

## THE POST-RACIAL NEGRO GREEN BOOK

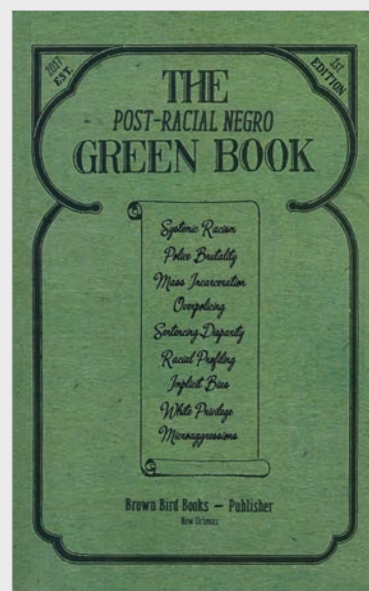
JAN MILES '95  
BROWN BIRD BOOKS

After President Barack Obama's election, many argued that we live in a post-racial society. In truth, you could fill a book with the number of documented instances of racism that occur in the U.S. in just a few years.

Jan Miles '95 proves this point in "The Post-Racial Negro Green Book," her inaugural overview of racial bias against African-Americans in the United States, published in December. The book is a self-described "time capsule" of the years 2013-16.

Styled in the fashion of "The Negro Motorist Green Book," which advised black motorists about accommodations and services available to them in the U.S. during segregation, this "Green Book" compiles statistical research and reported incidents of racism, broken down by state.

In Louisiana, for example, where the book was published, the population is 32.5 percent black—yet blacks were 50.5 percent of the victims of police homicide over the four-year period.



The section touches on stories such as that of Alton Sterling, who was killed by Baton Rouge police while selling CDs in front of a gas station, and describes disparate outcomes for blacks and whites who brandished weapons at police.

In introductory comments, Miles describes how

she relied only on verified reports. Incidents for which there was not enough information to assert that race played a role were excluded.

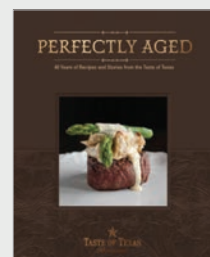
"It was important to me that the credibility of the book's contents not be put into question by uncorroborated incidents," she explained.

She intended to present the incidents and facts without commentary, she said, but the format and styling of the book were indeed chosen to make an editorial statement.

"The question I'm asking with the look and feel of this book is: How far have we really come?" she said.

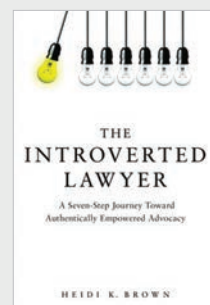
Ultimately, the book is meant to serve as a conversation starter and a resource for individuals studying racism or trying to effect change on the issue.

—Eric Williamson



**PERFECTLY AGED: 40 YEARS OF RECIPES AND STORIES FROM THE TASTE OF TEXAS**  
CORBIN BLACKFORD '14  
and KRISTIN BLACKFORD  
TASTE OF TEXAS

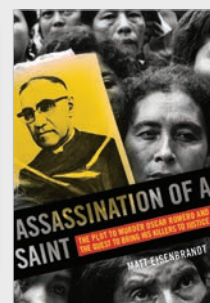
This coffee-table-style cookbook is a celebration of 40 years of the authors' family restaurant, Houston-based Taste of Texas. Filled with photographs from a top food photographer, the book features favorite recipes and tells the story of Texas independence through the artifacts found in the restaurant's Texas history museum.



**THE INTROVERTED LAWYER: A SEVEN-STEP JOURNEY TOWARD AUTHENTICALLY EMPOWERED ADVOCACY**  
HEIDI K. BROWN '94

AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

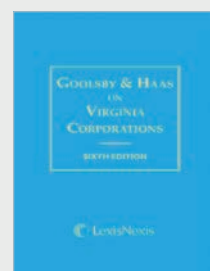
This book champions the gifts that introverted, shy and socially anxious lawyers can contribute to the legal profession. The second half of the book offers a seven-step process for empowering lawyers' voices in an authentic manner.



**ASSASSINATION OF A SAINT: THE PLOT TO MURDER OSCAR ROMERO AND THE QUEST TO BRING HIS KILLERS TO JUSTICE**  
MATT EISENBRANDT '01

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA PRESS

This book tells the story of an international team of lawyers, private investigators and human rights experts who fought to bring justice for El Salvadoran Archbishop Oscar Romero more than two decades after his assassination. Eisenbrandt recounts how he and his colleagues interviewed witnesses and former members of death squads while searching for evidence on the conspirators and those who financed them. As the team worked toward the only court verdict ever reached for the martyred archbishop's murder, they uncovered information with implications for El Salvador and the United States today.

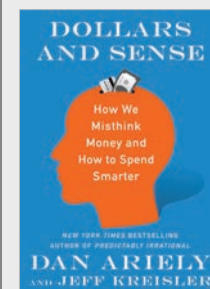


**GOOLSBY & HAAS ON VIRGINIA CORPORATIONS (SIXTH EDITION)**  
ALLEN C. GOOLSBY '68  
and STEVEN M. HAAS '04

LEXISNEXIS

A comprehensive treatment of law related to the Virginia Stock Cor-

poration Act, this resource includes definitions, fees and forms while exploring in detail the state statutes and related case law on all aspects of the act, of which Goolsby is the principal author. This latest edition provides everything needed to initiate, modify or dissolve corporations, including formation, the authorization and issuance of shares, limitation of liability, shareholders meetings, and rules for corporate records and financial reports..



**DOLLARS AND SENSE: HOW WE MISTHINK MONEY AND HOW TO SPEND SMARTER**  
JEFF KREISLER '98 and  
DAN ARIELY

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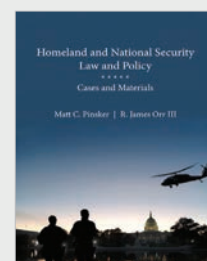
Best-selling author and behavioral economist Ariely teams up with financial comedian and writer Kreisler to challenge many of our most basic assumptions about the precarious relationship between our brains and our money. In doing so, they undermine many of personal finance's most sacred beliefs and explain how we can override some of our own instincts to make better financial choices. Exploring a wide range of everyday topics—from the lure of pain-free spending with credit cards to the pitfalls of household budgeting to the seductive power of holiday sales—Ariely and Kreisler demonstrate how our misplaced confidence in our spending habits frequently costs us more than we realize.



**PREPARED U: HOW INNOVATIVE COLLEGES DRIVE STUDENT SUCCESS**  
GLORIA CORDES LARSON '77

JOSSEY-BASS

Larson, president of Bentley University, explains why today's practices in higher education are inadequate preparation for our rapidly evolving innovation economy. Instead, she passionately advocates for a hybrid-learning model that integrates business education with traditional liberal arts courses. Today's businesses demand a new kind of graduate, possessed of both hard and soft skills, with the courage to take risks, the creativity to innovate and the savvy to excel in a turbulent competitive climate.

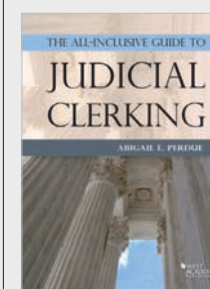


**HOMELAND AND NATIONAL SECURITY LAW AND POLICY CASES AND MATERIALS**  
R. JAMES ORR LL.M. '95  
and MATT C. PINSKIER

CAROLINA ACADEMIC PRESS

Using case law as well as policy documents and key legislation, this book covers a range of legal issues, including constitutional framework, criminal procedure, interrogation and surveillance involving domestic and foreign intel-

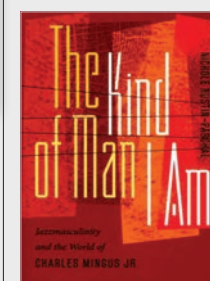
ligence subjects, protection and litigation of state secrets and classified information, war powers, civil rights, targeted killings, military justice, international law, detainees and more. Designed with the undergraduate student in mind, the text can be used in criminal justice, security studies and government policy concentrations.



**THE ALL-INCLUSIVE GUIDE TO JUDICIAL CLERKING**  
ABIGAIL E. PERDUE '07

WEST ACADEMIC

Perdue, as associate professor at Wake Forest University School of Law, directs the school's Washington, D.C., Summer Judicial Externship Program and is assistant director of its Metropolitan Externship Program. This guide offers a comprehensive resource on clerking for courts, law schools and clinical professors.



**THE KIND OF MAN I AM: JAZZ MASCULINITY AND THE WORLD OF CHARLES MINGUS JR.**  
NICHOLE RUSTIN-PASCAL '10

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY PRESS

Drawing on archival records, published

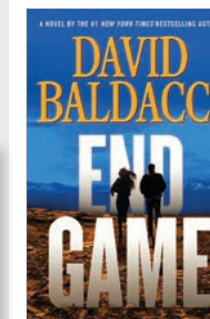
memoirs and previously conducted interviews, Rustin-Paschal uses Mingus as a lens through which to craft a gendered cultural history of postwar jazz culture. The book challenges the narrative of Mingus as jazz's "Angry Man" by examining the ways the language of emotion has been used in jazz as shorthand for competing ideas about masculinity, authenticity, performance and authority.



**LAW AND REVOLUTION: LEGITIMACY AND CONSTITUTIONALISM AFTER THE ARAB SPRING**  
NIMER SULTANY LL.M. '06

OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS

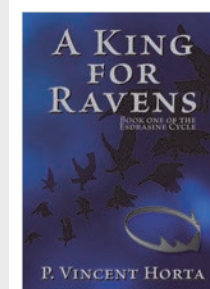
"Law and Revolution" examines the constitutional order that preceded and followed the Arab Spring in Egypt, Tunisia, Libya, Morocco, Jordan, Algeria, Oman and Bahrain. It critically examines political, legal and constitutional theory in light of the Arab Spring, and draws on comparative studies of the law and constitutions in diverse revolutionary contexts, covering examples from England, France, the United States, Russia, and Central and Eastern Europe.



**END GAME (WILL ROBIE NO. 5)**  
DAVID BALDACCIO '86

GRAND CENTRAL

Will Robie and Jessica Reel are the lethal weapons the government calls in to take out those who plot violence and mass destruction against the United States. When their handler, known as "Blue Man," goes missing, they track him down where he was last seen, in rural Colorado. But lying in wait is an even more insidious and sweeping threat, one that may shake the very foundations of America.



**A KING FOR RAVENS**  
PETER V. HILTON '13

SELF-PUBLISHED AS P. VINCENT HORTA

For 1,000 years, repelling the rhythmic raids of the Wyrlokhen monsters has been more

than religious duty for the kingdom of Vare; it has been survival. But for the first time, Vare is answering the raids with its own invasion to avoid an apocalyptic prophecy. As soldier Taen Llegarian and druidess Lorana Naborl vanish into the Wyrlokhen domain with their allies, politics at home and prophecies unfold. Taen comes closer to his destiny, while Lorana, caught between her duty to her beliefs and her love for Taen, must decide where her true loyalties lie.