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## **Speaker Biographies**

Prof. William C. Banks is a Board of Advisors Distinguished Professor of Law, Professor of Public Administration and International Affairs, and Director, Institute for National Security and Counterterrorism at Syracuse University. Professor Banks is an internationally recognized authority in national security law, counterterrorism, and constitutional law. Banks has helped set the parameters for the emerging field of national security law since 1987, co-authoring two leading texts in the field: National Security Law and Counterterrorism Law. In 2008, Banks was named the College of Law Board of Advisors Distinguished Professor at Syracuse University, where he has been a member of the faculty for over 30 years. National Security Law was first published in 1990 and is now in its fifth edition. Banks and his co-authors published Counterterrorism Law in 2007 to help define the emerging field of counterterrorism law, and the second edition was published in 2012. Banks is also the author of numerous other books, book chapters and articles including Counterinsurgency Law: New Dimensions in Asymmetric Warfare, Combating Terrorism (with Mitchel Wallerstein and Renee de Nevers), New Battlefields/Old Laws: Critical Debates from the Hague Convention to Asymmetric Warfare, "Legal Sanctuaries and Predator Strikes in the War on Terror," "Programmatic Surveillance and FISA - Of Needles in Haystacks," and "Providing 'Supplemental Security' - The Insurrection Act and the Military Role in Responding to Domestic Crises." Since 1998, Banks also has been a Professor of Public Administration in SU's Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs. He was named the Laura J. and L. Douglas Meredith Professor for Teaching Excellence in 1998, a College of Law Board of Advisors Professor in 2005, and he became the founding director of the Institute for National Security and Counterterrorism at Syracuse University in 2003. He is also the Editor-in-Chief of the Journal of National Security Law & Policy (JNSL&P).

Mr. Phillip Carter is Senior Fellow, Counsel and Director of the Military, Veterans, and Society Program at the Center for a New American Security. His research focuses on issues facing veterans and military personnel, force structure and readiness issues, and civil-military relations. Mr. Carter began his career as an Army officer, serving for several years in the active and reserve components as a military police and civil affairs officer. He deployed to Iraq in 2005-06, where he served as an embedded adviser with the Iraqi police in the Diyala province, and worked closely with the State Department's Provincial Reconstruction Team. In 2009, Mr. Carter served as a political appointee in the Obama administration, responsible for detainee policy issues. In addition to his military and government experience, Mr. Carter previously practiced law with a major international law firm, where his work focused on government contracts, export controls, and national security law. Mr. Carter authored briefs in the landmark national security cases Hamdan v. Rumsfeld (relating to military commissions at Guantanamo Bay), FAIR vs.

Rumsfeld (relating to military recruiting on university campuses) and Al-Aulaqi v. Obama (a challenge to U.S. targeting of al Qaeda personnel in Yemen). Mr. Carter currently serves on the board of directors for the Army Heritage Foundation in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, the editorial board of the Journal for National Security Law & Policy, and the veterans advisory council for the Jericho Project, a non-profit organization in New York devoted to ending homelessness through innovative supportive housing programs. He continues to write extensively on legal and national security issues, with recent work appearing in the *Washington Post*, *Slate*, and *Foreign Policy*, and other publications, also comments on national security issues as @inteldump on Twitter. A native of Southern California, Mr. Carter attended college and law school at the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA).

**Prof. Geoffrey S. Corn** The Presidential Research Professor of Law at South Texas College of Law in Houston Texas, and a Lieutenant Colonel (Retired), U.S. Army. His Army career included service as the Army's senior law of war expert advisor: tactical intelligence officer in Panama; supervisory defense counsel for the Western United States; Chief of International Law for US Army Europe; Professor of International and National Security Law at the US Army Judge Advocate General's School; and Chief Prosecutor for the 101<sup>st</sup> Airborne Division. Professor Corn has been an expert witness at the Military Commission in Guantanamo, the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia, and in federal court. He is the lead author of *The Law of Armed Conflict: An Operational Perspective*, and *The Laws of War and the War on Terror*, and a co-author of *Principles of Counter-Terrorism Law*.

Hon. Andre M. Davis was appointed United States Circuit Judge on the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit in November 2009. A 1978 *cum laude* graduate of the University of Maryland School of Law, he served as law clerk to Judge Frank A. Kaufman of the United States District Court for the District of Maryland from 1978 to 1979, and then as law clerk to Judge Francis D. Murnaghan, Jr. of the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit from 1979 to 1980. From 1980 to 1981, Judge Davis was an appellate attorney with the U. S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division; and in1981 he served as an Assistant United States Attorney in Baltimore in the United States Attorney's Office for the District of Maryland where he remained until 1983 when he entered private practice. From 1984 to 1987, Judge Davis was an assistant professor at the University of Maryland School of Law, and in1987, he was appointed as associate judge of the District Court of Maryland for Baltimore City, where he remained until 1990. In that year he was appointed as associate judge of the Circuit Court for Baltimore City. In August of 1995, Judge Davis was appointed a District Judge on the United States District Court for the District of Maryland where he served until his appointment to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit.

Maj Gen Charles J. Dunlap, Jr, USAF (Ret.) is a Professor of the Practice and Executive Director of the Center on Law, Ethics and National Security at Duke Law School where he teaches national security law, the international law of armed conflict, use of force in international law, criminal law in the armed forces, legal and policy aspects of U.S. civil-military relations, and ethical issues of the practice of national security law. He is a retired Air Force major general who received his undergraduate degree from St. Joseph's University (PA), and his law degree from Villanova University. Prior to retiring from the military in June of 2010, General Dunlap was responsible for assisting in the supervision of more than 2,500 military and civilian attorneys worldwide. His 34-year career included tours in both the United Kingdom and Korea, and he deployed for military operations in Africa and the Middle East. Totaling more than 120 publications, his writings address a wide range of topics including various aspects of national security law, airpower, counterinsurgency, cyberpower, civil-military relations, and leadership. A distinguished graduate of the National War College, General Dunlap speaks frequently at professional conferences and at numerous institutions of higher learning.

Prof. Jayne Huckerby joined the Duke Law faculty in 2013 as an associate clinical professor of law and inaugural director of the Duke International Human Rights Clinic. Prior to joining Duke, she most recently served as a human rights adviser to UN Women – the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women - on women and conflict prevention, conflict, and post-conflict; gender equality and constitutional reform in post-Arab Spring countries; and the use of gender and human rights indicators in national security policy frameworks. A native of Sydney, Australia, Huckerby received her LLB from the University of Sydney in 2002, with first class honors. She attended New York University School of Law as a Vanderbilt Scholar, focusing her LLM studies on human rights and international law. Huckerby was awarded the David H. Moses Memorial prize on graduating first in her LLM class. She was also graduate editor on the Journal of International Law and Politics, and an International Law and Human Rights Fellow at the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees in Geneva, Switzerland. After serving as a human rights officer with the International Service for Human Rights in Geneva, Huckerby joined the Center for Human Rights and Global Justice at NYU Law in 2005, serving as its research director from 2006 to 2011 and also teaching in NYU's International Human Rights Clinic and Global Justice Clinic for two and a half years. She has also worked at the law firm Baker & McKenzie in Chicago, Sydney, and London. Huckerby has undertaken human rights research and advocacy in the areas of gender and human rights, constitution-making, national security, human trafficking, transitional justice, and human rights in U.S. foreign policy. She has led multiple fieldwork investigations, provided capacity-building to civil society and governments in five regions, and frequently served as a human rights law expert to international governmental organizations and NGOs, including the International Center for Transitional Justice and the Global Alliance Against Traffic in Women. She also has extensive domestic, regional (Africa, Americas, Europe) and international litigation and advocacy experience. She has written and co-authored numerous articles, book chapters, and human rights reports, and is most recently the editor, with Margaret L. Satterthwaite, of *Gender, National Security, and Counter-Terrorism:* Human Rights Perspectives (Routledge 2012).

Prof. Neil Kinkopf teaches constitutional law, criminal law, legislation and civil procedure at Georgia State University College of Law. He graduated summa cum laude, and Phi Beta Kappa from Boston College in 1987, and received his J.D, magna cum laude, from Case Western Reserve University in 1991. He clerked for Judge Richard Suhrheinrich, U.S. Court of Appeals (6th Circuit) (1991-1992). During the Clinton Administration, Professor Kinkopf was a special assistant in the Department of Justice's Office of Legal Counsel, where his practice focused on issues of presidential power. In 1999 he served as counselor to Senator Joseph Biden for the Impeachment Trial of President Clinton. Professor Kinkopf has taught at the law schools at Duke University and Case Western Reserve University. His numerous articles on law and politics earned him the Patricia T. Morgan Award for Outstanding Faculty Scholarship (2007). He is a frequent commentator in both the national and local media.

**Prof. Margaret H. Lemos** is a scholar of constitutional law, legal institutions, and procedure. She came to Duke Law in 2011 from the Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, where she was an associate professor. Lemos focuses her scholarship on the institutions of law interpretation and enforcement and their effects on substantive rights. She writes in four related fields: federalism; administrative law, including the relationship between courts and agencies; statutory interpretation; and civil procedure. Her articles have been published in the <a href="Supreme Court Review">Supreme Court Review</a> as well as in the Harvard, New York University, Texas, Minnesota, and Vanderbilt law reviews. Prior to joining the Cardozo faculty, Lemos was a Furman Fellow and program coordinator at New York University School of Law, a Bristow Fellow at the Office of the Solicitor General, and a law clerk for Judge Kermit V. Lipez, U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit, and for U.S. Supreme Court Justice John Paul Stevens. She graduated summa cum

laude from New York University School of Law, where she was senior notes editor of the <u>New York University Law Review</u>. Lemos was awarded Duke's Distinguished Teaching Award in 2013, and students at Cardozo voted her-the "best first-year teacher" in 2010 and in 2011.

Maj Gen Steven J. Lepper, USAF (Ret.) is the former Deputy Judge Advocate General, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C. General Lepper assisted The Judge Advocate General in the professional oversight of more than 2,200 judge advocates, 350 civilian attorneys, 1,400 enlisted paralegals and 500 civilians assigned worldwide. In addition to overseeing an array of military justice. operational, international and civil law functions, General Lepper provided legal advice to the Air Staff and commanders at all levels. General Lepper was commissioned in 1979 as a distinguished graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy. He served for two years as a scientific analyst at the Tactical Fighter Weapons Center, Nellis Air Force Base, NV, until his selection for the Funded Legal Education Program, where he attended Duke University School of Law, graduating with high honors. He received his Masters of Law degree in International and comparative law, with distinction, at Georgetown University and a Master of Science degree in national security strategy from the National War College. Since his designation as an Air Force judge advocate in 1984, General Lepper has served in a variety of professional and leadership positions, including serving as the Commander, Air Force Legal Operations Agency and five tours as a staff judge advocate, which is the senior attorney for an Air Force organization. Additionally, he has had two assignments in the Office of The Judge Advocate General and one assignment each in the offices of the Secretary of the Air Force and the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Hon. Robert S. Litt was confirmed by unanimous consent by the Senate to serve as the second General Counsel of the Office of the Director of National Intelligence on June 25, 2009. Before joining the ODNI, Mr. Litt was a partner with the law firm of Arnold and Porter, LLP. He served as a member of the governing body of the American Bar Association's Criminal Justice Section and a member of the Advisory Committee to the Standing Committee on Law and National Security. From 1994 to 1999, Mr. Litt worked at the Department of Justice where he served as Deputy Assistant Attorney General in the Criminal Division and then as the Principal Associate Deputy Attorney General. His duties at DOJ included FISA applications, covert action reviews, computer security and other national security matters. Mr. Litt started his legal career as a clerk for Judge Edward Weinfeld of the Southern District of New York and Justice Potter Stewart of the U.S. Supreme Court. From 1978 to 1984, he was an Assistant U.S. Attorney for the Southern District of New York. He also spent one year as a special advisor to the Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs. Mr. Litt holds a B.A. from Harvard College and an M.A. and J.D. from Yale University.

Lt. Col. Katherine "Kate" Oler is currently assigned as the Staff Judge Advocate, 902d Mission Support Group, Joint Base San Antonio-Randolph (JBSA-Randolph), Texas. In that capacity, she is responsible for providing base-level legal support for all JBSA-Randolph organizations, including Headquarters, Air Education and Training Command, Air Force Personnel Center, Air Force Recruiting Service, 502d Air Base Wing, 12th Flying Training Wing, 359th Medical Group, and more than 30 tenant units. Lieutenant Colonel Oler grew up in Sandwich, Massachusetts. She earned a Bachelor of Arts in English and Political Science, *cum laude*, from Wellesley College in 1996, and her Juris Doctor from Boston University School of Law in 1996. She received her commission on 23 October 1996 and has served in various capacities during her time on active duty, to include work as the Chief of Legal Assistance, Claims Officer, Chief of Military Justice, Area Defense Counsel, Circuit Trial Counsel, Executive Officer and Military Judge. She has served at various locations in the United States, as well as overseas in Panama, Korea, Germany, as well as temporary duty elsewhere including the Middle East. Lieutenant Colonel Oler is a member of the Florida Bar, and is married to Colonel Adam Oler, the

Staff Judge Advocate of the 802d Mission Support Group, Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland. They have two children, Robert (7) and Sarah (4).

**Prof. H. Jefferson Powell** returned to the Duke Law faculty in May 2012 after serving as deputy assistant attorney general in the Office of Legal Counsel at the U.S. Department of Justice. He previously served on the Duke Law faculty from 1989 to 2010, and in in 2002 received Duke University's Scholar/Teacher Award. In addition to his recent tenure in DoJ, he served in the Department in various capacities from 1993 to 2000, and in 1996, he was the principal deputy solicitor general. He has briefed and argued cases in both federal and state courts, including the Supreme Court of the United States. In the early 1990s, he was special counsel to the attorney general of North Carolina. Powell's academic career has included visiting positions at Yale University and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and he served as a professor of law at the University of Iowa prior to joining the Duke Law faculty. Powell holds a bachelor's degree from St. David's University College (now Trinity St. David) of the University of Wales; a master's degree and PhD from Duke University; and a Master's of Divinity and JD from Yale University. He was a law clerk to Judge Sam J. Ervin III of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit. Among his books are *The President as Commander in Chief* and *Constitutional Conscience: The Moral Dimension of Judicial Decision*.

Ms. Andrea Prasow is a senior national security counsel and advocate in Human Rights Watch's US Program, investigates and analyzes US national security policies and practices. She also leads advocacy efforts urging executive and legislative branch officials in Washington to implement national security policies that respect internationally recognized rights. Prior to joining Human Rights Watch, Andrea was a defense attorney with the Office of Military Commissions. She served as assistant counsel for Salim Hamdan in the only contested military commission trial to date. Andrea was previously an associate at Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP in New York, where, in addition to representing large corporations in complex civil litigation she served as habeas counsel for ten Saudi detainees at Guantanamo. Her work on behalf of Guantanamo detainees has taken her to Bahrain, Yemen and Afghanistan. Andrea holds a B.A. from the University of Toronto in political science and a J.D. from Georgetown University Law Center.

Hon. Stephen W. Preston is General Counsel of the Department of Defense. Appointed by the President with the advice and consent of the Senate, he was sworn in on October 28, 2013. By statute, the General Counsel is the chief legal officer of the Department. Mr. Preston served as General Counsel of the Central Intelligence Agency from July 2009 until his appointment as DoD General Counsel. Earlier positions in government have included General Counsel of the Department of the Navy (1998-2000), Deputy Assistant Attorney General at the Department of Justice (1995-1998), and Principal Deputy General Counsel of the Department of Defense (1993-1995). Mr. Preston was previously a partner at the law firm of Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP in Washington, DC, where he was co-chair of the Defense and National Security Practice Group, as well as a member of the Regulatory and Litigation Departments. He joined the firm in 1986. A member of the District of Columbia Bar, Mr. Preston is a fellow of the American Bar Foundation and a member of the Council on Foreign Relations. He has been active with the American Bar Association Standing Committee on Law and National Security and, prior to his appointment as CIA General Counsel, served on the board of directors of the Center for Strategic and Budgetary Assessments. During his earlier service at the Pentagon, Mr. Preston received the Department of Defense Medal for Distinguished Public Service (with bronze palm in lieu of second award) and the Department of the Navy Distinguished Public Service Award. At the CIA, he was awarded the Agency's Distinguished Intelligence Medal and the National Intelligence Distinguished Service Medal. Upon his departure, Mr. Preston was again awarded the National Intelligence Distinguished Service Medal and was presented the Director's Award for Distinguished

Service. Mr. Preston received a Bachelor of Arts degree, summa cum laude, from Yale University and a Juris Doctor degree, magna cum laude, from Harvard University. He is married, with two children, and lives in Washington, DC

Capt. Lindsay L. Rodman, USMC, graduated in 2003 from Duke University with a bachelor's degree in Mathematics and in 2007 from Harvard Law School with a Juris Doctor and the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University with a Masters degree in Public Policy. Before joining the Marine Corps, Capt Rodman worked as an associate at Arnold & Porter LLP in Washington, DC. Capt Rodman reported to Officer Candidates School, Quantico, VA in May 2008. After graduating from Officer Candidates School, The Basic School and Naval Justice School, she was certified as a Marine Corps Judge Advocate in July 2009. In 2009, Capt Rodman was assigned to the Legal Services Support Section, Combat Logistics Regiment-37, 3d Marine Logistics Group, Okinawa, Japan. Capt Rodman served as defense counsel from 2009 until 2010, when she deployed to Afghanistan. In Afghanistan, Capt Rodman served as the Operational Law Attorney for 1st Marine Division (FWD). Upon returning to Okinawa in 2011, Capt Rodman served as a Legal Assistance attorney until permanent change of station to Judge Advocate Division, Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps, Pentagon, Washington, D.C., where she served as the deputy to the Deputy Director of Judge Advocate Division for Community Development, Strategy & Plans. In July 2013, Capt Rodman joined the Joint Staff to serve as Deputy Legal Counsel in the Office of the Legal Advisor to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff where her portfolio includes military justice and health of the force issues.

**Prof. Christopher H. Schroeder** is the Charles S. Murphy Professor of Law and Public Policy Studies and Co-Director of the Program in Public Law, Duke Law School. In December, 2012, Professor Schroeder returned to the Duke Law School faculty after serving for nearly three years as Assistant Attorney General the Office of Legal Policy at the United States Department of Justice, where he supervised the evaluation of President Obama's nominees to the federal judiciary and provided policy advice to the Attorney General and the White House on a variety of law enforcement and national security issues. Chris has also served as acting Assistant Attorney General in the Office of Legal Counsel where he was responsible for legal advice to the Attorney General and the President on a broad range of legal issues, including separation of powers, other constitutional issues, and matters of statutory interpretation and administrative law. He has also served as chief counsel to the Senate Judiciary Committee. Schroeder is currently teaching a course on Federal Policymaking to Duke Law School's Duke in DC externs, as well as one on presidential powers. He is working on a book on presidential powers. Chris is married to Kate Bartlett, former Dean of Duke Law School.

Hon. David B. Sentelle was appointed United States Circuit Judge on the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit in October 1987, served as Chief Judge from February 11, 2008 until February 11, 2013, and took senior status on February 12, 2013. He was graduated with honors from the University of North Carolina Law School in 1968, and following law school he practiced with the firm of Uzzell & DuMont in Asheville, North Carolina, until he became an Assistant United States Attorney in Charlotte in 1970, and he served in that capacity for the next four years. From 1974 to 1977, he was a North Carolina State District Judge, but left the bench in 1977 to become a partner with the firm of Tucker, Hicks, Sentelle, Moon & Hodge. In 1985, Judge Sentelle joined the United States District Court, Western District of North Carolina, in Asheville, where he served until his appointment to the Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit. Judge Sentelle was the Presiding Judge of the Special Division for the Purpose of Appointing Independent Counsels from 1992 until 2006, and also served as the Chair of the United States Judicial Conference's Executive Committee from 2010 until 2013). He is the President of the Edward Bennett Williams Inn of the American Inns of Court.

Hon. Scott L. Silliman is an appellate judge on the United States Court of Military Commission Review as well as being a Professor of the Practice of Law at Duke Law School. He received his undergraduate and law degrees from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He served for 25 years as an Air Force judge advocate, retiring in the grade of colonel in 1993 when he joined the Duke Law faculty. As the senior attorney for Tactical Air Command during the first Persian Gulf War of 1990-91, and later as Air Combat Command's senior attorney, he has extensive experience in operational and other areas of military law. Incidental to joining Duke's law school faculty, Professor Silliman served as Executive Director of the Center on Law, Ethics and National Security from its inception in 1993 until July of 2011, and now serves as its Director Emeritus. He is a frequent commentator on national and international television and radio news programs on national security issues, and is quoted on a regular basis by print media from around the world.

Mr. James R. Silkenat is a partner in the New York office of the national law firm of Sullivan & Worcester and a member of its Corporate Department, is President of the American Bar Association. Mr. Silkenat has a long and distinguished record of service at the ABA. He has served in the ABA House of Delegates since 1989. He was a member of the ABA Commission on Women in the Profession and the ABA Commission on Racial and Ethnic Diversity in the Profession. Mr. Silkenat also served as Chair of the ABA Section of International Law (receiving its Lifetime Achievement Award in 2007 and its Louis B. Sohn Award for Public International Law in 2013. He is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and the American Law Institute, and has served as Chair of the Lawyers Committee for International Human Rights (now Human Rights First). He was also Chair of the Commission on the World Justice Project and of the Council of New York Law Associates (now the Lawyers Alliance for New York). Additionally, he was a Fellow in the U.S. State Department Scholar/Diplomat Program and a Fellow of the National Endowment for the Humanities. Mr. Silkenat received his Bachelors of Arts from Drury College, where he received the Distinguished Alumni Award for Career Achievement in 2000 and an Honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters Degree in 2012. He received his Juris Doctor from the University of Chicago School of Law, where he was an Editor of the University of Chicago Law Review, and his Master of Laws in International Law from New York University School of Law.

Mr. Daniel Sutherland is the Associate General Counsel for the National Protection and Programs Directorate (NPPD) of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. In this capacity, Mr. Sutherland is the primary legal advisor to the Under Secretary for NPPD, providing advice on issues of cybersecurity, telecommunications, critical infrastructure and biometrics. Previously, Mr. Sutherland served in the Senior National Intelligence Service at the National Counterterrorism Center. Within the Directorate of Strategic Operational Planning, he coordinated government activities designed to prevent violent extremism around the world. Wired described Mr. Sutherland as "one of the government's point people on stemming the appeal of al-Qaida." Prior to joining NCTC, Mr. Sutherland was the first Officer for Civil Rights and Civil Liberties at the Department of Homeland Security. Mr. Sutherland provided advice to Secretaries Ridge and Chertoff on outreach to American Arab and Muslim communities, watchlists, cybersecurity, immigration law and policy, accessibility of information technology, and emergency management issues. Mr. Sutherland's 2005 speech on the need for the government to engage with American Arab and Muslim communities appeared in the publication Vital Speeches of the Day. Mr. Sutherland started his federal career as a civil rights attorney with the U.S. Department of Justice, where for 14 years he handled civil rights litigation. He is a co-author of the book Religion in the Workplace, published by the American Bar Association. Mr. Sutherland is a graduate of the University of Louisville and University of Virginia School of Law. He is an adjunct professor at Pepperdine University and George Washington University.

Hon. Reggie B. Walton was appointed United States District Judge for the District of Columbia in October 29, 2001. He is a 1974 graduate of The American University, Washington College of Law, and thereafter served for two years as a staff attorney in the Defender Association of Philadelphia. From 1976 until 1980, Judge Walton was an Assistant United States Attorney in the Office of the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia, and then served as the Executive Assistant United States Attorney in that office from 1980 until 1981. He was an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia from 1981 to 1989, and again from 1991 until 2001 when he was appointed as a United States District Judge for the District of Columbia. Between 1989 and 1991, Judge Walton served as President George H. W. Bush's Associate Director of the Office of National Drug Control Policy in the Executive Office of the President and as President Bush's Senior White House Advisor for Crime. In May 2007, Chief Justice John Roberts appointed Judge Walton to serve as a Judge of the United States Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court, which is a 7-year appointment, and in February 2013, the Chief Justice elevated Judge Walton to the position of Presiding Judge of that same court.

Prof. Sean Watts is a Professor of Law at Creighton University Law School where he teaches Constitutional Law, Federal Courts, Federal Habeas Corpus, Law of Armed Conflict, International Criminal Law, and Military Law. He also serves as a Reserve Instructor at the United States Military Academy, Department of Law. His teaching experience includes service as a Lecturer at the University of Virginia School of Law. He has provided law of war instruction at a wide range of domestic and international governmental agencies and educational institutions. His primary research interest is international legal regulation of emerging forms of warfare. From 2010-2012 he participated in drafting the Tallinn Manual on International Law Applicable to Cyber Warfare. He is currently participating in a project to expand and update the Tallinn Manual. He recently served as a defense team member in *Gotovina et al.* at the International Criminal Tribunal for Former Yugoslavia. Prior to teaching, Professor Watts served as an active-duty U.S. Army officer for fifteen years in a variety of legal and operational assignments, including service as a tank platoon leader and company executive officer in a tank battalion. Professor Watts was awarded Creighton Law School's Outstanding Faculty Member of the Year and the American Society of International Law (ASIL) Francis Lieber Military Prize and is a Senior Fellow with the Cooperative Cyber Defence Centre of Excellence in Tallinn, Estonia.

Ms. Erin Wirtanen is the principal litigation attorney with the Office of General Counsel for the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA). She provides legal guidance to CIA's senior leaders in employment, human resources and personnel legal matters. Prior to joining the CIA, Mrs. Wirtanen was an active duty JAG with the United State Air Force. Mrs. Wirtanen held assignments in Florida, North Carolina, and Virginia. She was the Chief of Operations Law, Chief of Military Justice, an Area Defense Counsel, and Litigation Expert. Mrs. Wirtanen served two deployments: first to Saudi Arabia where she served as the Deputy Staff Judge Advocate; then to Kuwait in 2002 as the Staff Judge Advocate handling an array of Military Justice, Contract Law, Law of War, Rules of Engagement, Deadly Force, Accident Investigation and other legal issues. From 2004 to 2007, Mrs. Wirtanen focused solely on litigation and employment discrimination law for the Air Force. She successfully defended her cases before the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, Merit systems Protection Board, Federal Labor Relations Authority, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, and Federal District Court. In 2007, Mrs. Wirtanen separated from the military and joined her husband overseas, living in Zambia and Kenya. In Africa she held a position with the State Department working directly for the US Ambassador to Kenya in small grants management. As a part of this position, Mrs. Wirtanen traveled extensively with the US Ambassador, met with foreign leaders and heads of state, and was directly involved in international diplomacy.