

BELL, Gary Associate Professor lawbellg@nus.edu.sg

Publications

ARTICLES

Gary F Bell, "Teaching More Civil Law at the National University of Singapore: A Necessity for Singapore as a Legal Hub for Asia" (2019) 14(S1) *Asian Journal of Comparative Law* S173-S193

Gary F Bell, "The Civil Law, the Common Law, and the English Language – Challenges and Opportunities in Asia" (2019) 14(S1) Asian Journal of Comparative Law S29-S49

Gary F Bell, "The State of Comparative Law and its Teaching in Asia – An Introduction" (2019) 14(S1) Asian Journal of Comparative Law S3-S7

Gary F Bell, "Soft Law in Arbitration: For Uniformity or For Diversity, Flexibility and Choice?" (2019) 7(2) *European International Arbitration Review* 1-18

Gary F Bell, "The New International Commercial Courts - Competing with Arbitration? The Example of the Singapore International Commercial Court" (2018) 11(2) Contemporary Asia Arbitration Journal 193-216

Gary F Bell, "Law and Religious Pluralism in Contemporary Asia - A Foreword" (2013) 7(1) Asian Journal of Comparative Law 1-4.

Gary F Bell, "Religious Legal Pluralism Revisited ' The Status of the Roman Catholic Church and Her Canon Law in Singapore" (2012) 7(1) Asian Journal of Comparative Law 1-37

Tan CH, Teo KS, Wang J, Gary F Bell, Arun KT, Dang XH, Kim JG, V Vijayakumar, "Legal Education in Asia" (2006) 1(1) Asian Journal of Comparative Law 184 - 207

Gary F Bell, "Multiculturalism in Law is Legal Pluralism? Lessons from Indonesia, Singapore and Canada" [2006] Singapore Journal of Legal Studies (Special Feature: NUS-University of Toronto Symposium on Multiculturalism) 315 - 330.

Gary F Bell, "Harmonisation of Contract Law in Asia - Harmonising Regionally or Adopting Global Harmonisations - The Example of the CISG" [2005] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 362 - 372

Gary F Bell, "How the Fact of Accepting Good Faith as a General Principle of the CISG Will Bring More Uniformity" [2005] Review of the Convention on Contracts for the International of Sale of Goods 3 - 22

Gary F Bell, "Why Singapore should withdraw its reservation to the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods (CISG)" [2005] 9 Singapore Year Book of International Law 55 - 73

Gary F Bell, "Decentralisation in Indonesia - Theory and Practice" (2004) 1 Jurnal Hukum Bisnis

Gary F Bell, "Indonesia: The New Regional Autonomy Laws, Two Years Later" (2003) 1 Southeast Asian Affairs 117-131

Gary F Bell, "Minority Rights and Regionalism in Indonesia - Will Constitutional Recognition Lead to Disintegration and Discrimination?" (2001) 5 *Singapore Journal of International & Comparative Law* 784-806.

Gary F Bell, "The 1945 [Indonesian] Constitution - constitutions do not perform miracles" (2001) 6 Van Zorge Report on Indonesia - Commentary and Analysis on Indonesian Politics and Economics 4.

Gary F Bell, "The New Indonesian Laws relating to Regional Autonomy: Good Intentions, Confusing Laws" (2001) 2(1) Asian Pacific Law and Policy Journal

CHAPTERS

Gary F Bell, "Comparative Remarks: The Sources of Religious Laws" in S. Ferrari and R. Bottoni eds., *Routledge Handbook of Religious Laws* (Routledge, 2019) 146-154

Gary F Bell, "Introduction: The Model Law and its Importance in Asia" in Gary F. Bell ed., *The UNCITRAL Model Law and Asian Arbitration Laws: Implementation and Comparisons* (Cambridge University Press, 2018) 1-5

Gary F Bell, "Singapore's Implementation of the Model Law: If at First You Don't Succeed ..." in Gary F. Bell ed., The UNCITRAL Model Law and Asian Arbitration Laws: Implementation and Comparisons (Cambridge University Press, 2018) 238-268

Gary F Bell, "Section III - Remedies for breach of contract by the buyer (articles 61-65)" in S Kröll, L Mistelis, P Perales Viscacillas eds., *UN Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods - A Commentary* (2nd edn, Beck/Hart Publishing, 2018) 826-849

Gary F Bell, "Formation of Contract and Stipulations for Third Parties in Indonesia" in Mindy Chen-Wishart, Alexander Loke and Stefan Vogenauer eds., *Formation and Third Party Beneficiaries* (Oxford University Press, 2018) 365-395

Gary F Bell and Y.U. Oppusunggu, "Indonesia" in J Basedow, G Rühl, F Ferrari, PM Asensio eds., *Encyclopedia of Private International Law* (Edward Elgar, 2017) 2162-2173

Gary F Bell, "Indonesia's Weak State Courts and Weak Law Fare Poorly in a Pluralist Commercial World" in Gary Bell ed., *Pluralism, Transnationalism and Culture in Asian Law: A Book in Honour of M.B. Hooker* (Singapore: ISEAS, 2017) 116-150

Gary F Bell, "Preface" in Gary F Bell ed., *Pluralism, Transnationalism and Culture in Asian Law: A Book in Honour of M.B. Hooker* (Singapore: ISEAS, 2017) ix-x

Gary F Bell, "Global Lawyers for a Global City: Legal Education in Singapore", in Christophe Jamin and William van Caenegem ed., The Internationalisation of Legal Education, Ius Comparatum - Global Studies in Comparative Law, vol. 19, Series ed. Boele-Woelki, Katharina, and Fernandez Arroyo, Diego P, (Switzerland: Springer International Publishing Switzerland 2016) 233-254

Gary F Bell, "The U.S. Legal Tradition among the Legal Traditions of the World" in J Ginsburg ed., *Ginsburg's Legal Methods*, 4th ed. (New York: Foundation Press, 2014).

Gary F Bell, "Comparative Legal Traditions" in Tang Hang Wu, Michael Hor & Nicholas Poon, eds, *Reading Law in Singapore*, 2nd ed. (Singapore: LexisNexis, 2014) 179-191

Gary F Bell, "Codification and Decodification: the State of the Civil and Commercial Codes in Indonesia" in Wen-Yeu Wang ed, *Codification in East Asia - Selected Papers from the 2nd IACL Thematic Conference* (Switzerland: Springer International Publishing, 2014) 39-50.

Gary F Bell, "En quete d'un droit de l'arbitrage concurrentiel : ce que le Quebec pourrait apprendre de Singapour et de Hong Kong [The Search for a Competitive Arbitration Law: What Quebec Could Learn from Singapore and Hong Kong]" in Fabien Gelinas & Frederic Bachand eds, *D'une reforme a une autre : Regards croises sur l'arbitrage au Quebec [From One Reform to Another: Criss-crossing look at arbitration in Quebec]* (Montreal: Yvon Blais / Thomson Reuters, 2013) 193-220. (in French)

Gary F Bell, "Commentary on the International Arbitration Law [of Singapore]" in Eric Bersten (ed.), International Commercial Arbitration (Oxford University Press, 2012)

Gary F Bell, "Taking the Languages of the CISG Seriously" in Andrea Büchler and Markus Müller-Chen eds., *Private Law, National - Global - Comparative - Festschrift füringeborg Schwenzer zum 60 Geburtstag* (Stämpfli Verlag AG, 2011) 143-157

Gary F Bell, "New Challenges for the Uniformisation of Laws: How the CISG is challenged by 'Asian values' and Islamic law" in Ingeborg Schwenzer and Lisa Spagnolo eds., *Towards Uniformity: The 2nd Annual MAA Schlechtriem CISG Conference* (The Hague: Eleven International Publishing, 2011) 11-29

Gary F Bell, "Remedies for Breach of Contract by the Buyer (Articles 61-65)" in Sthephan Kroll, Loukas Mistelis and Pilar Perales Viscasillas eds., *UN Convention on theinternational Sales of Goods (CISG)* (Oxford: Hart Publishing, 2011) 854-877

Gary F Bell, "Indonesia" In E. Ann Black and Gary F Bell eds., Law and Legal Institutions of Asia -- Traditions, adaptations and innovations (Sydney: Cambridge University Press, 2011) 262-298

Ann Black and Gary F. Bell, "Introduction" In E. Ann Black and Gary F Bell eds., Law and Legal Institutions of Asia -- Traditions, adaptations and innovations (Sydney: Cambridge University Press, 2011) 1-23

Gary F Bell, "Comparative Legal Traditions" in Tang HW and M Ho eds., *Reading Law in Singapore* (LexisNexis, 2009)

Gary F Bell, "Comparative Law: The U.S. Legal Tradition Among the Legal Traditions of the World" in J Ginsburg ed., *Legal methods: Cases and materials, 3d ed.* (St. Paul, Minn.: Foundation Press, Thomson/West, 2008) (Revised version of the 2d edition.).

Gary F Bell, "The Importance of Private Law Doctrine in Indonesia" in T Lindsey ed., *Indonesia: Law and Society, 2nd ed.* (Leichhardt, N.S.W.: Federation Press, 2008) 363-375

Gary F Bell, "Uniformity through Persuasive International Authorities - Does Stare Decisis Really Hinder the Uniform Interpretation of the CISG?" in C B Andersen, U G Schroeter eds., Sharing International Commercial Law Across National Boundaries - Festschrift for Albert H Kritzer on the occasion of his Eightieth Birthday (London: Wildy, Simmonds & Hill Publishing Ltd, 2008) 35-47

Gary F Bell, "Comparative Law: The U.S. Legal Tradition among the Legal Traditions of the World" in Jane C. Ginsburg ed., Legal Methods - Cases and Materials, 2nd ed. (New York: Foundation Press, 2003) 65

Gary F Bell, "Division of Powers between the Executive and Parliament" in IDEA International ed., *Comparative Perspectives in Continuing Dialogues towards Constitutional Reform in Indonesia - Report of a Conference* (Jakarta: Idea International, 2002)

Gary F Bell, V Ramraj, M Hor and McGill Law Journal, "Parts on Singapore Law" in *Canadian Guide to Uniform Legal Citation 5th ed* (Carswell, 2002)

Gary F Bell, "World-Class Law Schools will teach (and are already teaching) the Laws of the World" in K.Y.L. Tan ed., *Change and Continuity: 40 Years of the Law Faculty* (Singapore: Times Editions, 1999) 174-177

Gary F Bell, "The Singapore Legal System in Context - Whither the Concept of the National Legal System?" in K.Y.L. Tan ed., *The Singapore Legal System, 2nd ed* (Singapore: Singapore University Press, 1999) 1-25

Gary F Bell, "The U.S. Legal Tradition in Western Legal Systems (Section D of "General Background")" in J.C. Ginsburg ed., *Legal Methods - Cases and Materials* (Westbury, New York: Foundation Press, 1996) 19-25

Gary F Bell, Translation of "Judgement of June 16, 1858" in J.C. Ginsburg ed., *Legal Methods - Cases and Materials* (Westbury, New York: Foundation Press, 1996) 70-73

BOOKS EDITED

Gary F Bell (ed)., The UNCITRAL Model Law and Asian Arbitration Laws: Implementation and Comparisons (Cambridge University Press, 2018)

Gary F Bell (ed), *Pluralism, Transnationalism and Culture in Asian Law: A Book in Honour of M.B. Hooker* (Singapore: ISEAS, 2017)

Ann Black and Gary F Bell (eds), Law and Legal Institutions of Asia - Traditions, Adaptations and Innovations (Cambridge University Press, 2011)

BOOK REVIEWS

Gary F Bell, Review of 'Arbitration in China: A Legal and Cultural Analysis by Kun Fan ed.' [2014] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 446-448

Gary F Bell, Review of International Sales Law: A Guide to the CISG by Ingeborg Schwenzer et al.,' [2014] Singapore Journal of Legal Studies 246-249.

Gary F Bell, Review of 'Legal education in Asia - Globalisation, change and context by S Steele and K Taylor eds.' (2010) 12(1) Australian Journal of Asian Law 147-155

CONFERENCE PAPERS

Gary F Bell, "Teaching the Civil Law at the National University of Singapore" (Paper presented at Conference on The State of Comparative Law in Asia, 27-28 September 2017, NUS- Faculty of Law, Singapore)

Gary F Bell, "The Growth of English as a Second Language and of Graduate Studies in Common Law Jurisdictions - How the Common Law Creeps into Civil Law Jurisdictions" (Paper presented at Conference on The State of Comparative Law in Asia, 27-28 September 2017, NUS- Faculty of Law, Singapore)

Gary F Bell, "CISG - Experience and Considerations on the Application of CISG" (Paper presented at Contemporary Issues in International Trade and Investment in ASEAN, 16 Sept 2016, Chaophya Park Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand)

Gary F Bell, "Indonesian Contract Law. I: The interpretation of contracts and implication of terms. II: Protection against unfair terms and consumer protection" (Invited paper presented at Studies in the Contract Laws of Asia III: Contents of Contracts and Unfair Terms, 18 Sept - 19 Sept 2016, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan)

Gary F Bell, "How Singapore became a successful arbitration centre using the UNCITRAL Model Arbitration Law" (Invited keynote paper presented at the November session of the Arbitration Forum of the Center for Transnational Litigation and Commercial Law, 23-25 Nov 2015, NYU Law School, New York, United States)

Gary F Bell, "The Development of Comparative Law and its Importance" (Public Lecture at the Inaugural Congress of the Indonesian Association of Comparative Law, 20 - 21 Oct 2015, Universitas Padjadjaran, Bandung, Indonesia)

Gary F Bell, "Challenges to the Harmonization of Contract Law" (Invited paper presented at the Annual Conference of the American Society of Comparative Law, 1 - 3 Oct 2015, Southern Methodist University, Texas, United States)

Gary F Bell, "Why is the UN Convention on the international sale of goods (CISG) almost never used in Singapore" (Paper presented at the UNCITRAL-Singapore Seminar on 35 years of the CISG: Achievements and Perspective, 23 - 24 Apr 2015, SMU Law School, Singapore)

Gary F Bell, "Going forward with the CISG in Singapore and Asia" (Paper presented at the UNCITRAL-Singapore Seminar on 35 years of the CISG: Achievements and Perspective, 23 - 24 Apr 2015, SMU Law School, Singapore)

Gary F Bell, "Harmonising private commercial law in Asia" (Paper presented at the Inaugural Asian Law Forum Symposium, School of Law of the University of Wollongong, Wollongong, 28 Nov 2014, Australia)

Gary F Bell, "Codification and Decodification: the State of the Civil and Commercial Codes in Indonesia" (Invited paper presented at the Conference on the Thematic Congress of the International Academy of Comparative Law on Codification, 24-26 May 2012, National Taiwan)