

## **ANTONIA L. ELIASON**

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### **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

**University of Mississippi**, Oxford, Mississippi

Assistant Professor of Law, August 2013 – July 2019

Associate Professor of Law (tenured), July 2019 – present

Associated Faculty, Croft Institute for International Studies, July 2020 – present

Courses: International Law, International Trade Law, International Investment Law, European Union Law, International Finance, International Business Transactions, Contracts, Law of Armed Conflict, Globalization and Development, Current Topics in International Law, Law and Science Fiction, Contemporary Problems in Law and Politics, International Climate Justice, Gender and the Law

Research interests: International economic law, climate change, colonialism, supply chains, cannabis legalization, sovereign debt

Service: Secretary of the Faculty Senate (2015-2016), Chair of the Faculty Senate Academic Instruction Committee (2017-2018), Curriculum and Practices Committee (2016-2020), Assessment Committee (2017-present), Speakers and Faculty Scholarship Committee (2013-2017, 2019-2020 (co-chair)), Flagship Constellation Review Committee (2017), Academic Discipline Standing Committee (2017-2018), Mississippi Law Journal Peer Review Committee (2017-present), Strategic Planning Committee (2020-2021), Co-Chair of the Appointments Committee (2021-present)

Awards: Outstanding Professor of the Year, University of Mississippi School of Law (2019)

**The University of Iowa College of Law**, Iowa City, Iowa

Visiting Professor of Law, Spring 2022

Courses: Foundations of International Law, International Trade Law

### **EDUCATION**

**University of Mississippi School of Law**, University, MS

LLM, Air and Space Law, May 2023

LLM Thesis: International Law by Corporation

**University of Michigan Law School**, Ann Arbor, MI

JD, December 2007

Honors: Clarence Darrow Scholar

Michigan Journal of International Law, Executive Articles Editor, 2007-2008

2006 Handler Prize recipient for best paper on European integration

2008 Hessel E. Yntema Award recipient for superior performance in international law courses and activities

**The George Washington University**, Elliott School of International Affairs, Washington, DC

MA, European and Eurasian Studies with a concentration in International Economics, December 2004

Activities: Presented paper on Russian energy policies towards the Near Abroad at the 2005 Association for the Study of Nationalities (ASN) Conference at Columbia University

**University of Michigan**, Ann Arbor, MI

BS, Cell and Molecular Biology, Computer Science; Minor in History, May 2003

Honors: Bentley Scholar; Shipman Scholar

Activities: Presented paper on regional differences among Roma in Hungary at 2003 Gypsy Lore Society conference as part of research on post-Communist Hungarian nationalism

## **OTHER LEGAL EXPERIENCE**

**Allen & Overy**, London, United Kingdom

Associate, International Capital Markets, April 2009 – June 2013

As part of the US Corporate Finance group in London was involved in numerous debt and equity offerings, representing both underwriters and issuers. See Indicative Deal Experience for further detail.

Secondment to Hong Kong office from October 2010 to January 2011, where practice focused on Philippine equity and debt offerings

Secondment to Crédit Agricole, Hong Kong from January 2011 to April 2011, where as part of legal team was in charge of regional Asia debt capital markets legal; supervised derivative transactions for certain Asian jurisdictions

Secondment to Credit Suisse, London from July 2012 – May 2013, as part of Transaction Management Group

**European Court of Justice, Judge K. Lenaerts**, Luxembourg

Stagiaire, Dean Acheson Legal Stage Program, January – April 2009

Provided Judge Lenaerts with legal assistance regarding ongoing cases before the ECJ

Wrote legal memos and briefs in French on a variety of legal topics for internal use

**World Trade Organization**, Legal Affairs Division, Geneva, Switzerland

Intern, September – December 2008

Conducted research and drafted memos on wide range of international and WTO law topics

Participated in dispute settlement process for *China – Measures Affecting Trading Rights and Distribution Services for Certain Publications and Audiovisual Entertainment Products* (WT/DS363), including preparation of documents for circulation to parties, participation in discussion with panelists, and assistance with drafting of interim Panel report

**World Trade Institute**, Berne, Switzerland

Visiting Research Fellow, April – July 2008

Conducted independent research on trade and renewable energy, the role of science in the Panel and Appellate Body's interpretation of the SPS agreement, and the EU Emissions Trading System

Participated in seminars and discussions with researchers and PhD students

**Allen & Overy**, London, UK

Summer Associate, May – August 2007

**Prof. Robert Howse**, University of Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, MI

Research Assistant, May 2006 – December 2007

Researched international trade law issues, including Special and Differential Treatment, TBT Agreement, globalization, climate change, and biofuels

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Academic Articles**

Blockchain, Trade, and the Global South: Entrenching Supply Chain Roles, 5 STANFORD J. BLOCKCHAIN L. & POLICY 206 (2022) (peer reviewed)

Avoiding Moonraker: Averting Unilateral Geoengineering Efforts, 43 PENN. J. INT'L L. 429 (2022)

Teaching Law and Science Fiction at the University of Mississippi, co-authored with Ellie Campbell, 52 SFRA Review (2022) (invited)

*Australia – Anti-Dumping Measures on A4 Copy Paper*: Opening a Door to more Anti-Dumping Investigations, co-authored with Matteo Fiorini, 20 WORLD TRADE REV 479 (2021) (invited)

Towards Global Governance: The Inadequacies of the UN Drug Control Regime, co-authored with Robert Howse, 114 AM. J. INT'L L. (UNBOUND) 291 (2020) (invited)

A Higher Authority: Canada's Cannabis Legalization in the Context of International Law, co-authored with Robert Howse, 40 MICH. J. INT'L L. 327 (2019)

Using the WTO to Facilitate the Paris Agreement: A Tripartite Approach, 52 VAND. J. TRANSN'T'L L. 545 (2019)

Evident Partiality and the Judicial Review of Investor-State Dispute Settlement Awards: An Argument for ISDS Reform, 50 GEO. J. INT'L L. 1 (2018)

Development and Regional Trade Agreements: Entrenching Structural Inequities, 46 GA. J. INT'L & COMP. L. 635 (2018) (invited)

Lillian McMurry and the Blues Contracts of Trumpet Records, 87 MISS. L. J. 279 (2018)

With No Deliberate Speed: The Segregation of Roma Children in Europe, 27 DUKE J. COMP. & INT'L L. 191 (2017)

The Trade Facilitation Agreement: A New Hope for the World Trade Organization, 14 WORLD TRADE REV. 643 (2015) (peer reviewed)

Science versus Law in WTO Jurisprudence – The (mis)interpretation of the scientific process and the (in)sufficiency of scientific evidence in EC – Biotech, 41 N.Y.U. J. INT'L L. & POL. 341 (2009)

### **Book Chapters**

Environmental Engineering, in Hofmann, Blount (Eds.), ELGAR CONCISE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF SPACE LAW, Edward Elgar, forthcoming.

Commentary on TBT Article 12, Article 14/Annex 2, in Stoll, Hestermeyer, Wagner (Eds.), COMMENTARIES ON WORLD TRADE LAW, 2022, Brill.

Public Morals and Environmental Protection, in Delimatsis, Reins (Eds.), TRADE AND ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, 2021, Edward Elgar.

“How Should We Think About a Global Market in Cannabis?”, co-authored with Robert Howse, in Santos, Thomas, Trubek (Eds.), GLOBALIZATION REIMAGINED: THE PROGRESSIVE AGENDA FOR WORLD TRADE AND INVESTMENT LAW, 2019, Anthem Press

“Customs Administration and Trade Facilitation: The Missing Development Agenda”, in Kingsbury, Malone, Stewart, Sunami (Eds.), MEGAREGULATION CONTESTED: GLOBAL ECONOMIC ORDERING AFTER TPP, 2019, Oxford University Press

“Carbon Trading and the CDM in WTO Law”, co-authored with Robert Howse, in Stewart, Kingsbury, Rudyk (Eds.), CLIMATE FINANCE: REGULATORY AND FUNDING STRATEGIES FOR CLIMATE CHANGE AND GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT, 2009, New York University Press

“Countervailing Duties and Subsidies for Climate Mitigation: What Is and What Is Not, WTO-Compatible?”, co-authored with Robert Howse, in Stewart, Kingsbury, Rudyk (Eds.), CLIMATE FINANCE: REGULATORY AND FUNDING STRATEGIES FOR CLIMATE CHANGE AND GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT, 2009, New York University Press

“Domestic and International Strategies to Address Climate Change: an Overview of the WTO Legal Issues”, co-authored with Robert Howse, in Bigdeli, Cottier, Nartova (Eds.), INTERNATIONAL TRADE REGULATION AND THE MITIGATION OF CLIMATE CHANGE, 2009, Cambridge University Press

## **Books**

THE REGULATION OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE, 5th edition, co-authored with Michael Trebilcock and Robert Howse, Routledge (forthcoming 2025)

THE REGULATION OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE, 4th edition, co-authored with Michael Trebilcock and Robert Howse, 2012, Routledge

## **Blog Posts**

Building Local Food Pathways: Food Sovereignty and Climate Justice, LPE Project, December 2021, <https://lpeproject.org/blog/building-local-food-pathways-food-sovereignty-and-climate-justice/>.

## **SELECTED CONFERENCES AND LECTURES**

**African International Economic Law Network**, presented paper on “The Climate Colonialism of Supply Chains”, July 2023, Accra, Ghana

**Corporate Sovereigns: The Governance of Space Exploration Corporations**, participated in workshop and presented paper on “International Law by Corporation”, May 2023, London, Ontario (invited)

**ClassCrits XIII: Unlocking Race & Class For Just Transitions**, presented paper on “Racial Capitalism, Neocolonialism, and Supply Chains”, October 2022, Houston, Texas.

**American Society of International Law International Economic Law Interest Group (ASIL IEcLIG) Biennial Conference: Energy, Sustainability, and the Future of International Economic Law**, presented paper on “Racial Capitalism, Neocolonialism and Supply Chains”, September 2022, Forth Worth, Texas.

**Law and Society Association**, presented paper on “Ableism and International Law: The Language of ‘Civilization’”, July 2022, Lisbon, Portugal

**CBAM Global Townhall 2022**, organized by European Roundtable on Climate Change and Sustainable Transition, participated in a discussion of international dimensions and circumvention of the proposed EU’s Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism, May 2022, virtual (invited)

**Trade and Distribution Roundtable**, organized by CAROLA Georgetown and the Center for Global Economic Justice Cornell, participated in discussion of distributional effects of international trade, focusing on the Global South and supply chains, April 2022, virtual (invited)

**Socio-Legal Studies Association, York University**, presenting a paper on “Teaching Law and Science Fiction: A Pedagogical Approach to Reconceptualising Law in Times of Uncertainty”, co-authored with Ellie Campbell, April 2022, York, United Kingdom

**LPE Blog Climate Change Symposium**, discussions and drafting of blog posts, 2021, virtual (invited)

**American College of Business Court Judges**, presented on panel titled “Ownership, Transfer and Tracing of Intellectual Property Rights, Part 2: The Robert Johnson Estate”, October 2021, Jackson, Mississippi (invited)

**LatCrit XXI Biennial Conference**, presented paper on “Food Sovereignty, Industrial Agriculture, Trade, and Sustainable Development in the Anthropocene—Localizing the Global”, October 2021, virtual

**London Science Fiction Research Community, Activism & Resistance Conference**, presented paper on “Teaching Law and Science Fiction at the University of Mississippi”, co-authored with Ellie Campbell, September 2021, London, England [presented remotely]

**Society of International Economic Law**, presented paper on “Trade and Sustainable Development in the Anthropocene – Localizing the Global”, July 2021, Milan, Italy [presented remotely]

**Law and Society Association**, presented paper on “The Global South, Trade Facilitation, and Blockchain: Entrenching Supply Chain Roles”, May 2021, virtual

**ClassCrits Workshop: Democracy, Social Justice, and the 2020 Election**, part of the organizing committee, participated in panel discussion speaking on winning the South, November 2020, virtual

**WTO Dispute Settlement and Case Law Project, European University Institute**, presented paper on “*Australia—Anti-Dumping Measures on A4 Copy Paper: Opening a Door to More Anti-Dumping Investigations*”, co-authored with Matteo Fiorini, September 2020, Florence, Italy [presented remotely] (invited)

**ClassCrits XII: Facing Our Challenges: Rescuing Democracy, Ensuring Wellbeing & Exorcizing the Politics of Fear (Or: How To Be Free), Western New England University School of Law**, presented paper on “Adapting Legal Rules to Account for Inequality in the Anthropocene”, November 2019, Springfield, MA

**Law and Society Association**, presented paper on “Thwarting Disaster Capitalism: Cancelling debt in the wake of climate change events”, June 2019, Washington, DC

**The Utopia/Dystopia Project: Speculation, Legal Imagination, Becoming and Possibilities, Tulane University School of Law**, part of the organizing committee, presented paper on “Finding Utopias in Dystopias: Happy Endings to Contemporary Socialist Films”, April 2019, New Orleans, Louisiana

**University of Kentucky Speaker Exchange**, presented lecture on “Cancelling debt in the wake of climate change events”, March 2019, Lexington, Kentucky (invited)

**ASIL Research Forum, UCLA School of Law**, presented paper on “Thwarting Disaster Capitalism: Debt Cancellation in the Wake of Climate Events”, co-authored with Marco Rigau, November 2018, Los Angeles, California

**ClassCrits XI: Rising Together for Economic Hope, Power, and Justice, West Virginia University College of Law**, presented paper on “Sustainable Development and Critical Environmental Theory – Localizing the Global”; also co-chaired and co-organized a panel titled “Imagining New Futures: Creating Speculative Fiction for Life After Capitalism”, November 2018, Morgantown, West Virginia

**Society of International Economic Law, American University Washington College of Law**, presented paper on “Using the WTO to Facilitate the Paris Agreement: A Tripartite Approach”, July 2018, Washington, DC

**Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, Doshisha University**, presented paper on “Transforming the WTO: Building on the Trade Facilitation Agreement’s Special & Differential Treatment Provision to Facilitate the Paris Agreement”, June 2018, Kyoto, Japan

**Rethinking Trade and Investment Law, Harvard Law School**, presented research on cannabis and international trade and investment law together with co-author Robert Howse, April 2018, Boston, Massachusetts (invited)

**ClassCrits X: Mobilizing for Resistance, Solidarity, and Justice, Tulane University School of Law**, presented a paper on “Using the WTO to Facilitate the Paris Agreement: Building on the Trade Facilitation Agreement’s Special and Different Treatment Provisions”, November 2017, New Orleans, Louisiana

**ASIL Research Forum, Washington University**, presented a paper on “Evident Partiality and the Judicial Review of International Arbitration Awards: When deference should give way to interference”, October 2017, St. Louis, Missouri

**The Next Generation of International Trade Agreements, University of Georgia School of Law**, panelist on panel titled Pluralism/Regionalism/Fragmentation, September 2017, Athens, Georgia (invited)

**Developing Ideas Conference, University of Kentucky College of Law**, presented on “Judicial Review of International Arbitration Awards: When deference should give way to interference”, May 2017, Lexington, Kentucky

**Workshop on Drug Policy and International Legal Obligations, Yale Center for the Study of Globalization**, participant in workshop to develop an argument, grounded in traditional principles of international law, articulating the

conditions under which states may implement non-prohibitionist policies, the international conventions notwithstanding, May 2017, New York, New York (invited)

**Boyce Holleman Debate, University of Mississippi School of Law**, debate with Prof. Robert Howse on “Globalization and its Institutions: Reset, Reform, or Reject”, March 2017, Oxford, Mississippi

**Mississippi Philological Association Conference, Mississippi Valley State University**, presented paper on “Contract law and the blues: The contracts of Trumpet Records”, February 2017, Itta Bena, Mississippi

**MegaReg: After TPP Conference, United Nations University and GRIPS**, presented paper on “Trade facilitation and the missing development agenda in the TPP”, November 2016, Tokyo, Japan (invited)

**MegaReg: TPP Workshop, NYU School of Law**, participant in authors-only workshop to discuss draft papers and ideas for a book on the Trans-Pacific Partnership, July 2016, New York, New York (invited)

**University of Kentucky Speaker Exchange**, presented lecture on “Who watches the watchmen? The role of international tribunals in regulating science in domestic administrative law”, April 2016, Lexington, Kentucky (invited)

**Southeastern Association of Law Schools Annual Conference**, presented paper on “The Trade Facilitation Agreement: A New Hope for the World Trade Organization”, July 2014, Florida

**American Society of International Law Conference**, chaired panel titled The Effectiveness of Trade to Govern ‘Clean Energy’ Strategies, April 2014, Washington, DC

**NYU Abu Dhabi**, Climate Change: Financing Green Development, panelist on panel titled The Challenge of International Trade and Investment, May 2009, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E. (invited)

**World Trade Institute**, presented lecture on “US/Canada – Hormones Suspension: How a purely procedural claim led to a substantive review under the SPS Agreement and the resultant issues with the use of scientific experts”, Sept. 2008, Berne, Switzerland (invited)

**IISD, Foreign Ministry of Denmark and the German Marshal Fund**, Trade and Climate Change, participant in round table meetings, June 2008, Copenhagen, Denmark (invited)

**World Trade Institute**, World Trade Forum 2007, International Trade on a Warming Globe: The Role of the WTO in the Climate Change Debate, co-presented a paper with Robert Howse on “Domestic and International Strategies to Address Climate Change: an Overview of the WTO Legal Issues”, Sept. 2007, Berne, Switzerland (invited)

## **OTHER EXPERIENCE**

**American Society of International Law, International Environmental Law Interest Group**, Co-Chair, 2023-present

Co-chair of the ASIL International Environmental Law interest group

**ClassCrits**, Board of Directors, 2021-present

Member of the Board of Directors for the ClassCrits organization.

Organizer for 2022 ClassCrits XIII Conference.

**Democratic candidate for US House of Representatives, Mississippi District 1**, 2020

Ran for U.S. House of Representatives in Mississippi’s First District in the 2020 general election

First Democratic Socialist to run for major office in the state of Mississippi

**Oxford Community Market**, Board of Directors, 2019-present

Member of the Board of Directors for Oxford’s local farmer’s market, Oxford Community Market.

**Volunteer, Legal intake clinics**, August 2019

Volunteered at the legal intake clinics around central Mississippi in the wake of the ICE raids on the Mississippi poultry plants

**Participant on In Legal Terms**, November 2015, September 2016, August 2018, August 2019, August 2021

Guest on phone-in Mississippi Public Broadcasting radio show on topics of contracts and international trade policy

**BAR ADMISSION**

New York State Bar

**LANGUAGES**

English (native), French (fluent), Hungarian (fluent), German (intermediate), Japanese (conversational), Uzbek (beginner), Yiddish (beginner)