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## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

Professor & acting Dean  
Victoria University of Wellington | Te Herenga Waka – Faculty of Law  
<https://www.victoria.ac.nz/law/about/staff/petra-butler>

Visiting Professor Universidad de Navarra & Bahir Dar University

Director  
Institute of Small and Micro States  
<https://www.ismsworld.com/>

### **EDUCATION**

1. 2009 Certificate of Proficiency- Anthropology
2. 2003 Admission as a Barrister and Solicitor of the High Court of New Zealand
3. 1998 Doctor of Law (University of Göttingen/ Germany)
4. 1996 Second State Examination (Lower Saxony/ Germany)
5. Dec 1995- May 1996 Judge's clerk, South African Constitutional Court
6. 1993 Certificate of Proficiency- Italian
7. 1992 Master of Laws (Victoria University of Wellington/ New Zealand)
8. 1991 First State Examination (Lower Saxony/ Germany)

### **DIRECTORSHIPS**

1. Since 2018 Director, Institute of Small and Micro States
2. 2015-2018 Co-Director, Centre for Small States, Queen Mary University of London
3. 2007-2015 Associate Director, New Zealand Centre for Public Law

## **SCHOLARSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS & PRIZES**

1. 2021 Inaugural 1000 Voices Fellowship (a Fellowship to discuss and to strategise around the comms to highlight the work around combating domestic violence)
2. 2020 Victoria University Honours' List
3. 2020-2025 Honorary Senior Research Fellow, British Institute of International and Commercial Law
4. 2018-2020 Visiting Professor, Queen Mary University, London
5. 2015 Victoria University Honours' List, Contribution to International Arbitration
6. 2015& 2018/19 Scholar in Residence, Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP, London
7. 2008 Senior Fellow, University of Melbourne, Faculty of Law
8. 2004 Holgate Fellowship, Grey College, Durham University (life time)
9. 1993, 1994 Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft ("DFG") research scholarship to conduct research about the New Zealand accident compensation system
10. 1992 Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst eV ("DAAD") research scholarship to conduct research related to doctoral thesis in New Zealand
11. 1989 British Insurance Law Association/ University College London for the London Insurance Colloquium 1989

## **RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS**

Private Law, International Commercial Law (especially contracts), Comparative Law (public and private), Private International Law, Unjust Enrichment, (international and domestic) Human Rights Law, Constitutional Law & Design, Introduction to Common Law, Legal Anthropology

## **EXPERIENCES**

### ***Research Experience***

1. Since 2000 Academic at Victoria University of Wellington
2. 1996-1997 Research Team Co-ordinator and Researcher for the project, "Interference with the Constitutional Right to Research and Conduct Science", at the Research Centre for Public Administration (Forschungszentrum für Öffentliche Verwaltung) Speyer, Prof. Dr. Hellmut Wagner
3. 1993 Research Assistant to Professor Tony Angelo, Victoria University of Wellington
4. 1989-1994 Researcher at the Institute for International and Foreign Private Law, Professor Dr hc mult Erwin Deutsch, University of Göttingen

### ***Visiting Professorships & Teaching Experience outside Victoria University***

1. 2019 & 2020 Visiting Professor, De Montfort University, United Kingdom, "International Dispute Resolution"
2. Since September 2018 Visiting Professor, Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia, "International Dispute Resolution"
3. June 2017 Presenter, Singapore International Dispute Resolution Academy-International Dispute Resolution training academy, "The ICJ" & "UNCITRAL"
4. March 2017 Visiting Professor, CAM-CCBC, Sao Paulo, "Convention on the International Sale of Goods"
5. August/September 2016 Faculty, Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes, summer academy, St Johan, Austria, "Does Law provide a mechanism for Conflict Resolution?" ("Konfliktlösung durch Recht?")
6. March & April 2016 Visiting Professor, Hamad Bin Khalifa University, Doha, Qatar "Constitutional Theory" & "International Law" (co-taught with Dr Joel Colon-Rios)
7. December 2015 & January 2016 Visiting Professor, University of Montevideo Teaching Seminar on the "Convention on the International Sale of Goods" & "Vis Moot retreat"
8. August-December 2015 Course leader, Swiss International Law School "Sales and Transport Law"
9. 2014-2016 Guest Module: "Damages under the CISG", Pace University, IICL Online Certificate Program on International Commercial Law

10. January 2014 Visiting Professor, Northwestern University, School of Law, Chicago, USA  
“International Commercial Contracts”
11. Since 2013 Visiting Professor, Universidad de Navarra, Pamplona, Spain  
“International Commercial Contracts”
12. January 2013 Visiting Professor Fernuniversitaet Hagen, Germany  
“Comparative Contract” Seminar
13. November 2011 Visiting Professor, Bucerius Law School, Hamburg, Germany,  
“International Commercial Contracts”
14. May 2011 Adjunct Faculty, University of Adelaide, Australia  
LLM programme, “International Human Rights”
15. March 2010 Human Rights Review Tribunal, in-house training  
“Discrimination”
16. April 2010 Human Rights Commission, continuing education series  
“Selected Human Rights Issues”
17. October 2008 Senior Fellow, University of Melbourne, Australia  
LLM programme, “The Victorian Charter of Rights and Responsibilities”
18. September 2008 Faculty, Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes, summer academy, “Lawyers as Writers”
19. July 2008 “International Human Rights” training for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade
20. July 2004 Adjunct Faculty, CUPL, Beijing, China  
“International Commercial Contract”, “International Private Law”
21. August- December 1995 Lecturer, “Tourism and the Law”, Fachhochschule Harz, Wernigerode
22. August- December 1995 Lecturer, “Practical Private Law”, FrauenTechnikZentrum, Wernigerode, Intensive Study Course on the practical application of private law for the business community
23. 1993 Tutor, “Law in Society”, Victoria University of Wellington
24. 1991 Lecturer, “International Institutions”, Intensive Study Course on law related to international institutions with the main focus

on the European Community/Union from the West German perspective for ex-East German Judges and State Prosecutors

**Professional Experience**

1. 2021 Commonwealth Secretariat lead consultant on Study on *Judicial Diversity in Small Commonwealth Countries*
2. 2019 Commonwealth Secretariat lead consultant on Study on *Challenges to Accessing Arbitration Across the Commonwealth and Potential Solutions*
3. September 2018- June 2019 Expert, New Zealand Military Justice Review
4. January 2018 Co-drafting *Code of Ethics* for an intergovernmental organisation (confidential)
5. November 2016 Training session for the Human Rights Review Tribunal on human rights methodology
6. July 2014 Continuing Education Seminar for the New Zealand Law Society: *Unjust Enrichment: German Law on Unjust Enrichment*
7. 2014-2017 Expert advice in *New Health Ltd v South Taranaki District Council* in regard to the right to refuse medical treatment and section 5 of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990.
8. 2014-2017 Supervision of Bianca Mueller to gain qualification to practice on her own account as barrister & solicitor of the High Court of New Zealand
9. October 2011- January 2012 Expert advice for the New Zealand Government on several contracts between the New Zealand Government and various German providers in regard to New Zealand's participation at the Frankfurter Buchmesse 2012
10. 2009-2017 Expert advice on private international law and unjust enrichment issues in regard to the *Patterson* case (New Zealand Government litigation in Austria)
11. 2009 Legal advice, research report *People with Disabilities in New Zealand* for the Office for Disability Issues
12. 2009 Preparation of legal advice/amicus curiae brief research *Alexis Holyweek Sarei v Rio Tinto* and *Kiobel v Royal Dutch Petroleum*, US Court of Appeals 9<sup>th</sup> Ct and 2<sup>nd</sup> Ct

13. November 2008      Legal/policy advice *Implementation of Article 33 UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities* for the Office for Disability Issues
14. 2008/2009      (junior) Barrister *Boscawen v Attorney-General*, Electoral Finance Act compatibility with the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990, landmark decision in regard to section 7 of the 1990 Act
15. 2008              Expert legal opinion, International Education Appeal Authority
16. Since 2004      Expert opinions for various New Zealand law firms and practitioners on *private international law and international commercial law issues, New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990*
17. 1998-1999      Legal Adviser, Human Rights/Bill of Rights Team at the Ministry of Justice (Wellington)
18. 1997              Official Translator (German/English) for the High Court of Braunschweig

#### **ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERSHIP**

1. 2017-2021      Board Member, *The International Coalition to End Organ Pillaging in China-New Zealand Chapter*
2. Since 2015      Advisory Board, *South Asia Democratic Forum*
3. 2015-2021      Working Group member, *Violence against Women*, JF Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University- now *Every Women Everywhere* NGO
4. Since 2015      Advisor, Editorial Board, *Inonu University Law Journal*, Turkey
5. 2015-2019      Advisory Board, *Arbitrator Intelligence*
6. Since 2012      Academic Review Board, *New Zealand Law Students' Journal*

#### **EDITORIAL BOARDS & REVIEWS**

1. Since 2021      Advisory Board, UNIDROIT Principle project (Eckart Brödermann)

2. Since 2016 Series co-editor with Dr Caroline Morris, Queen Mary University of London, *The World of Small States* (Springer)
3. continuous Reviewer for book projects for OUP, Routledge, Insentia, Ashgate in the areas of human rights, international commercial law and Research Foundations, such as Agence nationale de la recherche.
4. 2013-2015 Co-Editor New Zealand University Law Journal
5. Since 2003 Reviewer for New Zealand and international journals, for example: Political Science Journal, Waikato Law Review, New Zealand Universities Law Review, Law and Social Inquiry, Melbourne International Law Journal, Humanities
6. Since 2010 Editorial Board, New Zealand Journal of Public and International Law
7. Since 2003 Editorial Board, Victoria University of Wellington Law Review
8. 2003-2005 Editorial Board, New Zealand Universities Law Review

#### **UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATIVE BOARDS & ROLES**

1. Since October 2021 Acting Dean, Faculty of Law
2. Since 2016 Member, Academic Board
3. 2014, 2015 Faculty Representative, University Research Fund
4. 2014, 2009, 2005, 2002 Member, Faculty's Appointments' Committee
5. 2010 Initial advisor and mentor for the Victoria Law Students' Community Project; provided feedback and helped networking at the initial setting up stages of the Project. The Project was successfully launched in 2010.
6. 2010-2013 Faculty Representative Equity Committee
7. 2010 Assessor, University of Queensland, PhD application

8. 2010 Academic advice to Professor Candida Gonzalo (Professor of Constitutional Law and Human Rights, Catholic University Chile) on SJD proposal for Georgetown University
9. 2009 Law Foundation Referee for Assoc Professor Elsabee Schoeman's project, a database of publications on New Zealand conflict of laws/private international law. The funding application was successful.
10. Since 2009 Faculty's Visitors' & Events Committee
11. 2008 Academic Promotion Assessor, Australian National University
12. 2005-2008 Faculty Representative Scholarships Committee
13. 2002-2004 Faculty Representative, Academic Board
14. Since 2002 Judge in law students' competitions (preliminary rounds & finals): mooting, negotiation, witness examination, client interviewing and the University's 3 Minute Thesis competition.
15. 2000-2002 Curriculum Committee
16. 2000 Advisor to International Students

#### **ACADEMIC ASSOCIATIONS, AFFILIATIONS, AND SERVICES**

1. 2020 Appointment to Moderator, OGEMID
2. 2016 Appointment to Member, ICC Institute of World Business Law
3. 2016 Appointment to Member, European Law Institute
4. Since 2015 Member, Deutsches Institut für Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit
5. Since 2014 Judge FDI Moot
6. Since 2013 Associate, Arbitrators' and Mediators' Institute of New Zealand
7. Since 2013 Associate Member International Academy of Comparative Law
8. March 2013 Judge for the National Turkish Jessup Competition (memoranda)



9. February 2013 Expert Group Meeting- United Nations Commission on International Trade Law Regional Centre for Asia and the Pacific
10. Since 2012 New Zealand reporter: Migration Policy Group on their Migrant Integration Policy Index (MIPEX). The MIPEX is a unique long-term initiative with seat in Brussels that evaluates and compares what governments are doing to promote the integration of migrants in society.
11. Since 2012 New Zealand CLOUT correspondent to UNCITRAL for the CISG and the Model Law on Electronic Commerce
12. Since 2011 Member of Arbitral Women
13. Since 2011 Member of ANZSIL
14. Since 2010 Vis Moot: involvement in writing the Vis Moot problem
15. 2005-2010 Research Associate, Australian Centre for Peace & Conflict Studies (the Centre fell victim to budget cuts).
16. Since 2004 Honorary life member of the Senior Common Room, Grey College, Durham
17. 2003 Member of the New Zealand Delegation to the UN Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights presenting New Zealand's 2<sup>nd</sup> Periodic Report to the Committee
18. 2003-2004 Member of the National Advisory Council on a National Plan of Action for Human Rights in New Zealand
19. Since 2002 Vis Moot: coach & arbitrator & arbitrator in the final (2020)
20. 2002 Member of New Zealand Delegation to the UN Human Rights Committee presenting New Zealand's 4<sup>th</sup> Periodic Report to the Committee
21. 2001 Submission and Presentation of submissions to the Justice and Law Reform Select Committee in regard to the Human Rights Amendment Bill 2001 on behalf of the Wellington Women Lawyers Association
22. Since 1998 Secretary-General of the New Zealand Association of Comparative Law
23. 1998-2004 Member, Wellington Women Lawyers Association (Committee Member 2000-2002)
24. Since 1996 Member, New Zealand Association of Comparative Law

- 25. June 1994 Founding President of the Braunschweig branch of the German Women Lawyers Association
- 26. Since 1993 Member, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Rechtsvergleichung

**GRANTS (responsible applicant)**

Below is funding for which I led the application. I have also been part of a group of New Zealand and overseas researchers who were awarded research funding by the New Zealand Law Foundation in excess of NZ\$1.5 million for research on regulatory reform in New Zealand. Furthermore, in my former role as Associate-Director of the New Zealand Centre for Public Law I have party to many funding applications and funding drives. The same applies to my role as Director of the Institute of Small and Micro States (eg a recent grant by CARICOM (Euro 290,000) which is administered through the British Institute of International and Comparative Law).

- 1. 2022 Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, *The Protection of Intangible Property to preserve cultural heritage in the Pacific Islands*, EURO 40,000.
- 2. 2021 Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Germany, *Indigenous Solutions: Enabling Cultural, Religious and Legal Approaches to prevent and redress Domestic and Family Violence in Samoa*, NZ\$100,000
- 3. 2020 Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, *International Dispute Resolution and Small States with a particular focus on Climate Change (and the Pacific Islands)*, NZ\$90,000
- 4. 2019 Brill Publishers, Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP, De Montfort University, *Small States, International Law and the Realisation of Rights*, £20,000
- 5. 2018 New Zealand Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP & Queen Mary University of London, *Environmental Dispute Resolution and Small States conference*, £50,000
- 6. 2017 University Research Fund, *Access to Justice for MSMEs*, NZ\$21,000
- 7. 2017 Caribbean Export, *IFCs & Small States conference*, US\$2,000
- 8. 2016 & 2017 Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP, *Integration & International Dispute Resolution in Small States conference & IFCs & Small States conference*, £15,000

9. 2016 Open University, *Integration & International Dispute Resolution in Small States conference*, £3,000
10. 2016 Pacific Island Countries Development Fund, *New Ways for Cross Border Dispute Resolution in the Pacific Islands*, NZ\$13,500
11. 2015 Pacific Island Countries Development Fund, *Cross Border Dispute Resolution in the Pacific Islands*, NZ\$11,000
12. 2014 Law Foundation, Victoria University Law Faculty, Latin America-New Zealand Business Association, *Common Grounds - New Zealand & América Latina*, NZ\$25,000
13. 2014 Research Grant, Victoria University Research Fund, *Legal Anthropology in the Pacific*, NZ\$25,000
14. 2013 Law Foundation, Victoria University, German Australia Pacific Law Association, *New Developments in Sustainability*, NZ\$25,000
15. 2011 Law Foundation, *CISG Advisory Council Meeting*, August 2012 in Wellington, funding \$47,000 & Victoria University Research Fund NZ\$15,000
16. 2011 Law Foundation, *Law Foundation Annual International Dispute Resolution Fellowship*, full funding (6 year grant) up to NZ\$125,000
17. 2011 Law Foundation, *21<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990*, key-note speaker funding NZ\$5,000
18. 2010 Victoria University Research Fund, *Reconstituting the Constitution*, publication funding NZ\$25,000
19. 2010 Law Foundation, *Reconstituting the Constitution*, conference funding NZ\$25,000
20. 2010 Russell McVeagh, *Reconstituting the Constitution*, conference funding NZ\$5,000
21. 2009 Office for Disability Issues, *Protection of People with Disabilities in New Zealand*, research & report funding NZ\$5,000
22. 2008 New Zealand Aid, *Human Rights in the Pacific*, conference funding NZ\$15,000
23. 2008 Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Federal Republic of Germany, *Human Rights in the Pacific*, conference funding €10,000
24. 2008 Commonwealth Secretariat, *Human Rights in the Pacific*, conference & publication funding £25,000

25. 2008 Law Foundation, Victoria University Law Review, *In Honour of Lord Cooke* NZ\$12,500
26. 2005 Kensington Swan, *CISG Symposium*, conference funding NZ\$3,000
27. 2005 Research Grant, Victoria University Research Foundation for a *study on judicial dialogue in New Zealand* NZ\$8,500
28. 2001-2002 Research Grant, Victoria University Research Foundation for a *comparative study concerning the allocation of cases to judges*. NZ\$7,000
29. 1993 Research Scholarship, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG): New Zealand's Accident Compensation Scheme DM 70,000

## PUBLICATIONS

### *Monographs*

1. *UN Law on International Sales*, Springer 2009  
(with Professor Peter Schlechtriem) 241 pages (second edition forthcoming 2023)
2. *The New Zealand Bill of Rights Act: a commentary*, Lexis Nexis Butterworths, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed 2015 (co-authored with Andrew Butler) 1889 pages (3<sup>rd</sup> ed forthcoming 2022)
3. "Human Rights" title in *Laws of New Zealand*, LexisNexis Butterworths, 2003 (co-authored with Andrew Butler)
4. *Medical Misadventure im neuseelaendischen Accident Compensation Scheme* ("The Development of Medical Misadventure in the New Zealand Accident Compensation Scheme"), Peter Lang Verlag (Frankfurt a M 1999) 166 pages

### *Book Contributions* (all edited/peer reviewed)

1. "Acceptance under the CISG"  
in I Schwenzer, P Costa e Silva, C Pereira (eds) *CISG, Brasil e Portugal* (Almedina, 2022) 325 (with Bianca Müller) 17 pages
2. "I don't think about it, I try not to": *Spasmodic Contractual Governance by some Exporters*  
in F Benatti, S García Long, F Viglione (eds) *The Transnational Sales Contract* (Wolters Kluwer 2022) 37 (with Eldrede Kahiya) 30 pages
3. *Contractual Realities of SMEs –Access to Commercial Justice*  
2020 Austrian Yearbook on International, 466 (with Christina Geissler) 10 pages
4. *Articles 45-65 CISG*

- in Peter Mankowski (ed), *Commercial Law- A Commentary* (Nomos, Munich, 2018; also published by Hart) 164 pages
5. *Articles 53-60 CISG*  
in Kröll/Mistelis/Viscasillas (eds), *UN-Convention on the International Sales of Goods (CISG)* (Beck, Munich 2011; also published by Hart; 2<sup>nd</sup> ed 2018) (with Arjun Harindranath) 55 pages
  6. *Democratic and Political Rights*  
in *International Human Rights in New Zealand*, Margaret Bedgood, Kris Gledhill, Ian MacIntosch (eds) (Thomson Reuters, Wellington, 2017) 30 pages
  7. *Damages Principles under the Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods*  
in John Trenor (ed), *The Guide to Damages in International Arbitration* (GAR, London, 2016; 4<sup>th</sup> ed, 2021) 35 pages
  8. *Article 1 CISG - The Gateway to the CISG"*  
in Ingeborg Schwenzer, Cesar Pereira and Leandro Tripodi (eds) *CISG and Latin America: Regional and Global Perspectives* (Eleven International Publishing, The Netherlands, 2016) 17 pages
  9. *Effective and Equal Enjoyment of all Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms by Persons with Disabilities in New Zealand*  
in Marcia H Rioux, Paula C Pinto and Gillian Parekh (eds) *Disability, Rights Monitoring, and Social Change: Building Power out of Evidence* (Canadian Scholars' Press, Toronto, 2016) 11 pages
  10. *Conflicts of Laws*  
in Di Matteo/Schulz/Janssen/Magnus (eds) *International Sales Law: Practice, Contracts and Principles* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed, Beck, Nomos & Hart, 2021) 35 pages
  11. *The CISG- A Secret Weapon in the Fight for a Fairer World*  
in Ingeborg Schwenzer (ed), *35 Years CISG and Beyond* (Eleven International Publishing, Den Haag, 2015) 19 pages
  12. *Acceptance under the CISG*  
in Ingeborg Schwenzer, Cesar A. Guimarães Pereira, Leandro Tripodi (eds) *A CISG e o Brasil: Lições e reflexões quando de sua entrada em vigor* ("CISG and Brazil: Lessons and reflections upon its entry into force") (Marcial Pons, Sao Paulo, 2015) 16 pages (with Bianca Mueller)
  13. *Bill of Rights and the New Zealand Supreme Court*  
in Mary-Rose Russell (ed) *10 Years New Zealand Supreme Court* (Thomson Reuters, 2015) 25 pages
  14. *Is the CISG ready for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century? CISG and Electronic Commerce*  
in Atamer/Butler/Schwenzer (eds) *CISG & Arbitration: Current Issues* (Eleven International Publishing, Den Haag, 2013) 22 pages
  15. *Regionalism versus Globalisation in Contract Law*

in Schwenger/Spagnolo (eds) *Regionalism* (Eleven International Publishing, Den Haag, 2013) 20 pages

16. *New Zealand* in Larry Di Matteo (ed) *Global Challenge of International Sales Law* (CUP, Cambridge, 2014) 9 pages
17. *Everyone talks about Globalisation- except the Contract Law Community* in Festschrift for Professor Ruessmann zum 70. Geburtstag (Juris 2013) 10 pages
18. *When is an Act of Parliament Appropriate?* in Frankel/Ryder (eds) *Recalibrating Behaviour: Smarter Regulation in a Global World* (LexisNexis 2013) 28 pages
19. "Cross fertilisation of constitutional ideas: The Relationship between the Human Rights Act 1998 and the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990" in Masterman/Leigh (eds) *The United Kingdom's Statutory Bill of Rights- Constitutional and Comparative Perspectives* (OUP 2013) 22 pages
20. *The Electronic Communications Convention and the CISG- Help or Window-Dressing?* in Schwenger/Spagnolo (eds) *Liability under the CISG* (Eleven International Publishing, Den Haag, 2012) 22 pages
21. "Rights and Regulation" in *Learning from the Past, Adapting for the Future: Regulatory Reform in New Zealand*, Susy Frankel (ed) (Lexis Nexis, Wellington 2011) 25 pages
22. *The Use of Foreign Judgments in New Zealand Courts* Private Law, national-global-comparative, Festschrift fuer Ingeborg Schwenger zum 60. Geburtstag, A Buechler/M Mueller-Chen (eds) (Staempfli, Bern, 2011) 19 pages
23. *Protecting Rights* in Morris/Boston/Butler (eds) *Reconstituting the Constitution* (Springer, Heidelberg, 2011) (with Andrew Butler) 16 pages
24. *Medical Misadventure* In Ahrens/v Bar/Fischer/Spickhoff (eds) *Medizin und Haftung* Festschrift fuer Professor Erwin Deutsch zum 80. Geburtstag (Springer, Heidelberg 2010) 15 pages
25. *New Zealand's Comparative Perspective* (additions to the commentary of the Human Rights Act 1998) in Clayton/Tomlinson (ed) *The Law of Human Rights* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed, OUP, Oxford 2009) (with Andrew Butler) approx 50 pages
26. *New Zealand* in Franco Ferrari (ed) *The CISG and Its Impact on National Legal Systems* (sellier, Munich 2008) 251-258
27. *The Doctrines of Parol Evidence Rule and Consideration- A Deterrence to the Common Law Lawyer?* in SIAC, *Celebrating Success: 25 Years United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods* (SIAC, Singapore 2006) 54-66

28. *Case Allocation and the Rule of Law*  
in David Carter/ Matthew Palmer (eds) *Roles and Perspectives in the Law: Essays in Honour of Sir Ivor Richardson* (VUP, Wellington 2002) 623-630
29. *Die Selbstregulierung der Forschung in der Antarktis* ("The Freedom of Research in Antarctica")  
in Hellmut Wagner (ed) Volume III *Rechtliche Rahmenbedingungen fuer Wissenschaft und Forschung* ("Interference with the Constitutional Right to Research and Conduct Science")  
(Nomos Verlag, Baden Baden 2000) 337-378

**Articles** (peer reviewed)

1. *"Forget it, let's go with a handshake": contracting practices of exporting small to medium size enterprises (SMEs)*  
2021 Journal of Business & Industrial Marketing  
[DOI 10.1108/JBIM-05-2020-0246] (co-authored with Eldrede Kahiya)
2. *The CISG as the Tool for Successful MSME Participation in Global Trade*  
38 (2020) Journal of Law and Commerce 207
3. *International Commercial Arbitration Put to the Test in the Commonwealth*  
51 (2020) Victoria University Law Review 357
4. *40 Years Convention on the International Sale of Goods (CISG)- Even More Important Today than 40 Years Ago to Encourage Trade?*  
118 (2019) Zeitschrift fuer Vergleichende Rechtswissenschaft, 231
5. *Human Rights in the Fijian, Tongan, Vanuatu, and Samoan Courts*  
2019 Comparative Law Journal (special issue) Tony Angelo and Jennifer Corrin (eds) *Small States: Selected Essays*, 109- 138
6. *Kastom – A Public Policy Exception Under The New York Convention On The Recognition And Enforcement Of Foreign Arbitral Awards* 7 (2018) Indian Journal of Arbitration Law, 104-119 (with Christoph Katerndahl)
7. *Bilateral Arbitration Treaties: An Improved Means of International Dispute Resolution*  
UNCITRAL Yearbook 2017 [http://www.uncitral.org/pdf/english/congress/17-06783\\_ebook.pdf](http://www.uncitral.org/pdf/english/congress/17-06783_ebook.pdf), 314- 326 (co-authored with Gary Born)
8. *Red Riding Hood - Is Investor-State Arbitration the Big Bad Wolf?*  
5 (2017) Penn. St. J.L. & Int'l Aff. 328- 373
9. *Conference on 'Integration and International Dispute Resolution in Small States'*  
25 (2017) European Review of Private Law 683- 689
10. *Foreword: International Dispute Resolution in New Zealand*  
(2015) 46 Victoria University Law Review 1175-1178

11. *Access to Justice v Access to Justice for Small and Medium Enterprises: The Case for A Bilateral Arbitration Treaty*  
(2014) 26 New Zealand Universities Law Review 186- 221 (co-authored with Campbell Herbert)
12. *Performance Based Research Funding And Academic Freedom: An Oxymoron?*  
Europa World of Learning Vol 1 (65<sup>th</sup> ed, Francis & Taylor, 2014) 6p
13. *CISG and Arbitration – A Fruitful Marriage*  
(2014) XVII International Trade and Business Law 322- 357 (Special Volume for Professor Zeller's 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday)
14. *Can Academic Freedom Survive Performance Based Research Funding?*  
(2013) 44 Victoria University Law Review 487- 520 (with Roderick Mulgan)
15. *The Case For A Right To Privacy In The New Zealand Bill Of Rights Act*  
(2013) 11 New Zealand Journal of Public International Law 211- 256
16. *The Use of the CISG in Domestic Law*  
The Annals of the Faculty of Law in Belgrade – Belgrade Law Review  
Year LIX, 2011, 7-21; Vindobona Journal of International Commercial Law and Arbitration  
2011, 15- 32
17. *Margin of appreciation- a note towards a solution for the Pacific?*  
39 (2008) Victoria University of Wellington Law Review 687-708
18. *Protecting Human Rights in the Pacific (Apia 28 and 29 April 2008)*  
40 (2009) Victoria University of Wellington Law Review vii-xii
19. *Foreword: In memory of Lord Cooke*  
39 (2008) Victoria University of Wellington Law Review iii-iv
20. *15 Years of the Bill of Rights: Time to Celebrate, Time to Reflect, Time to Work Harder?* (2006)  
Victoria University Human Rights Research 1-31
21. *Akzeptanz des UN-Kaufrechts im Common Law- Das CISG- Stiefkind des Common Law?* (2006)  
Jahresheft Internationale Juristenvereinigung 19-26
22. *Human Rights in the Pacific* (2005) Victoria University Human Rights Research 121-135
23. *Medical Misadventure- An Introduction* (2004) 35 Victoria University of Wellington Law  
Review 811-820
24. *Human Rights and Parliamentary Sovereignty in New Zealand* (2004) 35 Victoria University  
of Wellington Law Review 341-366
25. *The Assignment of Cases to Judges* (2003) 1 New Zealand Journal of Public and International  
Law 83-115



26. *The Referendum on an Australian Republic* 2001 *Verfassung und Recht in Uebersee* 6-23
27. *The Judicial Use of International Human Rights Law in New Zealand* (1999) 29 *Victoria University of Wellington Law Review* and (1998) 4 *Yearbook New Zealand Association of Comparative Law* 173-189
28. *Celebrating Aniversaries* (2005) 36 *Victoria University of Wellington Law Review* 775-780
29. *Die Selbstregulierung der Forschung in der Antarktis* (1998) 31 *Wissenschaftsrecht* 333-351
30. *The Bill Referral Procedure in ss 79 & 80 of the South African Constitution* (1997) 12 *South African Public Law* (co-authored with Andrew Butler) 331-350

### **Reviews**

1. *J von Staudinger Kommentar zum Bürgerlichen Gesetzbuch mit Einführungsgesetz und Nebengesetzen Wiener UN-Kaufrecht (CISG)*, by T. Ulrich Magnus, 27 (2019) *European Review of Private Law*, 665 – 671
2. *Proportionality and the Rule of Law: Rights, Justification, Reasoning* Grant Huscroft, Bradley W Miller, and Grégoire Webber (eds) (Cambridge University Press, New York, 2014) (2014) 26 *New Zealand Universities Law Review*, 501

### **Case Notes**

1. *R v Hansen* (case summary and commentary) 2007 *NZLJ* 47-49
2. *R v Tauno* (case summary and commentary) 2007 *NZLJ* 346-347
3. Student companion: *Restitution* (with Lauren Archer) 2007 *NZLJ* 345

### **Series Publication**

*The World of Small States* (Springer)  
 Series Editor with Dr Caroline Morris  
 Vol 1- *Small States in a Legal World* (2017)  
 Vol 2- *Law Reform in Plural Societies* (2017)  
 Vol 3- *Integration and International Dispute Resolution in Small States* (2018)  
 Vol 4- *Fifty Years of the British Ocean Territory* (2018)  
 Vol 5- *The Plural Practice of Adoption in the Pacific Islands* (2019)  
 Vol 6- *Small States and the Changing Global Order* (2019)  
 Vol 7- *Small States and the New Security Environment* (2021)  
 Vol 8- *Social Security Law in Small Jurisdictions* (2021)

### **Edited Publications**

1. Petra Butler/Eva Lein/Rhonson Salim (eds) *Integration and International Dispute Resolution in Small States* (Springer, 2018)
2. Petra Butler/Caroline Morris (eds) *Small States in a Legal World* (Springer, 2017)
3. Petra Butler/Catherine Iorns (eds) *New Thinking on Sustainability*, 13 (2015) *New Zealand Journal of Public and International Law*
4. Yesim Atamer/Petra Butler/Ingeborg Schwenzer (eds) *CISG & Arbitration: Current Issues* (Eleven International Publishing, Den Haag, 2013)
5. Petra Butler/Alberto Costi (eds) *ANZSIL Proceedings 2012*, 11 (2013) *New Zealand Journal of Public and International Law*
6. Petra Butler/Claudia Geiringer (eds) *21<sup>st</sup> Birthday of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act*, 11 (2013) *New Zealand Journal of Public and International Law*
7. Caroline Morris/Jonathan Boston/Petra Butler (eds) *Reconstituting the Constitution* (Springer, Heidelberg, September 2011) approx 400 pages
8. 40 (2009) *Victoria University of Wellington Law Review*, *Human Rights in the Pacific-Special Issue* 418 pages
9. 39 (2008) *Victoria University of Wellington Law Review*, *In Honour of Lord Cooke* 192 pages
10. 36 (2005) *Victoria University of Wellington Law Review*, *Celebrating Anniversary* 87 pages

### **Research Report**

1. *Access to Justice in the ASEAN the Key Role of UNCITRAL*  
With Diane Chapman, Prishika Raj, Professor Rosalind Mason Tim Castle  
<http://uncitralrcap.org/en/digest-category/issue-1-2015/>, 22 pages
2. *Protection of People with Disabilities in New Zealand*  
Research report funded by the Office of Disability Issues (via the Research Trust), 150 pages (June 2009) - part of the Disability Rights Promotion International programme of world wide monitoring (<http://www.yorku.ca/drpi/index.html>)
3. *Bietet das neuseeländische Unfallentschädigungssystem einen Ansatzpunkt für die europäische Dienstleistungshaftung?* ("Is the New Zealand Accident Compensation system a model for the liability for services in the European Union?")  
Paper in connection with a scholarship from the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (co-authored with Professor Dr Dr hc mult Erwin Deutsch, 218 pages (1994))

### **Government Reports**

1. *Military Justice Review*  
Ministry of Defence, August 2018- June 2019 (expert advice- confidential)

2. *Opinion re the Ratification of the Optional Protocol to the Convention of Rights of Persons with Disabilities* for Office for Disability Issues, August 2012, 10 pages (with Magdalena Neueder)
3. *Private International Law and Restitution* (for Government) 2009/2010, 21 pages
4. *Implementation of Article 33 of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Disabled Persons* for Office for Disability Issues, October 2008, 20 pages
5. *Intra-Disability Discrimination* for the Ministry of Health (Wellington 2003) 20 pages
6. *Identifying Provisions in Acts and Regulations between 2001 and 2003 which Discriminate against the Mentally Ill* for the Ministry of Health (Wellington 2003) 152 pages including appendix
7. *New Zealand's 4<sup>th</sup> Periodic Report under the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights* for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (Wellington 2000) 81 pages
8. *New Zealand's 2<sup>nd</sup> Periodic Report under the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights* for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (Wellington 2001) 185 pages
9. *List of Issues to be taken up in Connection with the Consideration of the 4<sup>th</sup> Periodic Report of New Zealand* (CCPR/C/NZL/2001/14) (Wellington 2002) 27 pages
10. *Response to the Questions of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights* for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (Wellington 2002) 54 pages

### **Reports for International Organisations**

1. *Commonwealth Secretariat Study into Judicial Diversity in Small Commonwealth States for Report to the Law Ministers' Meeting 2022* – (lead expert) 630 pages- at this point the Report is confidential
2. *Commonwealth Secretariat Study into International Commercial Arbitration in the Commonwealth for Report to the Law Ministers' Meeting November 2019*  
Commonwealth Secretariat, 2020 (lead expert), 650 pages  
<https://library.commonwealth.int/Library/Catalogues/Controls/Download.aspx?id=8023>
3. *Migrant Integration Policy Index (MIPEX)- Anti-Discrimination in New Zealand*  
Comparative law study, Migration Policy Group, Brussels, May 2013 & December 2019
4. *Pre-Charge Detention in New Zealand*, prepared for Liberty/London as part of a comparative law study, November 2007, 4 pages; up-dated 2010 1 page
5. European Commission Study – *New Zealand Report* for Human European Consultancy on Discrimination Impact Assessment, 2006
6. Opinion for LAWASIA on the Fiji “*Truth and Reconciliation Bill*”, June 2005 (this opinion formed the basis for the Fiji Law Society submission on the Bill) 8 pages

## CONFERENCES & LECTURES

1. *Access to Justice (keynote)*  
Law, Justice and Empowerment Conference, DMU, April 2022
2. Interview Guest at the Fourth Triennial Conference- “Improving the ADR Landscape in the Caribbean”  
Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, Caribbean Branch, online 28 May 2021.
3. *The CISG and MSMEs*  
40 Years CISG, Universidad Carlos III, Madrid, April 2021 (keynote)
4. *A Shade of Grey*  
Government Law Year in Review conference, NZ Centre for Public Law, Wellington, February 2021
5. A number of online seminars on COVID and human rights and public international law in 2020
6. *Upholding the rule of law in Commonwealth Small States during COVID-19*  
Commonwealth Secretariat, London (online), November 2020 (moderator)
7. *International dispute resolution put to the test: Commonwealth study into international commercial arbitration*  
AMINZ and Victoria University of Wellington, Wellington, March 2019
8. *International Commercial Arbitration – quo vadis*  
National Law School of India- Jodhpur, February 2020
9. *Commonwealth Study into International Commercial Arbitration – panel discussion*  
British Institute of International and Comparative Law, London, December 2019
10. *Data is it part of the sales price or just free in the purchase of electronic goods? Privacy implications*  
IBA – Seoul, September 2019
11. *Business have Human Rights, too*  
Inaugural Lecture, Victoria University of Wellington, July 2019 (published in VUWLR)
12. *Access to Justice in New Zealand*  
Max-Planck- Institute, Luxembourg, in house seminar, May 2019
13. *Curiosity not always kills the cat - the resourceful ways how small islands combat the effect of climate change*  
Maritime Boundaries Conference, King’s College, London, April 2019

14. *1,86 Billion v 50 Billion*  
Damages in International Arbitration Conference, University of Vienna & NYU & McGill University, Vienna, April 2019
15. *The CISG as the Tool for Successful MSME Participation in Global Trade*  
The CISG at Middle Age Conference, Pittsburgh, March 2019
16. *Human Rights & The Environment*  
Arbitration & Mediation Conference, Port Moresby, March 2019
17. *Access to commercial justice for MSMEs*  
Vienna Arbitration Days 2019, March 2019
18. *The Role of UNCITRAL Texts in Strengthening the Rule of Law*  
South Asia Democratic Forum, Brussels, February 2019
19. *Art 79 & Hardship*  
CISG & Arbitration Conference, Universidad de Pan Americana, Guadalajara, February 2019
20. *Brexit & Effective Contracting for MSMEs*  
La Rioja Business Federation, January 2019
21. *A Legal Journey through Oceania*  
Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP in- house seminar, November 2018
22. *Yukos- one result two perspectives*  
International Law Conference (ILA), Sydney, August 2018
23. *Human Rights & International Investment Law*  
Canadian Department of Global Affairs, Ottawa, June 2018
24. *Custom and the New York Convention*  
Pacific Law and Culture Conference, Christchurch, July 2018 (with Edwina Smith)
25. *Law Reform in the Pacific*  
Asia-Pacific International Arbitration Roundtable, Auckland, April 2018
26. *CISG- A Tool in the Fight for a Fairer World*  
MAA Conference, Vienna, March 2018
27. *CISG & International Arbitration: Sibling in Arms in the Fight for a Fairer World*  
Hamburger Arbitration Day, March 2018
28. *Human Rights & International Commercial Arbitration*  
XI Belgrade Arbitration Conference, March 2018
29. *Dispute Resolution Law Reform in Pacific Island Countries*  
Promoting and Encouraging Trade and Commerce in the Pacific Region through Dispute Resolution, Wilmer Cutler Pickering Dorr and Hale LLP, Brussels, March 2018

30. *Access to Justice for SME – will ODR do the job?*  
APEC, 1<sup>st</sup> Senior Officials' Meeting, SELI, Port Morseby, March 2018
31. *Women in International Arbitration (organizer & moderator)*  
Dawn of International Arbitration in the South Pacific Conference, Fiji, February 2018
32. *Kastom –Art V(2)(b) of the New York Convention?*  
Dawn of International Arbitration in the South Pacific Conference, Fiji, February 2018
33. *Business & Human Rights- A Discussion of the Yukos Case*  
London School of Economics, December 2017
34. *Business & Human Rights-a Domestic Affair?*  
Universidad de Navarra, Pamplona, November 2017
35. *Complex Contract- Business & Human Rights perspective*  
International Bar Association Conference, Sydney, October 2017
36. *New Zealand and CLOUT*  
UNCITRAL- 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference, Vienna, July 2017
37. *Violence Against Women – A New Convention?*  
Equal Access to Information and Justice- ODR Conference, ICC, Paris, June 2017
38. *Human Rights and International Arbitration*  
Cambridge Compendium of International Commercial and Investment Arbitration: Selected Topics, Vienna, April 2017
39. *Sellers and Buyers: Pricing under the CISG*  
University of Stockholm, Swedish Chamber of Commerce & Mannheimer Swartling Vis Pre-Moot Conference, Stockholm, April 2017
40. *Can dispute resolution propel Small and Medium Sized Enterprises (SMEs) into international markets and fuel global economy?*  
Stockholm Centre for Commercial Law, Stockholm, March 2017
41. *A Human Rights Framework for Investment Arbitration*  
University of Stockholm, LLM Seminar, Stockholm March 2017
42. *Art 35 CISG – New Developments*  
CISG & Arbitration Conference Universidad da Guadalajara, Guadalajara, February 2017
43. *SMEs the step children in global trade?*  
Work in Progress Conference, University of Missouri & ASIL, Columbia Missouri, February 2017
44. *Conciliation & Small States*  
Conciliation Roundtable, Centre for International Law, NUS, Singapore, January 2017

45. *The Draft Convention on Mediated Settlements & Small States*  
IBA Conference, September 2016, Washington
46. *Fire side chat with Gary Born*  
Annual AMINZ Conference 2016, Queenstown, March 2016
47. *Ethics in Arbitration*  
UP Guadalajara 2016 CISG-International Arbitration Conference, Guadalajara, February 2016
48. *Do investment arbitration tribunals really have to be afraid of human rights?*  
PennState Arbitration Day, January 2016
49. *Moot workshop*  
University of Montevideo, January 2016
50. *The CISG - a secret weapon in the fight for a fairer world?*  
In House seminar Guyer & Regules, Montevideo, December 2015
51. *The CISG - a secret weapon in the fight for a fairer world?*  
In House seminar Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale & Dorr LLP, London, November 2015
52. *Do investment arbitration tribunals really have to be afraid of human rights?*  
In House seminar Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale & Dorr LLP, November 2015
53. *Cross Border Dispute Resolution in the Pacific- CISG*  
Workshop in Nuku'alofa, Tonga, September 2015
54. *The Gateway to the CISG- Art 1 CISG*  
A CISG e o Brasil, Curitiba, March 2015
55. *The CISG - a secret weapon in the fight for a fairer world?*  
Penn State, Law School & Pace University Law School, February 2015
56. *Fair Contracts*  
35 Years CISG, Basel, January 2015
57. *German "Strong" Judicial Review- Too Scary for New Zealand?*  
25 Years NZ Bill of Rights Act 1990, New Zealand Judges' Conference, October 2014
58. *Discussant- Constitutional Review*  
The New Zealand Bill of Rights Act: Continuing the Conversation, Parliament, June 2014
59. *The Chances and Challenges of International Arbitration- an Academic's perspective*  
Arbitrators' and Mediators' Institute of New Zealand, Breakfast Meeting, May 2014
60. *The New Zealand Bill of Rights Act "v" or "&" The Treaty of Waitangi*  
Hamburg Symposium on Colonialism and International Law, March 2014

50. *"Acceptance" under the CISG*  
Brazil and the CISG, Curitiba, March 2014
51. *Business and Human Rights*  
Guest Lecture, Universidade Federal do Paraná, March 2014
52. *Business and Human Rights*  
Oil Spills in the Niger Delta: Corporate Responsibility for Environment and Human Rights,  
New Zealand Centre of Public Law, February 2014
53. *The CISG as an Alternative to Domestic Sales Law*  
Guest lecture, PennState University, LLM programme, January 2014
54. *Business and Human Rights*  
Fair Contracts, European University Institute, November 2013
55. *Business and Human Rights*  
Baker McKenzie, Madrid & staff seminar Carlos III de Madrid, October 2013
56. *Common Law and the CISG*  
PhD seminar, Carlos III de Madrid, October 2013
57. *CISG and Arbitration*  
Restatement of International Commercial Contracts, St Augustin, Florida, September 2013
58. *It Takes Two to Tango- have they learned their steps?*  
Unearthing New Zealand Constitutional Traditions, Wellington August 2013
59. *Chairing Session 1*  
The Annual MAA Peter Schlechtriem CISG Conference: Boundaries and Intersections, Vienna  
March 2013
60. *Chairing "Reasons of the Heart" Dr Graeme McLean*  
Faith, Reason, and the Foundations of Knowledge, Victoria University, Chaplaincy, February  
2013
61. *Circumcision in the Spotlight- A Rights Debate*  
Debate, New Zealand Centre for Public Law, August 2012
62. *Arbitrator Mock Arbitration & Chair "How to Draft your next Commercial Deal"*  
AMINZ Conference, Wellington, August 2012
63. *The UK Human Rights Act 1998 and the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990- What have they  
learned from each other?*  
Seminar Bocconi University, Milan, June 2012
64. *CISG and Electronic Commerce*  
CISG Conference, Bilget University, Istanbul, May 2012



65. *Contract Regionalism v CISG*  
MAA Peter Schlechtriem Conference, Hong Kong, March 2012
66. *CISG and Arbitration – A fruitful Marriage?*  
CISG-Advisory Council Conference, Sao Paulo, November 2011
67. *CISG and Arbitration – A fruitful Marriage?*  
Work in Progress Symposium, Centre for Dispute Resolution, University of Missouri, October 2011
68. *Article 35 CISG- What is new?*  
Staff seminar, Northwestern University, Chicago, October 2011
69. *The Electronic Communications Convention*  
MAA Peter Schlechtriem in memoriam Conference, Vienna, April 2011
70. *Articles 7 & 8 CISG – a critical analysis*  
30 Years of Uniform Sales Law, Belgrade, November 2010
71. *20 Years Bill of Rights*  
Re-Constituting the Constitution, Wellington, September 2010
72. *It takes two to Tango- have they learned their steps?*  
Judicial Supremacy or Inter-institutional Dialogue? Political Responses to Judicial Review (US Studies Centre and Law School at the University of Sydney), May 2010
73. *Human Rights in the Pacific*  
University of Queensland, seminar, May 2010
74. *What constitutes Discrimination under BORA and the HRA?*  
Human Rights Review Tribunal, Members' Training, March 2010
75. *No it is not Oakes- it is Hansen*  
Canada and New Zealand: Connections, Comparisons and Challenges, February 2010
76. *Human Rights Review Tribunal*  
Public and Administrative Law Conference, February 2010
77. *We sing in unison with different voices- human rights in the European Union*  
Europe Twenty Years after the Fall of the Berlin Wall: Overcoming 'East and West', International Conference, Wellington, November 2009
78. *Constitutional Entrenchment: The Argument for Higher Law*  
Public and Administrative Law Conference, February 2009
79. *The Role of the Attorney-General under section 7 of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990*  
Centre for Comparative Constitutional Law, Melbourne, lunch time seminar, October 2008
80. *The New Zealand Experience - the implementation of the Bill of Rights Act in New Zealand"*

- Ministry of Justice seminar, Melbourne (with Andrew Butler), October 2008
81. *Ist Grundrechtsschutz in einer parlamentarischen Demokratie möglich?*  
Seminar für die Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes, Olang, September 2008
  82. *What does R v Hansen mean for the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990?*  
Lexis Nexis, Public Law Conference, February 2008 (with Claudia Geiringer and Ben Keith)
  83. *Protecting Basic Rights in New Zealand*  
Bucerius Law School, April 2007
  84. *Freedom of Religion (Chair)*  
Victoria University Human Rights Symposium, August 2007
  85. *15 Years of the Bill of Rights & Judicial Dialogue in New Zealand*  
Human Rights Review Tribunal Symposium, Rotorua, October 2006
  86. *What lessons can Australia learn from the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990?*  
Southern Currents, Australian and New Zealand Law Librarians Conference, Melbourne, September 2006 (together with Andrew Butler)
  87. *15 Years of the Bill of Rights: Time to Celebrate, Time to Reflect, Time to Work Harder?*  
Human Rights Research Seminar, Wellington, August 2006
  88. *15 Years Bill of Rights- What lessons can be learnt from New Zealand?*  
Keynote speech, Australian Bill of Rights: The ACT and Beyond, Canberra, June 2006
  89. *The Australian Bill(s) of Rights from a Comparative Perspective*  
Waikato Law School, July 2006
  90. *The CISG and common law – are the two compatible?*  
Lecture for the International Law Association, University of Osnabrück, April 2006
  91. *The Courts and Freedom of Expression*  
Freedom of Expression Symposium, Wellington, February 2006
  92. *A Pacific Human Right Charter and Customary Rights?*  
PIPSA Conference, November 2005
  93. *The Executive and Federalism in Germany*  
3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Centre for Public Law (Victoria University), Conference on “The Executive”, November 2005
  94. *Human Rights in the Pacific*  
Human Rights Research Seminar, Wellington, July 2005
  95. *The International Bill of Rights and a Pacific Charter on Human Rights- An Oxymoron?*  
Peace, Justice and Reconciliation in the Asia-Pacific Region International Conference, April 2005

96. *The New Zealand Accident Compensation Scheme- A Model for Austria?*  
Lecture at Franzen Leopold Universität Innsbruck, March 2005
97. *Comment in regard to the ALI project on Conflict of Laws and Intellectual Property*  
Intellectual Property Workshop, Victoria University, March 2005
98. *New Developments in International Human Rights*  
Two day seminar for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, February 2005
99. *To Live or to Die, who decides?*  
Lecture given at Durham University, December 2004
100. *Religious Symbols at School*  
Equality Symposium, Auckland May 2004
101. *Chair- Medical Misadventure Session*  
Second Accident Compensation Workshop, Victoria University, November 2003
102. *Parliamentary Sovereignty and Human Rights*  
Paper for Courts Conference, Centre for Public Law, Victoria University of Wellington, November 2003
103. *The Connexion of Insurance Contracts in German International Law*  
Post Colloquium Papers for the British Insurance Law Association
104. *Property and Alimony in No-Fault Divorce: The New Zealand Experience* (co-authored with Professor A.H.Angelo)
105. Paper for the International Comparative Law Conference 1994

#### **CONFERENCE ORGANISATION**

1. Co-organiser, *Culture, Art, Cultural Identity and Small States*,  
November 2021 (Institute of Small and Micro States, Wilmer Hale, and British Institute of International and Comparative Law)
2. Co-organiser, *Human Rights and Small States: Challenges, Resilience, and Advocacy*,  
November 2020 (Institute of Small and Micro States, Wilmer Hale, and British Institute of International and Comparative Law)
3. Co-Organiser, *International dispute resolution put to the test: Commonwealth study into international commercial arbitration*  
AMINZ and Victoria University of Wellington, Wellington, March 2019
4. Co-Organiser, *Launch of the Commonwealth Study into International Commercial Arbitration in Singapore*, Singapore, February 2020

- (Commonwealth Secretariat, Drew & Napier)
5. Co-Organiser, *Small States, International Law and the Realisation of Rights*, November 2019 (Institute of Small and Micro States, Wilmer Hale, and British Institute of International and Comparative Law)
  6. Co-Organiser, *Environmental Dispute Resolution and Small States*, London, September 2018 (Centre for Small States and Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP)
  7. *International Arbitration Roundtable*, Wellington, April 2018
  8. Co-Organiser, *Environment and Small States*, London, September 2017 (Centre for Small States)
  9. Organiser, *International Financial Centres and Small States*, London, January 2017 (Centre for Small States, Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale & Dorr LLP)
  10. Organiser, *International Arbitration Workshop* for Pacific Island Countries' senior law officers, Christchurch, August 2016
  11. Co-Organiser *Integration and International Dispute Resolution in Small States*, London, May 2016 (Centre for Small States, British Institute of International and Comparative Law, Open University, Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale & Dorr LLP)
  12. Co-Organiser *Small States in a Legal World*, London, September 2015
  13. Organiser *Cross Border Dispute Resolution in the Pacific*, Tonga, September 2015
  14. Co-Organiser *A Window to Latin America*, Wellington, October 2015
  15. Co-Organiser *New Developments in Sustainability*, GAPLA & Earth Law, February 2014
  16. Member of Organising Committee *ANZSIL 2013*, July 2013
  17. Organiser *Circumcision in the Spotlight- A Rights Debate*, New Zealand Centre for Public Law, August 2012
  18. Organiser *Law Foundation Annual International Dispute Resolution Lecture* (Fellowship) (inaugural November 2012) continuing until 2016
  19. Organiser *CISG- Advisory Council meeting* in New Zealand 2012 and co-organiser Arbitrators and Mediators Institute of New Zealand ("AMINZ") Conference August 2012
  20. Co-organiser *21 years New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990*, symposium Wellington, New Zealand Centre for Public Law, 29 & 30 August 2011
  21. Co-organiser *Reconstituting the Constitution*, New Zealand Centre for Public Law & Institute for Policy Studies, September 2010
  22. Co-organiser *60 Years UDHR*, New Zealand Centre for Public Law, December 2008

23. Co-coordinator/ organiser *Strategies for the Future – Human Rights in the Pacific*, Apia 2008 (together with Interights and the Office of the Attorney-General)
24. Co-organiser *MMP Symposium*, New Zealand Centre for Public Law, August 2008
25. Co-coordinator *New Zealand Centre for Public Law’s Annual Conference: The Executive*, November 2005
26. Organiser *CISG Symposium- Celebrating Anniversaries*, February 2005

## **GLOBL RESEARCH PROJECTS**

*International Academic of Comparative Law* lead for the 2022 Asunción Congress on “Access to Justice (Civil Courts)” and member of the Access to Justice research team for the *Max-Planck Institute* compendium on *Comparative Procedural Law and Justice- Power, Authority, and Culture in Dispute Resolution*.

### **Forthcoming Publications (sample)**

- “International Arbitration and Human Rights” in Andrea Bjorklund, Franco Ferrari & Stefan Kröll (eds) *Cambridge Compendium- International Commercial and Investment Arbitration* (CUP, forthcoming 2022- proofs submitted)
- *International Commercial Contracts* (OUP, forthcoming 2022) editor and various chapters
- *International Dispute Resolution Law Reform in the Pacific Islands* (*World of Small States* series, Springer, forthcoming hopefully 2022) editor and chapter. All contributors to the book are women from the Pacific Island countries with the exception from an UNCITRAL contribution.
- *SMEs and Dispute Resolution in Europe* (with Georgia Whelan- drawing on our SME research, incl the one in the UK) in *Quo Vadis Arbitration* – manuscript submitted
- *Environment and Small States*, co-editor, published the *World of Small States* series by Springer, manuscript submitted

## **CURRICULUM VITAE DETAILS – CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT**

- I am a New Zealand and German citizen.
- My availability will depend on the appointment of a permanent Dean at Victoria University of Wellington’s Faculty of Law. However, I would envisage to be available mid- year.