

Short CV and Selected Publications / Jaakko Salminen

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CV—Jaakko Salminen

1 Personal information

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2 Degrees

Title of Docent in Civil Law, University of Helsinki Faculty of Law, 21.8.2020.

Title of Docent in Civil Law, University of Turku Faculty of Law, 27.5.2020.

Doctor of Laws (LL.D.), Faculty of Law, University of Turku, 28.11.2017.

Master of Laws (LL.M.), Faculty of Law, University of Turku, March 2011.

Master of Arts (M.A.), Faculty of Humanities, University of Turku, June 2008.

Teacher Certification, Faculty of Education, University of Turku, 2005.

3 Current employment

Assistant professor, CBS Law, Copenhagen Business School Department of Management, Politics and Philosophy, 1.4.2020–

4 Previous work experience

Fulltime Postdoctoral Researcher (“Tutkijatohtori”), University of Turku Faculty of Law (Finland), 1.9.2018–31.3.2020.

Affiliated Postdoctoral or Project Researcher in several externally (e.g. Finnish Academy, Business Finland) funded projects, such as: *Algorithmic Agencies and Law* (AALAW); *Sustainable Market Actors for Responsible Trade* (SMART); *IGLP Law and Economic Production Working Group*; *Design for Value* (D4Value); *Towards Relational Business Models* (REBUS); *Contractual Relations in Nuclear Construction* (SOPU); and *Legal Solutions for Efficient Networking* (VERA). Project Coordinator, Business Finland funded *The Ecologies of Efficient Networking* (Swarm3) project at the University of Turku, 2013–2014.

Visiting scholar e.g. at Centre for Enterprise Liability, University of Copenhagen, 1.3.2019–

31.5.2019; Uppsala University Faculty of Law, 1.2.2015–30.9.2015; Institute for Global Law and

Policy, Doha, Qatar, 3.1.2014–13.1.2014; Max Planck Institut für ausländisches und internationales Privatrecht, Hamburg, 1.4.2013–31.5.2013; Institut Suisse de droit comparé, Lausanne, 1.4.2012–31.5.2012.

PhD Candidate, University of Turku, 2012–2017.

Assistant Legal Counsel, Global Legal Function, KONE Corporation, Helsinki, Finland, 2008–2009

5 Career Breaks

11 months of parental leave (between 2014–2015), 9 months of obligatory military service (2001).

6 Research funding and grants

I have participated in several successful Business Finland and Finnish Academy funding applications (overall funding of over EUR 2 million) as an affiliated researcher or research coordinator (see previous work experience above), helping draft and file funding applications but not as PI.

Personal grants: Makarna M. och Hj. Granfelt’s Stipendiefond (2014, SEK 200.000); Max Planck Scholarship for Research at the Max Planck Institute for Comparative and International Private Law, Hamburg (2013); ‘March 25th’ Fund Stipend (2013, EUR 10.000); Van Calker Scholarship for Research at the Swiss Institute of Comparative Law, Lausanne (2012, EUR 5000); Heldt Foundation Grant, (2012, EUR 9.000); Yrjö Sipi Foundation Grant, (2011, EUR 4.000); and several travel-related grants (ranging from 1000–4000 EUR).

7 Research output

In addition to my publications (50+) and presentations (50+), I have organized in particular the conferences:

‘Reimagining Contract in a World of Global Value Chains’, convened together with Klaas Eller (from Humboldt) and organized at Sciences Po Law School, Paris, May 9–10, 2019. C. 30 participants, resulting in a special issue of *European Review of Contract Law* in January 2020.

‘Law and Sustainability in Global Value Chains: Due Diligence and Contracts in Focus’, convened together with Beate Sjøfjell (Uni Oslo), Mark Taylor (Uni Oslo), and Katerina Mitkidis (Uni Aarhus) at Aarhus University, April 25–26, 2018. C. 30 participants.

8 Directing research

I have participated in several Business Finland and Finnish Academy funded research projects as affiliated researcher/project coordinator and been responsible for e.g. organizing seminars, workshops and conferences.

I have participated in the evaluation and/or supervision of over 40 master’s and bachelor’s theses at the University of Turku Faculty of Law.

9 Teaching merits

Since 2012 I have taught the law of obligations (contract, tort), dispute resolution, private international law and the organizational and regulatory dynamics of transnational production on all levels (undergraduate, graduate, PhD candidate). I have been invited to lecture to PhD students in several countries (e.g. Finland, Denmark, Norway). I have designed from scratch the specialization module *Contracts, Commerce and Global Production* at the University of Turku Faculty of Law and the course *Contracts in Global Value Chains* at Copenhagen Business School. As part of my subject teacher training, I have c. 70 ECTS credits of pedagogical training ranging from educational sociology and psychology to different teaching methods and practical teaching experience.

10 Awards and honours

- Hessel E. Yntema Prize of the American Society of Comparative Law 2018.
- Association of Finnish Legal Scholars’ Dissertation of the Year Prize 2017.
- Association of Finnish Lawyers’ prize for LLM Student with highest honours (2011).
- Meg Greenfield Essay Prize (2006), University of Washington, Seattle.

11 Other academic merits

- Several international presentations (e.g. at Sciences Po Law School, Harvard Law School, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Uni Copenhagen, Uni Oslo, Uppsala University, Cornell Law School).
- External evaluator for research funding applications, Norwegian Research Council, 2020.
- External evaluator for assessing doctoral candidates at the University of Turku, autumn 2018.
- Member of the Research and Doctoral Student Training Committee of the Faculty of Law of the University of Turku, 2012–2013.
- Member of the Law Student Applications Committee for the Faculties of Law of the Universities of Turku and Eastern Finland, 2012–2013.
- Student Member of the Faculty Board, University of Turku Faculty of Law, 2007–2010.
- Arbitrator/judge at the Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot Court, 2011–2019.
- Peer reviewer for journal articles, edited volumes and working paper series.

12 Scientific and societal impact

- Joint Editor-in-Chief, *Oikeus* (Finnish law & society journal, ISSN: 0356-4037), 2019–2020.
- Joint Editor-in-Chief, *Oikeustieto* (Finnish caselaw focused legal journal, ISSN: 1456-4270), 2012–2014.
- English Language Editor, *Acta Legis Turkuensia* (Finnish student-edited law journal, ISSN: 1799-4381), 2012.
- Member, Finnwatch’s team drafting Finnish Model Transnational Sustainability Law (2019–2020).
- Member, European Association of Private International Law.
- Founding Member, Finnish Corporate Responsibility Law Association.
- Member, Association of Finnish Legal Scholars (*Suomalainen lakimiesyhdistys*).
- Member, Association of Finnish Lawyers (*Suomalainen lakimiesliitto*).

Selected publications and presentations—Jaakko Salminen, April 2020 (for full list, email jaakko.salminen@iki.fi).

1. Jaakko Salminen, 'Towards a Genealogy and Typology of Governance Through Contract Beyond Privity', 16 *European Review of Contract Law* 1 (2020), 25–43.
2. Klaas Eller and Jaakko Salminen, ERCL Special Issue 'Reimagining Contract in a World of Global Value Chains', 19 *European Review of Contract Law* 1 (2020).
3. Jaakko Salminen, 'Sustainability and the Move from Corporate Governance to Governance Through Contract', in Beate Sjøfjell and Christopher Brunner (eds), *Cambridge Handbook on Corporate Law, Corporate Governance and Sustainability* (Cambridge University Press 2019), 57–70.
4. Jaakko Salminen and Mikko Rajavuori, 'Transnational sustainability laws and the regulation of global value chains: Comparison and a framework for analysis', 26 *Maastricht Journal of European and Comparative Law* 5, 1–26 (2019), open access at <https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/1023263X19871025>.
5. Jaakko Salminen and Mikko Rajavuori, 'Yksityisoikeudellinen vastuu arvoketjusta' [Value Chain Liability], 100 *Defensor Legis* 4, 533–552 (2019).
6. Jaakko Salminen, 'Sustainability in Contractually Organized Supply Chains: Coordinating Transport', in Ellen Eftestøl-Wilhelmsson, Anu Bask, and Suvi Sankari (eds), *Sustainable and Efficient Freight in the EU: Organisational and Legal Tools as Drivers towards a Green Transport Market* (Edward Elgar 2019).
7. Jaakko Salminen and Mikko Rajavuori, 'Global Value Chains as a Legal Concept', posted on 18 December 2019 on the Law and Political Economy blog (lpeblog.org) administered by Yale University, available at <https://lpeblog.org/2019/12/18/global-value-chains-as-a-legal-concept/#more-3131>
8. Jaakko Salminen and Mikko Rajavuori, 'Yritysvastuulait ja ylikansallisen arvoketjun oikeudellinen käsitteellistäminen', 117 *Lakimies* 3–4, 387–417 (2019).
9. Jaakko Salminen, 'From Product Liability to Production Liability: Modelling a Response to the Liability Deficit of Global Value Chains on Historical Transformations of Production', 23 *Competition and Change* 4, 420–438 (2019).
10. Jaakko Salminen and Vibe Ulfbeck, 'Developing Supply Chain Liability – A Necessary Marriage of Contract and Tort?' in Vibe Ulfbeck, Alexandra Andhov and Katerina Peterkova (eds), *Law and Responsible Supply Chain Management: The Interplay and Overlap of Contract and Tort Law* (Routledge 2019).
11. Jaakko Salminen, 'Private Law as an Enabler and Regulator of New Forms of Production: A Socio-Functional Analysis of the Ideals of Doctrinal Stability and Social Congruence', 'Pragmatism v Principfasthet', *Stockholm Centre for Commercial Law* 36 (2019).
12. Jaakko Salminen, 'Recent Nordic Trends in Developing Value Chain Sustainability', in Chen Su and Ulla Liukkunen (eds), *Legal Reform and the Development of Rule of Law: A Comparison between China and Finland* (Social Sciences Academic Press 2019).
13. Kevin Sobel-Read, Glenn Andersson, and Jaakko Salminen, 'Recalibrating Contract Law: Choses in Action, Global Value Chains and the Enforcement of Obligations Outside of Privity', 93 *Tulane Law Review* 1, 1–46 (2018).
14. Jaakko Salminen, 'The Accord on Fire and Building Safety in Bangladesh—A New Paradigm for Limiting Buyers' Liability in Global Supply Chains?', 66 *American Journal of Comparative Law* 2, 411–451 (2018), open access at <https://academic.oup.com/ajcl/article/66/2/411/5079089>.
15. Mika Viljanen, Jaakko Salminen, and Anna Hurmerinta, 'Funktionaalinen sopiminen, osa 2: Sopimisen muutokset käytännössä' [Functional Contracting, Part II: Practical Changes in Contracting], 47 *Oikeus* 2, (2018).
16. Mika Viljanen, Jaakko Salminen, and Anna Hurmerinta, 'Funktionaalinen sopiminen, osa 1: Kohti uudenlaista sopimusajattelua' [Functional Contracting, Part I: Rethinking Contract Law], 47 *Oikeus* 1, 65–80 (2018).

17. Jaakko Salminen, 'Sopimusinstituutio ja globaalinen tuotannon järjestelmä', 116 *Lakimies* 7–8, 1073–1078 (2018).
18. Jaakko Salminen, 'Tuotantovastuun käsite, metodit ja merkitys', 116 *Lakimies* 5, 581–593 (2018).
19. Jaakko Salminen, *From National Product Liability to Transnational Production Liability: Conceptualizing the Relationship of Law and Global Supply Chains*, University of Turku (2017, doctoral dissertation).
20. Jaakko Salminen, 'Välitysehto à la Bangladesh Accord kansainvälisten toimitusketjujen riskienhallinnassa', 98 *Defensor Legis* 4, 680–691 (2017).
21. Jaakko Salminen, 'Governance Through Contract and the Environmental Impact of Supply Chains—Still Waiting for a 'Rana Plaza' Moment of Global Recognition', *University of Oslo Faculty of Law Research Paper Series* No. 2017-28 (peer reviewed, pending acceptance to edited volume *Sustainable Business Models: Life-cycle based enterprises for planetary and societally tolerable economy*).
22. Jaakko Salminen, 'Contract-Boundary-Spanning Governance Mechanisms: Conceptualizing Fragmented and Globalized Production as Collectively Governed Entities', 23 *Indiana Journal of Global Legal Studies* 709–742 (2016).
23. IGLP Law and Global Production Working Group (including Jaakko Salminen), 'The role of law in global value chains: a research manifesto', 4 *London Review of International Law*, 57–79 (2016), open access at <http://lril.oxfordjournals.org/content/4/1/57.full>.
24. Jaakko Salminen, 'Sirpaloituneen sopimusrakenteen hallitseminen ja kaksiasiansuhteiden osittaminen', 113 *Lakimies*, 482–507 (2015).
25. Jaakko Salminen, 'Takuusitoumus, kauppatapa ja osapuolten välinen vastuu sopimusketjussa', *Oikeustieto* (2015).
26. Jaakko Salminen, 'Fit for the Governance of Global Value Chains? The Framework for Commercial Dispute Resolution in Finland from a Multiparty, Multi-Contract Perspective', in Li Lin, Xie Zengyi, and Kimmo Nuotio (eds), *Safeguarding Human Rights and Constructing the Rule of Law: A Comparison between China and Finland* (2014), ISBN 978-7-5097-6007-9.
27. Katri Valkokari, Jaakko Salminen, Anni Rajala, Merja Koskela, Kari Kaunisto, and Tiina Apilo (eds), *Ekosysteemit ja verkostojen parviäly. Tulevaisuuden liiketoiminnan suuntaviivoja*, Espoo, ISBN: 978-951-38-8089-7 (2014).
28. Anna Hurmerinta, Jyri Heinonen, Aleksandra Kiskonen, Ari Saarnilehto, Jaakko Salminen, Matti Urho, and Mika Viljanen, 'Moduulisopimus', *Oikeustieto* (2014).
29. Jaakko Salminen, 'Puolison käyttäytyminen, verkkopankkitunnukset ja huolellisuusvelvoite: Milloin pankkitilinsä tilannetta tarvitsee seurata?', *Oikeustieto* (2014).
30. Jaakko Salminen, 'Kuluttaja ja ulkomaisen välimiesmenettelyn täytäntöönpano Suomessa', *Oikeustieto* (2014).
31. Jaakko Salminen, 'Intressiperusteinen riidanratkaisu verkostossa—sovintosopimus riidan hallinnan välineenä', in Vesa Annola and Ari Saarnilehto (eds), *Monimuotoinen verkosto: Johtamista ja juridiikkaa* (2013), ISBN 978-952-246-223-7.
32. Jaakko Salminen, 'Sopimustulkintaa ja prosessiväitteitä: Välimiesmenettely hovioikeuksien ratkaisukäytännössä 2008–2012', *Oikeustieto* (2013).
33. Jaakko Salminen, 'Sopimustulkintaa ja prosessiväitteitä: Välimiesmenettely hovioikeuksien ratkaisukäytännössä 2008–2012, osa II', *Oikeustieto* (2013).
34. Jaakko Salminen, 'Sopimus kolmannen hyväksi ja välitysehto: kansallista kehitystä, kansainvälistä integraatiota, vanhan toistoa?', *Oikeustieto* (2013).
35. Jaakko Salminen, 'Suullinen yhteistyösopimus, todistustaakka ja todistelun haasteet', *Oikeustieto* (2013).
36. Jaakko Salminen, 'Sopimus, sopimuskokonaisuus ja välityslausekkeen ulottuvuus', *Oikeustieto*, (2012).

37. Jaakko Salminen, 'Riita laihasta sovusta? Oikeudenkäyntikulujen jättäminen tuomioistuinten ratkaistavaksi sovintotapauksissa', *Oikeustieto* (2012).
38. Jaakko Salminen, 'Sovinto vai sopimus? Oikeusvoima ja sovintosopimuksen oikeustoimilain 36 §:n mukainen sovittelu', *Oikeustieto* (2012).
39. Jaakko Salminen, 'The Different Meanings of International Commercial Conciliation', 9 *Nordic Journal of Commercial Law* (2011), open access at <https://journals.aau.dk/index.php/NJCL/article/view/3012>.
40. Jaakko Salminen, 'Towards Transparency in Law (And in the Meanwhile, More Mediation)', 2 *Acta Legis Turkuensia* 5–19 (2011).
41. Jaakko Salminen, 'Transparent Editing: A framework for overt communication between editors and readers', in Lydia Kokkola (ed.), *Anglicana Turkuensia 25: Tracks to Mastering English* (2011), ISBN 978-951-29-3847-6.

Conferences Organized and Chaired

'Reimagining Contract in a World of Global Value Chains', convened together with Klaas Eller (Humboldt) at Sciences Po Law School, Paris, May 9–10, 2019.

'Law and Sustainability in Global Value Chains: Due Diligence and Contracts in Focus', convened together with Beate Sjøfjell (Uni Oslo), Mark Taylor (Uni Oslo), and Katerina Mitkidis (Uni Aarhus) at Aarhus University, April 25–26, 2018.

Select Presentations, Lectures etc.

'Regulating the Supply Chain in the Fashion Industry', invited speaker at the Law for the Circular Economy workshop at the University of Lapland, Rovaniemi, December 9, 2019.

'Governance and GVCs', whitepaper presentation with Jennifer Bair at workshop for planning an edited volume on law and global value chains with the IGLP Law and Economic Production Working Group, Science Po Law School, Paris, December 7, 2019.

'The Political Economy of Contract and New Forms of Production', invited speaker at the roundtable 'Tackling Labour Violations in Global Supply Chains: From CSR to Business Models?' of the conference Power and Accountability in Global Supply Chain Governance, King's College London, November 22–23, 2019.

'Critical Perspectives on the Role of the Home State in Global Supply Chain Regulation', invited roundtable chair at the conference Power and Accountability in Global Supply Chain Governance, King's College London, November 22–23, 2019.

'Law and the Governance of Global Value Chains in the Garment Sector', invited speaker at the 'Fashion is my -ism' workshop organized by Polish-Japanese Academy of Information Technology in Warsaw, Poland, October 15, 2019.

'Nordic business and global value chains', guest lecturer at the Uni Oslo PhD Seminar on Companies and Markets 2019 'Business: Law, Policies and Theory', Oslo, October 9, 2019.

'Corporate Governance and Global Value Chains', presentation together with Beate Sjøfjell at the SMART project (Horizon2020) EU policy coherence workshop for sustainable business and finance, Brussels, September 17, 2019.

'Law, Responsibility and Production', Guest Lecture at the University of Eastern Finland Doctoral Program, Joensuu, September 4, 2019.

‘A Platform Operator’s Liability for Value Chain Governance’, presentation together with Mikko Rajavuori (UEF) at the Finnish National Law Conference, Aalto University, Espoo, Finland, October 28–29, 2019.

‘The Death of Human Rights? The Political Economy of Using Global Value Chains as a Field Theory for the Move to National(ist) Approaches to Regulating Transnational Production’, presentation at the Law and Society Association’s Conference, Washington DC, June 1, 2019.

‘Domination and Distribution: The Role of Law in Global Value Chains’, roundtable organizer and participant at the Law and Society Association’s Conference, Washington DC, June 1, 2019.

‘Supply Chain Collaboration?’ Guest Lecture at the PhD Course Collaborative contracts and knowledge sharing, University of Copenhagen Faculty of Law, May 27, 2019.

Co-chairing the Conference ‘Reimagining Contract in a World of Global Value Chains’, together with Klaas Eller (Humboldt) at Sciences Po Law School, Paris, France, May 8–9, 2019.

‘Genealogy of Governance Through Contract’, presentation at Reimagining Contract in a World of Global Value Chains, Sciences Po Law School, Paris, France, May 8, 2019.

‘The Political Economy of the Legal Conceptualization of Global Value Chains’, presentation at the II Nordic-Chinese Forum for International Economic Law: China, Sustainable Development and Economic Policy-Making Sustainability, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, April 10–11, 2019.

‘Conceptualizing Private Governance in Global Value Chains’, lecture at the Centre for Enterprise Liability, University of Copenhagen Faculty of Law, April 2, 2019.

‘Role of Law for Global Value Chains’ workshop presentation at Sciences Po Law School, Paris, France February 1, 2019.

‘Yritysvastuuta yli rajojen: Kohti sopimuksellisesti rakentuvan ylikansallisen tuotannon reunaehtojen kansallista hallintaa’, presentation at the KATSE/FISA (Finnish International Studies Association) conference in Majvik, Finland, January 18–19, 2019.

‘Avtalsbegreppets roll för den globala produktionens struktur och reglering’, presentation at the Department of Private Law, Uppsala University, January 10, 2019.

‘Alustatalous, autonomiset toimijat ja ylikansalliset arvoketjut?’, presentation at the workshop Tekniikka kehittyä, kehittykö yksityisoikeus?, University of Turku Faculty of Law, December 3, 2018.

‘Sopimusinstituutio ja globaalin tuotannon järjestelmä’, lecture delivered upon receiving the Finnish Legal Scholars’ Association’s Dissertation of the Year (2017) Award, Helsinki, November 9, 2018.

‘Yritysvastuulait ja ylikansallisen tuotannon sääntely’, presentation in panel debate on corporate social responsibility regulation organized by the Turku Students Union, Turku, October 23, 2018.

‘Sustainability and the Move from Corporate Governance to Governance Through Contract’, presentation at the 9th Sino-Finnish Bilateral Seminar on Comparative Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing, September 20–21, 2018.

‘Sustainability and the Move from Corporate Governance to Governance Through Contract’, presentation at the Handelsrättslig Workshop of the Department of Business Studies of Uppsala University, August 20, 2018.

‘Scaling Contracts’ (originally ‘Global Value Chains, Litigation, and the Move from Corporate Governance to Governance Through Contract’), presentation at the Transformative Scales: Towards a method for multi-level legal conflicts workshop held at the Munk School of Global Affairs, University of Toronto, June 11–12, 2018.

‘Sustainability and the Move From Corporate Governance to Governance Through Contract’, presentation at Law at the Crossroads: Le droit à la croisée des chemins Annual Meeting on Law and Society at Toronto, June 6–10, 2018.

‘Sustainability and the Move from Corporate Governance to Governance Through Contract’, presentation in the Corporation in Global Society mini-conference organized together with the IGLP Law in Global Political Economy: Heterodoxy Now conference held at Harvard Law School, June 2–3, 2018.

‘Rana Plaza, Bangladesh, as a European Crisis: The Beginning of the End of Transnational New Governance as a Narrative of Legitimacy’, presentation at the European Narratives of Crisis conference organized by the Centre of Excellence in Law, Identity and the European Narratives (EuroStorie) at the University of Helsinki, Finland, May 17–18, 2018.

Co-chairing the conference ‘Law and Sustainability in Global Value Chains: Due Diligence and Contracts in Focus’, together with Beate Sjøfjell (Uni Oslo), Mark Taylor (Uni Oslo), and Katerina Mitkidis (Uni Aarhus) at Aarhus University, April 25–26, 2018.

‘Legally Meaningful Ways of Conceptualizing Control in Global Value Chains: Beyond Gereffian Governance Analytics’, presentation at the conference ‘Law and sustainability in global value chains: Due diligence and contracts in focus’ at Aarhus University, Denmark, April 25–26, 2018.

‘Sustainability and the Mover from Corporate Governance to Governance Through Contract’, presentation at the Cambridge Handbook for Corporate Governance, Sustainability, and Regulation Symposium at the University of Oslo Faculty of Law, Norway, March 12–14, 2018.

‘The Move from Corporate Governance to Governance Through Contract’, presentation at a "Civilrättslunch" of the Uppsala University Faculty of Law, Sweden, January 25, 2018.

‘Liability for Unsustainable Supply Chain Practices, Nothing Less’, lecture at the PhD Seminar on Companies and Markets 2017: Sustainable Market Actors in the Nordic countries, University of Oslo, Norway, October 9–13, 2017.

‘Sustainability and the Move from Corporate Governance to Governance through Contract: Contesting Narratives of Contractual Boundaries in Transnational Chains of Supply’, presentation at Law and Sustainability: 10th Conference of the Legal Research Network, held at the University of Groningen, the Netherlands, September 13–15, 2017.

‘The Perpetual Crisis of Labor and Environment in Transnational Chains of Supply’, presentation at the Law & Crises national legal research conference held at the University of Turku, September 1, 2017.

‘Mindless Buyers, Conscientious Motivators, Rabid Litigators: The Effect of Different Roles of Consumers for Typologies of Supply Chain Governance’, paper presented at the Exploring the Role of Consumers for Sustainability conference at the University of Sheffield, July 6, 2017.

‘Global Supply Chain Governance Through the Prism of Transnational Contracts’, presentation at the International Law in a Dark Time conference, Erik Castren Institute, University of Helsinki, May 23, 2017.

‘The Promise and Limits of Sector-Wide Contracting for Sustainable Transport: Who Should Be Responsible for Coordinating Sustainability within a Transnational Transport Supply Chain?’ Presentation at the Inter-Tran conference, University of Helsinki, April 21, 2017.

‘Fragmented Operation: Attributing Liability for Autonomous Actors Enmeshed in a Network of Human Operators’, presentation at the Digital Rights, Markets and Innovation Conference Conference, University of Turku, December 1–2, 2016.

‘Governance Through Contract and the Environmental Impact of Supply Chains—Still Waiting for a ‘Rana Plaza’ Moment of Global Recognition’, presentation at the Life-cycle based management and reporting for sustainable business conference, University of Oslo, November 29–30, 2016.

Comment on Professor Vibe Ulfbeck’s presentation ‘Supply chain liability – lessons to be learned from product liability law?’ at the conference To Pursue or Not to Pursue CSR—Legal Risks and Goals, University of Copenhagen, October 6–7, 2016.

‘From National Product Liability towards Transnational Production Liability: The Slings and Arrows of Private Law and Policy’, presentation at the Annual Conference of the National Network for Law PhD Candidates in Sweden, University of Uppsala, August 25–26, 2016.

‘The Bangladesh Accord—A New Paradigm for Limiting Liability in Global Supply Chains’, presentation at 12th Cornell Law School Inter-University Graduate Conference: Transnational Interests & the Globalization of (In)equality, Cornell Law School, April 14–15, 2016

‘Contract Boundary Spanning Governance Mechanisms: Conceptualizing Fragmented and Globalized Production as Collectively Governed Entities’, presentation at the XVI National [Finnish] Conference of Jurisprudence, University of Eastern Finland, August 25–26, 2015.

‘Old Dog, New Tricks? Teaching Values to Contract Law by Conceptualizing Value Chain Governance in a Way it Cannot Ignore’, presentation at the Law and Boundaries Conference, Sciences Po University, June 17–18, 2015.

‘Contract Boundary Spanning Governance’, Presentation at a Högre seminarium för civilrätt, University of Uppsala, March 25, 2015.

Participant at the workshop Role of Law and Structures of Production: Mapping Global Chains for Textiles and Tuna, Northeastern University School of Law and City Law School, February 28–March 1, 2015.

Participant at the workshop Role of Law in Structures of Production: Value, Rents, Governance and Distribution, City Law School, October 25–26, 2014.

‘From the Tragedy of Rana Plaza to the Fiasco of Olkiluoto 3: Assessing Fragmentation in International Commercial Law’, presentation at the conference Law in the Lighthouse: Imagining Post-Neoliberal Regulatory Subjectivities, University of Turku, October 15–17, 2014.

Participant at the workshop Role of Law in Structures of Production, Harvard Law School, June 4–6, 2014.

‘Contract Governance in Nuclear Value Chains: Beyond the Billion Euro Failure of Olkiluoto 3’, poster presentation at the European Nuclear Conference, Marseille, May 11–15, 2014.

‘Contract Governance in Nuclear Value Chains: Beyond the Billion Dollar Failure of Olkiluoto 3’, presentation at the Private Law Forum of Doctoral Researchers Workshop, European University Institute, April 28–29, 2014

Participant at the Institute for Global Law and Policy Workshop, Doha, January 3–11, 2014.

"Implementing Networked Value Chains in Law: The Scope of Dispute Resolution Agreements in Connected Contracts", workshop presentation at the Institute for Global Law and Policy Workshop, Doha, January 3–11, 2014.

'Legal Implementation of Networked Value Chains Through the Concept of Connected Contracts', presentation at the Nordic Tort Law Conference, Helsinki, September 26–27, 2013.

'Comparative Ideas? Legal Theory and Practice as Fodder for Cognitive Resources on Connected Contracts', presentation at Legal Research Network Summer School, Lille, September 8–13, 2013.

Finnish commentator on the panel 'The Rule of Law and Economic Development', at the 5th Sino-Finnish International Seminar on Comparative Law: Rule of Law and Economic and Social Development, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, June 14–16, 2013.

'Connected Contracts as a Global Trend: Implications for Policy and Practice', presentation at the Institute for Global Law and Policy Conference, Harvard University, June 3–5, 2013.

'Contractual responses to governing major projects as networks in light of the Olkiluoto 3 nuclear power plant', presentations at the two-part workshop Corporate Governance: Theoretical and Methodological Problems, University of Uppsala, November 6–8 and December 5–7, 2012.

'Constitutional or contractual foundations for extending the scope of a contract: Who is party to a dispute resolution agreement?', presentation at the conference New perspectives on constitutionalism under conditions of globalization, University of Oslo, October 11–12, 2012

'From Bilateral Relations to Networks: A Shift in the Focus of Contractual Privity', presentation at a Rencontre informelle de l'institut suisse de droit comparé, Swiss Institute of Comparative Law, May 8, 2012.