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### Bio

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#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Professor, Stanford Law School

### Teaching

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#### COURSES

##### 2025-26

- Discussion (1L): What is the Rule of Law?: LAW 242O (Aut)
- Evidence: LAW 2402B (Spr)
- Externship, Special Circumstances: LAW 884 (Aut)
- Policy Practicum: Fair Compensation of Prison Labor in the U.S.: LAW 810J (Spr)
- S-Term: Comparative German-American Criminal Law: LAW 2033 (Aut)
- The Common Law Tradition in England and the United States Main Content Start: OSPOXFRD 95 (Win)

##### 2024-25

- Criminal Law: LAW 207 (Win)
- Discussion (1L): The Trump Prosecutions: Law, Politics, and Polarization: LAW 242G (Aut)
- Evidence: LAW 2402B (Spr)
- Externship, Special Circumstances: LAW 884 (Aut)
- Homicide Law and Gender Based Violence: LAW 7135 (Win)
- Policy Practicum: Regilla Project: Women Convicted of Intimate Partner Violence-Related Homicides: LAW 809F (Aut)

##### 2023-24

- Criminal Law: LAW 207 (Win)
- Criminal Procedure: Adjudication: LAW 2001 (Spr)
- Discussion (1L): Abolish or Reform? Prisons, Police, and the Death Penalty: LAW 240V (Aut)
- Evidence: LAW 2402 (Spr)
- Externship, Special Circumstances: LAW 884 (Aut)
- Legal Studies Workshop: LAW 5801 (Aut, Win, Spr)
- Police and Prisons: German and American Approaches to Reform and Abolition: LAW 2030 (Spr)
- Policy Practicum: Regilla Project: Women Incarcerated for Killing their Abusers: LAW 809F (Aut, Win)

##### 2022-23

- Evidence: LAW 2402 (Spr)
- Policing, Punishment and Democracy: Beccaria and the Modern Politics of Crime: OSPFLOR 106V (Win)

## STANFORD ADVISEES

### Doctoral Dissertation Reader (AC)

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## Publications

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### PUBLICATIONS

- **Post-election riots and the dilemmas of democratic policing: recent experience in the United States and Brazil** *POLICING & SOCIETY*  
Sklansky, D. A.  
2025; 35 (4): 512-527
- **ADDRESSING VIOLENT CRIME MORE EFFECTIVELY** *EXCESSIVE PUNISHMENT*  
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- **THE NEGLECTED ORIGINS OF THE HEARSAY RULE IN AMERICAN SLAVERY: RECOVERING QUEEN v. HEPBURN** *SUPREME COURT REVIEW*  
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- **CRIME, COMMUNITY, AND THE SHADOW OF THE VIRTUAL** *UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS LAW REVIEW*  
Berger, M., Sklansky, D. A.  
2023: 1607-1656
- **Populism, Pluralism, and Criminal Justice** *CALIFORNIA LAW REVIEW*  
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2019; 107 (6): 2009–13
- **The Problems With Prosecutors** *ANNUAL REVIEW OF CRIMINOLOGY, VOL 1*  
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edited by Petersilia, J., Sampson, R. J.  
2018; 1: 451–69
- **THE NATURE AND FUNCTION OF PROSECUTORIAL POWER** *JOURNAL OF CRIMINAL LAW & CRIMINOLOGY*  
Sklansky, D. A.  
2016; 106 (3): 473-520
- **Two More Ways Not to Think about Privacy and the Fourth Amendment** *UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO LAW REVIEW*  
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- **Too Much Information: How Not to Think About Privacy and the Fourth Amendment** *CALIFORNIA LAW REVIEW*  
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2014; 102 (5): 1069-1121
- **EVIDENTIARY INSTRUCTIONS AND THE JURY AS OTHER** *STANFORD LAW REVIEW*  
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2013; 65 (3): 407-456
- **COCAINE, RACE, AND EQUAL-PROTECTION** *STANFORD LAW REVIEW*  
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