

RYAN J FISHER

Education

University of California, Santa Barbara

Santa Barbara, CA

CLASS OF 2024 ¹	PhD Student, Sociology
Article	<i>Ecolawriors: Knights of the Green Law Consciousness</i> (Global Jurist, 2022)
Book (Forthcoming)²	PROPERTY MEETING THE CHALLENGE OF THE COMMONS (Springer, 2022)
Apprentice Teaching	Criminal Justice, Eco Vista, Environmental Sociology, Marxist & Critical Theory, Political Sociology, Sociology of Law
Research/Editorial	<i>The Legal Metaverse and Comparative Taxonomy</i> (U Mattei: American Journal of Comparative Law, Forthcoming); Chapter, THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF INTERNATIONAL LAW AND DEVELOPMENT (U Mattei, Margot Salomon: Oxford U Press, Forthcoming); <i>A Lucky Man</i> in RUDOLF B SCHLESINGER, MEMORIES (U Mattei, A Pradi: Intersentia, 2022); <i>On Coase and Commons</i> in LE DROIT SANS FRONTIÈRES: MÉLANGES POUR FRANZ WERRO (U Mattei: Stämpfli Editions, 2022); LENIN, HEGEL, AND WESTERN MARXISM (K B Anderson: Brill, 2022); <i>Non-Ownership and the Commons</i> (A Quarta: Revue de droit de l'université de Sherbrooke, 2020); <i>Do Smart Things Make Us Dumb?</i> (U Mattei: Revue européenne de droit de la consommation, 2020); DIALECTICS OF REVOLUTION (K B Anderson: Daraja Press, 2020)
Podcast	Co-host of <i>The Dream Deferred: On California's Political State of Resistance with Manuel Pastor</i> (Andrew Mellon Foundation: M McAnany, L Parks, F Winddance Twine, and K Yasuda, producers, 2022)
CLASS OF 2020	Master of Arts, Sociology
Thesis³	<i>Freiligrath's Gift: A Marxian Roadmap for the Climate Crisis</i>
Publication⁴	<i>Commons as Possessions</i> (European Law Journal, 2019)
Apprentice Teaching	Introduction to Sociology, Social Movements and Social Transformation, Sociology of Law
Research/Editorial	<i>Communology</i> (U Mattei, M Mancall: S Atlantic Quarterly, 2019); THE TURNING POINT IN PRIVATE LAW (U Mattei, A Quarta: Elgar Publishing, 2018); <i>Comparative Law, Geopolitics, and the Conflict in Palestine</i> (U Mattei: Global Jurist, 2018)

University of California, Hastings College of the Law

San Francisco, CA

CLASS OF 2018	Juris Doctor, DEAN'S SCHOLAR, HASTINGS SCHOLAR
Concentration	Social Justice Lawyering
Publication	<i>The Cotillion on the Commons</i> (J of Politics & Int'l Affairs, 2018)

¹ Dissertation Committee: Professors Kevin B Anderson (chair), Lisa L Hajjar, F Winddance Twine, Ugo A Mattei (UC Hastings College of the Law & University of Turin), William I Robinson, David A Takacs (UC Hastings College of the Law)

² With Ugo Mattei, Alessandra Quarta, Filippo Valguarnera

³ Embargoed until 3 September 2024

⁴ With Ugo Mattei, Rocco A Albanese

New York University

New York, NY

CLASS OF 2015

Major

Senior Colloquium

Publications

Bachelor of Arts, UNIVERSITY HONORS SCHOLAR

Gallatin School of Individualized Study: Race, Justice, & Statecraft in America

Black and White Americans: Two Solitudes

Johnson v McAdoo (Journal of Human Rights, 2015)

The Way of the Future (Journal of Global Affairs, 2014)

Employment

University of Turin

Turin, Italy

Legal Research Comrade, Professor Ugo Mattei, 2018 – Present

Perform research and render (from time to time) editorial, drafting, and advisory services in connection with publications of variegated books, chapters, journal articles, and legal briefs

UC Hastings College of the Law

San Francisco, CA

Legal Research Asst., Professor Veena B Dubal, Summer 2017

Performed research on one-stop career centers; attended Santa Clara County Court child support hearings; met and arranged follow-up meeting with presiding judge; drafted topical memoranda in connection with nascent ethnographic project in San Jose

SF Human Rights Commission

San Francisco, CA

Legal Intern, Policy and Social Justice Division, Spring 2017

Performed research; conducted interviews; engaged with police, community, activists; invited and coordinated guest speakers, prepared communiqué brochure, delivered succinct oration, and tri-authored formal recommendations for public hearing on police brutality in SF

Superior Court of California

San Francisco, CA

Mediator, Court of Judge Donald S Mitchell, Fall 2016

Co-mediated 11 separate small-claims cases involving automobile accident, contract, emotional distress, employment discrimination, fraud, health insurance, loan default, medical malpractice, tenant-landlord, and tenant-tenant issues

San Francisco District Attorney

San Francisco, CA

Law Clerk, Crime Strategies & Misdemeanors, Summer 2016

Performed research and drafted motions for assistant district attorneys; reviewed arraignment information folders; served on focused crime deterrence working group; liaised with Manhattan District Attorney's Office ("DANY"); designed external presentations and related communications; engaged in community outreach, including Mock Trial with Youth Career Academy students

Saturday Night Lights ("SNL")

New York, NY

Intern, Spring 2014–15

Co-supervised Harlem site of collaborative initiative—by DANY, New York Police Department, US Drug Enforcement Administration, Police Athletic League, and Pro Hoops—of free weekend basketball clinics to reduce youth violence, increase graduation rates, and lower probability that youth (more than 4,000 then served) got diverted into illegal activity

Manhattan District Attorney

New York, NY

Community Partnerships Unit: Intern, Spring 2014 and Fall 2014

Assisted with reentry / juvenile justice programs and events; supported research and drafted memoranda for special projects; engaged in community outreach: SNL and Manhattan GunSTOP Parole / Probation Forums (with formerly incarcerated persons)

Ryan J Fisher

US House of Representatives
Washington, DC

Office of Democratic Leader Nancy Pelosi: Intern, Spring 2013
Drafted memoranda on climate, communications, education, foreign affairs, health, housing, infrastructure, and other issues; represented Office at Congressional briefings; interfaced with Democratic Caucus staffs; assisted drafting letters from Leader

Democratic National Committee
Washington, DC

Office of Chair Debbie Wasserman Schultz: Intern, Fall 2012
Proud member of "The best campaign team and volunteers in the history of politics": analyzed preëlection polling; gathered intelligence on Democratic winners / DNC members; assisted in hosting DNC and Obama Victory Fund events; served as Chair's factotum