

2015

Pro-Constitutional Representation and Constitutional Democracy: Comparing the Role Obligations of Judges and Elected Representatives (Program)

Vicki C. Jackson

Repository Citation

Jackson, Vicki C., "Pro-Constitutional Representation and Constitutional Democracy: Comparing the Role Obligations of Judges and Elected Representatives (Program)" (2015). *James Goold Cutler Lecture*. 34.
<https://scholarship.law.wm.edu/cutler/34>



**WILLIAM & MARY
LAW SCHOOL**

THE 2014-15
JAMES GOOLD CUTLER LECTURE

Monday, March 23rd 2015
Room 124

Vicki C. Jackson, Thurgood Marshall Professor of Constitutional Law at Harvard Law School, writes and teaches about U.S. constitutional law and comparative constitutional law. She is the author of *Constitutional Engagement in a Transnational Era* (2010), and coauthor, with Mark Tushnet, of *Comparative Constitutional Law* (3d ed. 2014), a leading course book in the field. She has written on constitutional aspects of federalism, gender equality, election law, free speech, sovereign immunity, courts and judicial independence, methodological challenges in comparative constitutional law, and other topics.

Her other books include *Federalism* (with Susan Low Bloch, coauthor) (2013), two edited collections, *Federal Courts Stories* (2010) (with Judith Resnik, co-editor), and *Defining the Field of Constitutional Law* (2002) (with Mark Tushnet, co-editor), and another course book, *Inside the Supreme Court: The Institution and Its Procedures* (2d ed., 2008) (with Susan Low Bloch and Thomas G. Krattenmaker).

Her scholarly projects include normative conceptions of the role of elected representatives in a democracy; proportionality in constitutional law and interpretation; gender equality and the interaction of international and domestic law; and the co-evolution of the constitutionalization of international law and the internationalization of constitutional law.

She is a member of the Executive Committee of the American Association of Law Schools (AALS), and has served on the Executive Committee of the International Association of Constitutional Law, on the Board of Managerial Trustees of the International Association of Women Judges, as Chair of the Federal Courts Section of the AALS, and on the D.C. Bar Board of Governors. She has also practiced law, in private practice, and as a government lawyer in the Office of Legal Counsel in the U.S. Department of Justice.

THE 2014-15 CUTLER LECTURE

Vicki C. Jackson
Thurgood Marshall Professor
of Constitutional Law
Harvard Law School

*Pro-Constitutional Representation and
Constitutional Democracy: Comparing
the Role Obligations of Judges and
Elected Representatives*

THE JAMES GOULD CUTLER LECTURESHIP

The Cutler Lecture series was established in 1927 by James Goold Cutler of Rochester, New York, to provide an annual lecture at William & Mary by “an outstanding authority on the Constitution of the United States.” The original series of 16 lectures ran from 1928 to 1944. After a period of dormancy, the Cutler lectures were revived in 1980-81 under the auspices of the Law School, with each lecture published in the WILLIAM AND MARY LAW REVIEW.