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Annual Meeting
Fairmont Dallas Hotel
Dallas, Texas
12–14 November
Program

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Thursday, November 12

2:00pm to 6:00pm Registration
5:00pm to 8:00pm Book Exhibits
5:00pm to 6:00pm Executive Committee
6:30pm to 8:30pm Board of Directors
7:00pm to 10:00pm Welcome Reception

Friday, November 13

7:15 to 8:30am Committee Breakfasts
7:30am to 3:00pm Registration
7:30am to 4:00pm Book Exhibits
7:30am to 8:45am Continental Breakfast

Friday, Session A, 8:30-10:15

D.C. v. Heller and the Uses of History

Chair: Adam Winkler, University of California, Los Angeles, winkler@law.ucla.edu

Panelists: David Konig, Washington University, konig@wustl.edu

“Once More Unto the Breach (or Breech?): The Asymmetries of Lawyer-Historian Debate”

Jack Rakove, Stanford University, rakove@stanford.edu

“The Poverty of Public Meaning: Some Thoughts on *D.C. v. Heller*”

Stephen Halbrook, protell@aol.com

“Reconstruction, the Second Amendment, and the Heller Decision”

Commentator: Jamal Greene, Columbia University, jamal.greene@law.columbia.edu

Varieties of Editing: Pleasures and Pitfalls in Editing Pre-Modern Legal Documents

Chair: W. Hamilton Bryson, University of Richmond, hbryson@richmond.edu

Panelists: Patrick Nold, State University of New York at Albany, pnold@albany.edu
“Editing ‘Marriage Advice for a Pope.: Why do Medievalists Edit Texts and How Do They Do It?’”

Peter Grund, University of Kansas, pjgrund@ku.edu

“Who Wrote What and When? The Charting of Records and the Editing of the Documents from the Salem Witch Trials”

Laura Culbertson, University of Michigan, leculber@umich.edu

“Modern Concepts and Ancient Procedures: Problems in the Translation of Sumerian Dispute Records”

Commentator: Frances Whistler, Boston University, whistler@bu.edu

International Borrowings

Chair: Assaf Likhovski, Tel Aviv University, likhovsk@post.tau.ac.il

Panelists: Kaius Tuori, University of Helsinki, kaius.tuori@helsinki.fi
“Colonialism, Spurious Traditions, and Modernization: American Law Professors and the Downfall of African Customary Law”

Charlotte Walker, Yale University, charlotte.walker@yale.edu

“Manipulating the State: Legal Evolutions and the Emergence of Corruption in Colonial Cameroon”

Paul Duguid, University of California, Berkeley, duguid@ischool.berkeley.edu

“French Connections: The International Propagation of Trademarks in the Nineteenth Century”

Marie Seong-Hak Kim, St. Cloud State University, mskim@stcloudstate.edu

“The Sources of Law in the Korean Civil Code”

Commentator: Lauren Benton, New York University, lauren.benton@nyu.edu

Gender, Soldiering, and Citizenship in the Twentieth Century United States

Chair: Jill Hasday, University of Minnesota, jhasday@umn.edu

Panelists: Rebecca Rix, Princeton University, rrix@princeton.edu
“‘No Longer the Men of Lexington’: Unfit Draftees and the Changing Meaning of ‘the General Welfare’ During World War I”

Melissa Murray, University of California, Berkeley, mmurray@law.berkeley.edu

“‘Made with Men in Mind’: Veterans’ Benefits, Gender, and Social Policy”

Serena Mayeri, University of Pennsylvania, smayeri@law.upenn.edu
“Preferred Veterans, Prison Guards, and Pregnant Workers: Attacking ‘Disparate Impact’ in the 1970s”

Commentator: Gretchen Ritter, University of Texas, rittegr@mail.utexas.edu

Slave, Freeman, and Citizen in Antebellum America

Chair: Alfred Brophy, University of North Carolina, abrophy@email.unc.edu

Panelists: Kristen Foster, Marquette University, kristen.foster@mu.edu
“Creating the American Citizen: A look at the Impact of the Haitian Revolution on American Ideas about Equality”

Kelly Kennington, Duke University, kmk9@duke.edu
“Slavery and Freedom in the Antebellum St. Louis Courts”

H. Robert Baker, Georgia State University, robertbaker@gsu.edu
“The Prigg Fallacy: The Use of Constitutional History to Legitimate Constitutional Law”

Commentator: Mark Graber, University of Maryland, mgraber@gvpt.umd.edu

10:00am to 11:00am Mid-Morning Break

Friday, Session B, 10:30 to 12:15

Civilizing and Un-Civilizing War in the Nineteenth Century

Chair: Richard Ross, University of Illinois, rjross@law.uiuc.edu

Panelists: Stephen Neff, University of Edinburgh, stephen.neff@ed.ac.uk
“Partisans, Prowlers and Guerrillas: Historical Roots of International Law on Unlawful Belligerency”

James Whitman, Yale University, james.whitman@yale.edu
“The Breakdown of Battle Culture, from Waterloo to Sedan”

John Witt, Yale University, jwitt@law.columbia.edu
“Rules of Wrong: The Crisis of the Laws of War in the Age of Democratic Ideals”

Commentator: Adam Kosto, Columbia University, ajkosto@columbia.edu

Year Books and Plea Rolls On-Line: Seipp’s Abridgement and Palmer’s AALT

Chair: Charles Donahue, Harvard University, jreader@law.harvard.edu

Panelists: David Seipp, Boston University, dseipp@bu.edu
“The Year Books Database and After: What More Do We Need?”

Robert Palmer, University of Houston, rpalmer@central.uh.edu
“The AALT: Usage, Projection, and the Role of the Reader”

Commentator: The Audience

Circumnavigating the Pacific: The United States and the Philippines, 1898-1945

Chair: Victor Uribe, Florida International University, uribev@fiu.edu

Panelists: Nancy Buenger, University of Chicago, buenger@uchicago.edu
“Home Rule: Equitable Justice in Chicago and the Philippines, 1898-1917”

Anna Leah Fidelis Castañeda, Harvard University, lcastaneda@law.harvard.edu
“A Pacific ‘Quest for Power’: Governor General Forbes and the Rise of the Philippine Assembly, 1907-1913”

Christopher Capozzola, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, capozzol@mit.edu
“A Tale of Two Treasons: Adjudicating War Crimes and Collaboration in Manila, 1945”

Commentator: Bartholomew Sparrow, University of Texas, bhs@austin.utexas.edu

Gendered Murder on Trial in Australia, England, and the United States

Chair: Caroline Forell, University of Oregon, cforell@uoregon.edu

Panelists: Marianne Constable, University of California, Berkeley, constable@berkeley.edu
“‘The Justification was Perfect’—Jessie Hopkins’ Acquittal”

Carolyn B. Ramsey, University of Colorado, carolyn.ramsey@colorado.edu
“Violence and Respectability: Intimate-Partner Homicide in Australia and the American West, 1860-1930 “

Martha Merrill Umphrey, Amherst College, mmumphrey@amherst.edu
“Reconstructing Responsibility: Narrating Violence in the Trials of Harry K. Thaw”

Martin Wiener, Rice University, wiener@rice.edu
“The New Leniency Towards Female Murderers in Victorian England”

Commentator: Cynthia Grant Bowman, Cornell University, cgb28@cornell.edu

The Long Cold War

Chair: Laura Kalman, University of California, Santa Barbara, kalman@history.ucsb.edu

Panelists: Jennifer Uhlmann, Washington University, juhlmann@ucla.edu
“The Communist Contribution to Constitutional Law”

Brad Snyder, University of Wisconsin, bsnyder2@wisc.edu
“A Great Case Not Taken: The Forgotten History of the Rosenberg Case”

Anders Walker, St. Louis University, awalke16@slu.edu
“‘The End of America’: Lewis F. Powell’s Russian Revelation”

Commentator: Reuel Schiller, University of California, Hastings College of Law, schiller@uchastings.edu

12:15pm to 1:45pm Lunch Break

Friday, Session C, 1:45 to 3:30

Sources of Law in 15th-18th Century Europe: A Panel in Honor of Joe McKnight

Chair: Jeremy Duquesnay Adams, Southern Methodist University, jadams@smu.edu

Panelists: Amalia Kessler, Stanford University, akessler@law.stanford.edu
“The Law Merchant in Old Regime France”

Emily Kadens, University of Texas, ekadens@law.utexas.edu
“The Myth of Spontaneous Law”

Alan Watson, University of Georgia, wawatson@uga.edu
“Sources of Law in Early Modern Europe”

Commentator: Joseph McKnight, Southern Methodist University, jmcknigh@mail.smu.edu

Kathryn T. Preyer Prize Panel

Chair: David Konig, Washington University, konig@wustl.edu

Panelists: Cary Franklin, Yale University, cary.franklin@yale.edu
“Sex Roles and the Foundations of Constitutional Sex Discrimination Law”

Elizabeth Katz, University of Virginia, elizabethdkatz@gmail.com
“‘Wife Beating’ and ‘Uninvited Kisses’ in the Supreme Court and Society in the Early Twentieth Century”

Commentators: Susan Appleton, Washington University, appleton@wulaw.wustl.edu
Sandra VanBurkleo, Wayne State University, ad5235@wayne.edu

Emancipation, Enslavement, and Identity in the Age of Atlantic Revolutions

Chair: Jean Allain, Queen’s University, Belfast, j.allain@qub.ac.uk

Panelists: Alejandro de la Fuente, University of Pittsburgh, fuente2@pitt.edu, and Ariela Gross, University of Southern California, agross@law.usc.edu
“Comparing Law and Racial Identity under Slavery in Colonial Cuba, Louisiana and Virginia”

Malick Ghachem, Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP, mwghachem@yahoo.com
“Prosecuting Torture: Risk and Revolution in an Eighteenth-Century Slave Colony”

Rebecca J. Scott, University of Michigan, rjscott@umich.edu
“Paper Thin: Freedom, Re-enslavement, and Contests over the Attribution of Legal Status”

Commentator: Walter Johnson, Harvard University, johnson2@fas.harvard.edu

Manly Madness: Honor, Manhood, and Responsibility in the American Courtroom

Chair: David Tanenhaus, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, david.tanenhaus@unlv.edu

Panelists: Susanna Blumenthal, University of Minnesota, blume047@umn.edu
“Suicidal Salesmen: Accounting for Self-Killing in Nineteenth-Century Life Insurance Litigation”

Rachel Ponce, University of Chicago, rponce@uchicago.edu

“‘Chimerical Dogmas’: Honor and Insanity in Nineteenth-Century American Law”

Carolyn Strange, Australian National University, carolyn.strange@anu.edu.au
“Mind, Motive and Masculinity: Killing the Father to Save the Family”

Commentator: Hendrik Hartog, Princeton University, hartog@princeton.edu

Wartime Administration and the Rule of Law: The Case of the United States in the 1940s

Chair: Michael Churgin, University of Texas, mchurgin@law.utexas.edu

Panelists: Mark Wilson, University of North Carolina, Charlotte, mrwilson@uncc.edu
“‘Taking a Nickel Out of the Cash Register’: Statutory Renegotiation of Military Contracts and the Politics of Profit Control in the USA During World War II”

Joanna Grisinger, Clemson University, grisinger@gmail.com
“The Office of Price Administration and the War at Home”

Karen Tani, University of Pennsylvania, ktani@law.upenn.edu
“Administering ‘Welfare Rights’: ‘Fair Hearings’ in Public Assistance in the 1940s”

Commentator: James Sparrow, University of Chicago, jts@uchicago.edu

3:30pm to 4:00pm Busses depart from the Fairmont Dallas for Southern Methodist University.

Plenary Session, 4:30 to 6:00

Joyce Oldham Appleby
Emerita Professor of History
University of California Los Angeles
will speak.

Plenary Reception, 6:00 to 8:00

The reception will be held TBD. It will be sponsored by TBD.

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7:30am to 8:45am Continental Breakfast

Saturday, Session A, 8:30 to 10:15

Race, Law, and the Local in Nineteenth Century America

Chair: John Wertheimer, Davidson College, jowertheimer@davidson.edu

Panelists: Laura Edwards, Duke University, ledwards@duke.edu
“Individual Rights and the Transformation of Slave Law, 1787-1860”

Martha Jones, University of Michigan, msjonz@umich.edu

“Overturning *Dred Scott v. Sandford*: African American Citizenship in the Antebellum City”

Dylan Penningroth, Northwestern University, dcp@northwestern.edu
“Law and the Black Church in the Jim Crow South”

Commentator: Michael Grossberg, Indiana University, grossber@indiana.edu

Law and Drama in Athens

Chair: Michael Gagarin, University of Texas, gagarin@mail.utexas.edu

Panelists: Judith Fletcher, Wilfrid Laurier University, jfletcher@wlu.ca
“The Incompetent Jurors of Aeschylus’ ‘Agamemnon’”

Adele Scafuro, Brown University, adele_scafuro@brown.edu
“Euripides’ ‘Orestes’ (408 BCE) and the Rule of Law”

Jess Miner, College of Charleston, minerj@cofc.edu
“No Laughing Matter: Comic Characterization in the Courts at Athens”

Commentator: Kevin Crotty, Washington and Lee University, crottyk@wlu.edu

Law and Markets

Chair: Christine Desan, Harvard University, desan@law.harvard.edu

Panelists: Daniel Klerman, University of Southern California, dklerman@law.usc.edu
“Legal Fictions as Strategic Instruments”

Sachin Pandya, University of Connecticut, sachin.pandya@law.uconn.edu
“The First Liability Insurance Cartel in America”

Jérôme Sgard, Sciences Po, jerome.sgard@sciences-po.fr
“The History of Market Discipline: Bankruptcy, Renegotiation, and Debt Discharge in England and France”

Commentator: Michael Lobban, Queen Mary, University of London, m.j.lobban@qmul.edu

National Sovereignty and Allegiance in the Age of Mass Migration

Chair: Gerard Magliocca, Indiana University, gmaglioc@iupui.edu

Panelists: Lucy Salyer, University of New Hampshire, lucy.salyer@unh.edu
“Exits: Forming International Rules on Expatriation”

Matthew Lindsay, Harvard University, mlindsay@law.harvard.edu
“A Power ‘Inherent in Sovereignty and Essential to Self-Preservation’: National Security and the Origins of the Federal Immigration Power”

Candice Bredbenner, University of North Carolina, Wilmington, bredbennerc@uncw.edu
“Pacifists, Naturalization, and the Rebirth of the ‘Attachment’ Standard”

Commentator: William Forbath, University of Texas, wforbath@law.utexas.edu

Judicial Power and Judicial Politics in the Early Nineteenth Century

Chair: Philip Hamburger, Columbia University, hamburger@law.columbia.edu

Panelists: Alison LaCroix, University of Chicago, lacroix@uchicago.edu
“Federalists, Federalism, and Federal Jurisdiction, 1802-1835”

Kristin Collins, Boston University, collinsk@bu.edu
“Federal Equity Power, Judicial Lawmaking, and the Process Acts”

Jed Handelsman Shugerman, Harvard University, jshugerman@law.harvard.edu
“Economic Crises and Two Revolutions for Judicial Independence: The 1830s-40s and the 1930s-40s”

Commentator: Maeva Marcus, George Washington University, mmarcus@law.gwu.edu

10:00am to 11:00am Mid-Morning Break

Saturday, Session B, 10:30 to 12:15

Book Panel: Thomas Sugrue, *Sweet Land of Liberty: The Forgotten Struggle for Civil Rights in the North*

Chair: William Novak, University of Chicago, nov9@uchicago.edu

Panelists: Mark Tushnet, Harvard University, mtushnet@law.harvard.edu

Risa Goluboff, University of Virginia, goluboff@virginia.edu

Adrienne Davis, Washington University, adavis@wulaw.wustl.edu

Gary Gerstle, Vanderbilt University, gary.gerstle@vanderbilt.edu

Response: Thomas Sugrue, University of Pennsylvania, tsugrue@sas.upenn.edu

Rational Choice Approaches to Ancient Law

Chair: Mark Sundahl, Cleveland State University, mark.sundahl@law.csuohio.edu

Panelists: Melissa Schwartzberg, Columbia University, ms3125@columbia.edu
Voting and Judgment in Assemblies and Juries in Classical Athens

Dennis Kehoe, Tulane University, kehoe@tulane.edu
“Economic Incentives and Risk in Roman Contract Law”

Bruce Frier, University of Michigan, bwfrier@umich.edu
“Institutional Constraints on Rational Choice: The Case of Roman Dowry”

Commentator: Joshua Tate, Southern Methodist University, jctate@smu.edu

Exploring the Distinctiveness of Canadian Legal History

Chair: Jim Phillips, University of Toronto, jphillips@utoronto.ca

Panelists: Jim Phillips, University of Toronto, jphillips@utoronto.ca
“The Origins of Canada’s Regulatory Takings Doctrine”

Lyndsay Campbell, University of Calgary, lyndsay@iii.ca
“Policing Decency: Obscene, Immoral, and Indecent Literature in Early 19th-Century Nova Scotia and Massachusetts”

Hamar Foster, University of Victoria, hamarf@uvic.ca
“One Good Thing: Law and Elevator Etiquette in the Indian Territories”

Shelley Gavigan, York University, sgavigan@osgoode.yorku.ca
“High Law, Low Law, and Discourses of Criminalization: Aboriginal Women and Girls in the Criminal Court on the Canadian Plains, 1876-1903”

Wesley Pue, University of British Columbia, pue@law.ubc.ca
“The *Martin* Case, Communism and Professionalism”

Blurred Sovereignties: U.S. Law at the Edge

Chair: Elizabeth Borgwardt, Washington University, eborgwar@artsci.wustl.edu

Panelists: Michael Willrich, Brandeis University, willrich@brandeis.edu
“War is Health: U.S. Military Medicine and Police Power at the Edges of Empire”

Rachel St. John, Harvard University, stjoh@fas.harvard.edu
“Between Nations: American Capitalists and the Politics of Corporate Nationality on the Baja California Border, 1900-1930”

Andrew Wender Cohen, Syracuse University, awcohe01@maxwell.syr.edu
“The Perils of Inspection: Smuggling, Globalism, and the Right to Privacy”

Commentator: Barbara Welke, University of Minnesota, welke004@umn.edu

The Law of Administration in the Early American Republic

Chair: Jerry Mashaw, Yale University, jerry.mashaw@yale.edu

Panelists: Nicholas Parrillo, Yale University, nicholas.parrillo@yale.edu
“The Rise of Non-Profit Government in America: Incentives, Scandal, and Discretionary Judgment”

James Pfander, Northwestern University, j-pfander@law.northwestern.edu
“Public Wrongs and Private Bills: Legislative Indemnification and Official Compliance with Law”

Gautham Rao, Rutgers University/New Jersey Institute of Technology, gauthrao@gmail.com
“Administrative Law’s Scandalous Past: Rethinking Jefferson’s Embargo”

Commentator: Richard John, Columbia University, rrj2115@columbia.edu

Annual Lunch, 12:30–2:00

The President will speak on the state of the Society.

Saturday, Session C, 2:15 to 4:00

Temporality in Legal History

Chair: Alexis McCrossen, Southern Methodist University, amccross@smu.edu

Panelists: Christopher Tomlins, American Bar Foundation, clt@abfn.org
“Representations of Law and Justice: The American Mainland, from ‘Beginning’ to ‘End’”

Kunal Parker, Cleveland State University, kunalmparker@gmail.com
“Thinking ‘Historically’ About Law: Legal Modernism and its Antecedents”

Mary Dudziak, University of Southern California, mdudziak@law.usc.edu
“Law, War, and the History of Time”

Commentator: Thomas Allen, University of Ottawa, tallen@uottawa.ca

Exceptional Women in the Medieval Courtroom

Chair: James Brundage, University of Kansas, jabrun@ku.edu

Panelists: Marie Kelleher, California State University, Long Beach, mkellehe@csulb.edu
“Facing off from the Margins: Female Slaves and Jews in Medieval Procedural Law”

Jamie Smith, Alma College, smith@alma.edu
“Avoiding Great Harm, Danger, and Absurdity: Legal Protection for Wives with Absent Husbands”

Sara McDougall, Yale University, sara.mcdougall@yale.edu
“Abandoned Wives and the Law in Late-Medieval Champagne”

Commentator: Susan McDonough, University of Maryland, Baltimore County, mcdonoug@umbc.edu

International Law and the Periphery

Chair: Stanley Moore, Florida State University, smoore@law.fsu.edu

Panelists: Arnulf Becker Lorca, King’s College London, arnulf.becker@kcl.ac.uk
“International Law in the Periphery 1850-1900: The Internalization of the Standard of Civilization and the Appropriation of the European Legal Tradition”

James Thuo Gathii, Albany Law School, jgath@albanylaw.edu
“Elias T. Olawale’s Project of Re-Writing International Legal History to Acknowledge Africa’s Contribution”

Carl Landauer, University of California, Berkeley, carllandauer@sbcglobal.net
“Imaging India and International Law in Nagendra Singh’s ‘India and International Law’”

Commentator: Mark Toufayan, Osgoode Hall Law School, mtoufayan@law.harvard.edu

Ambiguities of Citizenship

Chair: Avi Soifer, University of Hawaii, soifer@hawaii.edu

Panelists: Christina Duffy Burnett, Columbia University, cburne@law.columbia.edu
“Citizenship in the Time of Empire: The Non-Citizen National in Constitutional and International Law”

Linda Kerber, University of Iowa, linda-kerber@uiowa.edu
“Americans and the UN Statelessness Conventions”

David Abraham, University of Miami, dabraham@law.miami.edu
“Is Citizenship Worthwhile? Membership and Insecurity in America”

Commentator: Sanford Levinson, University of Texas, slevinson@law.utexas.edu

American Philanthropies and Socio-Legal Change

- Chair: Stanley Katz, Princeton University, snkatz@princeton.edu
- Panelists: Elisabeth Anderson, Northwestern University, a6c4v6@u.northwestern.edu
“Expert Jurisdiction and Social Problems: The Russell Sage Foundation and Poor People’s Credit in Early 20th-Century America”
- Maribel Morey, Princeton University, mmorey@princeton.edu
“The Making of ‘An American Dilemma’ (1944): The Carnegie Corporation President’s Decision to Fund a Negro Study, 1923-1937”
- Bryant Garth, Southwestern University, bgarth@swlaw.edu
“Elite Civilizers of Empire: Philanthropic Foundations in the Cold War and After”
- Commentator: John Henry Schlegel, State University of New York at Buffalo, schlegel@acsu.buffalo.edu

Saturday, Session D, 4:15 to 6:00

Crimes Against Peace and Humanity: Poland, Germany, Rwanda

- Chair: Peter Caldwell, Rice University, caldwell@rice.edu
- Panelists: Catherine Epstein, Amherst College, ceh@amherst.edu
“Nazis in Polish Courtrooms: The 1946 Trial of Arthur Greiser”
- Devin Pendas, Boston College, pendas@bc.edu
“Transitional Justice in Germany, 1945-1950: Ironies, Paradoxes and Unintended Consequences”
- Jens Meierhenrich, Harvard University, jmeierhenrich@gov.harvard.edu
“Lawfare”
- Commentator: Michael Scharf, Case Western Reserve University, mps17@case.edu

A Comparative History of Family Law

- Chair: Tim Stretton, St. Mary’s University, tim.stretton@smu.ca
- Panelists: Gail Savage, St. Mary’s College of Maryland, glsavage@smcm.edu
“Regulation and De-Regulation of Family Life: Family Law in a Comparative Perspective”
- Holly Brewer, North Carolina State University, holly_brewer@ncsu.edu
“Transforming Coverture: Contesting Personal and Political Authority in Early Modern England and America”
- Varsha Chitnis, Ohio State University, chitnis.3@osu.edu
“Family Law and Colonialism in Nineteenth-Century India”
- Commentator: Danaya Wright, University of Florida, wrightdc@law.ufl.edu

The Aftermath of Financial Crises

- Chair: Catherine Fisk, University of California, Irvine, cfisk@law.uci.edu
- Panelists: Julia Rudolph, University of Pennsylvania, jrudolph@sas.upenn.edu

“Women, Moral Sense, and the Critique of Equity”

Frank Partnoy, University of San Diego, fpartnoy@sandiego.edu
“Historical Perspectives on the Financial Crisis: Ivar Kreuger, Credit Rating Agencies, and the Impetus for the Securities Laws”

Dror Goldberg, Bar Ilan University, dg@drorgoldberg.com
“The Invention of Fiat Money”

Commentator: Claire Priest, Yale University, claire.priest@yale.edu

Litigation Strategies of Social Movements

Chair: Gary Rowe, Southwestern Law School, growe@swlaw.edu

Panelists: Henning Grunwald, Vanderbilt University, henning.grunwald@vanderbilt.edu
“From Courtroom to Revolutionary Stage: Party Lawyers and Political Justice in the Weimar Republic”

Linda Upham-Bornstein, University of New Hampshire, lub@cisunix.unh.edu
“The Taxpayer as Reformer: ‘Pocketbook Politics’ and the Law in New York City, 1900-1930”

Joel Black, University of Florida, jblack@ufl.edu
“Economic Rights and Community Membership in Black Industrial Chicago, 1890-1930”

Megan Francis, University of Chicago, meganf@uchicago.edu
“The Improbable Journey: The NAACP Launches the Modern Criminal Procedure Revolution”

Commentator: Lawrence Friedman, Stanford University, lmf@law.stanford.edu

Biography and Legal History

Chair: Lewis Grossman, American University, lewisg@wcl.american.edu

Panelists: Catharine MacMillan, Queen Mary University of London, c.a.macmillan@qmul.ac.uk
“Judah Benjamin: An Émigré Barrister and International Law”

Grant Morris, Victoria University of Wellington, grant.morris@vuw.ac.nz
“Chief Justice James Prendergast and the Treaty of Waitangi: Judicial Attitudes to the Treaty in New Zealand during the Latter Half of the Nineteenth Century”

David Marcus, University of Arizona, david.marcus@law.arizona.edu
“Charles Clark, Legal Realism, and the Jurisprudential Basis of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure”

Polly Price, Emory University, pprice@emory.edu
“‘The Intensely Practical Nature of the Political Process’: Judge Richard S. Arnold’s Legislative Role in the Third Branch”

Commentator: Paul Kens, Texas State University, San Marcos, pkens@txstate.edu

6:00pm–8:00pm Closing Reception

Friday Session A 8:30 – 10:15	D.C. v. Heller and the Uses of History	Varieties of Editing: Pleasures and Pitfalls in Editing Pre- Modern Legal Documents	International Borrowings	Gender, Soldiering, and Citizenship in the Twentieth Century United States	Slave, Freeman, and Citizen in Antebellum America
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