

Diversity, Dialogue, and Deliberation: An Empirical Investigation of Age, Gender, and Meaningful Decision-Making in Korean Juries, 19 ASIAN-PACIFIC LAW & POLICY JOURNAL (with Jisuk Woo, 2017)

Implicit White Favoritism in the Criminal Justice System (with Robert J. Smith & Zoe Robinson), 66 ALABAMA LAW REVIEW 872 (2015)

Implicit Bias in Hawaii: An Experimental Study (with Koichi Hioki & Syugo Hotta), 37 HAWAII LAW REVIEW 429 (2015)

Devaluing Death: An Empirical Study of Implicit Racial Bias in Six Death Penalty States (with Robert J. Smith & Danielle M. Young), 89 NYU LAW REVIEW 513 (2014)

Innocent until Primed: Mock Jurors' Racially Biased Response to the Presumption of Innocence (with Danielle M. Young & Scott Sinnett), 10 PLOS ONE 1371 (2014)

Implicit Bias in the Courtroom (with Jerry Kang et al.), 59 UCLA LAW REVIEW 1125 (2012)

SuperBias: The Collision of Behavioral Economics and Implicit Social Cognition 45 AKRON LAW REVIEW 591 (2012)

The Impact of Implicit Racial Bias on the Impact of Prosecutorial Discretion (with Robert J. Smith), 35 SEATTLE LAW REVIEW 795 (2012)

Implicit Gender Bias in the Legal Profession: An Empirical Study (with Danielle Young) 18 DUKE JOURNAL OF GENDER LAW & POLICY 1 (2010)

Guilty by Implicit Racial Bias: The Guilty/ Not Guilty Implicit Association Test (with Huajian Cai & Danielle Young) 8 OHIO STATE JOURNAL OF CRIMINAL LAW 187 (2010)

Compelling (Skin Tone) Evidence: Implicit Racial Bias and Ambiguous Evidence Evaluation (with Danielle Young) 112 WEST VIRGINIA LAW REVIEW 307 (2010)

Race, Death, and the Complicitous Mind, 58 DEPAUL LAW REVIEW 599 (2009)

Forgotten Racial Equality: Implicit Bias, Decision-Making and Misremembering, 57 DUKE LAW JOURNAL 345 (2007)

Valuing Cultural Differences in Behavioral Economics, 4 ICFAI JOURNAL OF BEHAVIORAL FINANCE 32 (2007) (with Kaiping Peng)

Suppressing the Expression of Community Values in Juries: How “Legal Priming” Systematically Alters the Way People Think, 73 UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI LAW REVIEW 1059 (2005)

Reprinted in Japanese, UNIVERSITY OF THE RYUKYUS LAW REVIEW, Okinawa, Japan (2008)

Mentally Misguided: How State of Mind Inquiries Ignore Psychological Reality and Overlook Cultural Differences, 49 HOWARD LAW JOURNAL 1 (2005)

Reprinted in CRIMINAL LAW MENS REA, (ICFAI Press, India), 2009

Different Torts for Different Cohorts: A Cultural Psychological Critique of Tort Law’s Actual Cause and Foreseeability Inquiries, 13 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA INTERDISCIPLINARY LAW JOURNAL 195 (2004) (with Kaiping Peng)

CURRENT PROJECTS

Future Dangerousness and Implicit Bias: A National Study (with Koichi Hioki)

International Anti-Corruption, Rule of Law, and Implicit Cognition: Developing a New Paradigm (with David Cohen, Stanford University and The East-West Center)

Gender Bias, Legal Education, and Decision-Making (with Judge Mark Bennett and Koichi Hioki)

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Criminal Justice Reform Roundtable, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO Nov. 2019
Speaker: “Bridging Scholarship with Criminal Justice Practice”

Family Business Forum, Honolulu, HI November 2019
Invited Panelist: “Lead with Cultural Intelligence and Resist Unconscious Bias”

Criminal Justice Reform Roundtable, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles, CA Oct. 2019
Speaker: “Scholarship for the 2020’s: Connecting Academia with Criminal Justice Realities”

Southwest Criminal Legal Scholarship Conference, UNLV Law School, Oct. 2019
Invited Participant: “A National Empirical Study of Implicit Bias and Punishment”

Hawaii Business Leadership Conference, Honolulu, HI July 2019
Invited Speaker

Faculty Scholarship Colloquium, University of Hawaii Law School, April 2018
Speaker: “Implicit Biases: Barriers to Criminal Justice and....Predictors of

Corruption?”

National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, Las Vegas, NV September 2017
Invited Speaker: “Implicit Bias and Capital Punishment Legal Approaches” and
“Implicit Bias and Attorney Representation Workshop”

Hina Mauka non-profit, Honolulu, HI April 2017
Invited Speaker: “Implicit Biases: Barriers to Justice”

Federal Capital Habeas Unit Conference, San Antonio, TX March 2017
Invited Presentation: “Implicit Biases and the Death Penalty: Capital Habeas
Implications”

Legal Aid Society of Hawaii Annual Retreat, Honolulu, HI October 2016
Invited Speaker: “Implicit Biases: Barriers to Justice”

Tides Foundation, Death Penalty Fund Allocation Meeting, New York, NY Oct. 2016
Invited Speaker: “Empirical Research, Implicit Bias, and The Supreme Court”

International Congress of Psychology, Yokohama, Japan July 2016
Invited Address: “Ethnicity, Religion and Judicial Decision-Making: An
Empirical Study of Implicit Bias in United States Judges”

Symposium on Interdisciplinary Social Science Methodology, Kobe University, Kobe,
Japan, July 2016
Invited Speaker: “Using Implicit Methods to Measure Ethnic Biases in Judges and
Jurors”

Department of Environmental Studies, Nagoya University, Nagoya, Japan, July 2016
Invited Visiting Scholar Address: “Implicit Cognitive Research Methods in the
Criminal Law Research”

Seventh Circuit Judicial Conference, Chicago, IL April 2016
Invited Speaker: “Implicit Bias and the Law: The Criminal Justice System and
Beyond”

California Rural Legal Assistance, Inc. Leadership Retreat, Oakland, CA January 2016
Invited Speaker, “Implicit Bias in Client Representation: From Theory to
Practice” (via teleconference)

University of Hawai`i Law School, Honolulu, HI November 2015
Works-in-Progress Series Speaker: “Implicit Biases of Asians and Jews: An
Empirical Study of Federal Judges”

United States Accounting Office, Federal Death Penalty Strategy Session, Ft. Lauderdale,
FL October 2015
Invited Speaker, “Implicit Bias in Capital Cases: From Theory to Practice”

American University of Paris, France, July 2015

Guest Speaker (Cultural Psychology course), “Race, Aggression, and ‘Justice’: Implicit Factors”

The Third China International Conference on Positive Psychology, Tsinghua University, Beijing, China, and Nanxun, China July 2015

Keynote Speaker: “Travel Well, Collaborate Well, Live Well”

Opening Day Roundtable Speaker

Commentator: Panel on Innovation and Entrepreneurship

Project Sentinel Fair Housing Symposium, Mountain View, CA May 2015 (by video)

Invited Panelist: “Social Science Perspectives on Bias in Housing”

American Bar Association, Hawai`i Town Hall Meeting, Honolulu HI 2015

Invited Speaker: “An Implicit Bias Approach to the School-to-Prison Pipeline”

Hawaii Law Review Symposium, Honolulu, HI January 2015

Invited Speaker: “An Overview of Implicit Bias in the Criminal Justice System” and “Local Biases in Hawaii: New Experimental Results”

University of Hawai`i Law School, Honolulu, HI December 2014

Event Organizer, Opening Speaker, Chair: “New Directions in Law and Psychology”

United States District Court, District of Hawaii Conference, Honolulu, HI April 2014

Invited Panelist: “Racial Bias in the Criminal Justice System”

Case Western Reserve Law School, Cleveland, OH August 2013

Invited Speaker: “The Evolution of Bias: Implicit Racial Bias in the 21st Century”

DePaul Law School, Chicago, IL August 2013

Invited Speaker: “The Implicit Value of Life: Racial Bias and Crime Victims”

UNLV Law School, Las Vegas, NV April 2013

Invited Faculty Colloquium Speaker: “Devaluing Death? An Empirical Study of Jury Eligible Citizens in Six Leading Death Penalty States”

East Asian and U.S. Juries Seminar, University of Hawaii, July 2013

Co-Organizer, Panel Chair, and Speaker: “Implicit Bias, Juror Decision Making, and Emerging Jury Systems”

East Asian Law and Society Conference, Shanghai, China, March 2013

Panel Speaker: “Implicit Bias, Juror Decision Making, and Emerging Jury Systems”

Seoul National University, Seoul Korea, March 2013

Invited Faculty Speaker: “Devaluing Death? An Empirical Study of Jury Eligible Citizens in Six Leading Death Penalty States”

Guest Lecturer: “Empirical Knowledge of American Juries: An Evolving Science”

George Washington University Law School, Washington, D.C. October 2012
Invited Works-in-Progress Speaker: “Death by Implicit Racial Bias? An Empirical Study of Jury Eligible Citizens in Six Leading Death Penalty States”

American Bar Association, Criminal Justice Conference, Washington, D.C. October 2012
Invited Speaker: “Implicit Racial Bias and Biased Juror Decision-Making”

University of Hawai`i William S. Richardson School of Law, Honolulu, October 2012
Works-in-Progress Series Speaker: “The Implicit Value of Life”

Hawaii State Judicial System, Honolulu, HI September 2013
Invited Speaker for Mandatory Judicial Training: “Automatic Cognitions: Natural Threats to Decision-Making”

Harvard Law School, Charles Hamilton Houston Institute, Cambridge, MA June 2012
Conference co-organizer and speaker
Full Day Conference hosted to commemorate my edited volume

Hawaii Access to Justice Commission Annual Meeting, Honolulu, HI, June 2012
Invited Speaker: “Implicit Bias: A Threat to Access to Justice”

Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Honolulu, HI, June 2012
Panel Chair, “Implicit Racial Bias Across the Law”

Cornell University & Journal of Empirical Legal Studies Conference, Honolulu, HI, June 2012, Invited Discussant

Interdisciplinary Center, Herzliya, Israel, April 2012
Invited Commercial Law Workshop Talk: “Biased Corporate Decision-Making?”

Meijo University Faculty of Law, Nagoya, Japan, May 2011
Faculty Exchange Lectures: “Emerging Trends in American Corporate Law”; and
“Empirical Knowledge of Juries: An Evolving Science”

Harvard Law School, Charles Hamilton Houston Institute, Diversity Summit for Fortune 500 General Counsels, Cambridge, MA, May 2011
Keynote Speech: “Rewiring Productivity: Countering Biased Decision Making”
Summit Lecture: “Restoring Efficiency: Combating Automatic Biases”

Brown University, Department of Cognitive, Linguistic, and Psychological Sciences, Providence, RI, May 2011
Invited ‘Brown Bag’ Speaker: “Priming, Courts, and Justice: Implicit Cognition in Legal Processes”

UCLA Law School, Program on Law, Science and Evidence, Los Angeles, CA, March 2011, Symposium on Implicit Bias in the Courtroom

Invited Speaker: “Investigating Implicit Bias in the Legal System”

Alston Hunt Floyd & Ing, Attorneys at Law, Honolulu, HI 2011

Invited CLE Lecture, “Implicit Bias: Its Mechanics and Implications”

Asian American Law Faculty Conference, Honolulu, HI, December 2010

Invited Speaker, “Empirical Studies and Justice in Hawai`i”

LatCrit Annual Conference, Denver, CO, Oct. 2010

Invited Speaker, “Investigating Implicit Bias”

Commentator, Works in Progress Session

American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Vancouver Canada, March 2010

Panel Chair and Speaker: “The Guilty/ Not Guilty Implicit Association Test”

Psychology and Law (Psyc. 489), University of Hawai`i at Mānoa, July 2009

Guest Lecturer: “Race, Law, and the Human Mind”

Class of 2009 Graduation Dinner, William S. Richardson School of Law, May 2009

Invited Faculty Member Address to Graduates

University of California at Berkeley, Henderson Center for Social Justice, Boalt Hall,
March 2009

Organizing Committee Member, Raven Symposium

Invited Speaker, “Implicit Social Cognition and the Law”

University of Haifa Faculty of Law, Haifa, Israel, June 2008

Invited Colloquium Speaker: “Implicit Bias and Forgotten Racial Equality”

Institute of Cognitive and Decision Sciences, University of Oregon, March 2008

Invited Colloquium Speaker: “Social Cognition and Jury Decision-Making”

University of Oregon, Department of Psychology, Eugene, Oregon, March 2008

“Brown Bag” Presentation: “Applied Implicit Bias Research: New Directions”

Center for Justice in Capital Cases and DePaul Law Review Symposium on Media, Race
and The Death Penalty, Chicago, IL March 2008

Invited Speaker: “The Death Penalty and Implicit Social Cognition”

Global Advanced Technology Innovation Consortium (GATIC) 2007 Conference, Post-
Conference Symposium on Venture Capital, East-West Center, Honolulu, HI, Oct. 2007

Panel Coordinator and Participant: “A Venture Capital Deal Unfolds”

Symposium on Entrepreneurialism, Risk Assessment & Private Investment in China,
Hong Kong, Oct. 2007

Organizing Committee Member

Presentation: “Entrepreneurship, Law and Cultural Decision-Making”

Symposium on Law and Psychology, Nagoya University, Japan, Aug. 2007

Invited Speaker: "Social Cognition, Legal Culture and Jury Decision-Making"

Conference of the Asian Association of Social Psychology, Sabah, Malaysia, July 2007

Co-Chair of Symposium: "Social Cognition and Law"

Presentation: "Implicit Memory Biases in Legal Decision-Making"

Radzyner School of Law, Interdisciplinary Center, Herzliya, Israel, June 2007

Invited Colloquium Speaker: "Reconstructing the Past: Social Cognition, Memory and Biases"

Institute for Personality and Social Research, University of California, Berkeley, Jan. 2007

Invited Colloquium Speaker: "Social Cognition and the Law: Informing Policy with Science"

Social Psychology (Psyc. 250), University of Hawai'i at Mānoa, Dec. 2006.

Guest Lecturer: "Empirically Pursuing Justice: Social Psychology and Law"

William S. Richardson School of Law Alumni Association Graduation Dinner, Apr. 2006

Class of 2006 Selected Faculty Member for Graduation Dinner Address

American Psychology and Law Society 2006 Conference, St. Petersburg, FL, Mar. 2006

Presentation: "Prejudice, Priming and Juries"

Workshops on Clinical Legal Education in Japan, University of the Ryukyus and Kumamoto University, Japan, Feb. 2006

Invited Panelist: "Clinical Legal Education in Hawai'i"

Association of American Law Schools (AALS) Annual Meeting, Section on Donative Transfers, Fiduciaries and Estate Planning, Washington, D.C, Jan. 2006

Invited Speaker: "Empirical Collaborations in Legal Scholarship"

Symposium on Law and Psychology, Kobe University, Japan, Oct. 2005

Invited Speaker: "Interdisciplinary Strategies in Theory Development: Creating Double Impact in Law and Psychology"

Workshop on Law and Psychology (with Dr. Kaiping Peng, UC Berkeley), Kobe University, Japan, Sep. 2005

Invited Lecturer: "Cultural Psychology and Law"

International Conference on Citizenship, Justice and Psychology, Lyon, France, July 2005

Presentations: "Jury Decision Making of Mental States across Cultures" and "Suppressing Community Values in Juries across Cultures"

Society for the Advancement of Social Economics Conference, Budapest, Hungary, June 2005

Presentation: "Cultural Differences in Monetary and Property Value Judgments"

Behavior in Organizations (MGT 316), University of Hawai'i College of Business Administration, March 2005

Guest Lecture: "Pitfalls of the Unwary Business Executive," Mar. 2005

University of the Ryukyus Law School (Okinawa) visits to William S. Richardson School of Law, Honolulu, HI, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2013, 2014, 2017, 2018

Lecture: "An Overview of American Business Law"

International Congress of Psychology 2004 Conference, Aug. 2004

Presentation: "Culture and the Law: Harnessing Cultural Psychological Knowledge to Improve Legal Thought"

Beijing University Shenzhen Campus Graduate School, Dec. 2003

Invited Lecture: "How Cross-Cultural Empirical Studies Open Doors for Legal Analysis and Reform"

Shenzhen Western Human Resources Market, Shenzhen, China, Dec. 2003

Invited Speaker: "Bridging Behavior and the Law"

MEDIA

Hawaii Business Magazine, Nov. 15, 2019, "Women Discuss the Challenges They Face in Family Businesses" (quoted in story on gender biases in family businesses)

The Stranger, February 4, 2015 (research on implicit bias and the death penalty featured in article by S. Brownstone, titled: "If a Black Man Kills a White Cop, Can He Ever Get a Fair Death Penalty Trial")

"Town Square" Radio Program, Hawaii Public Radio, December 2014 (featured guest as part of 1-hour call-in program on racial biases)

"ThinkTech Hawaii," Live TV Stream Program, December 2014 (interviewed as an expert on implicit bias in the criminal justice system)

"The Conversation" Radio Program, Hawaii Public Radio, May 2014 (invited to discuss national current events in race and criminal justice)

"The Conversation" Radio Program, Hawaii Public Radio, May 2014 (interviewed on newly published study on race and the death penalty)

Associated Press Story, "Hawaii death penalty jurors have more work to do," May 2, 2014 (interviewed and quoted on death qualification)

Invited Guest, "ThinkTech Hawaii," Live TV Stream Program, January 2014 (interviewed on edited volume, *Implicit Racial Bias Across the Law*, and the impact of implicit bias in Hawaii)

Invited Guest, “The Conversation” Radio Program, Hawaii Public Radio, July 2013
(interviewed on the role of race in Hawaii’s criminal justice system and jury trials)

The Sunrise Show, KGMB News, Live In-Studio Interview on Zimmerman and Deedy cases, July 2013

Hawaii News Now TV, 6pm and 10pm News Broadcasts, Interviewed on the role of race in jury selection and decision-making, July 2013

Invited Guest, ThinkTech Hawai'i Radio Program, Hawai'i Public Radio, Feb. 2007
(interviewed for the inauguration of UH Law School’s new Institute of Asian-Pacific Business Law)

South China Morning Post, Dec. 17, 2006 (research on behavioral economics and culture featured in story on front page of “Money” section)

Honolulu Star Bulletin, Oct. 23, 2005 (interviewed for and quoted in “Virtual Law, Inc.”)

UNIVERSITY AND RELATED SERVICE

Founder and Director, Culture and Jury Project

Deputy Director, Institute of Asian-Pacific Business Law

Elected Member, University Faculty Senate, 2006-2008
Senate Research Committee

Faculty Advisor

Hawai`i Law Review (2014- present)

Law and Business Organization (2007- present)

Advocates for Public Interest Law (2005-2017)

Student Animal Legal Defense Fund (2012- present)

Committees: Admissions, Appointments (Chair), Curriculum and Academic Standards (Chair), Departmental Personnel Committee (Chair), Faculty Development, Library, Technology, Deans Advisory, Career Services

Three Ph.D. Dissertation Committees, University of Hawai`i Psychology Department

PhD Comprehensive Exam Committee; Two Masters’ Thesis Committee Member, University of Hawai`i Psychology Department

Masters Thesis Committee Member, University of California, Berkeley

Ad Hoc Reviewer, Journal of Personality and Social Psychology (top journal in social psychology); Journal of Applied Social Psychology; International Journal of Political

Science and Management; Journal of Experimental Social Psychology, Journal of Empirical Legal Studies.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Board of Governing Directors Member, Waialae Public Charter School (a non-profit school)

Board of Trustees Member, Temple Emanu-El (a non-profit organization)

Board of Directors Member, Volunteer Legal Services Hawai'i (a non-profit organization),
(2013-2017)

Board of Directors Member, College Connections Hawai'i (a non-profit organization),
2006-2010

Survey Liaison and Focus Group Leader, Hawai'i Bar Association Access to Justice Hui

American Judicature Society Committee on Jury Size, Member and Co-Reporter, 2009

Patsy Mink Fellowship Selection Committee, 2008 - 2010