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Vicki C. Jackson is a leading expert on U.S. constitutional law, comparative constitutional law and federal courts and Harvard Law School's first Thurgood Marshall Professor of Constitutional Law. Prior to joining the Harvard Law faculty, while at Georgetown University Law Center, Jackson's title was Carmack Waterhouse Professor of Constitutional Law, where she taught courses on constitutional law, comparative constitutional law, gender equality, federal courts, and the Supreme Court.

Jackson has participated in myriad professional activities and organizations. She served as a Deputy Assistant Attorney General in the Office of Legal Counsel at the U.S. Department of Justice. She has been a board member of the International Association of Constitutional Law since 1999, and served several years on the Advisory Board to the State and Local Legal Center. She also served as co-chair of the Special Committee on Gender of the D.C. Circuit Task Force on Gender, Race & Ethnic Bias, and has been a member of the D.C. Bar's Board of Governors, the Advisory Committee on Procedures to the United States Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit, and the D.C. Bar's Disciplinary System Study Committee.

Prior to joining the Georgetown faculty, Jackson was an associate and then part-

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She has two books with HLS Professor Mark Tushnet: a coursebook, *Comparative Constitutional Law* (Foundation Press, 2d ed. 2006) and an edited collection of scholarly essays, *Defining the Field of Comparative Constitutional Law* (Praeger, 2002). Her other books include *Constitutional Engagement in a Transnational Era* (Oxford University Press, 2010), *Federal Courts Stories* (co-editor with Judith Resnik, Thomson Reuters/Foundation Press, 2010), and *Inside the Supreme Court: The Institution and Its Procedures* (co-author with Susan Low Bloch and Thomas G. Kattenmaker, Thomson/West, 2d ed. 2008).

Jackson has served as an Articles Editor for *I.Con*, the *International Journal of Constitutional Law*, and is now on its Board of Advisors. She has been published in the *Harvard Law Review*, *Yale Law Journal* and *Georgetown Law Journal*, among many other scholarly journals and publications.

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