

CURRICULUM VITAE – NEHAL BHUTA

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

2012 - Professor of Public International Law, European University Institute
2009 - 2012 Assistant Professor, Graduate Program in International Affairs, New School for Social Research
2007 - 2009 Assistant Professor of Law, University of Toronto Faculty of Law
2005 – 2007 Researcher, Human Rights Watch
2003 – 2004 Consultant on Iraq, International Centre for Transitional Justice, New York
2001 – 2002 Articled Clerk, Mallesons Stephen Jaques (Solicitors)
2000 – 2001 Law Clerk to the Honourable Justice A M North, Federal Court of Australia

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

2005 L.L.M. (International Legal Studies), New York University School of Law
2004 M.A. (Political Science), New School for Social Research, New York
1999 University of Melbourne, Bachelor of Laws with Honours (First Class) and Bachelor of Arts
1993 Exchange Student, Awa High School, Tateyama, Chiba Prefecture, Japan
1992 Melbourne High School, Victorian Certificate of Education

PRIMARY FIELDS OF EXPERTISE

International Human Rights Law, Public International Law, International Criminal Law, International Humanitarian Law.

SECONDARY FIELDS OF EXPERTISE

Social and Political Theory, History of Human Rights, History and Theory of International Law, Comparative Constitutionalism (esp. economic and social rights adjudication), Transitional Justice, Universal Jurisdiction, Refugee Law, International Relations Theory, State Formation.

MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

1. American Society of International Law
2. European Society of International Law, Executive Board
3. ICON-S, International Society for Public Law

EDITORIAL ROLES

1. Co-editor-in-Chief, Oxford University Press Series in the History and Theory of International Law
2. Board of Editors, *European Journal of International Law* (JHH Weiler, editor-in-chief)
3. Board of Editors and Section Editor, *Journal of International Criminal Justice* (Salvatore Zappala, editor-in-chief)
4. Editorial Council Member, *Constellations: An International Journal of Critical and Democratic Theory* (Jean Cohen, Amy Allen and Andreas Kalyvas, editor-in-chief).
5. Co-editor, *Humanity: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Human Rights, Humanitarianism and Development* (Samuel Moyn, editor-in-chief).

PUBLICATIONS

Books, edited volumes and edited journal issues

1. Nehal Bhuta, ed., "Are Sovereigns Entitled to the Benefit of the Rule of Law?" Symposium, (2011) 22 *European Journal of International Law* 313.
2. Nehal Bhuta and Volker Nerlich, eds, "Universal Jurisdiction and Transitional Justice in Spain," (2011) 9 (3) *Journal of International Criminal Justice* 697.
3. Nehal Bhuta, Miriam Ticktin and Sakiko Fukuda Parr, eds, *Human Rights and the Global Economy*, (2012) 79 (4) *Social Research* 785.
4. Nehal Bhuta, ed, "Kiobel and After," (2014) 12 (3) *Journal of International Criminal Justice* 539-613.
5. Nehal Bhuta, ed, *The Frontiers of Human Rights - Extraterritoriality and its Challenges* (Oxford University Press, 2016).
6. Nehal Bhuta, Susanne Beck, Robin Geiss, Hin-Yan Liu and Claus Kress, eds, *Autonomous Weapons Systems: Law, Ethics, Policy* (Cambridge University Press, 2016).
7. Nehal Bhuta, Debora Malito and Gaby Umbach, eds, *The Palgrave Handbook of Indicators in Global Governance* (in preparation, delivery date November 21, 2016).
8. Nehal Bhuta, ed, *Secularism, Freedom of Religion and Human Rights* (in preparation, delivery date December 31, 2016).
9. Nehal Bhuta, *State Theory, State-Building and International Law* (Columbia University Press, delivery date December 31, 2018).

Book Chapters

1. Nehal Bhuta, "State Theory, State Order, State System: *Jus Gentium* and the Constitution of Public Power," in Stefan Kadelbach, Thomas Kleinlein and David Roth-Isigkeit, eds, *System, Order and International Law: The Early History of International Legal Thought* (Oxford University Press, in press.)
2. Nehal Bhuta, "The Frontiers of Extraterritoriality: Human Rights as Global Law," in Bhuta, *The Frontiers of Human Rights*.
3. Nehal Bhuta and Stavros Pantazopoulos, "Autonomy and Uncertainty: Increasingly Autonomous Weapons Systems and the International Legal Regulation of Risk," in Bhuta et al, *Autonomous Weapons Systems: Law, Ethics, Policy*.
4. Nehal Bhuta, Susanne Beck and Robin Geiss, "Present Futures: Concluding Reflections and Open Questions on Autonomous Weapons Systems," in Bhuta et al, *Autonomous Weapons Systems: Law, Ethics, Policy*.
5. Nehal Bhuta, "The Mystery of the State: State-Concept, State-Theory and State-Making in Carl Schmitt and Michael Oakeshott," in David Dyzenhaus and Thomas Poole, eds, *Law, Liberty and the State: Oakeshott, Hayek and Schmitt on the Rule of Law* (Cambridge University Press, 2015)
6. Nehal Bhuta, "Indexes of State Failure and Fragility," in Alexander Cooley and Jack Snyder, eds, *Ranking the World* (Cambridge University Press, 2015).
7. Nehal Bhuta, "Rethinking the Universality of Human Rights: A Comparative Historical Proposal," in Anver Emon, ed, *Islamic Law and International Human Rights Law – Searching for Common Ground?* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012).
8. Nehal Bhuta, "International Actors other than States," in Antonio Cassese, ed, *The Future of International Law: For A Realistic Utopia* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012).
9. Nehal Bhuta, "Governmentalizing Sovereignty: Indexes of State Fragility and the Calculability of Political Order," in Benedict Kingsbury, Sally Merry and Kevin Davis, eds, *Indicators as Technologies of Global Governance* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012).

10. Nehal Bhuta, "The Dujail Case" in Antonio Cassese et al, eds, *Oxford Companion to International Criminal Law* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2008).
11. Nehal Bhuta, "Democratization, State-building and Politics as Technology," in Hilary Charlesworth, Brett Bowden and Jeremy Farrall, eds, *Great Expectations: The Role of International Law in Restructuring Societies After Conflict* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2008).
12. Nehal Bhuta, "States of Exception: Regulating Targeted Killing in a 'Global Civil War'" in Philip Alston, ed, *Human Rights, Sovereignty and the Use of Force* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2008).
13. Nehal Bhuta, "A New Bonapartism?" in Amy Bartholomew, ed, *Empire's Law* (London: Pluto Press, 2006).
14. Nehal Bhuta and Philip Alston, "Human Rights and Social Goods: The Right to Education in India" in Philip Alston and Mary Robinson, eds, *Human Rights and Development – Towards Mutual Reinforcement* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2005).

Refereed Journals

1. Nehal Bhuta, "Comment: Sally Merry and Summer Wood, 'Quantification and the Paradox of Measurement: Translating Children's Rights in Tanzania,'" (2015) 56 *Current Anthropology* 218-219.
 2. Nehal Bhuta, "The Ninth Life of the Alien Tort Statute: *Kiobel* and After" (2014) 12 (3) *Journal of International Criminal Justice* 539 - 551.
 3. Nehal Bhuta, "Two Concepts of Religious Freedom in the European Court of Human Rights," (2013-4) 113 *South Atlantic Quarterly* 9-35.
 4. Nehal Bhuta, "New Modes and Orders: The Difficulties of a Jus Post Bellum of Constitutional Transformation" (2010) 60 *University of Toronto Law Journal* 799.
 5. Nehal Bhuta, "Conflicting International Obligations and the Risk of Torture and Unfair Trial," (2009) 7 *Journal of International Criminal Justice* 1133.
 6. Nehal Bhuta, "State-Building, Democratization and Politics as Technology" (2008) 15 *Constellations* 517.
 7. Nehal Bhuta, "Fatal Errors: The Trial and Appeals Judgments of the Iraqi High Tribunal in the *Dujail* Case," (2008) 6 *Journal of International Criminal Justice* 39.
 8. Nehal Bhuta, "Between Liberal Legal Didactics and Political Manichaeism: The Politics and Law of the Iraqi Special Tribunal" (2005) 6 (2) *Melbourne Journal of International Law* 245.
 9. Nehal Bhuta, "The Antinomies of Transformative Occupation" (2005) 16 (4) *European Journal of International Law* 721.
 10. Nehal Bhuta, "East Timor – Justice Delayed" (2003) 28 *Alternative Law Journal* 141.
 11. Nehal Bhuta, "A Global State of Exception? The United States and World Order" (2003) 10 *Constellations: An International Journal of Critical and Democratic Theory*
 12. Nehal Bhuta, "How Shall We Punish the Perpetrators? Human Rights, Alien Wrongs and the March of International Criminal Law" (2003) 27 *Melbourne University Law Review* 255.
 13. Nehal Bhuta, "East Timor and the Vicissitudes of Externalised Justice" (2001) XII *Finnish Yearbook of International Law* 165.
 14. Nehal Bhuta, "Paved With Good Intentions - Humanitarian War, Collective Unilateralism and Legal Regulation of the Use of Force" (2001) 25 *Melbourne University Law Review* 843.
 15. Nehal Bhuta and Justice A M North, "The Future of International Protection: The Role of the Judge" (2001) 15 *Georgetown Immigration Law Journal* 479.
- Nehal Bhuta, "Justice Without Borders: Prosecuting General Pinochet" (1999) 22 *Melbourne University Law Review* 499.

16. Nehal Bhuta and Melinda Walker, "Upholding the Law v Maintaining Legality: *Nulyarimma v Thompson*" (1999) 4 *Indigenous Law Bulletin* 15.
17. Nehal Bhuta and Margaret Popkin, "Latin American Amnesties in Comparative Perspective" (1999) 13 *Ethics and International Affairs* 99.
18. Nehal Bhuta, "*Mabo, Wik and the Art of Paradigm Management*" (1998) 22 *Melbourne University Law Review* 24.
19. Nehal Bhuta, "Police Liability After *Ancell* - A Law Unto Themselves?" (1994) 19 *Melbourne University Law Review* 1094.

BLOG POSTS, BOOK REVIEWS

"On Preventive Killing." *EJIL Talk! The Blog of the European Journal of International Law*, 17 September 2015, <http://www.ejiltalk.org/on-preventive-killing/>

"Reasoning With and Against Reason of State." Review of Thomas Poole, *Reason of State: Law, Prerogative, Empire* (Cambridge University Press, 2015), awaiting publication at The New Rambler: An Online Review of Books, <http://newramblerreview.com>

Reports, Working Papers and Other Documents

1. Nehal Bhuta, Debora Malito and Gaby Umbach, *Representing, Reducing or Removing Complexity: Indicators of Sustainability and Fiscal Sustainability*. Robert Schuman Center for Advanced Studies Working Paper 2014/78 (2014). (16 pages).
2. Nehal Bhuta, Debora Malito and Gaby Umbach, *Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Producing, Using and Debating Corruption Indicators*. Robert Schuman Center for Advanced Studies Working Paper 2014/37 (2014). (16 pages)
3. Nehal Bhuta, editor, *Targeted Killing, Unmanned Vehicles and EU Policy*. Robert Schuman Center for Advanced Studies Policy Paper 2013/17 (2013). (63 pages).
4. Nehal Bhuta and Hin Yan Liu, *Killing, Unmanned Vehicles and EU Policy*. RSCAS Global Governance Program Policy Brief 2013/01, March 2013. (8 pages).
5. Nehal Bhuta, "Indexes of State Failure," Report to the Rockefeller Foundation, November 2010.
6. Nehal Bhuta, Human Rights Watch, *Back to the Future: India's New Counter-terrorism Laws*, July 2010.
7. Nehal Bhuta, Briefs on Behalf of Human Rights Watch, Amicus Curiae, in *Omar Khadr v Prime Minister of Canada* and *Prime Minister of Canada v Omar Khadr* (Supreme Court of Canada) concerning Canada's extraterritorial human rights obligations, November 2010 and November 2008.
8. Nehal Bhuta, Submissions on Behalf of Human Rights Watch, "Human Rights Standards Governing Intelligence Sharing," Internal Inquiry into the Actions of Canadian Officials in relation to Abdullah al-Maliki, Ahmad Abou-Elmaati and Muayyed Nureddin (The Iacobucci Inquiry), June and October 2008.
9. Nehal Bhuta, Human Rights Watch, *The Poisoned Chalice: A Human Rights Watch Briefing Paper on the Judgment of the Iraqi High Tribunal in the Dujail Case*, June 2007, <http://hrw.org/backgrounder/ij/iraq0607/iraq0607web.pdf>
10. Nehal Bhuta, Human Rights Watch, *Judging Dujail: The First Trial Before the Iraqi High Tribunal*, November 2006, <http://hrw.org/reports/2006/iraq1106/>
11. Nehal Bhuta, Human Rights Watch, *Universal Jurisdiction in Europe: The State of the Art*, June 2006, <http://www.hrw.org/reports/2006/ij0606/>
12. Nehal Bhuta, Human Rights Watch, *The Former Iraqi Government on Trial*, October 2005, <http://hrw.org/backgrounder/mena/iraq1005/>

13. Nehal Bhuta, Phuong Pham, Patrick Vinck and Nida Alahmad, International Center for Transitional Justice, *Iraqi Voices: Iraqi Attitudes towards Transitional Justice and Social Reconstruction*, May 2004, <http://www.ictj.org/images/content/1/0/108.pdf>

PRIZES, GRANTS AND AWARDS

2014	EUI Research Council, Autonomous Weapons Systems
2013	Thyssen Stiftung Grant on Autonomous Weapons Systems
2013	EUI Research Council, Building State Legitimacy
2009	Regione Toscana Giorgio La Pira Prize
2008-2011	Social Science and Humanities Research Council Standard Research Grant (C\$ 68,000)
2008	Hauser Research Scholarship, NYU School of Law
2004	Hauser Global Scholarship, New York University School of Law
2004	Outstanding M.A. Graduate Award, New School for Social Research
2003-4	Eberstadt Prize Fellowship, New School for Social Research
2002	Fulbright Postgraduate Student Award (Australian-American Fulbright Commission)
2000	Supreme Court Prize (1 st ranked student in Law School graduating class, University of Melbourne)
2000	EJB Nunn Scholarship (1 st ranked student in Law School graduating class, University of Melbourne)
2000	Allen Missen Foundation Prize for Best Essay on Civil Liberties in Australia
2000	Freehills Prize in Labour Law
2000	World Championship Cup, Philip C Jessup International Law Mooting Competition, Washington D.C.
2000	Best Oralist, Philip C Jessup International Law Mooting Competition, World Championship Round, Washington D.C.
1994	Jessie Leggatt Scholarship in History and Philosophy of Law
1994	Ruth Campbell Prize in History and Philosophy of Law
1994	Arthur Robinson Hedderwicks Prize in Torts and Process of Law

LANGUAGES

English (native)
Japanese (active, fluent)
Spanish (passive, reading)
French (passive, reading)

RESEARCH CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

1. Book Manuscript Symposium with Martti Koskenniemi, "Human Universal," January 21-22, 2014
2. Autonomous Weapons Systems: Law, Ethics, Policy, April 24-25, 2014.
3. "Global Governance By Indicators," Workshops held in October 2013, April 2014 and November 2014.
4. Roundtable on Italian Constitutional Court Decision 238/2014, Feb 13, 2015.
5. Workshop on the History of Laws of War, January 22-23, 2015.
6. Workshop on the History of International Law, June 8-9, 2015.
7. The History of International Law in Italy, April 18-19, 2016
8. Technologies of Stateness: International Organizations and the Making of States, September 15-16, 2016.

SELECTED RECENT CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES

1. "State Theory, State Order, State System," Manchester University School of Law, Center for International Law, Key Note Lecture, 5 October 2016.
2. Oxford Transatlantic Dialogue on International Humanitarian Law, July 20-21, University of Oxford.
3. "Human Rights as Global Law," Tilburg Law School, June 16, 2016
4. "Grotius's State Theory," Conference on Law in International Orders, Lauterpacht Center for International Law, University of Cambridge, May 18-19.
5. "Grotius's State Theory," Institute of International Law and Justice Colloquium, NYU Law School, March 7, 2016
6. "Human Rights as Global Law," London School of Economics and Political Science, Political and Legal Theory Forum, February 10, 2016
7. "Human Rights as Global Law," Max Planck Institute for International and Comparative Law, Heidelberg, January 11, 2016
8. "The Mystery of the State," and "Uncertainty and Autonomy," National University of Singapore Faculty of Law Center for Legal Theory and Center for International Law, April 28-29, 2015
9. Invited expert, Convention on Conventional Weapons Informal Expert Meeting on Autonomous Weapons Systems, April 13-15, 2015, United Nations, Geneva.
9. Lectures on Schmitt and Oakeshott, and Two Concepts of Religious Freedom in the European Court of Human Rights, Humboldt University and the Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin, 2-3 February, 2015.
10. Lecture on State-concept, State-theory and State-making in Schmitt and Oakeshott, University of St Gallen, School of Economic and Political Science, Political Science and Global Democratic Governance Seminar, December 11, 2014.
11. Invited panellist, "International Institutional Transitions," Hauser Global Law School 20th Anniversary Celebration, NYU, 18-19 October 2014.
12. University of Edinburgh Global Justice Academies Plenary Annual Conference, Keynote on Measurement and Quantification, 3 October 2014.
13. "State-theory, State-concept and International Law," workshop on System and Order in International Law, University of Frankfurt, 25-26 July 2014.
14. Panelist, Panel on Rethinking Public Law and Religion, ICON-S Inaugural conference, Florence, June 2014
15. Concluding Remarks on Authority, IBEI Workshop on Liquid Authority, 11 January 2014
16. "Targeted Killing and US Policy," Centro Alti Studi per la Difesa, Rome/Roma III Lecture, December 12, 2013
17. Measuring Stateness, Author Symposium in honor of Sally Merry, Center for Interdisciplinary Research, Bielefeld University, November 11-12, 2013.
18. High-Level Policy Seminar on Targeted Killing, Unmanned Aerial Vehicles and EU Policy, February 22, 2013 (convenor and chair).
19. "The Mystery of the State: State-Concept, State-Theory and State-Making in Schmitt and Oakeshott," LSE Political Theory Summer Conference on "Law, Liberty and the State: Hayek, Oakeshott and Schmitt on the Rule of Law," London School of Economics, June 20-21, 2013.
20. Kiobel, Universal Civil Jurisdiction and the Liability of Corporations, May 31, 2013 (convenor and chair)
21. Targeted Killing and the Challenges to jus ad bellum and jus in bello, University of Naples Federico II, April 23, 2013.
22. Workshop on Autonomous Weapons Systems (convenor), March 6, 2013

23. High-Level Policy Seminar on Targeted Killing, Unmanned Aerial Vehicles and EU Policy, February 22, 2013 (convenor and chair).
24. "Two Concepts of Religious Freedom in the European Court of Human Rights," International Workshop on the Politics of Religious Freedom, Cairo, January 9-10, 2013.
25. "Predicting Disorder," Sciences-Po, Paris, November 28, 2012.
26. "Extra-territorial application of human rights and the jus post bellum," European University Institute, June 21, 2012.
27. "Indexes of State Failure and Fragility," Northwestern University Buffett Center for International Studies, November 14, 2011.
28. "Indexes of State Failure and Fragility," Yale Law School Human Rights Workshop, November 21, 2011.
29. "Measuring Stateness," paper presentation at the Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, June 4, 2011
30. "How Do We Use Economic and Social Rights?" Conference on Constitutional Revolutions and Counter-revolutions, The New School for Social Research, May 5, 2011.
31. "The History of Contemporary Human Rights and Two Discourses of Freedom of Religion," Colloquium on Global Justice, New York Law School, April 20, 2011.
32. "On the Idea of Common Ground Between Sharia and Human Rights Law," Salzburg Global Seminar No. 475, Invited Faculty, November 14-19, 2010.
33. "Indexes of State Failure," New York University School of Law, September 15, 2010.
34. Invited Commentator, "Measuring Economic and Social Rights," University of Uppsala Johann Skytte Workshop, June 2-4, 2010.
35. "A Comparative Historical Approach to Human Rights and Other Moral Traditions," Princeton University Center for Theological Inquiry, May 20-22, 2010.
36. "How to Think About Indicators as a Technology of Global Governance," Invited Lecture, University of Los Andes, Bogota, April 24, 2010.
37. "The Political Theory of State-making and Constitution-making," Invited Lecture, London School of Economics and Political Science Law Department, March 23, 2010.
38. Invited Commentator, Workshop on Indicators, Arizona State University Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, January 10-11, 2010.
39. "State-building and Politics as Technology," Invited Lecture to Workshop on the International Politics of Social Order, University of Toronto Criminology Department, November 24-26, 2009.
40. "The Difficulties of a Jus Post Bellum of Constitutional Transformation," Invited Lecture, University of Maryland School of Law International Law Colloquium, September 18, 2009.
41. "Anthropological Approaches to Human Rights Law and Lawyers," convenor, chair and commentator, American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, March 28, 2009.

LLM Theses completed under my supervision

Elizabeth O'Loughlin

LLM candidates currently under my supervision

Aishani Gupta

Doctoral Theses completed under my supervision

Rebecca Schmidt

Doctoral candidates currently under supervision

Emma Nyhan

Tleuzhan Zhunussova

Maia Titberidze
Dimitri van den Meerssche
Marie-Catherine Petersmann
Francesca Iurlaro
Stavros Pantazopoulos
Francois Delerue
Kristina Cufar
Zeynep Yilmaz
Rian Derrig
Rebecca Mignon Mahdavi
Julie Wetterslev
Xiaohang Chen

Doctoral Theses examined

Valentina Spiga
Nuhaila Carmouche
Marina Aksenova
Lisa Ginsborg
Antoine Perret
Umut Ozsu
Magdalena Silska
Thompson Chengeta
Cornelius Wiesener
Alexandre Galand
Alexis Galan
Kenneth Chan
Emmanuel de Groof