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THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW
CONGRATULATES GREGORY SHAFFER ON HIS APPOINTMENT
TO THE GEORGETOWN LAW FACULTY

**Professor Shaffer, who currently serves as the Society's President,
will take up his post at Georgetown Law this fall.**

WASHINGTON D.C. — Today, the American Society of International Law announced that its President Gregory Shaffer, Chancellor's Professor of Law and Political Science and director of the Center of Globalization, Law, and Society at the University of California, Irvine School of Law, will join the faculty at Georgetown School of Law this fall.

“Gregory Shaffer has proven to be an extraordinarily innovative and committed President of the American Society of International Law,” said Michael D. Cooper, ASIL’s Executive Director, “and on behalf of the Society and our Tillar House staff, I take this opportunity to congratulate Professor Shaffer on his appointment to the Georgetown Law faculty and to welcome Greg and his wife Michele Goodwin (also an ASIL member) to Washington, D.C.”

Shaffer is a leading scholar of international law, with a particular focus on international economic law. His publications include ten books and over one hundred articles and book chapters. His most recent book *Emerging Powers and the World Trading System: The Past and Future of International Economic Law* (Cambridge University Press, 2021) won the 2022 Chadwick F. Alger Prize of the International Studies Association for the best book on international organizations. Shaffer serves on the board of editors of many leading journals, including most recently the *American Journal of International Law*, the *Journal of International Economic Law*, and the *Law and Society Review*. Prior to entering academia, Shaffer practiced law in Paris for more than seven years with both Coudert Brothers and Bredin Prat.

ABOUT ASIL

The American Society of International Law is a nonprofit, nonpartisan, educational membership organization founded in 1906 and chartered by Congress in 1950. The mission of the American Society of International Law is to foster the study of international law and to promote the establishment and maintenance of international relations on the basis of law and justice. ASIL holds Category II Consultative Status to the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations and is a constituent society of the American Council of Learned Societies.

The Society's 3,500 members from more than 100 nations include attorneys, academics, corporate counsel, judges, representatives of governments and nongovernmental organizations, international civil servants, students, and others interested in international law. Through our meetings, publications, information services and outreach programs, ASIL advances international law scholarship and education for international law professionals as well as for broader policy-making audiences and the public.

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