How Law Schools Can Make a Difference
2023 Annual Meeting

HOW LAW SCHOOLS CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

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Dear members of the Association of American Law Schools,

On behalf of the people of the City of San Diego, it is my pleasure to welcome you back to our city for the Association of American Law Schools 2023 Annual Conference. We appreciate that you have chosen to come to our city to reconnect with your colleagues from around the country.

We hope you will enjoy all the amenities America’s Finest City has to offer. With near-perfect weather year-round, our unrivaled attractions ensure that San Diego has something for everyone. I invite you to enjoy our 70-mile coastline of glorious beaches, the world-famous San Diego Zoo, our crown jewel Balboa Park, delicious Mexican cuisine in Old Town, endless hiking trails, and so much more across the city!

Please accept my best wishes for a successful conference and a memorable visit to the City of San Diego.

Sincerely,

TODD GLORIA
Mayor
City of San Diego
Dear Colleagues,

I am delighted to welcome you to San Diego. After three years of constant and dramatic change, I look forward to the vital work of strengthening and celebrating our law school community. Our last in-person meeting was in Washington, DC in January 2020: Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg was our Presidential speaker, COVID-19 had not yet emerged on a global scale, and few law professors had experience with remote teaching or Zoom lectures. President Trump was in office and Roe was the law of the land. We had not yet witnessed the historic events of the January 6 insurrection, the scale and impact of the international uprising against institutional racism that took over the summer of 2020, nor Russia's invasion of Ukraine.

Now, we are gathered at the start of a new year. I hope the next several days will be filled with joyful reconnection, and celebration of our colleagues for their accomplishments both large and small. I hope, too, that it will be a chance to make new connections; many newer faculty members have never had the opportunity to experience an AALS Annual Meeting in person. Please seek out our more junior colleagues and help us welcome them to the academy.

We look forward to exploring the role law schools and faculty play in support of this year’s theme, “How Law Schools Can Make a Difference.” You will find hundreds of sessions that have been put together to discuss a broad range of issues, a diversity of viewpoints, and a variety of formats—from distinguished speakers to small group discussions.

I extend my thanks to the 106 AALS Sections, who work hard throughout the year on their excellent programming. I also extend thanks to the Program Committee and the Arc of Career Committee, who select the many AALS sessions from calls for papers. Throughout the meeting, look for AALS Arc of Career professional development sessions, hot topic programs, discussion groups, symposia, and Open Source traditional scholarly sessions.

As you navigate the many scholarly opportunities ahead of you, I hope you will make time to visit the Exhibit Hall and connect with representatives from publishers, legal tech companies, and more. Please take a break on Thursday evening to join the AALS Opening Reception, which will be held outside on the terrace of the Marriott Marquis. I look forward to enjoying the beautiful Southern California sunshine with you.

We are pleased to have you with us, and look forward to the next four days. With all the best wishes,

Judith Areen
Executive Director
HOW LAW SCHOOLS CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

The only thing about which there seems to be a consensus is that American society, and the world, are facing unprecedented dangers. Climate change threatens the planet and all life on it. There has been a rise of authoritarian governments in many countries in the world. The events of late 2020 and early 2021, including on January 6, reveal the fragility of American democracy. The racial reckoning reminds us of the ongoing deeply embedded racial inequalities in the United States. Tremendous inequities exist in terms of access to justice.

All of this affects the law and if there are to be solutions, they must include legal changes. What can law schools do to make a difference in these and other areas? In some areas, it might be rethinking how we educate tomorrow’s lawyers. In others, it might be new directions in scholarship. It could be law schools being the venue for convening thought-leaders. It almost certainly must include enhanced support for public service and pro bono work by students and faculty.

My hope is that the programs throughout the conference will focus on looking at what law schools can do to make a difference.

Erwin Chemerinsky
2022 AALS President
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AALS Locations

AALS events may be held at the Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina (headquarters hotel) or the Manchester Grand Hyatt next door. Check the location listing in the program carefully before any event you plan to attend.

Exhibit Hall

Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Learn about new products, services, and technologies available to the legal community. The Exhibit Hall also includes a lounge area with coffee and tea, pastries, and/or cookies served in the mornings and afternoons. See the mobile app or Exhibit Hall Program for details about special events and exhibitor demonstrations happening throughout the meeting.

• Tuesday, Jan. 3 Open 6 – 8 pm
• Wednesday, Jan. 4 Open 9 am – 5 pm
• Thursday, Jan. 5 Open 9 am – 5 pm
• Friday, Jan. 6 Open 10 am – 3 pm
• Saturday, Jan. 7 Closed

Information Desk

Marriott Grand Ballroom Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Get help with finding rooms, using the app, navigating the program, accessing AALS services, and more.

• Wednesday, Jan. 4 7:30 am – 5 pm
• Thursday, Jan. 5 8 am – 5 pm
• Friday, Jan. 6 8 am – 5 pm
• Saturday, Jan. 7 8:30 am – 4:30 pm

Operations Office

Rancho Santa Fe Room 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

If you are a section chair with a question about logistics or a session moderator with a speaker update for your program, stop by to talk with an AALS staff member or email us at events@aals.org.

• Wednesday, Jan. 4 7 am – 7 pm
• Thursday, Jan. 5 7 am – 7 pm
• Friday, Jan. 6 7 am – 6 pm
• Saturday, Jan. 7 7 am – 5 pm

Registration

Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Check in, register, or get a spouse/partner registration at the AALS Onsite Registration desk.

• Tuesday, Jan. 3 2 pm – 8 pm
• Wednesday, Jan. 4 7 am – 7 pm
• Thursday, Jan. 5 7 am – 7 pm
• Friday, Jan. 6 7 am – 6 pm
• Saturday, Jan. 7 7 am – 5 pm

Speaker Ready Room

Torrey Pines Room 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Speakers should gather in the ready room before their sessions. The room simulates actual session rooms, set theater style. It has a projector and screen to test presentations and a printer for presentation notes. Speakers supply their own laptop for their presentation.

Badges

Admission Policy

Admission to all sessions and events requires your 2023 Annual Meeting name badge.

Replacement Fee

If you misplace your badge, please visit Registration in the Exhibit Hall for a replacement badge. A $10 re-printing fee will apply.

For Spouse/Partner

Spouses and partners who are not law school faculty nor administrators are welcome to attend the meeting with any full meeting registrant. Visit the registration desk in the Exhibit Hall to purchase a $35 spouse/partner registration onsite. Please note that law school faculty and staff are not eligible for this type of registration.

For Children

Children attending the meeting with a registered parent/guardian may attend program sessions with a colorful children’s badge, available at the registration desk in the Exhibit Hall at no extra charge.
Business Center
There is a FedEx Office located in both the Marriott and Hyatt.

Marriott Marquis
Lobby Level, South Tower
- Mon–Fri 7:30 am – 6 pm
- Sat–Sun 8 am – 3 pm
- Access with guest room key when closed

Manchester Grand Hyatt
Lobby Level across from gift shop
- Mon–Fri 7:30 am – 6 pm
- Sat–Sun 8 am – 4 pm
- Access with guest room key when closed

Both locations are full-service print providers. Computers and printers available 24/7. Rates based on time and or number of copies.

Childcare
AALS does not provide onsite childcare service. Consult with the hotel concierge for information about local childcare.

Coffee with Colleagues
Map out your schedule each morning and afternoon over coffee, tea, and refreshments. Coffee with Colleagues breaks this year are sponsored by California Western University School of Law and Carolina Academic Press.

Refreshment breaks are 90 minutes and will be held over the course of the meeting as follows:

Tuesday, Jan. 3
- 6 – 7:30 pm Exhibit Hall, Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower

Wednesday, Jan. 4
- 7:30 – 9 am Marriott Hall Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower
- 9 – 10:30 am Exhibit Hall
- 1 – 2:30 pm Exhibit Hall
- 2:30 – 4 pm Marriott Hall Foyer

Thursday, Jan. 5
- 7:30 – 9 am Marriott Hall Foyer
- 9 – 10:30 am Exhibit Hall
- 1 – 2:30 pm Exhibit Hall
- 2:30 – 4 pm Marriott Hall Foyer

Friday, Jan. 6
- 7:30 – 9 am Marriott Hall Foyer
- 9 – 10:30 am Exhibit Hall
- 1 – 2:30 pm Exhibit Hall
- 2:30 – 4 pm Marriott Hall Foyer

Saturday, Jan. 7
- 8 – 9:30 am Marriott Hall Foyer
- 9:30 – 11 am Marriott Hall Foyer
- 1:30 – 3 pm Marriott Hall Foyer

Consent to Use of Photographic, Video, and Audio Materials
AALS will have a photographer and videographer at special events, sessions, exhibits, and throughout the hotel common areas used for the Annual Meeting. Photos and videos taken during the Annual Meeting will remain the property of AALS and may be distributed or used in future marketing materials. Your attendance at the Annual Meeting indicates your acceptance to be photographed, filmed, or recorded, and to AALS's use of your image, without payment of any kind, in program(s) and for other purposes designated by AALS in the future.

Continuing Education Credit
The AALS Annual Meeting does not offer CLE credit, but you may request a confirmation of attendance. Be sure to record your participation in a session by signing the CLE sheet located at the back of each session room.

If you are unsure whether you signed a session CLE sheet, please visit the AALS Information Desk. Staff can manually add your name, provided you bring a witness to your attendance at the session in question. Attendance cannot be changed on any sheet after the conclusion of the Annual Meeting.

After the Annual Meeting, you may request a letter of attendance by writing to cleattendance@aals.org. Please provide the date, time, and title of the session. AALS can only verify attendance for sessions where a registered attendee signs the Continuing Education Credit sheet or is a listed speaker in the program.

COVID-19 Information & Resources
AALS will follow the CDC, the city of San Diego, and the State of California regarding vaccination and masking requirements during the 2023 Annual Meeting. Check the AALS website for the latest information and resources.
We strongly encourage all participants, including presenters, attendees, exhibitors, staff, guests, and vendors, to take the following precautions:

**Vaccinations**

For everyone’s comfort, safety, and confidence in returning to an in-person environment, AALS strongly encourages all participants at the AALS meeting to be fully vaccinated and up to date. Per the CDC, definitions of these terms are:

- **Full vaccination** means either 14 days have passed since receiving a single-dose vaccine or the second dose of a double-dosed vaccine.
- **Up to date** means a person has completed their primary series of COVID-19 vaccinations and has received the most recent booster dose(s) recommended to them.

**Masks**

All participants at the AALS Annual Meeting are strongly encouraged to wear masks with at least 3 layers (KN95, KF94, or N95) in all meeting event spaces, except while presenting on stage or podium or actively eating or drinking. Masks should cover both the mouth and nose. We ask that you honor any requests from your fellow attendees to mask up and/or maintain physical distancing.

**Social Distancing Stickers**

AALS will have badge stickers available near registration in the Exhibit Hall. Sticker colors will let others know your level of comfort about distance and touching. Displaying a sticker on your badge is optional.

- **Red sticker:** “Hi! I’m keeping my distance”
- **Yellow sticker:** “Okay with talking but not touching”
- **Green sticker:** “Okay with handshakes and high-fives”

**Fitness Center at Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina**

The Fitness Center is available to hotel guests, daily from 5:30 am – 10 pm and is located on the first floor of the North Tower. The fitness center features Peloton Bikes, Synrgy360, free weights, and daily instructor led fitness classes.

**Internet**

**Guest Room Wi-Fi**

**Marriott Marquis Guest Rooms**

Bonvoy members enjoy complimentary Wi-Fi. Visit the Marriott Bonvoy website to sign up for a Bonvoy account at no cost.

**Manchester Grand Hyatt Guest Rooms**

View available wireless networks in phone settings and select@Hyatt_Wi-Fi. Once WiFi network is selected a webpage will appear with login prompts.

**Meeting Rooms and Public Space at the Marriott Marquis**

Open a web browser, select “MarriottBonvoy_Conference,” and use the password AALS2023 to connect. If your browser does not open the WiFi page automatically, go to marriottwifi.com and follow the instructions above.

**Meeting Rooms and Public Space at the Manchester Grand Hyatt**

View available wireless networks in phone settings and select AALS Wi-Fi. Once connected, enter password: aals2023.

**Lost and Found**

Have you misplaced or found something? Pick up the nearest house phone and dial extension 0 and ask to speak with the hotel’s Lost and Found department.

**Luggage Storage**

There is no fee for AALS attendees storing luggage at the participating AALS hotels. Please see an attendant at the bell stand in the hotel lobby.

**Massage & Wellness at the Marriott Marquis**

The Hideaway Spa provides massage by trained therapists.

- **Mon** 9 am – 5:30 pm
- **Tue-Wed** Closed
- **Thu-Fri** 9 am – 7 pm
- **Sat** 9 am – 6:30 pm
- **Sun** 9 am – 2 pm
Mobile App

Download the AALS mobile app to easily view program details, speakers, hotel floorplans, exhibitor lists, and social features on your phone or tablet. You can also create a personalized schedule. The mobile app is your source for the most current information, including all the late changes not included in this program.

Parking

Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Parking is available by valet or self-parking. Valet is $55 daily and self-parking is $13 hourly/$40 daily. Electric Car charging station available.

Manchester Grand Hyatt

Parking is available by valet or self-park. Valet is $60 daily and self-parking is $40 per night.

Personal Hearing Enhancement Systems

AALS offers independent mobile hearing enhancement systems for attendees. Use with a provided headset or induction loop or use your own earbuds. Email accommodations@aals.org to reserve a device, then check it out for the duration of the meeting from the AALS Information Desk. Return all devices to the Information Desk no later than 4 pm on Saturday, January 7.

Phone Charging Station

The Marriott Marquis has charging stations near the Starbucks, North Tower, Lobby Level of the hotel.

Private Room for Nursing

AALS provides a room for nursing parents each day of the meeting with electrical power, a refrigerator, and a locking door. Please visit the AALS Information Desk to request a key.

Recordings

AALS will make an audio recording of most program sessions. These audio recordings will be available at no charge to law faculty in February at am.aals.org. These audio recordings may be distributed to the media, including comments from both the speakers and the audience. Speakers who have signed a refusal to record will still be recorded but will be edited out prior to posting or distribution.

Restaurants/Lounges at the Marriott Marquis Marina

The Exchange provides “grab & go” for breakfast, lunch, dinner, snacks, and contactless room delivery.

- Mon-Thur & Sun 6 am – 11 pm
- Fri-Sat 6 am – 12 am

Marina Kitchen Restaurant & Bar is open for breakfast, lunch, dinner, and beverage service. Restaurant open daily 6:30 am – 2 pm; 5 pm – 10 pm. Bar open daily 6:30 am-1:30 am

M Club Lounge is available to eligible Elite members and guests reserving M Club Access.

- Mon-Thur 24 Hours
- Fri 12 am – 9 am
- Saturday Closed
- Sunday 5:30 am – 11:30 am

Roy’s offers classic techniques with adventurous Pacific Rim flavors.

- Mon-Wed 4 pm – 9 pm
- Thu 4 pm – 10 pm
- Fri-Sat 11 am – 10 pm
- Sun 11 am – 9 pm

Starbucks

- 6 am – 12 pm

Tequila Bar & Grille offers Baja Cali inspired cuisine.

- 11 am – 7 pm

Section Business Meetings

Each Section will hold a Business Meeting, either virtually in advance of the meeting or at the Annual Meeting. Please refer to your Section’s main program in the Annual Meeting Program or on the Mobile App, to learn the time and place of your Section’s Business Meeting.

Session Assistants

Session Assistants are essential to making sure the meeting runs smoothly. They will be available to assist presenters, moderators, and attendees. Look for the Session Assistants in blue vests if you have any questions.

Social Media

We hope you follow AALS on Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, and LinkedIn. Please post about the conference using the hashtag #AALS2023. You can also post directly from the mobile app.
Speaker Materials

Materials provided by speakers and panelists are available on https://am.aals.org/ and on the mobile app under the session description. Additional materials will be posted after the conference. If you are a speaker, you may submit presentations or materials via our online submission form until February 15, 2023. PDF files are preferable, and all files must be accessible.

Swimming at the Marriott Marquis Marina

The headquarters hotel has two outdoor heated pools plus a children's pool. Towels provided.

• Daily 9 am – 10 pm

Visiting San Diego

The meeting is a great opportunity to explore all that San Diego, CA has to offer. Explore the entertainment and dining suggestions listed on the AALS website at https://am.aals.org/visit/.
This year’s schedule includes more works-in-progress sessions than ever before! Join us on the afternoon of Thursday, January 5 for the third annual AALS Awards Ceremony honoring our colleagues and celebrating excellence in legal education. There are also several new AALS Sections holding their debut programs during this year’s meeting, including Firearms Law; Criminal Procedure; Internet and Computer Law; and Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging Professionals.

**Program Highlights**

**AALS Presidential Program**

**U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sonia Sotomayor** will join AALS President Erwin Chemerinsky for a conversation on Wednesday, January 4 at 8:30 am.

**Hot Topic Programs**

Don’t miss the following newly added programs covering late-breaking issues:

- Assessing the Impact of President Biden’s Marijuana Actions
- *Biden v. Texas* and the Federal-State Battle over Immigration Law
- Reframing Fair Use: Warhol, Transformative Visual Art, and the New Supreme Court
- The Future of Law and Multiracial Democracy
- The Future of Race in Admissions
- The Law of Unjust Enrichment, the First Immortal Human Cell Line, and the Henrietta Lacks Case
- Vaccine Mandates: Continued Controversy and Litigation in a Multitude of Settings

**Arc of Career Programs**

These programs have been specifically designed for faculty at various stages of their careers. Topics this year include:

- A Session for First Time Meeting Attendees: What is AALS and Why Does It Matter for My Career? And How Do I Get the Most Out of the Annual Meeting?
- Reverse-Engineering the Recipes for Success of Recently Promoted BIPOC Skills-Based Professors
- So You Want to Write a Book with Impact?
- The COVID Care Crisis in Legal Academia

**Discussion Groups**

If you’re not scheduled to be a discussant, you may still observe these discussions on topics such as:

- Multifaceted Strategies for Expanding the Pipeline of Diverse Law Students and Attorneys of Color: Law School, Bar Association, and Judicial Commission Collaboration
- Russia and Ukraine in New Global Order
- The Future of Law School Rankings
- What a Difference a Difference Makes: Empowering Students through Self Determination Theory

**Authors Meet Readers Programs**

Check the schedule for your chance to meet the authors of recently published books:

- *Women Trailblazers in Legal Education*
- *The Racial Muslim - When Racism Quashes Religious Freedom*

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**Open Source Programs**

These programs cover traditional scholarly topics outside of section programming. This year, consider attending sessions on:

- Who Are We: Racism at the Heart of Admission into the Legal Profession
Networking Opportunities

Attending the Annual Meeting is as much about making connections with peers, mentors, and guests as it is about scholarship. A brief selection of events, both formal and informal, includes:

**Wednesday, January 4**
- For first-time attendees (or second, or even third time), connect with other newbies and learn how to get the most out of the meeting at *What Is AALS and Why Does It Matter for My Career? And How Do I Get the Most Out of the Annual Meeting?* at 5 pm.
- If you attended the AALS Workshop for New Law School Teachers virtually or in person in the past few years, the reunion is on! Join the *AALS Reception for New Law Teachers* at 6 pm.

**Thursday, January 5**
- Enjoy refreshments and light appetizers while mixing and mingling with your colleagues from law schools across the country at the classic *Opening Reception* at 5 pm.

**Friday, January 6**
- Minority law teachers, don't miss your opportunity to obtain a guide to tenure, tailored for faculty of color at the *Workshop for Pretenured Law School Teachers of Color* starting at 12 pm. After, join us for the workshop's networking reception from 4 – 5 pm.

**Saturday, January 7**
- Early rising Section officers should take the opportunity to attend the annual continental breakfast and *Section Leadership Information Session*. Share ideas with other chairs and officers and receive in-person support, hear from incoming AALS President Mark Alexander, and get guidance from the AALS Associate Director of Sections.

**Throughout**
- *Coffee with Colleagues* breaks happen several times per day, and are an ideal time to schedule relaxed, informal conversations with necessary connections, or just catch up with old friends.
- Exhibitors and sponsors are not only valuable supporters of the legal academy and AALS community, they may also be the key to your next book deal. Take advantage of time in the *Exhibit Hall* whenever possible.
- Celebrate the successes of the past year and have valuable in-person time with your communities at section and *law school receptions, awards*, and *meetings* scheduled each day.
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Education Law
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Election Law
Derek Muller, The University of Iowa College of Law

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Trent Kennedy, Georgetown University Law Center

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Maria O’Brien, Boston University School of Law

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Types of Sessions and Programs

Planned by the 106 AALS Sections

**AALS Section Programs** – Most programs at the Annual Meeting are planned by sections. Most programs last 90 minutes. Some extended programs with multiple sessions may last a whole morning and/or afternoon.

*Call for Papers Programs* include at least one presenter selected from a call for papers.

*Joint Programs* are two or more Sections holding only one program between them.

*Co-Sponsored Programs* are two or more Sections holding more than one program together.

*Pedagogy Programs* are programs on pedagogy designed for new law school teachers.

*Works-in-Progress* are programs in which senior law scholars assist junior scholars with getting their scholarship ready for submission to law reviews.

Selected by the AALS Annual Meeting Program Committee

**Discussion Groups** provide an in-depth discussion of topics by a small group of invited discussants selected in advance by the Annual Meeting Program Committee. Additional discussants were selected through a Call for Participation. There will be limited seating for audience members to observe the discussion groups on a first-come, first-served basis.

**Hot Topic Programs** cover late-breaking issues of general interest.

*Open Source Programs* are traditional scholarly programs other than those sponsored by one of the AALS Sections.

**Symposia** are a half-day or day-long opportunity to examine a specific topic in greater depth than is possible during a regular panel program.

Selected by the AALS Committee on Arc of Career Programs

**Arc of Career** programs are specifically designed to help law faculty with professional development over the course of their law school careers from pre-tenure, to reinvention at mid-career, to retirement.
Tuesday, January 3

2 – 8 pm
**AALS REGISTRATION**
*Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

2 – 8 pm
**NURSING PARENTS ROOM**
*Conference Room 4, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

2 – 8 pm
**SPEAKER READY ROOM**
*Torrey Pines Room 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

6 – 7:30 pm
**COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES**
*Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

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6 – 8 pm
**AALS EXHIBIT HALL - THE MEETING PLACE**
*Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

AALS Member Law School Events

12 – 8 pm
THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY - DICKINSON LAW ANTIRACIST DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE VOLUME ONE WRITING WORKSHOP
Temecula Room 3, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

“Antiracist Leadership” systems designer, editors, and chapter contributors will meet for a writing workshop.
Wednesday, January 4

7 am – 7 pm
AALS REGISTRATION
Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 am – 6 pm
AALS OPERATIONS OFFICE
Rancho Santa Fe 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 am – 7 pm
NURSING PARENTS ROOM
Conference Room 4, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 am – 7 pm
SPEAKER READY ROOM
Torrey Pines Room 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7:30 am – 5 pm
AALS INFORMATION DESK
Marriott Grand Ballroom Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7:30 – 9 am
COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES
Marriott Hall Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

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8 am – 5:30 pm
CONTEMPLATIVE SPACE FOR REGISTRANTS
Palomar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

This technology-free space is available for quiet contemplation and individual restoration for those attending the annual meeting. The Section on Balance & Well-Being in Legal Education has also scheduled daily guided group meditations as well as mindful-movement activities throughout the conference.

Group Practice Schedule:
- 8 – 8:30 am, Mindfulness Meditation
- 9 – 10 am, Mindful Movement
- 12 – 1 pm, Introduction to Mindfulness
- 5 – 5:30 pm, Introduction to Mindfulness

8:30 – 9:30 am
AALS PRESIDENTIAL OPENING PLENARY SESSION
San Diego Ballroom, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

A Conversation with U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sonia Sotomayor

Moderator: Erwin Chemerinsky, University of California, Berkeley School of Law
Speaker: Sonia Sotomayor, Associate Justice, Supreme Court of the United States

U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sonia Sotomayor will join AALS President Erwin Chemerinsky in conversation about her life, career, and thoughts about how law schools can make a difference. Justice Sotomayor will appear via live video conference, and will take audience questions as selected and moderated by President Chemerinsky in San Diego. There is no virtual option to attend the program.
Sonia Sotomayor, Associate Justice, was born in Bronx, New York, on June 25, 1954. She earned a B.A. in 1976 from Princeton University, graduating summa cum laude and a member of Phi Beta Kappa and receiving the Pyne Prize, the highest academic honor Princeton awards to an undergraduate. In 1979, she earned a J.D. from Yale Law School where she served as an editor of the Yale Law Journal. She served as Assistant District Attorney in the New York County District Attorney’s Office from 1979–1984. She then litigated international commercial matters in New York City at Pavia & Harcourt, where she served as an associate and then partner from 1984–1992. In 1991, President George H.W. Bush nominated her to the U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York, and she served in that role from 1992–1998. In 1997, she was nominated by President Bill Clinton to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit where she served from 1998–2009. President Barack Obama nominated her as an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court on May 26, 2009, and she assumed this role August 8, 2009.

We ask all attendees at the Justice’s event to refrain from taking photos and recording.

9 – 10:30 am
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9 am – 5 pm
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10 – 11:40 am
AALS AMERICAN LAW SCHOOL DEANS STUDY PROGRAM
Marriott Grand Ballroom 8, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Deanship: Looking Past to Look Forward

Moderator: Jeff Allum, Consultant on Research & Data Analytics, Association of American Law Schools

Speaker: Mark C. Alexander, Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law
Daniel M. Filler, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law
Katie Kempner, Associate Director, Research, Association of American Law Schools
Renée McDonald Hutchins, University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law

The AALS American Law School Dean Study offers the most comprehensive examination of legal education leadership to date. The fact that it was conducted in the fall of 2020 during a time of such significant change offers a particularly unique glimpse into leadership. Motivations for becoming a dean, the search and selection process, and day-to-day priorities have all been shaped in one way or another by recent events. Join the AALS research team and three sitting deans as they reflect on the study findings and their implications for future of legal education and legal education leadership.
10 – 11:40 am
AALS ARC OF CAREER PROGRAM
Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Reverse-Engineering the Recipes for Success of Recently Promoted BIPOC Skills-Based Professors

Moderating & Speaking: Sylvia Lett, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
Shefali Milczarek-Desai, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law

Speakers: Tiffany D. Atkins, Elon University School of Law
Leslie P. Culver, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law
Teri McMurtry-Chubb, University of Illinois Chicago School of Law

The “elevated” (promoted) BIPOC skills-based professors on the panel will discuss the “ingredients” in their promotion-winning recipes. The other BIPOC skills-based professors on the panel will report the results of their interviews with recently promoted (within the past three years) BIPOC female skills-based professors on what ingredients went into their tenure-winning recipes.

10 – 11:40 am
AALS HOT TOPIC PROGRAM
Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Future of Law and Multiracial Democracy

Moderator: Spencer Overton, The George Washington University Law School

Speakers: Tabatha Abu El-Haj, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law
Guy-Uriel E. Charles, Harvard Law School
Tanya Kateri Hernandez, Fordham University School of Law
Bertrall Ross, University of Virginia School of Law
Daniel P. Tokaji, University of Wisconsin Law School

Election outcome denial and political violence in the US challenge not just the rule of law, but the future of multiracial democracy. Political scientists, sociologists, technologists, and other scholars are chronicling increased anxiety over changing demographics, a rise in white identity politics, zero-sum competition between different communities for political influence, racialized disinformation, and related phenomena. Unfortunately, the Court, Congress, state legislatures, and most laws governing politics and tech platforms were not designed to grapple with these challenges. The goal of this session is for panelists and attendees to sketch out the roles of law and legal scholars in building a well-functioning multiracial democracy.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON AFRICA
Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Intellectual Property, Traditional Knowledge, Cultural Expressions, and Genetic Resources

Moderator: Madhavi Sunder, Georgetown University Law Center

Speakers: Olufunmilayo B. Arewa, Temple University, James E. Beasley School of Law
Margo A. Bagley, Emory University School of Law
Aman K. Gebru, University of Houston Law Center
Chidi Oguamanam, Full Professor, Dalhousie University Faculty of Law
Dalindyebo B. Shabalala, University of Dayton School of Law

Who owns the traditional knowledge, cultural expressions, and genetic resources of indigenous peoples and local communities around the world? Should there even be any form of ownership, and if so, what sort of legal framework should govern it? A committee of the World Intellectual Property Organization has been
Discussing these issues for several years, and representatives from various countries have used the forum to share their views. There is a momentum to establish at least one international legal framework designed to recognize and protect the know-how of indigenous peoples and local communities.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON AGRICULTURAL AND FOOD LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY ANIMAL LAW, NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY LAW, AND TORTS AND COMPENSATION SYSTEMS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Future of Food
Moderator: Sarah J. Morath, Wake Forest University School of Law
Speakers: Marie Boyd, University of South Carolina School of Law
Robin K. Craig, University of Southern California Gould School of Law
Timothy Daniel Lytton, Georgia State University College of Law

The session will focus on the future of our food system, from what we eat to how it is produced, regulated, and distributed. Specific topics include the role of the ocean, especially marine aquaculture, and insects in the future of food. Panelists will also discuss regulatory barriers to these food sources as well as the challenges of deep uncertainty in food safety governance.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION
Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

ADR’s on the Bar! Now What?
Moderator: Donna Shestowsky, University of California, Davis School of Law
Speakers: Deborah T. Eisenberg, University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law
Michael Gianelloni, National Conference of Bar Examiners
Hemanth C. Gundavaram, Northeastern University School of Law
Isabelle R. Gunning, Southwestern Law School

ADR concepts will be tested on the NCBE’s next generation of the bar exam. The goal of this session is to 1) educate the audience about the NCBE’s plans to test in the areas of negotiation, client counseling, and dispute resolution; 2) share suggestions for how law schools can adapt their curriculum to prepare students for the change, including through 1L courses; 3) offer law school administration and faculty perspectives on how restructuring the curriculum to better prioritize skills development in these areas could impact law school rankings, student success on the bar exam, and client satisfaction with legal services.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS, CO-SPONSORED BY SECURITIES REGULATION
Balboa, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Corporate Governance in a Time of Global Uncertainty
Moderator: Mira Ganor, The University of Texas School of Law
Speakers: Lisa M. Fairfax, University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School
Zohar Goshen, Columbia Law School
Frank Partnoy, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

Speaker from a Call for Papers:
Stavros Gadinis, University of California, Berkeley School of Law
Businesses are operating at an exceptional level of global uncertainty. Mounting pressures from myriad fronts leave boards of directors to navigate new frontiers while maneuvering lingering challenges. In addition to adjusting to uncertain economic and financial implications of geopolitical events and the global pandemic, businesses are asked to assume a distinct social role. Proliferation of calls for corporate disengagement from certain states comes amidst continued disruption in supply chains and mounting diversity, inequality, climate, and cybersecurity challenges, as well as increased disclosure requirements. This panel will explore the implications of the global uncertainty for corporate governance and the role of corporations and their boards in these changing times.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

10 – 11:40 am

SECTION ON COMMUNICATION, MEDIA & INFORMATION LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY DEFAMATION AND PRIVACY AND TECHNOLOGY, LAW AND LEGAL EDUCATION
Mission Hills, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Does the Dearth of Media Diversity Contribute to Disinformation, Defamation and Disserve Democracy?

Moderator: Catherine J. Sandoval, Santa Clara University School of Law
Speakers: Nora Benavidez, Senior Counsel and Director of Digital Justice and Civil Rights, FreePress
Darin Johnson, Howard University School of Law
Caitlin Ring Carlson, Associate Professor in the Communication Department, Seattle University
David L. Sloss, Santa Clara University School of Law

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

10 – 11:40 am

SECTION ON EDUCATION LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY CIVIL RIGHTS, FAMILY AND JUVENILE LAW, AND STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
Del Mar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Governance and Politicization of Primary and Secondary Public Schools

Moderator: Natalie M. Gomez-Velez, City University of New York School of Law
Speakers: Taifha Alexander, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law
Betty A. Rosa, Commissioner of Education & President of the University of the State of New York, New York State Education Department
Aaron J. Saiger, Fordham University School of Law

The panel will explore recent developments involving the politicization of primary and secondary public schools through legislation, policy, and political campaigns targeting public school curricula including anti-critical race theory proposals; anti-LGBTQ+ efforts; book bans; protests against COVID-19 vaccines, masking and testing requirements; and threats to school board members, teachers, and others. It will examine the legal implications and the impacts on students and the educational process, as well as for teachers, parents, administrators, and government actors.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON FIREARMS LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 4, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Gun Rights and Regulation after Bruen
Moderator: Darrell A.H. Miller, Duke University School of Law
Speakers: Kami Chavis Simmons, William & Mary Law School
Brannon P. Denning, Samford University, Cumberland School of Law
George A. Mocsary, University of Wyoming College of Law

On June 23, 2022, the Supreme Court handed down its first major Second Amendment decision in 12 years in New York State Rifle & Pistol Association v. Bruen. Bruen’s focus on history opens up a new set of scholarly questions: At what level of generality will judges apply Bruen’s historical-analogue test? Are lower courts equipped to conduct historical analysis? Is there room for modern-day empirical evidence within the Bruen framework? Join Darrell Miller, George Mocsary, Kami Chavis, and Brannon Denning for an engaging discussion that will unpack Bruen, explore these questions, and consider the future course of Second Amendment jurisprudence.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT, CO-SPONSORED BY LAW IN THE AMERICAS, INTERNATIONAL LAW AND POST-GRADUATE LEGAL EDUCATION
Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Global Legal Engagement in the Era of Crises – Making the Right Choices for Now and the Future
Moderator: Shehernaz Joshi, The George Washington University Law School
Speakers: David W. Austin, California Western School of Law
Michael H. Byowitz, Counsel, Antitrust, Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz
Diane Penneys Edelman, Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law

Recent global health and political crises have impacted the legal community worldwide in ways that demanded an immediate change in legal education and practice, and the ability to create programs to help members of Afghan, Ukrainian, and other communities qualify as lawyers and deal with immediate legal educational and practical needs. Whether practitioners, judges, or students, we had to pivot into this new reality, in which live client meetings, court appearances, and legal education were replaced by remote and hybrid communication and relationships. In the present and going forward, we must take into account political concerns when we communicate about law practice and legal education as well. To succeed, we must treat these changes as “silver linings” and continue to use them going forward. This program will discuss how global legal education and practice have been impacted by recent crises and provide insight into how legal professionals are successfully tackling these challenges.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON PART-TIME DIVISIONS, CO-SPONSORED BY ACADEMIC SUPPORT AND TEACHING METHODS
Cardiff, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

"Substantially Similar?" Building Educational Equity into Evening, Weekend, and Part-Time J.D. Programs
Moderator: Laura Mott, City University of New York School of Law
Speakers: Katie G. Crowley, The Catholic University of America, Columbus School of Law
Melissa A. Hale, Law School Admission Council
Kirk Walter, Loyola University Chicago School of Law
Colin Watrin, Seattle University School of Law
How can the legal-academic community move beyond the idea of a traditional full-time, three-year J.D. degree track? How do we evolve to fit the needs of those who emerge from more flexible learning programs that better meet today’s students’ professional and personal goals, and who also are confronted with economic realities precluding full-time classes? Join us for a discussion on transcending historical limitations imposed by legal-educational programming towards a future of expanded options for all prospective law students. Ideas for structures, technology, advocacy—all are welcome as we explore the question of what it will take to expand access.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON POVERTY LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY CREDITORS’ AND DEBTORS’ RIGHTS, COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, COMMERCIAL AND CONSUMER LAW, AND REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Consumer Debt in the Post Pandemic Era

Moderator: Jade Brown, Boston University School of Law
Speakers: Pamela Foohey, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, Ariel Jurow Kleiman, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles, Rory Van Loo, Boston University School of Law, Joe Villasenor, University of San Diego School of Law

In the wake of the pandemic, consumer debt is one of the biggest issues affecting our country, and low-income consumers will face the brunt of it. There is no doubt that they will face harsh debt collection practices, predatory lending, and unfair credit reporting. The National Consumer Law Center and other advocates are calling for legislation and policy barring pandemic-era rental debt from being used as a barrier to housing. But rental debt is just one factor. Across the board, debt collection abuses are on the rise, and consumers are feeling the effects. How can law and policy intervene?

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON WOMEN IN LEGAL EDUCATION, CO-SPONSORED BY LAW PROFESSORS WITH DISABILITIES AND ALLIES, PRE-LAW EDUCATION AND ADMISSION TO LAW SCHOOL, STUDENT SERVICES, AND SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY ISSUES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Disrupting the Status Quo: How Law Schools Can Make A Difference By Making Difference Meaningful

Moderator: Lisa A. Mazzie, Marquette University Law School
Speakers: Danielle M. Conway, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law, Meera E. Deo, Southwestern Law School, Lucy Jewel, University of Tennessee College of Law

Law schools have long been homogenous. As Lani Guinier said about women’s legal education, law school is about “becoming gentlemen,” one could say that it is about “becoming white gentlemen.” Traditional hierarchies are entrenched throughout all of legal education. Although law schools have come to understand the importance of diversity, equity, and inclusion, it often feels as DEI is merely performative. This panel explores the ways in which well-intentioned DEI programs, policies, and practices have failed to meaningfully change the culture of law school and considers approaches by which a law school may make a difference by making difference meaningful.

The Section on Women in Legal Education held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
1 – 2:30 pm
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1 – 2:40 pm
**AALS DISCUSSION GROUP**
Santa Rosa, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Multifaceted Strategies for Expanding the Pipeline of Diverse Law Students and Attorneys of Color: Law School, Bar Association, and Judicial Commission Collaboration**

**Discussion Group Moderator:** Paula C. Johnson, Syracuse University College of Law

**Discussion Group Participants:**
- Craig M. Boise, Syracuse University College of Law
- andré douglas pond cummings, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, William H. Bowen School of Law
- Natalie M. Gomez-Velez, City University of New York School of Law
- Fe Lopez Gaetke, Director of Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion, Law School Admission Council
- Suzette Meléndez, Syracuse University College of Law
- Mary Lynn Nicolas-Brewster, Executive Director, Franklin H. Williams Judicial Commission
- Tolulope F. Odunsi, Western New England University School of Law
- Sandra Simpson, Gonzaga University School of Law
- Troy K. Webber, Associate Justice, Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial Department, Appellate Division
- Angela Winfield, Chief Diversity Officer, Law School Admission Council

In New York State, the partnership between New York State law schools, including Syracuse University College of Law, City University of New York (CUNY) School of Law, St. John's University School of Law, and the University of Buffalo School of Law, along with the Franklin H. Williams Judicial Commission, the New York State Bar Association and affinity bar associations in New York, have worked respectively and collaboratively on pipeline programs to expand diversity in the legal profession. This Discussion Group session will discuss pipeline activities such as those across institutions in New York State. The Discussion Group also will include discussion of programs at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock William H. Bowen School of Law, the goals and strategies for expanding by pipeline collaborations by the Law School Admission Council (LSAC), and consideration of the impact of the LSAT on furthering or thwarting diversity goals.

1 – 2:40 pm
**SECTION ON ADMIRALTY AND MARITIME LAW**
Marriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Decarbonization of the Shipping Industry: The IMO’s New Carbon Emission Regulations**

**Moderator & Speaker:** Martin Davies, Tulane University Law School

The International Maritime Organization has promulgated regulations requiring all ships to record and reduce their carbon emissions. Those regulations will come into force on January 1, 2023, and they will produce some fundamental changes in the way that trading ships operate, including retrofitting of ships to use alternative fuels, changes in the structure of global ship finance, and many other operational modifications. Complying with the new decarbonization regulations is the hottest topic in the shipping industry at the moment.
1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON AGENCY, PARTNERSHIP, LLC’S AND UNINCORPORATED ASSOCIATIONS
Cardiff, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Agency & Fiduciary Law: Emerging Issues and Pedagogical Approaches

Moderator: Carla L. Reyes, SMU Dedman School of Law
Speaker: Raina Haque, Wake Forest University School of Law

This program explores new issues arising in agency and fiduciary law, and explores pedagogical approaches to introducing and unpacking those issues both inside the traditional business law classroom and in the context of other classes. In particular, the program explores the legal issues at the intersection of agency law and artificial intelligence, and fiduciary duties and emerging technologies. Further, the program explores best practices for teaching agency and fiduciary law, including technology-enhanced and critical approaches.

Business meeting held Friday, January 6, 2023 at 7 am.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON AGING AND THE LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY CLINICAL LEGAL EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT LAW, AND LAW, MEDICINE AND HEALTH CARE
Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Access to Justice in Aging & The Law: How Law Schools Can Make A Difference

Moderator: Katie Liss, DePaul University College of Law
Speaker: Victoria J. Haneman, Creighton University School of Law
Sharona Hoffman, Case Western Reserve University School of Law
Anna-Marie Tabor, Director and Managing Attorney, Pension Action Center (PAC), University of Massachusetts Boston, McCormack Graduate School of Policy and Global Studies

The AALS Section on Aging and the Law’s Annual Meeting program focuses on access to justice, aging, and the impact of law schools with respect to employment related issues, the disparate impact of policies on older adults within the healthcare system, the impact of technology on access to legal assistance, and overall access to justice for older adults.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON ASSOCIATE DEANS FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS AND RESEARCH
Marriott Grand Ballroom 9, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Associate Deans: Making a Difference in Legal Education

For sessions and speaker details, please see the complete listing under extended programs on page 99. The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Wednesday, January 4

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON CLINICAL LEGAL EDUCATION, CO-SPONSORED BY LAW PROFESSORS WITH DISABILITIES AND ALLIES, PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY, AND WOMEN IN LEGAL EDUCATION
Marriott Grand Ballroom 8, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Clinics and Institutional Commitment to Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging
Moderator: Carolyn B. Grose, Mitchell Hamline School of Law
Speaker: Elizabeth B. Cooper, Fordham University School of Law
Gautam Hans, Cornell Law School
Renee Hatcher, University of Illinois Chicago School of Law

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

1 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON COMPARATIVE LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY EAST ASIAN LAW & SOCIETY
Marina Ballroom Salon D, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Extended Session: For sessions and speaker details, please see the complete listing under extended programs on page 100.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON CONTRACTS, CO-SPONSORED BY LABOR RELATIONS AND EMPLOYMENT LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Uniform Restrictive Employment Agreements Act (“UREA”) and Emerging State Law
Moderator: Rachel Arnow-Richman, University of Florida Fredric G. Levin College of Law
Speaker: Richard T. Cassidy, Founder, Rich Cassidy Law
David J. Doorey, Associate Professor, York College of Law
Orly Lobel, University of San Diego School of Law
Stewart J. Schwab, Cornell Law School

Commentator: Hiba Hafiz, Boston College Law School

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON EUROPEAN LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The War in Ukraine and the Future of the European Union
Moderator: Vlad Perju, Boston College Law School

Leading experts in EU law will discuss the implications of the war in Ukraine on the structure of the European Union and the future of European integration.
1 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON FEDERAL COURTS, CO-SPONSORED BY CONFLICT OF LAWS
Marina Ballroom Salon E, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Dispelling the Myth: The Business of the Federal Judicial System, Today

Extended Session: For sessions and speaker details, please see the complete listing under extended programs on page 100.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON INTERNET AND COMPUTER LAW
Del Mar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Internet of War
Moderator: Hannah Bloch-Wehba, Texas A&M University School of Law
Speaker: Rebecca Hamilton, American University, Washington College of Law
Ido Kilovaty, The University of Tulsa College of Law
Asaf Lubin, Indiana University Maurer School of Law

Russia’s invasion of Ukraine highlights the significance of internet technologies in war and foreign policy. While the Internet of Battlefield Things emerges to transform warfare itself, platforms are becoming proxies in foreign policy battles over disinformation and sanctions, and civilian infrastructure may become an appealing target for cyberattacks, with significant consequences for humanitarian law. Panelists will address the myriad ways in which conflict is being transformed by networked technologies.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON LAW AND RELIGION
Mission Hills, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Religion, Law, and the Russian War against Ukraine
Moderator: Elizabeth Clark, Brigham Young University, J. Reuben Clark Law School
Speaker: Robert C. Blitt, University of Tennessee College of Law
Dmytro Vovk, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law
Catherine Wanner, Professor of History, Anthropology and Religious Studies, The Pennsylvania State University - School of International Affairs

This session addresses legal and religious aspects of Russia’s attack on Ukraine. Presenters will look at how the conflict has been influenced by and has influenced the relationship between law and religion in Russia and Ukraine.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON LEGAL HISTORY, CO-SPONSORED BY JEWISH LAW, LAW PROFESSORS WITH DISABILITIES AND ALLIES, PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY, AND WOMEN IN LEGAL EDUCATION
Marina Ballroom Salon F, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Legacies of Exclusion in Legal Education & Licensing
Misreading the Record: The Use (and Abuse) of History in Recent Federal Court Cases about the Administrative State

Extended Session: For sessions and speaker details, please see the complete listing under extended programs on page 101.
1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW, INDIAN NATIONS AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLES, POVERTY LAW,
AND STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
Balboa, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

From Aspiration to Implementation for Energy and Environmental Justice

Moderator: Uma Outka, University of Kansas School of Law
Speaker: Shalanda H. Baker, Director of the Office of Economic Impact and Diversity,
United States Department of Energy
Marcilynn A. Burke, University of Oregon School of Law
Lisa Heinzlerling, Georgetown University Law Center
Roger Lin, Senior Attorney, Center for Biological Diversity
Monte T. Mills, University of Washington School of Law
Michele Okoh, Lewis and Clark Law School

Advancing energy and environmental justice is a central cross-cutting goal of the Biden Administration, yet to implement this goal in ways that will meaningfully improve conditions in communities long affected by pollution will depend not just on regulation and funding but also intergovernmental coordination, information gathering and learning, and genuine community engagement and collaboration. This program will address legal and practical barriers to achieving ambitious federal objectives that depend on state, tribal, local, and community-scale implementation, allowing a discussion that extends beyond the current Administration to center the discussion on priorities for energy, natural resources, tribal, and public lands issues.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON PRE-LAW EDUCATION AND ADMISSION TO LAW SCHOOL CO-SPONSORED BY LAW SCHOOL ADMISSION COUNCIL
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Socially Conscious: Understanding the Next Generation of Law Students

Extended Session: For sessions and speaker details, please see the complete listing under extended programs on page 102.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

2:30 – 4 pm
COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES
Marriott Hall Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Connect with old friends and colleagues, meet new ones, or map out your schedule for the day over a cup of coffee or tea. Breaks include coffee, tea, and pastries in the morning and coffee, tea, and cookies in the afternoon.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON CIVIL RIGHTS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

New Voices in Civil Rights Against The Second Redemption

Amidst the Supreme Court’s ongoing efforts to dismantle the legacy of radical Reconstruction, the New Deal, and twentieth-century civil rights law, new voices are needed in civil rights law, policy, and jurisprudence. Selected by invitation and a call for papers, panelists will summarize their cutting-edge civil rights scholarship—encompassing not only federal courts and policies, but also state, administrative, and poor people’s courts—and commentators will reply substantively to the presentations.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Temecula Room 2, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Community Economic Development Law Works-in-Progress
Moderator: Edward W. De Barbieri, Albany Law School
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
   Adam Crepelle, Antonin Scalia Law School at George Mason University
   Lauren Rogal, Vanderbilt University Law School
   Kim Vu-Dinh, Mitchell Hamline School of Law
   Thomas Wilson Williams, American University, Washington College of Law


3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON CRIMINAL LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY JURISPRUDENCE
Temecula Room 4, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Teaching Criminal Justice with Open Educational Resources and Other Innovative Materials
Moderator: Ben Trachtenberg, University of Missouri School of Law
Speakers:
   Chad Flanders, Saint Louis University School of Law
   Corey Rayburn Yung, University of Kansas School of Law
   Eric J. Miller, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles
   W. David Ball, Santa Clara University School of Law
   Anne G. Alexander, University of Missouri School of Law

A single professor adopting an “open educational resources” (OER) casebook (or an “open textbook”) for one course can save students more than ten thousand dollars. Multiplied by faculty across the country, the potential savings—in 1L criminal law alone—are measured in the millions of dollars annually. This panel will feature presentations by faculty who have taught criminal justice courses with OER materials. It will also discuss other innovative teaching methods, such as criminal law casebooks taking a more critical approach than most traditional books. Come discuss the benefits and challenges of this new movement in law teaching.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION LAW AND LABOR RELATIONS AND EMPLOYMENT LAW JOINT PROGRAM
Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

New and Emerging Voices in Workplace Law
Moderator: Daiquiri Steele, University of Alabama School of Law
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
   Sherley Cruz, University of Tennessee College of Law
   Doron Dorfman, Seton Hall University School of Law
   Samantha Prince, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law

This works-in-progress session will give emerging workplace law scholars the opportunity for engagement on a current project with leaders in the field. Each selected scholar will present a work-in-progress and receive comments from an assigned commentator, as well as from an audience of scholars in the field.
3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON EUROPEAN LAW**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**New Scholarship in EU Law**

**Moderator:** Vlad Perju, Boston College Law School

New scholarship in EU law selected through a call for papers.

3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON IMMIGRATION LAW**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 6, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**New Voices in Immigration Law**

**Moderator:** Kit Johnson, University of Oklahoma College of Law

**Commentators:**
- Angela M. Banks, Arizona State University Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law
- Lenni Beth Naczi, New York Law School
- Jayanth K. Krishnan, Indiana University Maurer School of Law
- Daniel I. Morales, University of Houston Law Center
- Jaya E. Ramji-Nogales, Temple University, James E. Beasley School of Law
- Shoba Sivaprasad Wadhia, The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law

**Works-in-Progress Presenters:**
- Nermeen Arastu, City University of New York School of Law
- Jocelyn Cazares, Georgetown University Law Center
- Richard H. Frankel, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law
- Eunice Lee, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
- Qudsiya Naqui, Creator and Host, Down to the Struts Podcast
- Talia Peleg, City University of New York School of Law
- Carrie Rosenbaum, Chapman University Dale E. Fowler School of Law

Come join our works-in-progress discussions regarding selected papers from New Voices in Immigration Law. Papers will be discussed in turn, with time for author comments, thoughts from a lead reader, and group discussion.

3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON INDIAN NATIONS AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLES**
*Temecula Room 1, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Indigenous Law Professors as Relatives Across the Medicine Line**

**Moderator & Speaker:** Angelique W. EagleWoman, Sisseton Wahpeton Dakota Oyate, Dean, Mitchell Hamline School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Gordon Christie, Inupiat/Inuvialuit, Professor, The University of British Columbia Peter A. Allard School of Law
- Aimée Craft, Anishinaabe-Métis, Associate Professor, University of Ottawa Common Law Section
- Signa Daum Shanks, Métis, Associate Professor, University of Ottawa Common Law Section
- Jaime Lavallee, Muskeg Lake Cree, Treaty 6, Assistant Professor, University of Saskatchewan College of Law

As Indigenous law professors from the United States and Canada, we recognize the kinship worldview that connected us historically and continues to connect us across the political border commonly known as the Medicine Line. In this panel, we offer our perspectives on creating space inside law schools for Indigenous
methodologies, epistemologies, scholarship, and pedagogy. We seek to provide educators of the next generation of legal professionals a foundation and inspiration in our collective efforts toward decolonizing law schools across North America while providing greater inclusion of Indigenous legal traditions, perspectives, and law principles.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY
Mission Hills, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Recorded Classroom
Moderator: Tiffany Li, University of New Hampshire Franklin Pierce School of Law
Speakers: Bruce E. Boyden, Marquette University Law School
Deidre A. Keller, Florida A&M University College of Law
Amanda Levendowski, Associate Professor of Law, Georgetown University Law Center
Jacob H. Rooksby, Gonzaga University School of Law

Over the past two or more years, faculty have become experts at teaching law through a variety of tech-assisted modalities, including synchronously online, asynchronously recorded, hyflex/hybrid, etc. These different teaching modalities implicate a new set of intellectual property complications, prompting important questions around copyright ownership, fair use, statutory exceptions, and privacy. Who owns faculty's content created for online teaching? What privacy concerns should faculty and students have when teaching and learning online? How much copyrighted content can faculty use when teaching online? The Intellectual Property Law Section is delighted to present The Recorded Classroom to explore these timely and complicated questions.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON INTERNET AND COMPUTER LAW
Leucadia, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

New Voices in Internet and Computer Law
Moderator: Eric C. Chaffee, University of Toledo College of Law

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON LAW, MEDICINE AND HEALTH CARE
Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

New Voices in Law, Medicine and Health Care
Moderator: Jennifer D. Oliva, University of California, Hastings College of the Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Daniel Aaron, Judicial Law Clerk, United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit
Anjali Deshmukh, Georgia State University College of Law
Sara Gerke, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
Allison M. Whelan, Georgia State University College of Law
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON LEGAL WRITING, REASONING, AND RESEARCH
Marriott Grand Ballroom 4, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Pedagogy Pivots: Leading Legal Education’s Transition to the NextGen Bar Exam

Moderator: Maria Termini, Brooklyn Law School
Speakers:
- Melissa Bezanson Shultz, Mitchell Hamline School of Law
- Jane E. Cross, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law
- Sabrina DeFabritiis, Suffolk University Law School
- Beth Donahue, Senior Assessment Design Specialist, National Conference of Bar Examiners
- Susan Landrum, University of Illinois College of Law
- Leila Lawlor, Georgia State University College of Law
- Jon J. Lee, University of Oklahoma College of Law
- Andrew M. Perlman, Suffolk University Law School
- Margaret Vath, Georgia State University College of Law

The NextGen Bar Exam, which will impact Fall 2023 law school matriculants, represents a sea-change. Its focus on legal problem solving, research, writing, and client-management skills will require systemic change. This session will describe the NextGen Bar Exam and present concrete ways to leverage skills-education expertise to guide law schools through this transition. LRW and clinical faculty are experts in curriculum design and teaching, but we cannot carry the load alone. So, how should skills faculty harness our expertise and engage with law school communities to ensure we all play a role to prepare students for the NextGen Bar?

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON LEGISLATION & LAW OF THE POLITICAL PROCESS
Point Loma, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Emerging Scholars in Legislation & Law of the Political Process

Moderator: Jesse M. Cross, University of South Carolina School of Law
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
- Katherine Mims Crocker, William & Mary Law School
- Amy Semet, University at Buffalo School of Law, The State University of New York
- Daniel Walters, Texas A&M University School of Law
- Alexander Zhang, American Legal Historian, Yale University Department of History

This session looks to highlight and discuss the work of emerging scholars in the fields of legislation and the law of the political process.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON NEW LAW PROFESSORS
Carlsbad, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Beginnings, Middles, and Endings: Ideas for Your Classes and Your Courses

Moderator: Sandra Simpson, Gonzaga University School of Law
Speaker: Howard E. Katz, Cleveland State University College of Law
Nancy J. Soonpaa, Texas Tech University School of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Antonio Coronado, Georgetown University Law Center
Ellen Farwell, New England Law | Boston

This pedagogy program offers concrete and immediately usable tips and takeaways for classroom teaching. The experienced teachers on the panel will offer ideas and insight on course improvement, course correction, and course creation, while the newer teachers will offer specific teaching ideas that proved successful for them. We envision a creative, energetic, and inspirational discussion!

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON TAXATION
Solana, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Teaching Tax: Methods and Approaches for the Modern Student

Moderator: Orly Mazur, SMU Dedman School of Law
Speakers: Heather M. Field, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
Michael Hatfield, University of Washington School of Law
Michelle M. Kwon, University of Tennessee College of Law
Phyllis C. Taite, Oklahoma City University School of Law

Experienced tax professors will share lessons that they have learned about teaching tax in the last few years of disruption in legal education. Topics will include utilizing technology, incorporating insights from practitioners, and covering issues of racial justice.

5 – 6 pm
AALS ARC OF CAREER PROGRAM
San Diego Ballroom Salon A, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

A Session for First Time Meeting Attendees: What is AALS and Why Does It Matter for My Career? And How Do I Get the Most Out of the Annual Meeting?

Introduction: Judith Areen, Executive Director, Association of American Law Schools
Moderator: Dayna Bowen Matthew, The George Washington University Law School
Speaker: Mark C. Alexander, Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law
Nancy J. Soonpaa, Texas Tech University School of Law
Melanie D. Wilson, Washington and Lee University School of Law

AALS thanks West Academic, a BARBRI Global Company for its support of this session.

This session is intended for new law professors and administrators, especially those who have never attended an AALS Annual Meeting. After a quick introduction to the organization, members at various stages of their careers will briefly discuss their experiences with AALS. There will also be a candid discussion of why people attend the Annual Meeting and what they hope to get out of it. New members will have the opportunity to sign up for AALS sections. Members of the AALS leadership structure will be in attendance, and there will be time to have a dialogue with them about their AALS experiences.
6 – 7 pm  
**TWELVE STEP MEETING**  
*Conference Room 3, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

6 – 7 pm  
**AALS RECEPTION FOR NEW LAW TEACHERS**  
*San Diego Ballroom Salon C, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*  

AALS thanks West Academic, a BARBRI Global Company for its generous support of this reception.  
This informal event brings together the new law teacher community. Anyone who attended the AALS New Law Teachers Workshop in the past several years is welcome to attend, as well as planning committee members and speakers from the Workshop. We hope this reception will provide an opportunity to reconnect with past attendees and bond with this year’s cohort of new teachers. If you are a new teacher who did not attend the Workshop, we encourage you to join us too.

6 pm – 7 pm  
**SECTION ON CLINICAL LEGAL EDUCATION BUSINESS MEETING AND RECEPTION**  
*Malibu, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

6 – 7 pm  
**SECTION ON COMPARATIVE LAW BUSINESS MEETING**  
*Marina Salon D, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*  

**Moderators:**  
Elizabeth M. Iglesias, University of Miami School of Law  
Mark E. Wojcik, University of Illinois Chicago School of Law

6 – 7 pm  
**SECTION ON EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION LAW BUSINESS MEETING**  
*Balboa, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*  

**Moderator:**  
Daiquiri Steele, University of Alabama School of Law

6 – 7 pm  
**SECTION ON FEDERAL COURTS BUSINESS MEETING - CANCELLED**  
Business meeting held Wednesday January 4, 2023, 1 – 2:40 pm at program conclusion.

6 – 7 pm  
**SECTION ON JEWISH LAW BUSINESS MEETING**  
*Del Mar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*
AALS Member Law School Events

6:30 – 8 pm
EMORY UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW RECEPTION
Vista, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

6:30 – 8 pm
UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON LAW CENTER RECEPTION FOR ALUMNI AND FRIENDS
Catalina, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

6 – 7 pm
NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW CLEAR AND OTHER RACIAL JUSTICE CENTERS
Nautical, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego

Informational/Sharing Discussion: Racial Justice

6 – 7:30 pm
UNIVERSITY OF THE PACIFIC, McGEORGE SCHOOL OF LAW MIXER FOR ALUMNI AND FRIENDS
Regatta C, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego

6 – 8 pm
THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY - DICKINSON LAW ANTIRACIST DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE RECEPTION
Regatta A, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego

Learn about the Antiracist Development Institute and the forthcoming book series “Building an Antiracist Law School, Legal Academy, and Legal Profession.”

6:30 – 8 pm
PHILADELPHIA LAW SCHOOLS RECEPTION (DREXEL, PENN, TEMPLE, AND VILLANOVA)
San Diego Ballroom Salon B, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

6 – 7:30 pm
RECEPTION FOR SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE (SEC) LAW SCHOOLS
Roy’s San Diego Restaurant, 333 West Harbor Drive

6 – 7:30 pm
WESTERN STATES RECEPTION
America’s Cup AB, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego
Related Organization Events

7 – 11 pm  
CAROLINA ACADEMIC PRESS RECEPTION FOR AUTHORS AND FRIENDS  
Presidio Room 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

5 – 6:30 pm  
SOCIETY OF AMERICAN LAW TEACHERS (SALT) AND AMERICAN CONSTITUTION SOCIETY COVER WORKSHOP  
La Costa, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Legitimacy Crisis on the Court: Working Within and Beyond the System

The sweeping holding in *Dobbs v. Jackson Women’s Health*, undoing a half-century of constitutional protection for abortion, is just the highest-profile example of a Court in the throes of a legitimacy crisis. Increased political maneuvering in recent years to achieve a super-majority that appears dedicated to fulfilling the conservative legal movement’s goals has resulted in a significant decline in public support—three quarters of Americans now have little or no confidence in the nation’s highest court. A series of decisions in the last Term, along with a number of cases on the docket this Term, also have members of the legal community questioning the Court’s legitimacy and wondering how to proceed with a seemingly results-oriented judiciary.

While some pursue Court reforms to address long-term institutional deficiencies, many lawyers and legal scholars must work within the judiciary as it exists, whether trying to articulate a cogent vision of constitutional and statutory law or advocating for outcomes in specific cases before the Court. Balancing this work with the need to raise awareness of the Court’s legitimacy crisis and agitate for change creates a tension that can be a challenge to reconcile.

Join the American Constitution Society and the Society of American Law Teachers for a discussion of how lawyers and law scholars might navigate these challenges and create opportunities to work within and beyond the system to achieve change.
Thursday, January 5

7 am – 7 pm
**AALS REGISTRATION**
*Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

7 am – 5 pm
**AALS OPERATIONS OFFICE**
*Rancho Santa Fe 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

7 am – 7 pm
**NURSING PARENTS ROOM**
*Conference Room 4, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

7 am – 7 pm
**SPEAKER READY ROOM**
*Torrey Pines Room 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

7:30 – 9 am
**COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES**
*Marriott Hall Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

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8 am – 5 pm
**AALS INFORMATION DESK**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

8 am – 9:40 am
**AALS SITE EVALUATION WORKSHOP**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Moderator:** Elizabeth A. Kronk Warner, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law

**Speakers:**
- William E. Adams, Jr., Deputy Managing Director, American Bar Association
- Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar
- Cara McQuitty, Associate Director, Membership Review, Association of American Law Schools
- Ellen S. Podgor, Stetson University College of Law
- Barbara Studenmund, Chief Financial Officer and Director of Membership Review, Association of American Law Schools

Member law schools receive comprehensive periodic visits by site teams made up of law professors, university administrators, and practitioners/judges as part of the ABA accreditation/AALS membership review process. The AALS appoints one member (the AALS reporter) to the ABA/AALS site team. The reporter is a member of the joint team and also writes an additional report for the AALS focusing on the organization’s core values. This workshop is designed for those who serve, or are interested in serving, as the AALS reporter, as well as schools that will be visited in the coming academic year. Speakers will discuss AALS core values, materials available to the AALS reporter, the site visit and membership review process, and the AALS site questionnaire schools must complete prior to a site visit. The workshop also provides essential information about the ABA accreditation process, as the AALS reporter also functions as a full member of the site team and will have responsibility for a portion of the ABA report.
CONTEMPLATIVE SPACE FOR REGISTRANTS

This technology-free space is available for quiet contemplation and individual restoration for those attending the annual meeting. The Section on Balance and Well-Being in Legal Education has also scheduled daily guided group meditations as well as mindful-movement activities throughout the conference.

Group Practice Schedule:
8 – 8:30 am, Mindfulness Meditation
9 – 10 am, Mindful Movement
12 – 1 pm, Introduction to Mindfulness
5 – 5:30 pm, Introduction to Mindfulness

AALS OPEN SOURCE PROGRAM - AUTHOR MEETS READERS

Women Trailblazers in Legal Education

Speakers:
Patricia A. Cain, Santa Clara University School of Law
Camille deJorna, Senior Director for Strategic Initiatives and Global Services, Law School Admission Council
Lisa A. Kloppenberg, Santa Clara University School of Law
Laura M. Padilla, California Western School of Law

This panel will discuss early women in legal education, especially women who served as deans. Two panelists have written books about these early women. Pat Cain edited Herma Hill Kay’s book, Paving the Way. Lisa Kloppenberg recently published with Oxford Press the story of the life of Dorothy Nelson, The Best Beloved Thing is Justice: The Life of Dorothy Wright Nelson. Camille de Jorna, who has written about deans of color, will also be a panelist. And Laura Padilla, who has written extensively about women law professors, will moderate.

AALS DISCUSSION GROUP

Russia v. Ukraine: Implications for a New Global Order

Discussion Group Moderator:
Milena Sterio, Cleveland State University College of Law

Discussion Group Participants:
Cindy G. Buys, Southern Illinois University School of Law
Jonathan Hafetz, Seton Hall University School of Law
Darin Johnson, Howard University School of Law
Chimène I. Keitner, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
Eugene Mazo, Seton Hall University School of Law
Thomas M. McDonnell, Pace University Elisabeth Haub School of Law
Gregory Noone, Professor of Political Science and Law, Fairmont State University College of Liberal Arts
Leila N. Sadat, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law
David L. Sloss, Santa Clara University School of Law

This program will be a discussion group composed of experts who have studied the role of international law and international institutions in world affairs. The overall goal of this program will be to assess whether the ongoing conflict in Ukraine has the potential to disrupt the existing global order and our understanding of the role that international institutions play in global affairs. In addition, the panelists will focus on what role law schools will be able to play in terms of shaping such a possible new world order.
8 – 9:40 am
AALS HOT TOPIC PROGRAM
Marriott Grand Ballroom 9, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Future of Race in Admissions

Moderator: Mitchell F. Crusto, Loyola University New Orleans College of Law
Speakers: Nicola Boothe, University of Illinois Chicago School of Law
Lia Epperson, American University, Washington College of Law
Maimon Schwarzschild, University of San Diego School of Law
John Valery White, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law

We await a Supreme Court decision that might radically change the racial composition of colleges and professional schools. Recently, in Students for Fair Admissions v. President and Fellows at Harvard College and v. University of North Carolina, the Court heard claims that “race-based” admission policies deprive some Asian and white applicants entry, notwithstanding their alleged superior credentials. Consistent with several state mandates, the Court is predicted to ban such admission policies, overturning years of precedent favoring affirmative action and racial diversity. This open discussion will explore such a ban’s impact on diversity, equity, and inclusion.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON BIOLAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Breaking Out of the Law School Silo: Interdisciplinary and Empirical Research in Law

Moderator: Jennifer Carter-Johnson, Michigan State University College of Law
Speakers: Erik Girvan, University of Oregon School of Law
Catherine M. Grosso, Michigan State University College of Law
Gary E. Marchant, Arizona State University Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law

This program delves into the growing question of how to grow your legal academic agenda in non-traditional ways with a focus on interdisciplinary research beyond the confines of the legal academy and the unique challenges of empirical research and co-authorship. Sponsored by the Biolaw Section, this program should have applicability to anyone interested in exploring new avenues for their research agenda.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Criminal Procedure Casebook Offerings and Pedagogical Approaches

Moderator: Donald A. Dripps, University of San Diego School of Law
Speakers: Cynthia J. Alkon, Texas A&M University School of Law
Renée McDonald Hutchins, University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law
Marc L. Miller, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
Alexandra Natapoff, Harvard Law School

Criminal procedure professors have a plethora of casebook options and pedagogical approaches from which to choose, ranging from traditional offerings that emphasize U.S. Supreme Court decisions and constitutional doctrine to newer texts that emphasize, among other things, nonconstitutional rules, sociological dimensions of the criminal process, and race/class bias. Some of the new texts are also available free of charge or at low cost to students. This panel explores a variety of different casebooks and teaching materials covering both parts of the criminal procedure course: police investigation and adjudication.
U.S. legal institutions, many have recognized, harbor systemic biases that create profound racial inequalities. Immigration law is no exception. From the Chinese Exclusion era to modern distinctions in the treatment of Central American, African, Haitian, and Ukrainian asylum seekers, race affects migrants' access and experience immigrating to the United States. This historical trajectory raises questions that can inform broader conversations about systemic racism: How should we approach a legal regime with explicitly racist foundations? How does the expressly exclusionary function of immigration regulation affect its application to different groups? What role does the discretion inherent in immigration law enforcement play?

Business meeting at program conclusion.

Indigenizing Intellectual Property

Indigenous intellectual property has become a transformational battleground for racial justice movements and key space for exercising Indigenous sovereignty in the twenty-first century. From campaigns to compel the retirement of disparaging trademarks, to litigation to defend Tribal names and cultural designs from misappropriation, to development of local and international policy to support Indigenous creatives and inventors, Indigenous peoples are harnessing intellectual property law while also working to push its boundaries. In this panel, we ask what scholars and law schools can do to build legal infrastructures that better support Indigenous culture, creativity, innovation, and other forms of Indigenous IP.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

Jewish Communal Use of American Law for Its Own Ends

In this panel, our presenters will discuss a number of case studies in which Jewish communities have availed themselves of the American legal system to achieve their own goals. Food labeling and supervision, land use regulations, and the endorsement of one or another religious group by the military all present situations in which secular institutions implemented policies that have helped the Jewish community in specific. In
thinking about the effects of these policies, our presenters will consider how these policies might violate the Establishment Clause and why these policies might have been implemented despite this problem.

Business meeting held on Wednesday, January 4, 2023 at 6 pm.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON JURISPRUDENCE CO-SPONSORED BY CRIMINAL LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Book Roundtable: Tommie Shelby’s “The Idea of Prison Abolition”

Moderator: Chad Flanders, Saint Louis University School of Law
Speakers: Deborah N. Archer, New York University School of Law
Jody David Armour, University of Southern California Gould School of Law
Trevor Gardner, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law
Youngiae Lee, Fordham University School of Law
Tommie Shelby, Caldwell Titcomb Professor of African and African American Studies and of Philosophy, Harvard University Department of Philosophy
Jocelyn Simonson, Brooklyn Law School

In his new book, The Idea of Prison Abolition, Tommie Shelby examines the abolitionist case against prisons and its formidable challenge to would-be prison reformers. After opening remarks by Prof. Shelby, there will be critical replies by a distinguished set of law professors and a response by Prof. Shelby.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON LAW AND THE HUMANITIES, CO-SPONSORED BY LEGAL HISTORY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 4, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Visions and Models of Autonomy, Care, Resistance, and Community After Roe v. Wade

Moderator: Robert L. Tsai, Boston University School of Law
Speakers: Aziza Ahmed, Boston University School of Law
Rachel Rebouche, Temple University, James E. Beasley School of Law
Stacey A. Tovino, University of Oklahoma College of Law
Mary Ziegler, University of California, Davis School of Law

This session explores the competing visions of care, resistance, and community not only after Roe v. Wade, but also in the aftermath of the Dobbs ruling. Among the issues discussed: What can we learn from history? To what extent can the humanities play a role in reimagining social relationships and legal possibilities?

Business meeting at program conclusion.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON LAW PROFESSORS WITH DISABILITIES AND ALLIES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 8, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Requesting Accommodations as a Law School Employee

Moderator: Megan S. Wright, The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law
Speakers: Matthew W. Green, Jr., Cleveland State University College of Law
Arlene S. Kanter, Syracuse University College of Law
Robyn M. Powell, Associate Professor of Law, University of Oklahoma College of Law
Robert Rigg, Drake University Law School

This is a panel discussion about experiences requesting disability accommodations as a law school employee. This discussion includes expert analysis of what the law does (and does not) require.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON LAW SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

Marriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Administrative Boot Camp for New and Aspiring Deans and Associate Deans

Moderator: Carolyn A. Turner, University of Illinois College of Law
Speakers: Deborah J. Challener, Mississippi College School of Law
Bethany Anne Pluymers, Associate Dean for Administration, University of Wisconsin Law School
Ray Sykes, University of Oregon School of Law

Are you a new or aspiring dean or associate dean? The Section on Law School Finance and Administration will share with you the real deal on finance (it’s not like finance in the real world of business), human resources (how to cultivate an amazing leadership team), and from one Associate Dean, everything she wishes she had known before she took the job. We are here to help!

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON NONPROFIT AND PHILANTHROPY LAW

Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Current Issues in Nonprofit and Philanthropy Law

Moderator: Samuel D. Brunson, Loyola University Chicago School of Law
Speakers: Atinuke (Tinu) Adediran, Fordham University School of Law
Jill R. Horwitz, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law

Speaker from a Call for Papers:
Philip T. Hackney, University of Pittsburgh School of Law

The COVID-19 era has highlighted cracks in our institutions as they have been forced to deal with disease, political divisiveness, discrimination, and a general loss of faith in institutions. Nonprofits have not been immune from these forces. In this session, scholars of nonprofit law will discuss the cracks that have emerged and how nonprofits can fix those cracks.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS, CO-SPONSORED BY COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, COMMERCIAL AND RELATED CONSUMER LAW, AND PROPERTY LAW

Balboa, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

COVID-19’s Continuing Effect on the Commercial and Residential Real Estate Market

Moderator: Pamela Foohey, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law
Speakers: Charles Altman, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law
Celeste M. Hammond, University of Illinois Chicago School of Law
Andrew S. Jacobson, Capstone Advisor, Georgetown University School of Continuing Studies
Michael Lens, Associate Professor of Urban Planning and Public Policy, University of California, Los Angeles Luskin School of Public Affairs
John A. Lovett, Loyola University New Orleans College of Law
Jennifer S. Prusak, Vanderbilt University Law School
COVID-19 brought significant and continuing disruption to both commercial and residential real estate markets. These disruptions have reverberated through rental markets as well. This panel will consider a range of topics, including the residential housing market's explosion during the pandemic and its effect on the rental market, issues with housing stock, predictions about the effects of inflation and rising interest rates, a proposed new nomenclature to increase life safety in Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs) by recharacterizing certain “illegal” occupancy to “PeriLegal” occupancy, and an update on existing and proposed financing and grant mechanisms for ADUs.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

8 - 9:40 am
SECTION ON TRANSATIONAL LAW AND SKILLS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

How Transactional Lawyers Can Impact the World

Moderator: Eric C. Chaffee, University of Toledo College of Law
Speakers: Alina Ball, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
          J. Robert Brown, Jr., University of Denver Sturm College of Law
          Joan M. Heminway, University of Tennessee College of Law
          Nicole Iannarone, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law
          Benjamin Means, University of South Carolina School of Law

The theme of this year’s annual meeting is “How Law Schools Can Make a Difference.” References to social change and the law often beckon forth thoughts of crusading litigators winning important cases in court. This session explores what role transactional attorney can play in impacting the world and how law students can be prepared to become those type of lawyers.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

9 - 10:30 am
COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES
Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Connect with old friends and colleagues, meet new ones, or map out your schedule for the day over a cup of coffee or tea. Breaks include coffee, tea, and pastries in the morning and coffee, tea, and cookies in the afternoon.

9 am – 5 pm
AALS EXHIBIT HALL - THE MEETING PLACE
Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Join us in the Exhibit Hall to see exciting new products and the latest technologies in legal education. Whether you’re looking for innovative ways to enhance the teaching experience or just want to check out the latest publications, there is something for everyone. And be sure to stop by the “Meeting Place.” The comfortable lounge area is perfect for impromptu meetings or just to relax for a few minutes. Enjoy complimentary coffee, tea, pastries, and cookies during the scheduled time periods as you catch up with colleagues and map out your meeting experience.
10 – 11:40 am
**AALS DISCUSSION GROUP**
*Marina Ballroom Salon F, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**The Future of Law School Rankings**

**Discussion Group Moderator:**
Elizabeth A. Kronk Warner, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law

**Discussion Group Participants:**
Michèle Alexandre, Loyola University Chicago School of Law
Robert A. Bohrer, California Western School of Law
Lolita K. Buckner Inniss, University of Colorado Law School
Ebong S. Nelson, University of Connecticut School of Law
Sean M. Scott, California Western School of Law
Sudha N. Setty, City University of New York School of Law

The Discussion Group will focus on law school rankings with a specific focus on U.S. News rankings. The goals of the program include: reaching an understanding of whether the existing methodology used to rank law schools is normatively good; if the methodology is deemed not “good,” then reaching an understanding of changes that might be made; and discussants might also address whether law schools should continue to submit information to third parties for ranking purposes. In discussing these topics, many of the speakers will critically engage with the proposed discussion topics from antiracist, diversity, equity, and inclusion perspectives.

10 – 11:40 am
**SECTION ON AGRICULTURAL AND FOOD LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY ANIMAL LAW AND STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT LAW**
*Temecula Room 1 & 2, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Topics in Agriculture and Law**

**Moderator:** Sarah J. Morath, Wake Forest University School of Law

**Speakers from a Call for Papers:**
Peter C. Carstensen, University of Wisconsin Law School
Delcianna Winders, Vermont Law and Graduate School

New and emerging scholars as well as academics at all stages of their professional careers will share their works-in-progress related to agriculture and the law.

10 – 11:40 am
**SECTION ON CIVIL RIGHTS**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Integrating Critical Pedagogies to Fulfill the Promise of Revised Standard 303**

**Speakers:**
Steven Bender, Seattle University School of Law
Danielle M. Conway, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
Sherley Cruz, University of Tennessee College of Law

With the 2022 amendments to the ABA Standards and Rules of Procedure for Approval of Law Schools, ABA-accredited law schools now must provide students with substantial opportunities to develop a professional identity, along with education on bias, cross-cultural competency, and racism. Thus, the time is ripe to integrate the insights of courses that have been too often relegated to the periphery of bar-exam and/or practice-oriented law school curricula, including civil rights; critical race theory; disability rights; feminist legal theory; human rights; immigrant rights; Indian law; Latinas, Latinos, and the law; poverty law; race and American law; sexuality and the law; and more. Panelists will share their insights on how to center antiracism and related forms of systemic advocacy in the curricula and cultures of U.S. law schools.
10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON CLINICAL LEGAL EDUCATION
Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Experiential Mainstreaming in the Law Curriculum

Speaker:
Valeria Gomez, University of Baltimore School of Law
Elizabeth A. Keyes, University of Baltimore School of Law
Suzan M. Pritchett, Drake University Law School
Etienne C. Toussaint, University of South Carolina School of Law

Law schools are increasingly exploring ways of incorporating experiential elements throughout the law school curriculum, including in traditional doctrinal courses. This panel will provide the opportunity for clinic and externship faculty who have taught doctrinally and in the experiential context to share important lessons and pedagogical tools for faculty who want to increase the experiential elements of their courses with the goal of building tangible legal skills across the law school curriculum.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON CONTRACTS
Temecula Room 3 & 4, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Roundtable on New Scholarship in Contract Law & Theory

Moderator & Commentator:
Michael P. Malloy, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law

Commentators:
Jasmine C. Abdel-khalik, University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law
Ian Ayres, Yale Law School
Andrea J. Boyack, Washburn University School of Law
David S. Caudill, Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law
Kristine L. Franklin, New York Law School
Larry T. Garvin, The Ohio State University, Michael E. Moritz College of Law
Nadelle Grossman, Marquette University Law School
Lenora Ledwon, St. Thomas University College of Law
Jean Fleming Powers, South Texas College of Law Houston
Edieth Y. Wu, Texas Southern University Thurgood Marshall School of Law

Works-in-Progress Presenters:
Yonathan Arbel, University of Alabama School of Law
Sadie Blanchard, Notre Dame Law School
Jonathan Harris, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles
Andrew Mamo, Northern Illinois University College of Law
Geeta Tewari, Widener University Delaware Law School

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON CRIMINAL LAW
Marina Ballroom Salon D, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Works-in-Progress
10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON EDUCATION LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

COVID-19 Equity Impacts on Schools

Moderator: John E. Rumel, University of Idaho College of Law
Speakers: Claire Raj, University of South Carolina School of Law
Kimberly Jenkins Robinson, University of Virginia School of Law
Jenny Rodriguez-Fee, Southwestern Law School
Charles J. Russo, University of Dayton School of Law

The COVID-19 pandemic and resulting school closures and mitigation efforts exposed and exacerbated stark inequities in primary and secondary education in communities across the United States. Pre-existing educational inequities related to socio-economic status including race, ethnicity, gender, and class became more evident and worsened during the pandemic. This panel will examine the inequities in educational access laid bare during the pandemic and persisting in its wake from legal, factual, policy, and governance perspectives.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON ELECTION LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY JURISPRUDENCE
Marina Ballroom Salon E, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

New Voices in Election Law

Moderator: Tabatha Abu El-Haj, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Benji Cover, University of Idaho College of Law
Jacob Eisler, Associate Professor of Public Law, Southampton Law School
Carla Laroche, Washington and Lee University School of Law
Charquia Wright, Florida State University College of Law

This works-in-progress panel highlights the recent publications and article drafts of newer voices in the field of Election Law.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON FAMILY AND JUVENILE LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY CHILDREN AND THE LAW, EDUCATION LAW, SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY ISSUES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Navigating Politicized Parenthood in the Classroom

Moderator: Sarah L. Swan, Rutgers Law School
Speakers: Melanie Daily, University of Kansas School of Law
Dara E. Purvis, The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law
Tanya M. Washington-Hicks, Georgia State University College of Law

This Pedagogy Program session will complement the Section’s main program discussion on Politicizing Parenthood with strategies and tools for integrating these issues into the family law classroom. We will model and share various approaches to teaching about parenthood in the context of politicized issues, including but not limited to reproductive rights, gender-affirming medical care for trans youth, and the discussion of systemic racism, sexual orientation, and gender identity in schools. Participants will demonstrate, model, and discuss their holistic inclusive approaches to the courses as well as to provide examples of how they handle discrete cases or topics.

Business meeting held Friday, January 6, 2023 at 5 pm.
10 – 11:40 am  
**SECTION ON IMMIGRATION LAW**  
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Leveraging Service Opportunities to Maximize Student Learning in Immigration Law**

**Moderator:** David B. Thronson, Michigan State University College of Law  
**Speaker:** Kif Augustine-Adams, Brigham Young University, J. Reuben Clark Law School  
Lenni Beth Benson, New York Law School  
Richard A. Boswell, University of California, Hastings College of the Law  
Violeta Chapin, University of Colorado Law School

Experiential learning—learning by doing—amplifies student understanding and enriches the study of law. In the field of immigration law, law schools can address unmet legal needs while also helping students better understand legal doctrine, hone their legal skills, and develop their professional identity. Often, law schools provide these experiences through traditional immigration clinics, but law schools can leverage pro bono opportunities in a variety of ways to enrich their students’ education. Panelists will discuss their experiences identifying appropriate pro bono opportunities, structuring experiential learning within the constraints of a traditional legal education, and meeting client’s needs while maximizing student learning.

10 – 11:40 am  
**SECTION ON LAW AND SPORTS**  
*Oceanside, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Works-in-Progress**

**Moderator:** Mary M. Penrose, Texas A&M University School of Law  
**Speakers from a Call for Papers:**  
Tan T. Boston, Assistant Professor of Law, Northern Kentucky University, Salmon P. Chase College of Law  
Stephen E. Ross, The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law  
Julia Steggerda-Corey, Drake University Law School

This is our first works-in-progress program for the Law and Sports Section. It has been exciting to see the growth of our section.
10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON LAW PROFESSORS WITH DISABILITIES AND ALLIES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 8, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Junior Faculty Works-in-Progress

Moderator and Commentator:
Megan S. Wright, The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Laura Hoffman, Cleveland State University College of Law
Amanda Levendowski, Associate Professor of Law, Georgetown University Law Center
Carla L. Reyes, SMU Dedman School of Law
Bijal Shah, Boston College Law School
Britney R. Wilson, New York Law School

Commentators:
Doron Dorfman, Seton Hall University School of Law
Pamela Foohey, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law
Laura F. Rothstein, University of Louisville, Louis D. Brandeis School of Law
Michael E. Waterstone, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles

One of the goals of the Section on Law Professors with Disabilities and Allies is to provide a forum for the recognition and celebration of the accomplishments of law professors with disabilities. To that end, this works-in-progress session will bring together junior and senior scholars for the purpose of providing junior scholars with a range of scholarly foci with feedback and guidance on their draft papers.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON MINORITY GROUPS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Transformative Power of Humanistic and Holistic Legal Knowledge

Moderator: Almas B. Khan, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, William H. Bowen School of Law

Speakers:
Rachel E. Lopez, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law
Tatyanna N. Serraro, Student, University of Hawaii at Mānoa William S. Richardson School of Law
Emile Loza de Siles, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law
André Enriquez, Student, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles
Patricia Winograd, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles

The transformative trends of inclusivity, competency, and racial reckoning in law schools bear witness to the increasing participation of vastly diverse students and to groundswelling support for legal education and scholarship that more broadly incorporate diverse voices, perspectives, and information. Every assumption is in question: What is legal knowledge? Who creates it? Who are its conduits?

How must legal educators and scholars integrate and interrogate knowledge in a thought-provoking, forward-looking, and praxis-driven way that deeply resonates with the lived experiences of our diverse student populations and drives law’s increasingly interdisciplinary development and innovations toward solving society’s ever more complex challenges?
10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON NATIONAL SECURITY LAW
Carlsbad, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Current Voices in National Security Law

Moderators: Amy C. Gaudion, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
Liam S. O’Melinn, Ohio Northern University, Pettit College of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
J. Richard Broughton, University of Detroit Mercy School of Law
Christina Koningisor, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law
Franklin D. Rosenblatt, Mississippi College School of Law

This program features panelists selected from a call for papers. Speakers will discuss works-in-progress, including early stage work and unpublished articles, on current important issues in national security law.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY ISSUES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 6, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

New Voices in Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Law

Moderator: Kyle C. Velte, University of Kansas School of Law
Speakers: Joshua Jones, California Western School of Law
Heather Walter-McCabe, Wayne State University Law School

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Adam Eckart, Suffolk University Law School
Amanda Fisher, Seattle University School of Law
Laura Lane-Steele, University of South Carolina School of Law

This program will feature works-in-progress by two emerging SOGI scholars, both of whom will be paired with a senior scholar discussant. At the conclusion of the session we will hold an award ceremony to recognize our section’s award winners.

11 – 1 pm
SECTION ON CLINICAL LEGAL EDUCATION, POVERTY LAW, AND PRO BONO & ACCESS TO JUSTICE JOINT SERVICE PROJECT
Meet at Concierge Desk, Lobby Level, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Sections on Clinical Legal Education, Poverty Law, and Pro Bono & Access to Justice are partnering to offer a service opportunity for conference attendees. We’ll be gathering to do some cleanup in the marina, right by the conference hotels, through I Love A Clean San Diego from 11 am-1 pm on Thursday, January 5. They’ll provide gloves and trash bags and a brief overview of the importance of protecting the bay, and then we’ll help with cleanup. Dress in comfortable attire and wear closed-toed shoes. Please meet at the concierge desk in the lobby of the Marriott Marquis San Diego Hotel at 10:50 am to walk over as a group.

There is a maximum of 25 participants for this service project. To sign up for this service project, please add this session to your registration.

Participants will need to sign a waiver of liability to participate in this off-site service project.

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON BALANCE & WELL-BEING IN LEGAL EDUCATION AWARDS CEREMONY - CANCELLED

Section Award Ceremony will be held at the Section’s main program on Friday, January 6 from 10 – 11:40 am.
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Thursday, January 5

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON COMMUNICATION, MEDIA & INFORMATION LAW AWARDS CEREMONY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON EVIDENCE AWARDS CEREMONY
Laguna, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Moderator: Ann M. Murphy, Gonzaga University School of Law
Award Winner: Richard D. Friedman, The University of Michigan Law School

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON FAMILY AND JUVENILE LAW AWARDS CEREMONY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Moderator: Susan Hazeldean, Brooklyn Law School
Award Winner: Elizabeth S. Scott, Columbia Law School

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON INTERNATIONAL LAW AWARDS CEREMONY
Point Loma, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON LAW PROFESSORS WITH DISABILITIES AND ALLIES AWARDS CEREMONY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 8, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Moderator: Megan S. Wright, The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law
Award Winners: Arlene S. Kanter, Syracuse University College of Law
Katherine Macfarlane, Southern University Law Center

The Chai Feldblum Award will be presented during this informal networking session.

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON MINORITY GROUPS AWARDS CEREMONY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Moderator: Patricia Winograd, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles
Award Winners: Daniel Harawa, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law
Tamara F. Lawson, University of Washington School of Law

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON TORTS AND COMPENSATION SYSTEMS AWARDS CEREMONY
Solana, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Award Winners: John C.P. Goldberg, Harvard Law School
Benjamin C. Zipursky, Fordham University School of Law

1 – 2:30 pm
COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES
Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Connect with old friends and colleagues, meet new ones, or map out your schedule for the day over a cup of coffee or tea. Breaks include coffee, tea, and pastries in the morning and coffee, tea, and cookies in the afternoon.
1:15 – 2:30 pm
**AALS AWARDS CEREMONY**
*San Diego Ballroom, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Presiding:** Erwin Chemerinsky, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

**Scholarly Papers Competition Winner:**
Nicole Summers, Georgetown University Law Center

**Honorable Mention:**
Jonathan H. Choi, University of Minnesota Law School

**Award Winners:**
Maryam Ahranjani, University of New Mexico School of Law
Kevin R. Johnson, University of California, Davis School of Law
Jamelia N. Morgan, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law

**Section of the Year Award Winners:**
April G. Dawson, North Carolina Central University School of Law
Matthew V. Kerns, Widener University Commonwealth Law School

**Presentation of Awards:**
Andrew Guzman, University of Southern California Gould School of Law
Carol A. Needham, Saint Louis University School of Law
Anthony Eudelio Varona, Dean and M. Minnette Massey Professor of Law, Seattle University School of Law
Adrien Katherine K. Wing, University of Iowa College of Law

Join us for the third annual AALS Awards Ceremony honoring our colleagues and celebrating excellence in legal education. During the ceremony, held in person for the first time this year, we will highlight the winners of the annual Scholarly Paper Competition, AALS Section of the Year, Section Award recipients, the Deborah L. Rhode Award, and the inaugural Michael A. Olivas Award for Outstanding Leadership in Diversity and Mentoring in the Legal Academy. AALS President Erwin Chemerinsky will serve as master of ceremonies.

2:30 – 4 pm
**COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES**
*Marriott Hall Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

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3 – 4:40 pm
**NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF BAR EXAMINERS PROGRAM**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 6, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**The Next Generation of the Bar Exam**

**Moderator:** D. Benjamin Barros, University of Toledo College of Law

**Speakers:**
Judith Gundersen, CEO and President, National Conference of Bar Examiners
Danette McKinley, Director, Diversity, Fairness, and Inclusion Research, National Conference of Bar Examiners
Rosemary Reshetar, Director of Assessment and Research, National Conference of Bar Examiners
Marilyn Wellington, Chief Strategy and Operations Officer, National Conference of Bar Examiners

Starting in 2026, US law grads will start taking a new bar exam, which will focus on testing a broader range of foundational lawyering skills (such as legal research, client counseling, and dispute resolution) and a more focused scope of legal knowledge. Join members of the NextGen exam leadership team as they discuss this new exam, including current work on the content, design, outreach, and implementation progress.
Thursday, January 5

3 – 4:40 pm
AALS ARC OF CAREER PROGRAM
Marriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

So You Want to Write a Book with Impact?

Moderator: Rebecca Sharpless, University of Miami School of Law
Speakers: Michael Kagan, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law
Jaya E. Ramji-Nogales, Temple University, James E. Beasley School of Law
Shoba Sivaprasad Wadhia, The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law

This roundtable discussion explores the challenges and opportunities of writing books, focusing on books geared to both general and scholarly audiences. General audience books can be challenging to write, may be difficult to get funded and published, and may not be worth the risk before tenure or other security of position. Academic presses and academic reviewers may be confused by the genre of nontraditional works and view their worth according to a scale designed for traditional scholarship. However, these books may be more widely read than more traditional academic books and have a broader impact on how people think.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE
Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Leaving Carcerality Behind: Thoughts on Intervention with Gender Violence

Moderator: Deborah M. Weissman, University of North Carolina School of Law
Speakers: Donna K. Coker, University of Miami School of Law
Erin Collins, The University of Richmond School of Law
Barbara A. Fedders, University of North Carolina School of Law
Thalia González, University of California, Hastings College of the Law

This panel will examine new forms of intervention for gender violence (GV) and consider the ways in which gender violence offenses are often omitted from criminal system reform efforts. Panelists will offer suggestions for interventions for GV that incorporate social justice activism as a means of desistance. The panel will discuss the omission of attention to racialized gender bias in criminal systems as well as in programs in schools that are intended to prevent criminalization. Panelists will address the challenges of interdisciplinary pedagogy and propose ways to incorporate restorative and transformative justice into public systems and private organizations.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION, CONTRACTS, AND LABOR RELATIONS AND EMPLOYMENT LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Challenging Forced Employee Arbitration Agreements

Moderator: Jonathan Harris, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles
Speakers: Michael Z. Green, Texas A&M University School of Law
Ryan H. Nelson, South Texas College of Law Houston
Sandra Sperino, University of Missouri School of Law

This program will provide an update on workplace mandatory arbitration clauses. The program will focus on Viking River Cruises v. Moriana, the federal amendment to the Federal Arbitration Act carving out sexual harassment claims, and claims brought by non-employees for the benefit of employees.

Business meeting held on Wednesday, January 4, 6 pm
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON ENVIRONMENTAL LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Carrots and Sticks, from Biden's Inflation Reduction Act and Beyond
Moderator: Paul J. Boudreaux, Stetson University College of Law
Speakers: Lisa Benjamin, Lewis and Clark Law School
Roberta F. Mann, University of Oregon School of Law
Nilmini Silva-Send, University of San Diego School of Law
Susan L. Smith, Willamette University College of Law

The first generation of environmental laws regulated risks primarily with commands and penalties – the “stick” approach. Since then, new laws often have employed economic incentives, including trading systems, to accomplish protections with less cost. By contrast, the Biden Administration has focused significantly on subsidies – the “carrot” approach, which has political benefits. The landmark Inflation Reduction Act, enacted in August 2022, deploys carrots more vigorously, and expensively, than ever before. This session will focus on how modern incentives might serve the cause of environmental protection.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON EVIDENCE, CO-SPONSORED BY LAW AND ANTHROPOLOGY
Cardiff, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Critical Legal Theories in the Field of Evidence
Moderator: Ann M. Murphy, Gonzaga University School of Law
Speakers: Lenora Ledwon, St. Thomas University College of Law
Peter Nicolas, University of Washington School of Law
Christian Powell Sundquist, University of Pittsburgh School of Law

Business meeting at program conclusion.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION FOR THE LAW SCHOOL DEAN
Marriott Grand Ballroom 4, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Creating a Welcoming Climate for Our Faculty, Staff, Students in This Polarized World
Moderator: Angela I. Onwuachi-Willig, Boston University School of Law
Speakers: Jonathan H. Adler, Case Western Reserve University School of Law
Kevin R. Johnson, University of California, Davis School of Law
Veronica Root Martinez, Duke University School of Law
Kimberly M. Mutcherson, Rutgers Law School

Law schools have always been home to clashing ideas and strong personalities. The last few years have proven to be more difficult and divisive than ever. Law school leaders must confront challenges associated with a hypercharged political climate, the struggle for increased minority representation, the ongoing impact of a global pandemic, and the great resignation. These challenges, however, can create opportunities. Join our panel for a discussion about how to foster a welcoming climate of professional camaraderie, inclusion, and shared values that faculty, staff, and students might not be able to find outside the law school.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 9, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Collaborative Cultivation: Attracting External Funding to Centers and Institutes**

**Moderator:** Mary Ann Soden, University of California, Irvine School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Veronica Alexander, University of California, Berkeley School of Law
- Erwin Chemerinsky, University of California, Berkeley School of Law
- Danielle M. Conway, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
- Robert C. Fellmeth, University of San Diego School of Law
- Kelly Rimmer, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
- Elisa Weichel, University of San Diego School of Law

Three case studies explore strategies for engagement of foundation, corporate, community, and alumni financial support to grow and sustain resources for research, teaching, learning, and advocacy. Working together, these dynamic faculty-development pairs have leveraged their roles and relationships to strategically maximize investments and donor commitment. Whether new, the Antiracism Development Institute (2021), or established, the Centers for Public Interest Law (1980), or evolving – collaborative gift cultivation and stewardship are key. This session is designed for current and future faculty directors and institutional advancement professionals.

3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON LAW LIBRARIES AND LEGAL INFORMATION**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**DEI, Recruitment and The Future of Law Librarianship**

**Moderator:** Shamika Dalton, University of Tennessee College of Law

**Speakers:**
- Nichelle J. Perry, North Carolina Central University School of Law
- Michele Villagran, Professor, Cultural Diversity and International, San Jose State University

Recruitment for academic law librarians has become intensely competitive, perhaps more so than the profession of law librarianship has ever experienced. A number of factors may contribute, including retirements, fallout from the COVID-19 pandemic, the resulting Great Resignation, and other previously unexplored causes. In this environment, what are the most effective strategies for ensuring the success of diversity, equity, and inclusion initiatives, successful recruitment of law librarians, and protection of the future of the profession of law librarianship?

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
3 - 4:40 pm
SECTION ON LAW, MEDICINE AND HEALTH CARE
Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Public Health Law at a Crossroads: Legal Debates, Policy Controversies and Social Justice Solutions
Moderator: Jennifer D. Oliva, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
Speakers: Sean Bland, Santa Clara University School of Law
Erin C. Fuse Brown, Georgia State University College of Law
Nicole Huberfeld, Boston University School of Law
Lindsay F. Wiley, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law

This program features a panel of all-star, expert scholars who will discuss critical problems, debates, and controversies in public health law and policy ranging from our problematic federalism structures to infectious disease infrastructure to public health messaging and communication and more.

3 - 4:40 pm
SECTION ON LEGISLATION & LAW OF THE POLITICAL PROCESS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Statutory Interpretation in the Era of “High Textualism”
Moderator & Speaker: Jesse M. Cross, University of South Carolina School of Law
Speaker from a Call for Papers:
Jonathan H. Choi, University of Minnesota Law School
Victoria Nourse, Georgetown University Law Center
Brian G. Slocum, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law
Kevin Tobia, Georgetown University Law Center

The Supreme Court is committed to textualist methods of interpreting statutes, a trend that is reshaping the interpretation of statutes throughout the judiciary. Increasingly, the Court is elaborating its vision of this interpretive methodology, such as in recent efforts by textualist Justices to define textualism as the search for the “original public meaning” of statutes. This session will examine these trends in statutory interpretation, in the effort to foster a dialogue about how statutes are interpreted in this emerging era of “high textualism.”

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

3 - 4:40 pm
SECTION ON NATIONAL SECURITY LAW
Temecula Room 1 & 2, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The War Against Ukraine and National Security Unpredictable: Temporal and Geographic Boundaries
Moderator: Liam S. O’Melinn, Ohio Northern University, Pettit College of Law
Speakers: Elena Chachko, Harvard Law School
Jeffrey D. Kahn, SMU Dedman School of Law
Fionnuala Ni Aolain, University of Minnesota Law School
Dakota Rudesill, The Ohio State University, Michael E. Moritz College of Law

This panel addresses Russia’s invasion of Ukraine as part of a wider set of issues with broad implications for national security and human rights. Topics include the Neutrality Act and modernizing the law; the likely trajectory of the war, including the character and risks of current military and political strategies seeking to isolate Russia; historical consideration of the significance of pathologies resulting from the collapse of the Soviet Union that are now manifesting themselves in the war against Ukraine; and the surprising ways in which the Ukraine war has reinvigorated international law and international institutions in a variety of areas.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON PRO BONO & ACCESS TO JUSTICE, CO-SPONSORED BY CREDITORS’ AND DEBTORS’ RIGHTS, CLINICAL LEGAL EDUCATION, DIVERSITY, EQUITY, INCLUSION, AND BELONGING PROFESSIONALS, AND LEADERSHIP
Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Incorporating Access to Justice and Pro-Bono Across the Law School Curriculum

Moderator: Darcy Meals, Georgia State University College of Law
Speakers: Stacy Butler, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
James J. Sandman, President Emeritus, Legal Services Corporation
Lauren Sudeall, Georgia State University College of Law
Julia I. Vazquez, Southwestern Law School

Access to justice and pro bono service can be an effective lens through which to explore any law school subject, and yet most law professors do not include them in their syllabi. This session features faculty whose courses provide students with insight into how lower-income people navigate the legal system and the ways in which that may differ from what we learn in casebooks. Attendees will leave with practical and replicable tools to integrate access to justice and pro bono service across the law school curriculum.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON REMEDIES, CO-SPONSORED BY INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND TORTS AND COMPENSATION SYSTEMS
Solana, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Remedies in the Restatements

Moderator: Zahr Said, University of Washington School of Law
Speakers: Shyamkrishna Balganesh, Columbia Law School
Richard L. Hasen, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law
Douglas Laycock, University of Virginia School of Law
Jean C. Love, Santa Clara University School of Law
Pamela Samuelson, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

This session will discuss questions relating to the remedies portion of current Restatement projects on torts and copyright, as well as more general questions about opportunities and challenges generated by intersections between the field of remedies and the specific subject areas of such Restatements.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY ISSUES, CO-SPONSORED BY CHILDREN AND THE LAW, CONSTITUTIONAL LAW, AND FAMILY AND JUVENILE LAW
Santa Rosa, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

LGBTQ Youth Under Attack: How Centering LGBTQ Youth Enhances Equality for All

Speakers: Michael J. Higdon, University of Tennessee College of Law
Courtney G. Joslin, University of California, Davis School of Law
Danielle King, Senior Youth Policy Counsel, National Center for Lesbian Rights
Dara E. Purvis, The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law
Catherine E. Smith, University of Denver Sturm College of Law
We’ve seen an alarming increase in legislative, executive, and judicial attacks on LGBTQ youth. From LGBTQ youth disparities in the child welfare and juvenile justice systems to “Don’t Say Gay” laws, to the Texas Attorney General’s opinion restricting gender affirming care for trans youth, to bills banning trans girls from participating in sports, to courts upholding teachers’ rights to misgender trans students, all branches of government are harming LGBTQ youth. This panel will identify common threads that connect these attacks; frame developments within the larger context of state surveillance of and intervention in families; and consider paths for moving forward.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON TAXATION
Point Loma, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Tax Reform at the Midterm: Reflections and Opportunities
Moderator: Adam Thimmesch, University of Nebraska College of Law
Speaker: Dorothy Andrea Brown, Georgetown University Law Center
Miranda Perry Fleischer, University of San Diego School of Law
David Gamage, Indiana University Maurer School of Law
Ariel Glogower, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law

The Biden administration began in 2021 with significant attention being given to wealth and capital income tax reform as well as to the intersection of racial justice and the Tax Code. This panel will reflect on the resulting tax reform efforts that occurred during the first two years of the the Biden administration and the prospects for reform going forward.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON TEACHING METHODS, CO-SPONSORED BY ACADEMIC SUPPORT, BALANCE & WELL-BEING IN LEGAL EDUCATION, AND MINORITY GROUPS
Mission Hills, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Don’t Stop at the D: Incorporating the E(quity) and I(nclusion) of DEI Into Law School Teaching
Moderator: Meredith J. Duncan, Alumnae College Professor of Law, University of Houston Law Center

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Ashley B. Armstrong, University of Connecticut School of Law
Amanda Fisher, Seattle University School of Law
Jon M. Garon, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law
Matthew Marin, Western Michigan University Thomas M. Cooley Law School

This moderated panel presentation will explore the importance of equity and inclusion in law teaching. Participants will provide concrete tips and ideas for faculty in any law teaching environment to encourage and ensure their class meetings, assessments, and student interactions are equitable and inclusive of all students. Panelists will each make a brief presentation on their topic, participate in an informal moderated discussion, and lead small group breakouts of attendees to further the panel-inspired conversation. Panelists will share concrete tips and takeaways that attendees can reproduce in their teaching. Audience members will be provided opportunities to explore the proposed techniques.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON TORTS AND COMPENSATION SYSTEMS
Temecula Room 3 & 4, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Opioid Litigation: The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly

Moderator: Timothy Daniel Lytton, Georgia State University College of Law
Speakers: Elizabeth J. Cabraser, Partner, Lieff Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein, LLP
          Nora F. Engstrom, Stanford Law School
          Charles Lifland, Partner, O’Melveny & Myers LLP
          Linda S. Mullenix, The University of Texas School of Law
          Jennifer D. Oliva, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
          Lindsey Simon, University of Georgia School of Law

The nationwide wave of lawsuits against opioid manufacturers, distributors, and retailers is, arguably, the most significant litigation phenomenon of the 21st century. Opioid litigation includes many features that are now familiar to observers of mass torts: multi-district class-action litigation, government-entity plaintiffs, corporate bankruptcy, and eye-popping settlements. This session will offer a brief analysis of the current state of opioid litigation. Panelists and session attendees will then share their views on the success of this litigation as a response to the opioid crisis and discuss general lessons to be learned for the future.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

5 – 6 pm
TWELVE STEP MEETING
Conference Room 3, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

5 – 6:30 pm
AALS OPENING RECEPTION
Marina Terrace, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Meet your colleagues and kick off the Annual Meeting with an Opening Reception for all meeting attendees featuring refreshments and light appetizers. The Reception will be held outside, all the better to enjoy the southern California weather.
AALS Member Law School Events

6:30 – 9 pm
ALBANY LAW SCHOOL ALUMNI DINNER
Roy's San Diego Restaurant, 333 West Harbor Drive

6 - 8 pm
UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, FAYETTEVILLE, ROBERT A. LEFLAR LAW CENTER RECEPTION
Miramar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

University of Arkansas School of Law invites you to a fun, relaxing reception. Please join us for delicious food, drinks, and an opportunity to visit with colleagues and friends!

6 - 7:30 pm
BIG 10 LAW SCHOOL RECEPTION
Roy's San Diego Restaurant, 333 West Harbor Drive

6:30 – 8:30 pm
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY SCHOOL OF LAW RECEPTION TO HONOR BERKELEY LAW ALUMNI IN TEACHING
San Diego Ballroom Salon A, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

6 - 8 pm
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS SCHOOL OF LAW RECEPTION
Americas Cup B, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt

6 - 7 pm
SECTION ON LEGAL WRITING, REASONING, AND RESEARCH RECEPTION HOSTED BY CALIFORNIA WESTERN SCHOOL OF LAW LEGAL SKILLS FACULTY
Courtyard, California Western School of Law, 225 Cedar Street

Please join the AALS Section on Legal Writing, Reasoning, and Research for a reception hosted by the LWRR Section’s Outreach Committee and California Western School of Law’s Legal Skills faculty. The casual reception is intended to connect anyone teaching, or interested in teaching, legal writing courses. The reception will include snacks and drinks at Cal Western Law School, followed by an optional no-host dine-around at restaurants in the adjacent Little Italy enclave.

Inclement weather location: 350 Cedar Street

6 - 8 pm
LMU LOYOLA LAW SCHOOL ALUMNI RECEPTION
America’s Cup A, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego

7:30 – 8:30 pm
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN LAW SCHOOL ALUMNI RECEPTION
Presidio Room 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

6:30 – 8:30 pm
NEW YORK UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW FACULTY AND ALUMNI RECEPTION
Leucadia, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina
6 – 7:15 pm
UNIVERSITY OF THE PACIFIC, MCGEORGE SCHOOL OF LAW RECEPTION
Regatta C, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego

Politically Sensitive Places and Activities in International Programs

6 – 8 pm
SEATTLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW RECEPTION
Del Mar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

8:30 – 10:30 pm
THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SCHOOL OF LAW “TEXAS LAW PARTY”
Palomar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Related Organization Events

8:30 am – 12 pm
AMERICAN CONSTITUTION SOCIETY (ACS) JUNIOR SCHOLARS WORKSHOP
Regatta A, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego

6:30 – 7:30 pm
ABA KUTAK AWARD RECEPTION HONORING MARY KAY KANE, PRESENTED BY ABA SECTION OF LEGAL EDUCATION AND ADMISSIONS TO THE BAR
Presidio Room 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

11:45 am – 7:30 pm
The Federalist Society Annual Faculty Conference
Day One

11:45 am – 12 pm
WELCOME AND LUNCH
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Speaker: Lee Liberman Otis, Senior Vice President and Faculty Division Director, The Federalist Society

12 – 1 pm
LUNCHEON DEBATE
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Resolved: The Major Questions Doctrine Has No Place in Statutory Interpretation

Panelists: Chad Squitieri, The Catholic University of America, Columbus School of Law
           Ilan Wurman, Arizona State University Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law

Moderator: Christopher J. Walker, The University of Michigan Law School

In West Virginia v. EPA, decided this last term, the Supreme Court invoked the Major Questions Doctrine to reject EPAs claim that the Clean Air Act granted it the authority to require power plants to shift from generating electricity through coal to doing so through natural gas. Should the Doctrine continue to play a role in
the interpretation of federal statutes? Is the Major Questions Doctrine consistent with textualism? How does it relate to non-delegation? Does it really protect congressional primacy in policymaking or is it cover for gridlock and imposition of the judiciary’s policy preferences?

3 pm – 4:15 pm
PANEL 1-A
La Costa, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 Minute Presentations of Works in Progress

Presenters:
- Josh Blackman, “Salmon Chase, Jefferson Davis, and Caesar Griffin: Is Section 3 of the Fourteenth Amendment Self-Executing?” South Texas College of Law, Houston
- Andrew DeLoach, “High Originals: Originalism for the Common Good,” Trinity Law School
- Scott D. Gerber, “Law as History: Law, Religion, and Historiography in Colonial America,” Ohio Northern University, Pettit College of Law
- Lorianne Updike Toler, “The Crowd-Sourced Constitution,” Northern Illinois University College of Law

Moderator: To Be Announced

3 – 4:15 pm
PANEL 1-B
Catalina, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 Minute Presentations of Works in Progress

Presenters:
- Kevin Douglas, “Getting Property Right in the Regulation of Insider Trading,” Michigan State University College of Law
- Mark Kubisch, “Sustainable ESG,” Pepperdine University, Rick J. Caruso School of Law
- Michael Paulsen, “Section 3 Lives: The Constitution’s Disqualification of Oath-Breaking Insurrectionists from Office,” University of St. Thomas School of Law
- Kenneth Rosen, “Love for Labor Lost,” University of Alabama School of Law
- Moin Yahiya, “The Legal (Constitutional and Moral) Case Against the Federal Reserve,” University of Alberta Faculty of Law

Moderator: To Be Announced

4:30 – 4:45 pm
WELCOME REMARKS BY AALS PRESIDENT-ELECT, DEAN MARK ALEXANDER, VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY CHARLES WIDGER SCHOOL OF LAW
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

4:45 – 6:30 pm
PANEL 1
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Election Law in Flux

Panelists:
- Michael R. Dimino, Widener University Commonwealth Law School
- Edward B. Foley, The Ohio State University, Michael E. Moritz College of Law
- Derek T. Muller, University of Iowa College of Law
- Franita Tolson, University of Southern California Gould School of Law

Moderator: To Be Announced
Election law has attracted increasing academic and judicial scrutiny in recent years, with topics of concern ranging from the scope of the Voting Rights Act and the meaning of materiality in certain protections provided by the Civil Rights Act of 1964, to state regulation of absentee ballots and the limits of state legislative and judicial authority with respect to redistricting. This panel will discuss these and related developments.

6:30 – 7:30 pm
RECEPTION (CO-SPONSORED BY THE INSTITUTE FOR HUMANE STUDIES)
Balboa, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina
Friday, January 6

7 am – 6 pm
AALS REGISTRATION
Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 am – 6 pm
AALS OPERATIONS OFFICE
Rancho Santa Fe 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 am – 6 pm
NURSING PARENTS ROOM
Conference Room 4, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 am – 7 pm
SPEAKER READY ROOM
Torrey Pines Room 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 – 8 am
SECTION ON AGENCY, PARTNERSHIP, LLC’S AND UNINCORPORATED ASSOCIATIONS BUSINESS MEETING
Balboa, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Moderator: Irene Calboli, Texas A&M University School of Law

7 – 8 am
SECTION ON EAST ASIAN LAW AND SOCIETY BUSINESS MEETING
Temecula Room 1, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Moderator: Shelley Ross Saxer, Pepperdine University, Rick J. Caruso School of Law

7:30 – 9 am
COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES
Marriott Hall Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

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7:30 am – 4 pm
AALS LAW SCHOOL DEANS FORUM PROGRAM
Coronado ABC, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt Hotel

This program is open to only the Law School Dean or the Interim Deans from AALS member or fee-paid US law schools. Attendance is not transferable to other law school faculty or staff.

8 am – 5 pm
AALS INFORMATION DESK
Marriott Grand Ballroom Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina
CONTEMPLATIVE SPACE FOR REGISTRANTS

This technology-free space is available for quiet contemplation and individual restoration for those attending the annual meeting. The Section on Balance and Well-Being in Legal Education has also scheduled daily guided group meditations as well as mindful-movement activities throughout the conference.

Group Practice Schedule:
- 8 – 8:30 am, Mindfulness Meditation
- 9 – 10 am, Mindful Movement
- 12 – 1 pm, Introduction to Mindfulness
- 5 – 5:30 pm, Introduction to Mindfulness

The COVID Care Crisis in Legal Academia

This panel seeks to take stock of COVID responses and to reenvision the workplace, to imagine the future of work, and to dream new realities for the academy. For legal academia, what has changed? And if change has not come, why not? And for the future, what changes can we envision and implement—individually, collectively, and institutionally? The hard work of rebuilding, renewal, and reimagining has begun. This AALS event will invite academics and administrators to join in the naming, theorizing, and building of solidarity to meet these challenges, considering all stages throughout the arc of the law faculty career.

Biden v. Texas and the Federal-State Battle over Immigration Law

The panel will examine the Supreme Court’s recent decision in *Biden v. Texas* upholding the termination of protocols requiring asylum seekers to stay in Mexico while awaiting their immigration hearing. The decision highlights the intensifying struggle between the federal government and states over US immigration policy and the protection of migrants. It will also examine expulsions at the border to prevent the spread of COVID-19, attempts by state governors to transport migrants to sanctuary states, and the pending Supreme Court case of *United States v. Texas*, where states are challenging the prioritization of certain unauthorized immigrants for arrest and deportation.
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Friday, January 6

8 – 9:40 am
AALS HOT TOPIC PROGRAM
Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Law of Unjust Enrichment, the First Immortal Human Cell Line, and the Henrietta Lacks Case

Moderator and Speaker: Deleso A. Alford, Southern University Law Center
Speakers: Christopher Ayers, Partner, Seeger Weiss LLP
          Ben Crump, Partner & Founder, Ben Crump Law PLLC
          Doug Rendleman, Washington and Lee University School of Law
          Caprice Roberts, Louisiana State University, Paul M. Hebert Law Center

Quiet corners of the law, like unjust enrichment and its gain-based restitution remedies, often hold the only viable path to recovery. This panel explores unjust enrichment’s potential in ongoing federal litigation, In re Henrietta Lacks Estate. The Lacks Estate sued a large biotech company, Thermo Fisher, alleging unjust profits from continued use of Henrietta Lacks’s immortal cells, HeLa cells, without consent. This panel includes experts in unjust enrichment, public health, critical race and feminism, and history, as well as counsel and amici. Panelists examine racial, historical, and legal frames to determine whether the Lacks heirs deserve to disgorge unjust gains.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON ACADEMIC SUPPORT, CO-SPONSORED BY TEACHING METHODS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Proactive Planning Across the Curriculum for the NextGen Bar Exam

Moderator: Kirsha Weyandt Trychta, West Virginia University College of Law
Speakers: Dustin Benham, Texas Tech University School of Law
          Brian R. Gallini, Willamette University College of Law
          Antonia Miceli, Saint Louis University School of Law

Attendees will hear insights from a dean, a doctrinal professor, and an academic support focused professor about steps that legal educators—both individually and collectively—can take in the next few years to prepare for a shift to the NextGen bar exam. Anticipate a lively discussion regarding potential institutional level curriculum changes and course level modifications, either taken or contemplated. Also, panelists will discuss potential roadblocks or resistance to implementing any curriculum changes.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON ANIMAL LAW
Carlsbad, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Interconnected Justice: Animal Law in the Classroom and Beyond

Moderator: Delcianna Winders, Vermont Law and Graduate School
Speaker: Matthew Liebman, University of San Francisco School of Law
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
          Iselin Gambert, The George Washington University Law School
          Katherine M. Hessler, The George Washington University Law School

Though often unseen, nonhuman animals permeate our lives and legal landscape. Animal interests implicate virtually every field of law, making animal issues in many ways a quintessential lens, and an engaging means of grounding core first-year topics for students. In addition, efforts seeking justice for nonhuman animals connect with legal advocacy efforts on behalf of humans and the environment in rich and complex ways. This panel will explore the myriad ways in which animal law intersects with other areas of the law, and the benefits and challenges of integrating animal law broadly into legal pedagogy and advocacy.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

8 – 11:40 am
SECTIONS ON CIVIL RIGHTS AND MINORITY GROUPS JOINT PROGRAM
Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Extended Program: The Minority Groups and Civil Rights Sections open an urgently needed discourse—multidimensional and mutually empowering. In the first panel, scholars critique the longstanding campaign to seize control of the federal judiciary to retrench the racial capitalism of traditional white male power by systematically dismantling civil and human rights through a “redemptive” reinterpretation of the US Constitution. The second panel convenes critical scholars who study lawyers’ justice work within the organizations they lead and counsel. These companion panels illustrate how law professors and other lawyers can effectuate transformative change for justice and equality inside—and beyond—their organizations and institutions.

For sessions and speaker details, please see the complete listing under extended programs on page 103.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON CREDITORS’ AND DEBTORS’ RIGHTS, CO-SPONSORED BY CIVIL PROCEDURE
Miramar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Developments in Mass Tort Bankruptcy
Moderator: Lindsey Simon, University of Georgia School of Law
Speakers: Troy A. McKenzie, New York University School of Law
Samir Parikh, Lewis and Clark Law School

This session will discuss the costs and benefits of using bankruptcy as a vehicle for resolving mass tort liability, focusing on controversies such as third-party releases, and discussing insights from high profile cases such as Purdue Pharma, Johnson & Johnson, Aearo, and others.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON DIVERSITY, EQUITY, INCLUSION, AND BELONGING PROFESSIONALS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Best(?) Practices Diverse Approaches to Implementing ABA Standard 303
Moderator: Patricia K. Kinney, Indiana University Robert H. McKinney School of Law
Speakers: Carmia N. Caesar, The George Washington University Law School
Belinda Dantley, Saint Louis University School of Law
Tirien Steinbach, Executive Director, Stanford Law School

The new ABA Professional Identity Formation Standard 303, particularly its subsection (c) which requires instruction on bias, cross-cultural competency, and racism, have challenged law schools and their diversity professionals to tackle a complex topic in a very short time frame. Hear from diversity leaders at varied institutions who will explain their strategies and approaches to responding to the Standard in ways that can be replicated whether your institution is still grappling with compliance or seeking to fine tune existing programming. This session will provide attendees with a framework for meaningful compliance that moves beyond checking a box.
8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT
Solana, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Who's Following You? A How-to for Faculty Seeking to Develop a Social Media Persona and Influence

Moderator: Elizabeth Field, The George Washington University Law School
Speaker: Karen Sloan, Legal Affairs Reporter, Thomson Reuters

Learn how faculty/deans/administrators and communications professionals can work together to create a public persona for new (and seasoned) faculty, deans, and administrators.

Learn how one creates a public persona as a faculty member as one approaches a career in legal academia and how to be intentional about using and leveraging social media vs. academic scholarship.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, CO-SPONSORED BY INTERNET AND COMPUTER LAW AND MASS COMMUNICATION LAW
Del Mar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Why Do IP Professors Hate the Metaverse?

Moderator: Victoria Schwartz, Pepperdine University, Rick J. Caruso School of Law
Speakers: Brian L. Frye, University of Kentucky, J. David Rosenberg College of Law
Eric Goldman, Santa Clara University School of Law
Christa J. Laser, Cleveland State University College of Law
Brenda R. Reddix-Smith, North Carolina Central University School of Law
Sharon K. Sandeen, Mitchell Hamline School of Law

The “metaverse” has become a hot topic over the past couple of years, with commercial activity ranging from “sales of virtual” real-estate, to virtual fashion items, and attracting significant attention when Facebook boldly renamed itself “Meta.” The term “metaverse” is loosely defined but generally refers to virtual or augmented reality and digital spaces, including videogames and other activities in “cyberspace.” The question is whether the metaverse requires quite so much attention from a legal perspective. Is this old wine in new bottles? Are there truly new legal issues? Or do we just need to get back to life and reality?

Business meeting at program conclusion.

8 – 9:40 am
SECTION ON NEW LAW PROFESSORS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Beginnings, Middles, and Endings: Planning Your Classes, Your Courses, and Your Career

Moderator: Nancy J. Soonpaa, Texas Tech University School of Law
Speakers: Brooke D. Coleman, Seattle University School of Law
Lisa Freudenheim, New England Law | Boston
Kyle C. Velte, University of Kansas School of Law

This panel addresses planning a career in the legal academy. It focuses on getting a toe in the academic door, putting together course packages, exploring and developing complementary activities to teaching, charting a career trajectory, and maximizing on unexpected opportunities. The panelists have followed varied paths, from starting in academic support or externship direction to teaching skills and doctrine to administration and dean. Their collective wisdom and advice will help new law professors to plan their futures in the legal academy.
8 – 9:40 am

SECTION ON POST-GRADUATE LEGAL EDUCATION, CO-SPONSORED BY GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT

Marriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Legal Education Programs for Non-Licensed Legal Professionals

Moderator: John B. Thornton, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law
Speakers: Anne Marlenga, University of Southern California Gould School of Law
Leslie A. Oster, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law
Suzanne Porter, Legal Service Innovations Officer, Arizona Supreme Court
Daniel B. Rodriguez, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law

This program discusses how law schools can educate non-licensed legal professionals in two areas: first, by providing various Master’s programs for students with no prior legal training (collectively, “MSLs”), and second, by training non-lawyers to provide limited legal services, much as nurse practitioners perform certain medical services instead of doctors. Two panelists will discuss the nuts and bolts of setting up in-person and online MSL programs. The other two panelists will describe Arizona’s new law that permits non-lawyers with certain training to provide limited legal services, and how the use of artificial intelligence may aid in providing limited legal services.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

8 – 9:40 am

SECTION ON SCHOLARSHIP

Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Methodologies of Interdisciplinary Law Scholarship

Moderator: Jill Fraley, Washington and Lee University School of Law
Speakers: Dorothy Andrea Brown, Georgetown University Law Center
Adam Mossoff, Antonin Scalia Law School at George Mason University
James D. Nelson, University of Houston Law Center

A moderated panel discussion about the processes and methodologies of impactful interdisciplinary work. Topics include reasons for interdisciplinary work, strategies for successful research, pros and cons of different publishing options, and thoughts on solo work compared to collaboration within and outside law schools.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

8 – 9:40 am

SECTION ON SECURITIES REGULATION, CO-SPONSORED BY BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CONSUMER FINANCIAL SERVICES

Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Digital Asset Regulation

Moderator: Benjamin Edwards, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law
Speakers: Kristin N. Johnson, Emory University School of Law
Nizan Packin, City University of New York School of Law
Lee A. Reiners, Duke University School of Law
Rory Van Loo, Boston University School of Law

Please join us for a two-part program. Our session will include a fireside chat discussion with regulators from the Commodities Futures Trading Commission and elsewhere. It will also include a panel discussion on digital asset regulation.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
8 - 11:40 am
SECTION ON SOCIO-ECONOMICS
Laguna, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Lawyer as Public Citizen: An Ethical Foundation for New Law and Economics

The AALS Section on Socio-Economics will explore the theme of “Economic Literacy for a Democratic Society: A New, Central Role for Socio-Economics in the Academy and in Politics” in three related annual meeting sessions.

This main session “The Lawyer as Public Citizen: An Ethical Foundation for a New Law and Economics” will consider lawyers’ duties as public citizens (under the ABA Model Rules, Preamble [6] “to further the public’s understanding of and confidence in the rule of law … in a constitutional democracy,” which requires informed consent of the governed, with special emphasis on the economic literacy necessary for that informed consent. It will also consider the duties of law schools, colleges, and universities to teach and promote such economic literacy.

The Works-in-Progress session will consider “The Context-Dependent Meaning of Economic Literacy” based on the education level of citizens (from tenth grade to PhD) and will advance the view that with an appropriate foundation grounded in no more than tenth grade math, a socio-economic approach to economic understanding can enable average citizens to achieve the economic literacy necessary for informed consent regarding their economic rights, opportunities, interests, and obligations.

This session will begin with a keynote presentation by the Section’s founder, Professor Robert Ashford, Syracuse University, followed by commentary by Section members and others. Invited commentators include all past Section chairs and some of its most active program participants over the past twenty-six years.

The three AALS Section sessions will be followed by an all-virtual Annual Meeting Program of the Society of Socio-Economists (SoS) scheduled from Monday, January 9, through Friday, January 13, 2023. Participation in this all-virtual SoS program is free and open to the entire legal education community.

9 - 10:30 am
COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES
Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Connect with old friends and colleagues, meet new ones, or map out your schedule for the day over a cup of coffee or tea. Breaks include coffee, tea, and pastries in the morning and coffee, tea, and cookies in the afternoon.

10 am – 3 pm
AALS EXHIBIT HALL - THE MEETING PLACE
Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Join us in the Exhibit Hall to see exciting new products and the latest technologies in legal education. Whether you’re looking for innovative ways to enhance the teaching experience or just want to check out the latest publications, there is something for everyone. And be sure to stop by the “Meeting Place.” The comfortable lounge area is perfect for impromptu meetings or just to relax for a few minutes. Enjoy complimentary coffee, tea, pastries, and cookies during the scheduled time periods as you catch up with colleagues and map out your meeting experience.
10 – 11:40 am
**AALS COMMITTEE ON RECRUITMENT & RETENTION OF MINORITY LAW TEACHERS AND STUDENTS**
*Marrriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**After the Statements of Support: Moving Beyond DEI to Implementing Meaningful Approaches to Anti-Racism within Law Schools**

**Moderator:** Mario L. Barnes, University of California, Irvine School of Law  
**Speakers:** LaToya Baldwin Clark, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law  
William Covington, University of Washington School of Law  
Elizabeth A. Kronk Warner, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law  
Mary J. Lomax-Ghirarduzzi, Vice President for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, University of the Pacific  
Carla D. Pratt, University of Oklahoma College of Law

In response to the national racial reckoning that followed the murder of George Floyd, numerous law schools pledged commitments to adopting antiracism. This program discusses approaches to moving from diversity, equity, and inclusion to antiracism in improving how we educate students and the communities we create. Discussions will focus on developing representative curricula, erecting support structures for faculty, students and staff of color and employing innovative approaches, such as transformative allyship—a practice that calls on faculty and staff to spend some of their privilege uplifting diverse colleagues and students—to caretaking.

10 – 11:40 am
**AALS HOT TOPIC PROGRAM**  
*Marina Ballroom Salon D, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Assessing the Impact of President Biden’s Marijuana Actions**

**Moderator:** Douglas A. Berman, The Ohio State University, Michael E. Moritz College of Law  
**Speakers:** Deborah Ahrens, Seattle University School of Law  
Mitchell F. Crusto, Loyola University New Orleans College of Law  
Bridget C.E. Dooling, George Washington Regulatory Studies Center  
Taleed El-Sabawi, Elon University School of Law  
Alex Kreit, Northern Kentucky University, Salmon P. Chase College of Law

In early October 2022, President Biden announced mass pardons of federal convictions for simple marijuana possession and directed an expedited administrative review of marijuana’s Schedule I classification under the federal Controlled Substances Act. The New York Times described Biden’s announcement as marking “a fundamental change” in federal cannabis policy. But will Biden’s move really be as impactful as early reactions suggest? How will they effect the status of federal marijuana reform efforts in Congress? This panel will consider the significance of President Biden’s actions, and what they suggest about the future of federal marijuana policy.
10 – 11:40 am  
**SECTION ON ART LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY CONTRACTS, INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, AND TRUSTS AND ESTATES**  
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**When Taking a Donation in Return for Naming Rights Becomes a Liability**  
**Speakers:**  
Yvette Joy Liebesman, Saint Louis University School of Law  
Micah D. Parzen, Chief Executive Officer, Museum of Us

**Speakers from a Call for Papers:**  
Anne Marie Carstens, University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law  
Susanna F. Fischer, The Catholic University of America, Columbus School of Law

When a museum, university, or other institution takes a donation in return for naming rights, later that name may no longer be considered “suitable.” Divesting oneself from a problematic donor who has a named arena, museum, or other facility is fraught with complications. Oftentimes contractual obligations are in conflict with no longer wanting to be associated with a disgraced individual. The facility’s name itself may even be the issue when the name is no longer appropriate for other reasons. This panel discusses legal and logistical issues confronting museums and other entities who find themselves bearing an undesirable name.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

10 – 11:40 am  
**SECTION ON BALANCE & WELL-BEING IN LEGAL EDUCATION, CO-SPONSORED BY ACADEMIC SUPPORT, CLINICAL LEGAL EDUCATION, STUDENT SERVICES, AND TEACHING METHODS**  
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Addressing the New ABA Standard 303: Strategies for Implementing Professional Identity Initiatives**  
**Moderators:**  
Megan Bess, University of Illinois Chicago School of Law  
Danielle Bifulci Kocal, Pace University Elisabeth Haub School of Law

**Speakers:**  
Jordana Confino, Fordham University School of Law  
Daisy H. Floyd, Mercer University School of Law  
Timothy W. Floyd, Mercer University School of Law  
Lindsey P. Gustafson, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, William H. Bowen School of Law  
Aric K. Short, Texas A&M University School of Law  
Linda F. Sugin, Fordham University School of Law  
Robin C. Thorner, St. Mary's University of San Antonio School of Law

**Section Annual Award Winner:**  
Heidi K. Brown, Brooklyn Law School

The ABA’s recently revised Standard 303 emphasizes the importance of opportunities for students to develop their professional identities throughout law school and across the curriculum as well as in co-curricular activities. The goal of this program is to aid all legal educators and law schools in planning professional identity formation programming. Speakers will share professional identity programming initiatives at their own institutions, including best practices and lessons learned. The panel will address initiatives inside and outside the classroom, as Standard 303 applies across all years of law school and in both classroom and non-classroom settings.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON COMMERCIAL AND CONSUMER LAW
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Digital Assets, Virtual Currencies, and UCC Reform: An Update**

**Moderator:** Christopher K. Odinet, University of Iowa College of Law  
**Speakers:** Juliet M. Moringiello, Widener University Commonwealth Law School  
Carla L. Reyes, SMU Dedman School of Law  
Andrea Tosato, University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School

In July 2022, the Uniform Law Commission approved amendments to the Uniform Commercial Code. These amendments create a new Article 12 and revise other, related provisions of Article 9. UCC Article 12 provides new rules that govern commercial transactions involving virtual currencies, distributed ledger technologies (including blockchain), artificial intelligence, and other technological developments. Amendments to UCC Article 9 clarify how digital assets can be used as collateral security in loan transactions and how security interests in digital assets can be perfected and achieve priority. Join us for a discussion of the amendments led by key contributors to the reform efforts.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON CONSTITUTIONAL LAW
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Reproductive Rights and Constitutional Crisis**

**Moderator:** Andrea Freeman, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law  
**Speakers:** Aziza Ahmed, Boston University School of Law  
Michele Goodwin, University of California, Irvine School of Law  
Anya Marino, Harvard Law School  
Ghazaleh Moayedi, DO, MPH, FACOG, Pegasus Health Justice Center  
Melissa E. Murray, New York University School of Law  
Priscilla Ocen, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles

This panel explores what *Roe* and *Dobbs* reveal about the cracks and crises in constitutional law as it evolves in an era of increasing political partisanship. Panelists will provide insights into the real world effects of Dobbs and the way forward through this uncharted territory.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON DISABILITY LAW
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**The Rehabilitation Act at 50**

**Moderator:** Doron Dorfman, Seton Hall University School of Law  
**Speakers:** Claudia Center, Legal Director, Disability Rights Education & Defense Fund  
Robert D. Dinerstein, American University, Washington College of Law  
Laura F. Rothstein, University of Louisville, Louis D. Brandeis School of Law  
Karen Tani, University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School

This year marks 50 years since the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 was signed into law, one of the earliest and most comprehensive federal disability rights law. The Act ushered in a new era of legal rights and remedies for people with disabilities. Fifty years later, it remains a viable tool for challenging discrimination against people with disabilities, particularly discrimination by federal agencies, like ICE or the BOP. The Rehab Act is also commonly used in the special education context. The panel will examine the past and future of Rehab Act litigation while commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of this important legislation.
10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON EAST ASIAN LAW & SOCIETY, CO-SPONSORED BY COMPARATIVE LAW
Temecula Room 1, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Asia and the Changing Global Legal Order
Moderator: Craig Martin, Washburn University School of Law
Speakers: Dennis Kwok, Partner, Elliott Kwok Levine & Jaroslaw LLP
Mark A. Levin, University of Hawai'i, William S. Richardson School of Law
Margaret K. Lewis, Seton Hall University School of Law
Barry Naughton, So Kwan Lok Chair of Chinese International Affairs, University of California San Diego, School of Global Policy and Strategy

The past year has seen increasing challenges to the rule of law and international order due to the invasion of Ukraine by Russia and the growing geopolitical tension between China and the United States. This panel will address these challenges from comparative points of view with emphasis on Asian countries.

Business meeting held Friday, January 6, 7 am.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CONSUMER FINANCIAL SERVICES, CO-SPONSORED BY SECURITIES REGULATION
Point Loma, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Financial Regulation in a Time of Global Uncertainty
Moderator: Paolo Saguato, Antonin Scalia Law School at George Mason University
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Hilary J. Allen, American University, Washington College of Law
Yuliya Guseva, Rutgers Law School
Cary Shelby, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law

The specter of an economic recession is looming on the global economies. Rising interest rates, a surge in consumer price inflation, and the shockwaves of geopolitical events are undermining financial stability and presenting new challenges to financial regulators. How are financial markets and regulators coping with the volatility in commodity markets, the increasing use of crypto assets, or the risks of nonbank financial intermediaries? This panel is open to explore open issues that financial regulation faces in a time of global uncertainty.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON INTERNATIONAL LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY COMPARATIVE LAW, GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT, AND INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS
Leucadia, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Conflict in Ukraine: Can Prosecuting Atrocity Crimes Make a Difference?
Moderator: Leila N. Sadat, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law
Speakers: Mary D. M. Fan, University of Washington School of Law
Darin Johnson, Howard University School of Law
Patrick J. Keenan, University of Illinois College of Law
Saira Mohamed, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

This program focuses on the atrocities committed in the Ukraine conflict and the responses thereto. We will explore the activities of the International Criminal Court (ICC) and other justice mechanisms, including national systems, and discuss the steps needed to investigate and prosecute atrocity crimes and the political and diplomatic challenges to those prosecutions. The panel will also take up the reluctance of the US to recognize the legitimacy of the ICC and the implications of that hesitancy for the legal academy and the Court. Finally, the panel will ask whether and how prosecuting atrocity crimes can make a difference.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON LAW AND SPORTS
Miramar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Future of the NCAA - Is the Sky Really Falling?

Moderator: William W. Berry, III, University of Mississippi School of Law
Speakers: Scott Bearby, Senior Vice President of Legal Affairs and General Counsel, National Collegiate Athletic Association
Tan T. Boston, Assistant Professor of Law, Northern Kentucky University, Salmon P. Chase College of Law
Matthew J. Mitten, Marquette University Law School

College sports have changed dramatically. In 2021, the Supreme Court held the NCAA could not limit member schools from providing certain compensation to student athletes. Alston ushered in a new era. The NCAA shifted its amateurism rules to allow student-athletes to receive financial benefit from their name, image, and likeness. With the expansion of sports gambling, a robust transfer portal permitting student athletes to change schools (once) generally with immediate athletic eligibility, and a patchwork of state NIL regulations, what lies ahead? This panel will discuss the future of NCAA intercollegiate sports and their governance in light of these changes.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON LEGAL WRITING, REASONING, AND RESEARCH, CO-SPONSORED BY DISABILITY LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 4, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Disability: Engaging with an Often Overlooked Diversity Dimension in Our Classrooms

Moderator: Cara Cunningham Warren, Associate Professor of Law, University of Detroit Mercy School of Law
Speakers: Kathryn Boling, Seattle University School of Law
Jennifer Kindred Mitchell
Suzanne E. Rowe, University of Oregon School of Law
Mark E. Wojcik, University of Illinois Chicago School of Law

Inclusive classrooms should take into account all forms of diversity. Yet one diversity dimension that is likely present and impacting students in your classroom is the one dimension that is discussed the least: physical, learning, and psychological disabilities. Consider just one example of how being blind, having a learning disability like dyslexia, or having anxiety can impact students’ writing. Given the scope of these hurdles, we need to better equip ourselves to promote learning and inclusion for this cohort of students. Panelists will present on a wide range of topics that impact students with disabilities in our law school classrooms.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON PROPERTY LAW AND STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT JOINT PROGRAM, CO-SPONSORED BY COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND REAL ESTATE
Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Homes, Neighborhoods, and the Future of Residential Land Use: Who Should Decide Where and How We Live**

**Moderator:** Andrea J. Boyack, Washburn University School of Law

**Speakers from a Call for Papers:**
- Rebecca M. Bratspies, City University of New York School of Law
- Jade A. Craig, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law
- Nestor M. Davidson, Fordham University School of Law
- Stephen R. Miller, University of Idaho College of Law

The pandemic highlighted longstanding tensions with respect to who decides where and how we live. For example, local housing officials adopted disparate strategies to pandemic-era challenges, state legislatures intervened to protect the interests of tenants or landlords, and federal eviction and foreclosure moratoria and assistance funding dramatically impacted housing rights and costs. Variable approaches to housing at different levels of government is mirrored by variable reactions and responses to other hot button issues (racial equity, climate change, infrastructure, education, etc.). Key to resolving the issues is deciding who the decision makers should be.

State and Local Government Law held a business meeting on Friday, January 6, 2023 at 7 am.

The Section on Property Law held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

10 – 11:40 am
SECTION ON TECHNOLOGY, LAW AND LEGAL EDUCATION, CO-SPONSORED BY COMMUNICATION, MEDIA & INFORMATION LAW AND TRANSACTIONAL LAW AND SKILLS
San Diego Ballroom Salon B, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Cybersecurity: Tech and Ethical Considerations for Tomorrow’s Lawyers**

**Moderator:** Patricia Hureston Lee, Loyola University Chicago School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Asaf Lubin, Indiana University Maurer School of Law
- Brian E. Ray, Cleveland State University College of Law
- Robert A. Stines, Partner, Freeborn & Peters LLP
- Charlotte Tschider, Loyola University Chicago School of Law

This dynamic panel of academics, clinical, and practitioners will engage a conversation to address current cybersecurity issues. More specifically, there are several threads of inquiry. The section will discuss emerging doctrines and practices related to security and privacy in technological communications; the role of legal education to enhance curriculum and the tricky question of teaching cybersecurity; and ethical considerations in clinical practice and the classroom. With heightened concerns related to the Russian Ukrainian crisis and data breaches/privacy, we will focus on how to prepare tomorrow’s lawyers for these types of situations.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
12 – 4 pm
AALS WORKSHOP FOR PRETENURED LAW SCHOOL TEACHERS OF COLOR
Marina Ballroom Salon E, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

AALS thanks the Law School Admission Council for its generous support of the Pretenured Law School Teachers of Color Workshop.

Many minority law professors choose legal education because they want to have a positive impact on students, pursue justice, and transform the legal system to improve lives and communities. These professors often discover that they face special challenges in the legal academy, starting from their first day of teaching.

This workshop is a space where pretenure teachers of color can receive support and encouragement as well as concrete guidance on navigating the tenure and promotion process. Diverse panels of experienced and successful law professors will talk about their journey as teachers and legal scholars and offer ways to successfully meet challenges as they arise in the context of scholarship, teaching, service, and the tenure process. By bringing together faculty who are navigating similar career paths, the workshop also facilitates cohort relationships that can provide long-term sources of support.

For sessions and speaker details, please see the complete listing under extended programs on page 104.

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON LAW AND ECONOMICS AWARDS CEREMONY
Cardiff, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON LEGAL WRITING, REASONING, AND RESEARCH AWARDS CEREMONY
Santa Rosa, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Section Annual Award Winner:
Laura P. Graham, Wake Forest University School of Law

Introduction of Section Award Winner:
Lori D. Johnson, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON PRE-LAW EDUCATION AND ADMISSION TO LAW SCHOOL AWARDS CEREMONY
Del Mar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Section Annual Award Winners:
Hannah Berman, Director of Pre-Law Advising, The University of Alabama
College of Arts and Sciences
Dante Butler, Director, Dillard University Pre-Law Program, Dillard University
Tina Coco, Baruch College-CUNY
Jose Garcia-Fuerte, Co-Founder, UndocuLaw Northwest
Diego Gutiérrez, Co-Founder, UndocuLaw Northwest
Karla E. Márquez, Co-Founder, UndocuLaw Northwest
Alicia Miles, Alexander Blewett III School of Law at the University of Montana
Bekah Saidman-Krauss, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
Alyne Sanchez, Co-Founder, UndocuLaw Northwest
12 – 1 pm
**SECTION ON PRO BONO & ACCESS TO JUSTICE AWARDS CEREMONY**
*San Diego Ballroom Salon C, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

  **Section Annual Award Winners:**
  Russell Engler, New England Law | Boston  
  Stephen Rispoli, Baylor University School of Law  
  Deborah Schlosberg, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

12 – 1 pm
**SECTION ON PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY AWARDS CEREMONY**
*Carlsbad, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

12 – 1 pm
**SECTION ON TECHNOLOGY, LAW AND LEGAL EDUCATION AWARDS CEREMONY**
*San Diego Ballroom Salon B, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

  **Section Annual Award Winner:**
  Amy J. Schmitz, The Ohio State University, Michael E. Moritz College of Law

12 – 1 pm
**SECTION ON WOMEN IN LEGAL EDUCATION AWARDS CEREMONY**
*San Diego Ballroom Salon A, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

  **Section Annual Award Winner:**
  Cynthia E. Nance, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Robert A. Leflar Law Center

1 – 2:30 pm
**COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES**
*Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

  Connect with old friends and colleagues, meet new ones, or map out your schedule for the day over a cup of coffee or tea. Breaks include coffee, tea, and pastries in the morning and coffee, tea, and cookies in the afternoon.

1 – 4:40 pm
**AALS SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM**
*Marina Ballroom Salon D, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

  **How Law Schools Can Make a Difference: DEI work in the Curriculum, in the Classroom, and in the Courtroom**

  For sessions and speaker details, please see the complete listing under extended programs on page 105.
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

1 – 2:40 pm
**AALS HOT TOPIC PROGRAM**
*Marina Ballroom Salon F, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Vaccine Mandates: Continued Controversy and Litigation in a Multitude of Settings**

Moderator: Sara Gerke, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law

Speakers: Paul A. Diller, Willamette University College of Law
          Dorit Reiss, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
          Michael Sinha, Saint Louis University School of Law
          Lindsay F. Wiley, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law

Since first authorized in December 2020, public health officials have promoted the vaccines against COVID-19 as a key tool in the pandemic response. Beginning in the spring of 2021, some businesses and institutions, including the military and universities, began requiring proof of vaccination for employees, customers, and students. Some local governments also required proof of vaccination to access public accommodations. Although COVID-19 has receded somewhat in the public consciousness, the legal disputes regarding vaccine mandates are far from resolved and may affect mandates for vaccines against other diseases. This panel will explore the latest developments in this area.

1 – 2:40 pm
**SECTION ON ADMINISTRATIVE LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY CONSTITUTIONAL LAW**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Visions of Democracy in the Regulatory State**

Moderator: Jamelle C. Sharpe, University of Illinois College of Law

Speakers: Anya Bernstein, University at Buffalo School of Law, The State University of New York
          Blake Emerson, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law
          Kali N. Murray, Marquette University Law School
          Christopher J. Walker, The University of Michigan Law School
          Daniel Walters, Texas A&M University School of Law

The US Supreme Court is considering doctrinal reforms that would curb deference to agencies, restrict delegations to agencies, and limit agencies’ insulation from presidential control. These reforms are premised on a vision of democratic governance that regards expansive regulatory power as posing an acute danger to constitutional democracy. But recent scholarship has elaborated competing visions of democracy in the regulatory state. These theorists contend that the most meaningful forms of democratic participation in contemporary governance occur through regulatory policymaking in Congress and especially agencies. This panel explores and debates these perspectives and their doctrinal implications.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, CO-SPONSORED BY POVERTY LAW, PROPERTY LAW, AND STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Community Development for Resilience in the Face of Climate Change

Moderator: Priya Baskaran, American University, Washington College of Law
Speaker: Alice Kaswan, University of San Francisco School of Law
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Jade A. Craig, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law
Sarah J. Fox, Northern Illinois University College of Law

This program will examine the dynamic state of efforts to pursue community development with a view to resilience in the face of extreme weather events. This program considers emerging best practices, case studies, and changes (or needed changes) in law and policy that can impact efforts to make the most vulnerable populations better equipped to deal with increased environmental, economic, and social disruption. This program will explore questions related to what lawyers, institutions, and local governments should do to support communities and community-led advocacy efforts.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Temecula Room 4, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina


Moderator: Michael Gentithes, University of Akron School of Law
Speakers: Elizabeth E. Joh, University of California, Davis School of Law
Michael J. Mannheimer, Northern Kentucky University, Salmon P. Chase College of Law
Eang L. Ngov, Barry University Dwayne O. Andreas School of Law
Matthew Tokson, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law

The panel is designed to assess both the privacy of information generated by new technologies in the consumer space, as well as the changes in government investigatory capabilities. Thus, speakers will address both the definition of a Fourth Amendment search and the reasonableness of government investigatory techniques.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON ELECTION LAW

Temecula Room 3, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Federalism and Voting

Moderator: Derek T. Muller, University of Iowa College of Law
Speakers: Kathay Feng, National Redistricting Director, Common Cause
Edward B. Foley, The Ohio State University, Michael E. Moritz College of Law
Lloyd Hitoshi Mayer, Notre Dame Law School
Carolyn Shapiro, Chicago-Kent College of Law, Illinois Institute of Technology
Franita Tolson, University of Southern California Gould School of Law

Elections in the United States are both deeply decentralized and subject to some degree of uniform federal oversight. Recent disputes over the Voting Rights Act, campaign finance disclosure, the “independent state legislature,” electoral subversion, and the Electoral Count Act have highlighted the tension between local and federal control. This panel will explore recent developments on these topics, pending Supreme Court and lower court litigation, and a look at the legal landscape ahead of 2024.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON EMPIRICAL STUDY OF LEGAL EDUCATION AND THE LEGAL PROFESSION, CO-SPONSORED BY ACADEMIC SUPPORT AND COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Marriott Grand Ballroom 6, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Post-Pandemic Empirical Questions: Measuring How Law Schools Make a Difference

Moderator: J. Trent Kennedy, Georgetown University Law Center
Speakers: Tiffane Cochran, Vice President - Research, AccessLex Institute
Ajay K. Mehrotra, Director, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law
Danielle Taylor, Director of Research, National Association for Law Placement
David N. Yellen, University of Miami School of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Sara Berman, Director of Programs for Academic and Bar Success, Touro University Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center
Carol L. Chomsky, University of Minnesota Law School
Tracey E. George, Vanderbilt University Law School
Marsha Griggs, Washburn University School of Law
Jamie A. Kleppetsch, DePaul University College of Law
Deborah J. Merritt, The Ohio State University, Michael E. Moritz College of Law
Jeremy R. Paul, Northeastern University School of Law
Debra Moss Vollweiler, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law

Over the next five years, law schools will face multiple developments that merit new or renewed empirical study. Looking ahead from AALS 2023 will help prepare future projects and accelerate impactful research on timely questions. This session will open with a panel of leaders who have their eyes on the horizon. Then it will transition into breakout sessions discussing specific developments and empirical methods to better understand them. Breakout sessions include:
- The NextGen Bar Exam
- Revisions to ABA Standards 306 & 311 and any new opportunities that the online/hybrid years have revealed
- Measuring the external impact of experiential learning programs

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON FAMILY AND JUVENILE LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY CHILDREN AND THE LAW, EDUCATION LAW, SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY ISSUES
Temecula Room 1, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Politicization of Parenthood

Moderator: Susan Hazeldean, Brooklyn Law School
Speakers: Clare Huntington, Fordham University School of Law
Yvonne Lindgren, University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law

Speaker from a Call for Papers:
Sarah Lorr, Brooklyn Law School

This panel examines the politicization of parenthood. Recently, politicians have taken many controversial issues and framed them in terms of “parents’ rights.” States have introduced bills allowing parents to sue school districts for teaching about systemic racism, sexual orientation, or gender identity. Texas law now allows a man that impregnated a person who went on to have an abortion after six weeks of gestation to sue the
abortion provider for damages – a “father’s right” that never previously existed. On the other hand, parents authorizing gender-affirming medical care for their transgender children have been accused of child abuse and neglect.

Section on Family and Juvenile Law business meeting held Friday, January 6, 5 – 6 pm.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS, CO-SPONSORED BY INTERNATIONAL LAW
Oceanside, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

International Human Rights and the Sanctions on Russia for its Aggressive War on Ukraine

Moderator: Thomas M. McDonnell, Pace University Elisabeth Haub School of Law
Speakers: Justyna Gudzowska, Director, Illicit Finance Policy, The Sentry
Milena Sterio, Cleveland State University College of Law
Speaker from a Call for Papers: Kish Parella, Washington and Lee University School of Law

Our Main Section Program covers the following: (a) To recognize that sanctions may advance the right to life; condemn Russia’s aggression, war crimes, and gross human rights violations against Ukraine; and may deter other states from violating international humanitarian law and human rights, and (b) To examine the intended and unintended consequences of general rather than smart sanctions; to acknowledge that few civilians bear responsibility for Russia’s aggressive war, war crimes, or gross human rights violations; and to analyze whether general sanctions violate the economic, social, and cultural rights of the most vulnerable of the Russian civilian population.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON LABOR RELATIONS AND EMPLOYMENT LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

From Buffalo to JFK8 to NLRB HQ: A New Era in Labor Law?

Moderator: Matthew T. Bodie, University of Minnesota Law School
Speakers: Veena Dubal, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
Catherine L. Fisk, University of California, Berkeley School of Law
Charlotte Garden, University of Minnesota Law School
Hiba Hafiz, Boston College Law School
Quentin Kanta, Organizer, Starbucks Workers United, Portland DSA
Michael Oswalt, Wayne State University Law School

Are we in a new era for labor? Opinion polls show unions to be at their most popular point in recent history. The latest organizing efforts at Starbucks and Amazon have changed the national dialogue about the potential for union victories. NLRB GC Jennifer Abruzzo is promoting an ambitious agenda for labor law change while at the same time, the percentage of union-represented employees remains low, and the PRO Act is languishing in Congress. Do recent developments herald a new era for labor relations, or are they merely a blip on the radar? Our panelists will discuss these recent developments.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
1 - 2:40 pm
SECTION ON LAW AND MENTAL DISABILITY, CO-SPONSORED BY DISABILITY LAW, LAW, MEDICINE AND HEALTH CARE, AND LAW PROFESSORS WITH DISABILITIES AND ALLIES
Temecula Room 2, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Reimagining Law and Policy Affecting Individuals with Substance Use Disorders

Moderator & Speaker: Stacey A. Tovino, University of Oklahoma College of Law
Speakers: Kelly K. Dineen, Creighton University School of Law
Jennifer D. Oliva, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
Elizabeth Pendo, Saint Louis University School of Law

A panel comprised of experts in law, nursing, drug policy, disability rights, bioethics, and the medical humanities will examine several issues affecting individuals with substance use disorders (SUDs). The first speaker will identify discrimination faced by individuals with SUDs. The second speaker will offer a solidarity-based approach to combat the negative impacts of intragroup and association stigma for people with SUDs. The third speaker will present findings from a survey of statutes containing stigmatizing SUD language. The fourth speaker will argue that the framing of substance use as a chronic medical disease facilitates the mistreatment of individuals with SUDs.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 - 2:40 pm
SECTION ON LITIGATION, CO-SPONSORED BY JURISPRUDENCE
Solana, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Judiciary—Making the Least Democratic Branch of Government More Respected, Less Political

Moderator: Mario Mainiero, Chapman University Dale E. Fowler School of Law
Speakers: James L. Gibson, Sidney W. Souers Professor of Government, Washington University in St. Louis Department of Political Science
Andrew Guilford, US District Court Judge (retired), Judicate West
Kenneth S. Klein, California Western School of Law
Kathleen E. O’Leary, Presiding Justice, California Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District, Division Three

Speaker from a Call for Papers:
Veronica Root Martinez, Duke University School of Law

The Judicial Branch is the least democratic branch of government. This program will focus on balancing populism, politics, and qualifications in selecting judges (appointment, election, merit screening, and confirmation hearings); periodic performance review (terms, term limits, life tenure, retention elections, impeachment); recusal and peremptory strikes; and other legitimacy concerns (court-packing). How do politics, qualifications and merit screening affect the preference for judicial appointment or judicial elections? Are term limits an effective brake on politicization of the judiciary, or is life tenure preferable? Can stricter recusal requirements be implemented, and would failure to recuse be severe enough to justify impeachment?"

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
1 – 2:40 pm
**SECTION ON PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY**
*Leucadia, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

### 50th Anniversary of the PR Section: Looking Forward, Lawyering in the Next 50 years

**Moderator:** Susan D. Carle, American University, Washington College of Law

**Speakers:**
- Brandon Hasbrouck, Washington and Lee University School of Law
- Abbe Smith, Georgetown University Law Center

This panel marking the 50th anniversary of the PR Section intends to facilitate a lively discussion of alternative visions of legal practice and the role of lawyers in the future half-century, including (but not limited to): lawyers as activists with fidelity to community, versus lawyer as technician with fidelity to law and legal institutions.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

1 – 2:40 pm
**SECTION ON WOMEN IN LEGAL EDUCATION**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

### “Less Than a Fully Adult Human:” Moving Forward Without Roe

**Moderator:** Lisa A. Mazzie, Marquette University Law School

**Speakers:**
- Michele Goodwin, University of California, Irvine School of Law
- Melissa E. Murray, New York University School of Law
- Rachel Rebouche, Temple University, James E. Beasley School of Law

In SCOTUS confirmation hearings, Ruth Bader Ginsburg said, “the decision whether ... to bear a child is central to a woman’s life ... when Government controls that decision for her, she is being treated as less than a fully adult human.” On June 24, the Court, in *Dobbs v. Jackson Women’s Health Organization*, stripped that constitutional right from more than half of Americans. Roughly half of the states have banned or plan to ban or restrict access to abortion. This panel explores how to move forward without the protections of a constitutional right.

2:30 – 4 pm
**COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES**
*Marriott Hall Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

Connect with old friends and colleagues, meet new ones, or map out your schedule for the day over a cup of coffee or tea. Breaks include coffee, tea, and pastries in the morning and coffee, tea, and cookies in the afternoon.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS

New Law Teacher: Works-In-Progress

Moderator: James J. Park, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
- Atinuke (Tinu) Adediran, Fordham University School of Law
- Tabrez Y. Ebrahim, Lewis and Clark Law School
- Geeyoung Min, Michigan State University College of Law
- Alexander Platt, University of Kansas School of Law

Commentators:
- Afra Afsharipour, University of California, Davis School of Law
- Eric C. Chaffee, University of Toledo College of Law
- Franklin A. Gevurtz, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law
- Michael P. Malloy, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law

This works-in-progress program will bring together junior and senior scholars in the field of business law for the purpose of providing junior scholars with feedback and guidance on their draft articles.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON COMPARATIVE LAW

Marriott Grand Ballroom 4, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Comparative Law Works-in-Progress on the Cutting Edge of a Plural and Global World Disorder

Moderator: Elizabeth M. Iglesias, University of Miami School of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
- Anna Conley, Alexander Blewett III School of Law at the University of Montana
- Xiaoqian Hu, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
- John Linarelli, Touro University Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center

Commentators:
- Irene Calboli, Texas A&M University School of Law
- Madeleine M. Plasencia, University of Miami School of Law

The session engages works of comparative law addressing the challenges of law in an increasingly interconnected global social space regulated by overlapping pluralities of legal orders. Issues addressed in these cutting-edge works include jurisdictional competition, intersectional analysis of East Asia’s comfort women litigation, and the prospects for new approaches to comparative law analysis including Behavioral Comparative Law and Transnational Jurisdiction.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON EMPIRICAL STUDY OF LEGAL EDUCATION AND THE LEGAL PROFESSION
Marriott Grand Ballroom 6, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Section on the Empirical Study of Legal Education and the Legal Profession
WIP “Incubator” Program

Moderator: Christopher J. Ryan, Jr., University of Louisville, Louis D. Brandeis School of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
- Timothy Fisher, University of Connecticut School of Law
- Patrick H. Gaughan, University of Akron School of Law
- Ajay K. Mehrotra, Director, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law
- Nina Varsava, University of Wisconsin Law School
- Alex Zhang, Duke University School of Law

This year, we will be conducting this program in an “incubator” format to workshop multiple pieces of scholarship in an intimate setting. This format will feature six to eight works-in-progress to be workshopped in small groups. We anticipate that this format will provide more direct feedback and participation from attendees.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON FAMILY AND JUVENILE LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 8, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Cutting Edge Scholarship in Family and Juvenile Law: Works-in-Progress

Moderator: June Rose Carbone, University of Minnesota Law School

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
- Esther Hong, Wake Forest University School of Law
- Jane K. Stoever, University of California, Irvine School of Law
- Stephanie Tang, Baylor University School of Law
- Sarah Lisa Washington, Brooklyn Law School

Commentators:
- Josh Gupta-Kagan, Columbia Law School
- Vivian E. Hamilton, William & Mary Law School

Scholars present works-in-progress on a variety of important topics in family and juvenile law.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CONSUMER FINANCIAL SERVICES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 9, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Emerging and New Voices in Financial Regulation: Works-in-Progress Panel

Moderator: Paolo Saguato, Antonin Scalia Law School at George Mason University

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
- Ilya Beylin, Seton Hall University School of Law
- Jamie Grischkan, Arizona State University Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law
- Vijay Raghavan, Brooklyn Law School
- Jeffery Zhang, The University of Michigan Law School

This works-in-progress panel will bring together junior and senior scholars in the field of financial regulation for the purpose of providing junior scholars with constructive feedback and guidance on their draft articles.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Emerging Voices in Intellectual Property**

**Moderator:** Jake Linford, Florida State University College of Law

**Speakers from a Call for Papers:**
- Amanda Levendowski, Associate Professor of Law, Georgetown University Law Center
- Dustin Marlan, University of North Carolina School of Law
- Sepehr Shahshahani, Fordham University School of Law
- Matthew Sipe, University of Baltimore School of Law

**Commentators:**
- Jasmine C. Abdel-khalik, University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law
- Dan L. Burk, University of California, Irvine School of Law
- Eric Goldman, Santa Clara University School of Law
- Sapna Kumar, University of Houston Law Center

The Emerging Voices in Intellectual Property program gives emerging intellectual property scholars an opportunity to receive useful feedback on their work before submitting the work for publication.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON INTERNATIONAL LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY COMPARATIVE LAW, GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT, AND INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS
Temecula Room 2, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**How Can Students and Faculty Make a Difference via Teaching and Clinical Work in Times of Crisis?**

**Moderator:** Cindy G. Buys, Southern Illinois University School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Zachary D. Kaufman, University of Houston Law Center
- Charlotte Ku, Texas A&M University School of Law
- Milena Sterio, Cleveland State University College of Law

When international crises occur, law school community members are impacted emotionally and often want to use their training and skills to respond in positive and constructive ways. Some topics and crises may overwhelm or trigger students. Some crises may require an immediate response; others require longer-term attention. This program is designed to explore these issues and suggest beneficial ways law school communities can assist persons most affected by these crises. The discussion leaders will begin the conversation and will invite audience participation to share innovative ideas and best practices for how law school communities can constructively respond to international crises.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON ISLAMIC LAW - CANCELLED

Islamic Law Works-in-Progress: Translating Traditions of Justice and Equity

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON LEGAL WRITING, REASONING, AND RESEARCH
Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Newer Scholars’ Workshop and Scholarship Celebration**

**Moderator:** Carolyn V. Williams, University of North Dakota School of Law

**Speakers from a Call for Papers:**
- Sylvia Lett, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
- Andrea Martin, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
- Anjali Prakash, American University, Washington College of Law
- Sandra Simpson, Gonzaga University School of Law
This session will open with a celebration of scholarship published by Section members throughout the previous year. Authors will present their works-in-progress to attendees and receive feedback and advice about the publication process. Each author will have 10 minutes to present their work. Attendees will then break into smaller groups so other Section members can pose questions and share feedback. These small group sessions will last approximately 40 minutes. Finally, attendees will reconvene to discuss general issues (e.g., drafting, research support, scholarship placement, post-publication publicity advice) and to answer any remaining questions.

3 – 4:40 pm

SECTION ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY LAW AND ENVIRONMENTAL LAW
JOIN PROGRAM
San Diego Ballroom Salon A, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Works-in-Progress

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
- Deepa Badrinarayana, Chapman University Dale E. Fowler School of Law
- Karrigan Bork, University of California, Davis School of Law
- Nicholas Bryner, Louisiana State University, Paul M. Hebert Law Center
- Lingxi Chenyang, Indiana University Maurer School of Law
- Robin K. Craig, University of Southern California Gould School of Law
- Holly D. Doremus, University of California, Berkeley School of Law
- David M. Driesen, Syracuse University College of Law
- Sarah J. Fox, Northern Illinois University College of Law
- Joshua U. Galperin, Pace University Elisabeth Haub School of Law
- Guillermo Garcia-Sanchez, Texas A&M University School of Law
- Yanmei Lin, Vermont Law and Graduate School
- Kevin Lynch, University of Denver Sturm College of Law
- Felix Mormann, Texas A&M University School of Law
- Sharmila Murthy, Suffolk University Law School
- Ruhan S. Nagra, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law
- Mark Nevitt, Emory University School of Law
- Gabriel Pacyniak, University of New Mexico School of Law
- Nadine Padilla, University of New Mexico School of Law
- Heather Payne, Seton Hall University School of Law
- Jamie Pleune, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law
- Rachel E. Rothschild, The University of Michigan Law School
- James E. Salzman, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law
- Joseph A. Schremmer, University of New Mexico School of Law
- Margaret Stewart, Barry University Dwayne O. Andreas School of Law
- Heather Tanana, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law
- Kristen van de Bienebos, Assistant Professor, University of Calgary Faculty of Law
- Michelle Collazo Vos, Widener University Commonwealth Law School
- Gina S. Warren, University of Houston Law Center
- Paul J. Boudreaux, Stetson University College of Law
- Rebecca M. Bratspies, City University of New York School of Law
- Daniel H. Cole, Indiana University Maurer School of Law
- Victor B. Flatt, University of Houston Law Center
- Jacqueline P. Hand, Detroit Mercy School of Law
- Richard J. Lazarus, Harvard Law School
- Monte T. Mills, University of Washington School of Law
- Anthony L. Moffa, University of Maine School of Law
- Uma Outka, University of Kansas School of Law
- Kalyani Robbins, Loyola University Chicago School of Law
- Shelley Ross Saxer, Pepperdine University, Rick J. Caruso School of Law
- Richard Walsgrove, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law

Commentators:
- Paul J. Boudreaux, Stetson University College of Law
- Rebecca M. Bratspies, City University of New York School of Law
- Daniel H. Cole, Indiana University Maurer School of Law
- Victor B. Flatt, University of Houston Law Center
- Jacqueline P. Hand, Detroit Mercy School of Law
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- Monte T. Mills, University of Washington School of Law
- Anthony L. Moffa, University of Maine School of Law
- Uma Ooutka, University of Kansas School of Law
- Kalyani Robbins, Loyola University Chicago School of Law
- Shelley Ross Saxer, Pepperdine University, Rick J. Caruso School of Law
- Richard Walsgrove, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

AALS Professional Responsibility New Voices Program 2023
Moderator: Sande Buhai, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Eric Fish, University of California, Davis School of Law
Chanal Neves-McCain, New England Law | Boston
Jonah Perlin, Georgetown University Law Center

This program showcases new voices in the area of Professional Responsibility, with the goal of developing the field and the careers of junior scholars.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON PROPERTY LAW
Del Mar, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Stuff You’ll Want to Steal: Ideas for Teaching Topics in Property Law
Moderator: Jill Fraley, Washington and Lee University School of Law
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Paula A. Franzese, Seton Hall University School of Law
Howard E. Katz, Cleveland State University College of Law
Sheila Simon, Former Democratic Lt. Governor of Illinois, Southern Illinois University School of Law

Great teachers are always looking for new ideas, assignments, and materials to incorporate into their courses. This special pedagogy session will showcase some of the best specific ideas—ideas you can steal—for teaching topics in the first-year Property Law course. Each panel participant will demonstrate one technique, assignment, or lesson that engages students and communicates an essential concept. This panel will share concrete ideas for impactful teaching about one of the topics that falls under the rubric of Property.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON TEACHING METHODS, CO-SPONSORED BY ACADEMIC SUPPORT AND BALANCE & WELL-BEING IN LEGAL EDUCATION AND NEW LAW PROFESSORS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

MythBusters of Legal Education
Moderator: Debra Moss Vollweiler, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Brittany Deitch, Capital University Law School
Maryann Herman, Thomas R. Kline School of Law of Duquesne University
Sophie M. Sparrow, University of New Hampshire Franklin Pierce School of Law

This moderated panel presentation offers modern law teaching strategies and techniques and debunks outdated law teaching myths. This pedagogy-based session is designed primarily to benefit junior faculty but will be valuable to any faculty seeking to energize and update their teaching. Panelists will present concrete, effective, and student-centered law teaching tips and ideas to maximize learning and student success and will lead small breakout groups. Audience members will participate in small groups to brainstorm ideas and further the panel-inspired discussion. Attendees will leave with concrete tips and ideas that they will be able to incorporate into their teaching.
3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON TECHNOLOGY, LAW AND LEGAL EDUCATION**
*San Diego Ballroom Salon B, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Incorporating Emerging Technology Discussions in Traditional Doctrinal Classes**

**Moderator:** April G. Dawson, Associate Dean of Technology and Innovation, North Carolina Central University School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Sonia Gipson Rankin, Associate Professor, University of New Mexico School of Law
- Nadiyah J. Humber, University of Connecticut School of Law
- Christina Miller, Suffolk University Law School
- Carla L. Reyes, SMU Dedman School of Law
- Jeffrey Ward, Duke University School of Law

During this panel, doctrinal professors teaching torts, property, secured transactions, contracts, and evidence and criminal law will talk about emerging technology issues in the subject areas in which they teach. They will also share suggestions for incorporating emerging technology discussions in their traditional doctrinal classes.

3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON WOMEN IN LEGAL EDUCATION, CO-SPONSORED BY BALANCE IN LEGAL EDUCATION**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lower Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Teaching Towards Equity: The Use of Pedagogy to Overcome Barriers**

**Moderator:** Jill C. Engle, The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law

**Speakers:**
- Nancy C. Cantalupo, Wayne State University Law School
- Lucy Jewel, University of Tennessee College of Law
- Teri McMurtry-Chubb, University of Illinois Chicago School of Law
- Etienne C. Toussaint, University of South Carolina School of Law

How can legal educators both ensure an equitable space within the classroom and provide meaningful instruction that addresses barriers to equality often hidden within avowedly neutral rule-of-law based doctrines? This session will demonstrate the value of various inclusive teaching methods through an experiential component and a meaningful discussion about each method. During the session, the audience will be broken into small groups and each panelist will lead a group in an exercise that demonstrates a pedagogical tool that advances these goals. The larger group will reconvene and panelists will discuss each tool and allow participants to provide feedback.

5 – 6 pm
**TWELVE STEP MEETING**
*Conference Room 3, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

5 – 6 pm
**RECEPTION FOR AALS FELLOWS**
*Cardiff, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

The AALS Fellows Program was established in 2017 to strengthen AALS for future generations of law school faculty and to enrich the profession by engaging leading faculty more deeply in the work of AALS. Fellows receive timely communications and briefings about law school activities and programs. All faculty are welcome to join the reception to help celebrate the generosity of the Fellows.

Contributions from AALS Fellows support activities that benefit all law schools and ensure that AALS is in the strongest position possible to serve our law schools and faculty. Membership in the Fellows program is open to any full-time, part-time, current, retired, or adjunct law school teacher.

5 – 6 pm
**SECTION ON FAMILY AND JUVENILE LAW BUSINESS MEETING**
*Carlsbad, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

AALS Member Law School Events

6 – 7:30 pm
GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW WASHINGTON WINE RECEPITION
Newport Beach, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

6:30 – 8:30 pm
PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY RICK J. CARUSO SCHOOL OF LAW RECEPITION
Malibu, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

6 – 7:30 pm
ROGER WILLIAMS UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW RECEPITION
La Costa, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

6 – 8 pm
UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO SCHOOL OF LAW RECEPITION
Roy’s Restaurant Wine Bar, 333 West Harbor Drive, Ground Level
Meet and mingle with colleagues at Roy’s Restaurant.

Related Organization Events

6 – 7 pm
AMERICAN BAR FOUNDATION FELLOWS RECEPITION
Vista, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

8 – 10 pm
ASSOCIATION OF LEGAL WRITING DIRECTORS AND LEGAL WRITING INSTITUTE (ALWD/LWI) BLACKWELL AWARD RECEPITION
Coronado A, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego

6:30 – 8 pm
SOCIETY OF AMERICAN LAW TEACHERS (SALT) ANNUAL CELEBRATION
California Western School of Law, 225 Cedar Street
Join SALT to honor the 2023 recipients of the Great Teacher Award, the M. Shanara Gilbert Human Rights Award, and the Junior Faculty Teaching Award.
The Federalist Society Annual Faculty Conference
Day Two

8 am – 6:30 pm

The Federalist Society Annual Faculty Conference
Day Two

8 – 9 am

BREAKFAST
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

9 – 10:45 am

PANEL 2
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Politicization of the Economy

Panelists: Richard Epstein, New York University School of Law
Sean J. Griffith, Fordham University School of Law
Julia D. Mahoney, University of Virginia School of Law
Adriana Z. Robertson, The University of Chicago, The Law School
Moderator: Christina Skinner, Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania

The role of our democratically responsive institutions—and the legislature in particular—is increasingly performed by private economic actors and independent financial regulators willing to use their influence over capital to steer economic life pursuant to a set of politically charged values. Large firms, perhaps in response to customer demand or managerial preferences, attempt to influence a range of public policies, from gun rights to religious liberty to climate, now as a matter of common course. Financial institutions have become reluctant to lend to oil and gas companies. Financial regulators such as the Federal Reserve and the SEC have given tailwinds to these actions by requiring firms to consider climate risk when making business decisions. According to some, these steps are needed in light of Congress’s reluctance to address pressing social issues. According to others, contemporary congressional inertia is a feature of our system of separated powers and mixing economic and social justice issues is inconsistent with bedrock principles of free-market capitalism. This panel will consider the relationship between the economy, economic regulators, and the use of economic power to regulate social issues and influence public policy.

11 am – 12 pm

PANEL 2-A
La Costa, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 Minute Presentations of Works in Progress

Presenters: Johnny R. Buckles, “Constitutional Law and Tax Expenditures: A. Prelude,” University of Houston Law Center
Natalie Rhoads, “A Case for Your Conscience: Why the Censor of Collective Speech is Antithetical to Constitutional Freedoms and the Search for Truth,” Liberty University School of Law
Moderator: To Be Announced
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

The Federalist Society, Day Two, continued

11 am – 12 pm

PANEL 2-B
Catalina, Fourth Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

7 Minute Presentations of Works in Progress

Presenters:
- Andrew Connors, “Make it Stop: Reining in ADA Website Trolls,” Liberty University School of Law
- Bashar Malkawi, “Remembered Information and Trade Secrets Misappropriation Claims,” The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
- Tamar Meshel, “Arbitration as an Impure Public Good,” University of Alberta Faculty of Law
- Erin Sheley, “Self Defense and the Rhetoric of Anger,” California Western School of Law

Moderator: To Be Announced

12:15 – 2:30 pm

PANEL 3 (INCLUSIVE OF LUNCH)
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Dobbs & The Rule of Law

Panelists:
- Sherif Girgis, Notre Dame Law School
- Vicki C. Jackson, Harvard Law School
- Jennifer L. Mascott, Antonin Scalia Law School at George Mason University
- Reva B. Siegel, Yale Law School

Moderator: Stephen E. Sachs, Harvard Law School

This past June, the Supreme Court’s 6-3 decision in Dobbs v. Jackson Women’s Health Organization overruled Roe v. Wade and Planned Parenthood of Southeastern Pennsylvania v. Casey, holding that the Constitution does not protect a right to abortion. Critics argue that the Court’s decision to overrule precedents that have been in place for decades and that many took for granted poses a grave threat to the rule of law. Supporters argue that Roe’s declaration of a right to abortion ungrounded in constitutional text or in historical practice was a judicial usurpation that required correction. This panel will discuss these and related issues.

2:45 – 4:45 pm

YOUNG LEGAL SCHOLARS PAPER PRESENTATIONS
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Winners:
- Caleb N. Griffin, “The Market for Investment,” University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Robert A. Leflar Law Center
- Mark Kubisch, “ESG, Public Pensions, and Compelled Speech,” Pepperdine University, Rick J. Caruso School of Law
- Marah Stith McLeod, “Is the Principle of Desert Unprincipled in Practice?” University of Notre Dame Law School
- Jacob Schuman, “Revocation at the Founding,” The Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Law
- Ilan Wurman, “Reversing Incorporation,” Arizona State University Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law

Commenter: Richard Epstein, New York University School of Law

Moderator: Paul Mahoney, University of Virginia School of Law
5:15 – 6:30 pm
NEXT GEN PANEL
Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

America and Her Discontents
Panelists: To Be Announced
Moderator: To Be Announced
Saturday, January 7

7 am – 5 pm  
**AALS REGISTRATION**  
*Pacific Ballroom, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

7 am – 5 pm  
**AALS OPERATIONS OFFICE**  
*Rancho Santa Fe 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

7 am – 5 pm  
**NURSING PARENTS ROOM**

7 am – 5 pm  
**SPEAKER READY ROOM**  
*Torrey Pines Room 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

7 – 8 am  
**TWELVE STEP MEETING**  
*Conference Room 3, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

7 – 8 am  
**SECTION LEADERSHIP INFORMATION SESSION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**  
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 6, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

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|                | Judith Areen, Executive Director, Association of American Law Schools  
|                | Clarissa Ortiz, Associate Director, Sections, Association of American Law Schools |

**Section of the Year Award Winners:**  
Dyane O’Leary, Suffolk University Law School  
Sophia Sim, The George Washington University Law School

All Section Officers are encouraged to attend this session. We especially recommend Chairs and Chairs-Elect to attend. At this year’s program, AALS President-Elect Mark Alexander will share and discuss his theme for the 2024 Annual Meeting in Washington, DC. AALS Associate Director of Sections Clarissa Ortiz will review the 2023 Section Officer’s Planning Guide and answer questions you may have.

In addition, the AALS is delighted to honor the co-winners of the 6th Annual Section of the Year Award, the Section on Pre-Law Education and Admission to Law School and the Section on Technology, Law, and Legal Education.

The Section of the Year Award recognizes excellence in member support and other activities that promote AALS's core values. Activities may include annual meeting programming, facilitating outstanding scholarship, providing teaching support and course materials, community/pro bono service, engagement with the bar and bench, mentoring programs, expanding membership and member engagement, creative use of technology, and more.

8 – 9:30 am  
**COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES**  
*Marriott Hall Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

Connect with old friends and colleagues, meet new ones, or map out your schedule for the day over a cup of coffee or tea. Breaks include coffee, tea, and pastries in the morning and coffee, tea, and cookies in the afternoon.
8 am – 4:40 pm  
**SECTION ON STUDENT SERVICES**  
*Pacific Ballroom 18, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*  

**Making a Difference – Creating a Sense of Belonging in Law Schools and the Legal Profession**  

**Extended Program:** For sessions and speaker details, please see the complete listing under extended programs on page 107.

8:30 am – 4:30 pm  
**AALS INFORMATION DESK**  
*Marriott Grand Ballroom Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*  

8:30 am – 4 pm  
**AALS ADVANCED DEANS WORKSHOP**  
*Coronado A&B, Fourth Floor, Manchester Grand Hyatt Hotel*  

This program is open to only the Law School Dean or the Interim Deans from AALS member or fee-paid US law schools. Attendance is not transferable to other law school faculty or staff.

8:30 – 10:10 am  
**AALS OPEN SOURCE PROGRAM**  
*Pacific Ballroom Salon 15, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*  

**Who Are We: Racism at the Heart of Admission into the Legal Profession**  

**Moderator:** Claudia Angelos, New York University School of Law  

**Speakers:** Danielle M. Conway, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law  
Marsha Griggs, Washburn University School of Law  
Joan W. Howarth, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law  
Ashley M. London, Thomas R. Kline School of Law of Duquesne University  

Professions define themselves by who they admit to their ranks. A licensing system reveals the profession’s core values. Professor Joan Howarth’s new book, *Shaping the Bar*, reveals a long history of overt and implicit racism as part of our profession’s licensing system. Howarth traces this history, shows how the failures of the bar exam link inextricably with legal education, and proposes reforms to make our education and licensing system reflect the profession we aspire to be—rather than the one we have been. In this “author meets reader” session, commentators will engage with Howarth and the audience to discuss these topics.

8:30 – 10:10 am  
**AALS HOT TOPIC PROGRAM**  
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*  

**Reframing Fair Use: Warhol, Transformative Visual Art, and the New Supreme Court**  

**Moderator:** Emily T. Behzadi, California Western School of Law  

**Speakers:** Jasmine C. Abdel-khalik, University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law  
Andrew Gilden, Willamette University College of Law  
Peter J. Karol, New England Law | Boston  
Trevor Reed, Arizona State University Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law  

What is the meaning or message communicated by visual art? The Supreme Court is squarely presented with the question of how to interpret visual art in *Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts, Inc. v. Goldsmith*. Precedent asks whether the secondary use of material is “transformative” in that it “adds something new and important.” However, visual art presents challenges that prior, text-based works did not.
This panel explores the unique posture of visual art in fair use, examines broader doctrinal and policy issues, and considers the shift in the current Supreme Court’s conceptualization of copyright law.

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON CHILDREN AND THE LAW CO-SPONSORED BY CONSTITUTIONAL LAW, POVERTY LAW AND SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY ISSUES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Seventy Years in the Making: Brown v. Board of Education from a Children’s Perspective

Moderator: Sacha M. Coupet, Loyola University Chicago School of Law
Speakers: Margaret Beale Spencer, Charles F. Grey Distinguished Service Professor, The University of Chicago Division of Social Sciences
Nancy E. Dowd, University of Florida Fredric G. Levin College of Law
Janel George, Georgetown University Law Center
Danielle Wingfield-Smith, The University of Richmond School of Law

As we approach the 70th anniversary of Brown v. Board of Education, we are inviting attendees to envision how we might fulfill the promises of the seminal case. This program offers radical interpretations of the landmark decision from the perspective of children as legal subjects. These interpretations of Brown expand our understanding of young people’s rights, identities, freedom of thought, privacy and equal protection of laws.

We invite scholars to engage with one another to offer novel ways to apply the message of Brown—including its meaning, legacy and unfinished business of safeguarding the hearts and minds of all children and to dismantling the intersecting systems and structures that result in the economic and racial inequalities between and among children.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON EMPLOYEE BENEFITS AND EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION, CO-SPONSORED BY LAW, MEDICINE AND HEALTH CARE, MINORITY GROUPS
Pacific Ballroom Salon 17, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Health Equity Post-COVID – Goals and Obstacles

Moderator: Maria O’Brien, Boston University School of Law
Speakers: Timothy Loftus, University of Miami School of Law
Colleen E. Medill, University of Nebraska College of Law
Ruqaiijah A. Yearby, The Ohio State University, Michael E. Moritz College of Law
Nancy L. Zisk, Charleston School of Law

The COVID pandemic laid bare what many in healthcare, and health insurance communities have known for a long time—that racial and socioeconomic disparities are substantial. The passage of the ACA was an important step toward expanding insurance coverage for millions of uninsured, but it has not reduced disparities in access to care and health outcomes. The panelists will explore ways in which current legal regimes governing the regulation of insurance, the structure of employer sponsored health plans, access to medical school education and increased support for community based health initiatives could be improved to increase health equity.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY ADMINISTRATIVE LAW, DISABILITY LAW AND LABOR RELATIONS AND EMPLOYMENT LAW
Pacific Ballroom Salon 16, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

How the Pandemic Changed the Law Beyond the Pandemic
Moderator: Laura Lane-Steele, University of South Carolina School of Law
Speakers: Susan D. Carle, American University, Washington College of Law
Richard R. Carlson, South Texas College of Law Houston
D’Andra Millsap Shu, South Texas College of Law Houston

This program will discuss the Supreme Court’s OSHA vaccination ruling in National Federation of Independent Business v. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration and what the case means for occupational safety and health law going forward.

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON EVIDENCE - CANCELLED

Critical Legal Theories in the Field of Evidence

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON INSURANCE LAW
Pacific Ballroom Salon 14, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Insurance and Social Justice: Selected Issues in Health Care
Moderator: Alexander B. Lemann, Marquette University Law School
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Valerie Blake, West Virginia University College of Law
Doron Dorfman, Seton Hall University School of Law
Christina S. Ho, Rutgers Law School
Emily A. Spieler, Northeastern University School of Law
Katherine Vukadin, South Texas College of Law Houston

This program explores the connections between insurance law, social justice, and health care. Speakers were selected from a call for papers, and will present on topics including the ways in which health insurance impacts access to care for marginalized groups, ERISA’s impact on challenging claim denials, reinsurance, and more.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON INTERNATIONAL LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY COMPARATIVE LAW, GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT, INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS, AND LITIGATION
Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Global War and Conflict in Ukraine and Beyond: An Effective and Balanced Response?
Moderator: Craig Martin, Washburn University School of Law
Speakers: Sahar Aziz, Rutgers Law School
Michael J. Kelly, Creighton University School of Law
Mary Ellen O’Connell, Notre Dame Law School
Ingrid B. Wuerth, Vanderbilt University Law School
The conflict in Ukraine has brought a host of international institutions and mechanisms to the fore and sparked litigation all over the globe. The UN Security Council, General Assembly, International Court of Justice, and many other institutions have been engaged. Have national and international institutions been effective? And why has the response in Ukraine been so different than the response in a host of other “hot spots” around the world? This roundtable discussion will take a look at the events of 2022 and take stock of how well our international institutions have handled the events that unfolded.

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON ISLAMIC LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Author Meets Readers: The Racial Muslim - When Racism Quashes Religious Freedom

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON LAW AND ANTHROPOLOGY CO-SPONSORED BY EVIDENCE
Point Loma, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Evidence of Discrimination
Moderator: Anna Offit, SMU Dedman School of Law
Speakers: Shih-Chun “Steven” Chien, Cleveland State University College of Law
Monica Eppinger, Saint Louis University School of Law
Xiaoqian Hu, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
Carolyn Rouse, Professor of Anthropology, Director of Graduate Studies, Princeton University
I. India Thusi, Indiana University Maurer School of Law

The prevalence of discrimination in our legal system is no secret. Toward improving antidiscrimination law, legal scholars work to illuminate the roots and effects of systematic exclusion. While broadly successful, this endeavor often encounters the limits imposed by research frameworks that do not involve direct observation of everyday legal practice. This is where an ethnographic approach proves essential: through participant observation and unstructured interviewing, ethnography offers insight into discrimination as a contingent and processual phenomenon embedded in the actions and utterances of legal actors. This panel shows that ethnography contributes uniquely valuable evidence of discrimination’s dynamic presence in legal institutions.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON LAW AND ECONOMICS
Santa Rosa, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Crime and Policy: A Law and Economics Perspective
Moderator: Paige M. Skiba, Vanderbilt University Law School
Speakers: Erin E. Meyers, Clerk, United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit
John C. Roberts, PhD Student, Law & Economics and JD Candidate, Vanderbilt University Law School
Matthew Shaw, Vanderbilt University Law School
Megan Stevenson, University of Virginia School of Law

This program contains four papers all exploring pressing policy issues on crime from an empirical perspective. The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.
8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON LAW AND THE SOCIAL SCIENCES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 4, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Social Sciences Research Strategies and Methods**

**Moderator:** Paula Manning, University of Detroit Mercy School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Erik Girvan, University of Oregon School of Law
- Orly Lobel, University of San Diego School of Law
- Christopher T. Robertson, Boston University School of Law

This session explores the impact and importance of social science research in the context of legal scholarship. The session will introduce and then examine various social science methods including operationalization and measurement of abstract legal concepts, qualitative interviews, experimental behavior studies, surveys, and field experiments.

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON LEADERSHIP
Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**How Teaching Leadership Can Make a Difference**

**Moderator:** April M. Barton, Thomas R. Kline School of Law of Duquesne University

**Speakers:**
- Erwin Chemerinsky, University of California, Berkeley School of Law
- Farayi Chipungu, Adjunct Lecturer in Public Policy, Harvard Kennedy School of Government
- Garry W. Jenkins, University of Minnesota Law School
- Angela I. Onwuachi-Willig, Boston University School of Law
- Hillary A. Sale, Georgetown University Law Center

This year’s conference theme challenges us to think about how law schools and each of us as academics can make a difference and bring about positive change. Cultivating a leadership mindset in the next generation of lawyers is one of the most significant ways law schools can make a meaningful impact in the work around us. Leadership development is a critical part of our professional responsibility and a lawyer’s greater duty to advance justice in our society. This panel will discuss the ways that leadership education in our law schools can bring about positive change in our organizations, government, and society.

Business meeting at program conclusion.

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON LEGISLATION & LAW OF THE POLITICAL PROCESS, CO-SPONSORED BY CONSTITUTIONAL LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Intersection of Constitutional and Statutory Interpretation Post-Dobbs**

**Moderator and Speaker:** Victoria Nourse, Georgetown University Law Center

**Speakers:**
- Daniel Deacon, The University of Michigan Law School
- Leah M. Litman, The University of Michigan Law School
8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON SOCIO-ECONOMICS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

The Context-Dependent Meaning of Economic Literacy: Calls for Chapters, Essays, Comments and Critiques

The AALS Section on Socio-Economics will explore the theme of “Economic Literacy for a Democratic Society: A New, Central Role for Socio-Economics in the Academy and in Politics” in three related annual meeting sessions.

This Works-in-Progress session will consider “The Context-Dependent Meaning of Economic Literacy” based on the education level of citizens (from tenth grade to PhD) and will advance the view that with an appropriate foundation grounded in no more than tenth grade math, a socio-economic approach to economic understanding can enable average citizens to achieve the economic literacy necessary for informed consent regarding their economic rights, opportunities, interests, and obligations.

This session will begin with a keynote presentation by the Section’s founder, Professor Robert Ashford, Syracuse University, followed by commentary by Section members and others. Invited commentators include all past Section chairs and some of its most active program participants over the past twenty-six years.

8:30 – 10:10 am
SECTION ON TRUSTS AND ESTATES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Teaching Tools and Questions of Inequality in the Wills and Trusts Classroom

Moderator: Allison Tait, The University of Richmond School of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Ana C. Gómez-Pérez, University of Puerto Rico School of Law
Deborah S. Gordon, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law
Karen J. Sneddon, Mercer University School of Law
Carla Spivack, Oklahoma City University School of Law

This panel will address pedagogical practices, classroom dynamics, and technological strategies to help students better learn how to approach questions of inequality regarding the transfer of wealth, the mechanisms that are used, and the benefits that accrue. The panelists will present strategies to teach about wealth transfer and how to incorporate issues of race, gender, and class into the Wills and Trusts classroom. Then the panelists will facilitate opportunities for attendees to participate in the conversation and share additional ideas. Please bring copies of syllabi to the presentation – and there may be prizes!

9:30 – 11 am
COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES
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10:30 – 11:45 am
THE MEETING OF THE AALS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
San Diego Ballroom, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Speakers:  Rose C. Cuison-Villazor, Rutgers Law School
           Darby Dickerson, Southwestern Law School

Presiding:  Erwin Chemerinsky, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

Parliamentarian:  Alena M. Allen, Deputy Director, Association of American Law Schools

Closing Remarks:  Mark C. Alexander, Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law

The AALS President-Elect and nominees to the AALS Executive Committee will be presented. In addition, the Order of the Coif Book Award will also be presented at this meeting.

Representatives from all AALS Member Schools are expected to attend this meeting of the House of Representatives. All law school teachers are invited to attend. Please note that pursuant to Executive Committee Regulation 5.3 you must be registered for the Annual Meeting and present a valid badge in order to gain entry into the House.

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON COMPARATIVE LAW AWARDS CEREMONY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON EAST ASIAN LAW & SOCIETY AWARDS CEREMONY
Laguna, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Moderator:  Mark A. Levin, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law

Section Annual Award Winner:  John O. Haley, Vanderbilt University Law School

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CONSUMER FINANCIAL SERVICES AWARDS CEREMONY – CANCELLED

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS AWARDS CEREMONY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 8, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Moderators:  Rachel E. Lopez, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law
            Thomas M. McDonnell, Pace University Elisabeth Haub School of Law

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON LAW AND SPORTS AWARDS CEREMONY - CANCELLED

Section Award will be presented at program conclusion on January 6, 10 – 11:40 am

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON LAW LIBRARIES AND LEGAL INFORMATION AWARDS CEREMONY
Santa Rosa, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Section Annual Award Winner:  Anne Klinefelter, University of North Carolina School of Law

12 – 1 pm
SECTION ON TEACHING METHODS AWARDS CEREMONY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina
1 – 2 pm
PROGRAM COMMITTEE FOR 2024 ANNUAL MEETING
Oceanside, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

1 – 2:40 pm
AALS DISCUSSION GROUP
Presidio Room 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

What a Difference a Difference Makes: Empowering Students through Self-Determination Theory

Discussion Group Moderators:
- Bradford Colbert, Mitchell Hamline School of Law
- Claire Donohue, Boston College Law School

Discussion Group Participants:
- Christine E. Cerniglia, Stetson University College of Law
- Shih-Chun “Steven” Chien, Cleveland State University College of Law
- Rodger Daniel Citron, Touro University Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center
- Sherley Cruz, University of Tennessee College of Law
- Stephen Daniels, Senior Research Professor, American Bar Foundation
- Iselin Gambert, The George Washington University Law School
- Vanessa Hernandez, Suffolk University Law School
- Laurie S. Kohn, The George Washington University Law School
- Natalie S. T. Netzel, Mitchell Hamline School of Law
- David Anthony Santacroce, The University of Michigan Law School
- Kia H. Vernon, North Carolina Central University School of Law

Law students arrive at law school excited to make a difference. Through a combination of (mostly unintended) factors, law schools manage to extinguish that excitement. We will discuss how to rekindle that excitement and create a long-burning passion for making a difference. We will consider the potential of self-determination theory, which teaches us that adults learn best when they are aware of their connections to others, their own autonomy, and a sense of competence. We will discuss how much we are doing to foster these principles in all areas of our law school education and what more we could do.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON ANTITRUST AND ECONOMIC REGULATION
Leucadia, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

New Threats to Antitrust Enforcement

Moderator: John B. Kirkwood, Seattle University School of Law
Speakers: Christine Bartholomew, University at Buffalo School of Law, The State University of New York
- John Newman, University of Miami School of Law
- Richard J. Pierce, Jr., The George Washington University Law School

Antitrust enforcement faces new threats from increasingly restrictive administrative law and increasingly conservative courts. We'll identify and assess the threats and discuss prudent responses.

Business meeting at program conclusion.
1 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON CIVIL PROCEDURE CO-SPONSORED BY CREDITORS’ & DEBTORS RIGHTS, LITIGATION, AND REMEDIES
Temecula Room 1 & 2, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Courts: At the Margin or the Core?
Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON CONFLICT OF LAWS, CO-SPONSORED BY CONSTITUTIONAL LAW, FAMILY AND JUVENILE LAW, AND FEDERAL COURTS
Pacific Ballroom Salon 17, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Conflicts of Laws in a Post-Roe World
Moderator: Pamela Bookman, Fordham University School of Law
Speakers: Susan F. Appleton, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law
Roberta L. Brilmayer, Yale Law School
Carliss N. Chatman, Washington and Lee University School of Law

Dobbs v. Jackson Women’s Health Organization has opened the way to a new era of interjurisdictional conflicts. In reversing Roe v. Wade and returning abortion law to the states, the Dobbs decision has already spawned jurisdictional clashes between abortion-restrictive states and states seeking to preserve access to abortion rights as well as federal-state conflicts. These interjurisdictional conflicts are likely to persist for the foreseeable future. This panel brings together experts in conflicts of law, constitutional law, and reproductive rights to discuss the aftermath of Dobbs and the future of interstate and state-federal conflicts in a post-Roe world

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON CONSTITUTIONAL LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 6, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Affirmative (Re)Action: Diversity’s Future
Moderator: Suzanne A. Kim, Rutgers Law School
Speakers: Jennifer Chacon, Stanford Law School
Lia Epperson, American University, Washington College of Law
Stacy L. Hawkins, Rutgers Law School
Camille A. Nelson, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law
Sudha N. Setty, City University of New York School of Law
Rebecca A. Tsosie, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law

This roundtable explores how the upcoming Supreme Court decisions on affirmative action will affect higher education. Participants, who have diverse roles in law schools across the country, will kick off a discussion of how law schools can and should prepare for and react to the decisions.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON DEFAMATION AND PRIVACY
Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Topic to be announced
Speaker: Lyrissa B. Lidsky, University of Florida Fredric G. Levin College of Law
1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON ECONOMIC GLOBALIZATION AND GOVERNANCE
Solana, First Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Topic to be announced**

**Speakers:**
- Virginia Harper Ho, City University of Hong Kong School of Law
- Faith Stevelman, New York Law School
- Etienne C. Toussaint, University of South Carolina School of Law

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS
Pacific Ballroom Salon 14, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**New Voices in Human Rights**

**Moderators:**
- Rachel E. Lopez, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law
- Milena Sterio, Cleveland State University College of Law

**Speakers:**
- Kali Alexalos, JD Candidate, Chicago-Kent College of Law, Illinois Institute of Technology
- Victoria Carmona, Chicago-Kent College of Law, Illinois Institute of Technology
- Catherine B. Duryea, St. John’s University School of Law

This program features new members of the law academy and their scholarly work.

1 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON ISLAMIC LAW
Temecula Room 3 & 4, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Islamic Law Intersectionality: Antiracism and Environmental Justice**

Business meeting at program conclusion.

1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON LAW AND INTERPRETATION
Pacific Ballroom Salon 15, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

**Selective Originalism**

**Moderator:**
- John M. Kang, University of New Mexico School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Richard H. Fallon, Jr., Harvard Law School
- Stephen E. Sachs, Harvard Law School
- Reva B. Siegel, Yale Law School

Many have observed the selectiveness of the Supreme Court’s reliance on originalism. In broad swathes of cases, originalist justices make little or no effort to base their decisions on original meaning, relying instead on precedents. Accordingly, critics have charged them with inconsistency, intellectual dishonesty, and hypocrisy. Why have originalists not responded by developing and articulating reconciliations of their originalism with their selective subordination of it to precedent-based frameworks for decision? What should originalists and critics learn from carefully examining selective originalism? When interpreters confront a choice between originalist and precedent-based grounds, what norms should govern their decision?
Does the US Constitution Have an Unamendable Core?
Moderator: Richard Albert, The University of Texas School of Law
Speakers: Vikram D. Amar, University of Illinois College of Law
Vicki C. Jackson, Harvard Law School
Sital Kalantry, Seattle University School of Law
Andrea Katz, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law

The year 2023 marks the 50th anniversary of the Indian Supreme Court’s landmark case *Kesavananda Bharati v. State of Kerala*, establishing that the Indian Constitution possesses an unwritten “basic structure.” According to the Court, this “basic structure” is inviolable and unamendable. It includes federalism, the separation of powers, and judicial independence, for instance. The Court has invoked the “basic structure” doctrine to strike down constitutional amendments believed by a simple judicial majority to violate these unwritten rules and principles. In this panel, scholars will explore whether the US Constitution is anchored in a similar “basic structure.”

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

DEI, Recruitment and The Future of Law Librarianship, Part II
Moderator: Nichelle J. Perry, North Carolina Central University School of Law
Speakers: Jessica de Perio Wittman, University of Connecticut School of Law
Pia M. Hunter, University of Illinois College of Law

DEI, Recruitment, and the Future of Law Librarianship, Part II will feature several lightning talks followed by small group discussions and problem-solving on these critical issues.

Privacy and Cybersecurity in National Security Developments and Prospects
Moderator: Amy C. Gaudion, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
Speakers: Anupam Chander, Georgetown University Law Center
Margaret Hu, William & Mary Law School
Asaf Lubin, Indiana University Maurer School of Law

This panel addresses cutting-edge issues pertaining to cybersecurity and privacy. Topics to be discussed include developments in the commercial spyware industry that bring together ethical and legal issues at the intersection of cybersecurity, privacy, and national security; new barriers faced by digital trade in the form of national security concerns over data, leading to the question of whether a global internet is still possible in the face of rising fears of national security risks; and emerging risks related to AI technology, including questions about unacceptably risky technologies and dangerous consequences of data surveillance coupled with propaganda.
1 – 2:40 pm
SECTION ON TECHNOLOGY, LAW AND LEGAL EDUCATION
Marriott Grand Ballroom 2, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Three's a Crowd – Or Is It? Enhancing Technology Skills Teaching with Third Party Vendors

Moderator: Michael J. Robak, University of St. Thomas School of Law
Speakers: Alice Armitage, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
Tucker Cottingham, General Manager, Lawyaw at Clio, Clio
Ivy B. Grey, Vice President of Strategy and Business Development, WordRake
Caroline Hall, Program Manager, DISCO
Joe Regalia, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law
Jacqueline Schafer, Founder and CEO, Clearbrief
Jennifer L. Wondracek, Capital University Law School

How do you teach technological competence or law practice technology without using technology? You don't. Third-party vendors Westlaw and Lexis have been part of the law school classroom for decades in the research curriculum, but many teachers in the legal technology and practical skills space cast a wider net to engage more technologists and vendors to enhance the student learning experience. This session will welcome some short spotlight sessions from vendors to simulate what the classroom experience might be for students, and then a discussion panel will explore how and why we use third-party tools to support pedagogical teaching goals.

1:30 – 3 pm
COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES
Marriott Hall Foyer, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Connect with old friends and colleagues, meet new ones, or map out your schedule for the day over a cup of coffee or tea. Breaks include coffee, tea, and pastries in the morning and coffee, tea, and cookies in the afternoon.
3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON ADMINISTRATIVE LAW**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

### New Voices in Administrative Law

**Moderators:**
- Jamelle C. Sharpe, University of Illinois College of Law
- Glen Staszewski, Michigan State University College of Law

**Commentators:**
- Anya Bernstein, University at Buffalo School of Law, The State University of New York
- Rodger Daniel Citron, Touro University Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center
- William F. Funk, Lewis and Clark Law School
- Craig Green, Temple University, James E. Beasley School of Law
- Linda D. Jellum, University of Idaho College of Law
- Michael P. Malloy, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law
- Richard W. Murphy, Texas Tech University School of Law
- David L. Noll, Rutgers Law School
- Richard J. Pierce, Jr., The George Washington University Law School
- Mark Seidenfeld, Florida State University College of Law
- Bijal Shah, Boston College Law School
- Mila Sohoni, University of San Diego School of Law
- Peter L. Strauss, Columbia Law School
- Christopher J. Walker, The University of Michigan Law School
- Melissa Wasserman, The University of Texas School of Law
- David Zaring, Assistant Professor of Legal Studies, The Wharton School
- University of Pennsylvania Legal Studies and Business Ethics Department

**Works-in-Progress Presenters:**
- Christine Chabot, Loyola University Chicago School of Law
- Emily Chertoff, Columbia Law School
- Haiyun Damon-Feng, New York University School of Law
- Laura Dolbow, University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School
- Amy C. Gaudion, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
- Jacob Hamburger, Cornell Law School
- Katharine Jackson, University of Dayton School of Law
- Shalini Ray, University of Alabama School of Law
- Shalev Roisman, The University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
- Carrie Rosenbaum, Chapman University Dale E. Fowler School of Law
- Lauren Roth, Touro University Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center
- Amy Semet, University at Buffalo School of Law, The State University of New York

The New Voices in Administrative Law event gives junior administrative law scholars an opportunity to receive useful feedback on their work from more senior scholars before submitting the work for publication. Each participating junior scholar is assigned two designated reviewers. The reviewers are senior administrative law scholars who will have read the junior scholar’s paper in advance and will offer constructive comments during the program. Anyone who is interested in participating in one of the discussions is welcome to join.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON CHILDREN AND THE LAW, CO-SPONSORED BY INDIAN NATIONS AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLES
Marriott Grand Ballroom 12, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Pedagogical Lessons from ICWA: Incorporating Indigenous Frames into Child and Family Law

Moderator: Neoshia Roemer, University of Idaho College of Law
Speakers: Cassondra Church, Michigan State University College of Law
Marcia A. Zug, University of South Carolina School of Law

This pedagogy panel offers expertise on integrating indigenous frameworks into Family Law and Children and the Law courses. This panel will discuss how to implement lessons on the Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA) in both doctrinal and clinical classroom settings, while grounding it in both political and cultural terms and emphasizing its importance to family law, children and the law, and other courses. The panel will also incorporate important aspects of Texas v. Haaland, the pending ICWA Supreme Court case that will address the constitutionality of this monumental federal law.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON EAST ASIAN LAW & SOCIETY, CO-SPONSORED BY COMPARATIVE LAW
Marriott Grand Ballroom 11, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Hot Topics in Post-COVID Asia: Priorities and Strategies for Recovery and Growth

Moderator: Irene Calboli, Texas A&M University School of Law
Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Anupam Chander, Georgetown University Law Center
Mark A. Cohen, University of California, Berkeley School of Law
Meredith Kolsky Lewis, University at Buffalo School of Law, The State University of New York
Xuan-Thao Nguyen, University of Washington School of Law

This panel will address post-Covid responses in Asia with a specific focus on trade, intellectual property, and digital law.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS, CO-SPONSORED BY CLINICAL LEGAL EDUCATION, NEW LAW PROFESSORS AND TEACHING METHODS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 1, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Urgent Issues in Human Rights Law in a Post-Pandemic World: Has the Pandemic Changed What and How We Teach Human Rights?

Moderator and Speaker: Sital Kalantry, Seattle University School of Law
Speakers: Laurel E. Fletcher, University of California, Berkeley School of Law
Erika George, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law
Jocelyn Getgen Kestenbaum, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law

During the pandemic, most law schools migrated to remote learning. We learned the challenges and possibilities of this platform. During these times, we also faced uncertain and challenging political situations that placed emphasis on new and existing human rights problems, including racial justice. In this panel, we will discuss the lessons we have learned as human rights clinical and doctrinal professors about new methods of teaching in these last few years. We will focus on business and human rights, DEI, genocide prevention and other substantive topics. We will discuss specific ways in which the speakers have incorporated new methods into their teaching and will invite the audience to also share their perspectives.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON MINORITY GROUPS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 13, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

New Voices in Justice and Inequality
Moderator: Christopher Ogolla, Barry University Dwayne O. Andreas School of Law
Commentators: Williamson B. Chang, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law
Vinay Harpalani, University of New Mexico School of Law
Maryann Herman, Thomas R. Kline School of Law of Duquesne University
Mark A. Levin, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law
Emile Loza de Siles, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law

Works-in-Progress Presenters:
Emily T. Behzadi, California Western School of Law
Jade A. Craig, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law
Janel George, Georgetown University Law Center
Carla Laroche, Washington and Lee University School of Law
Evelyn Lia Malavé, Maurice A. Deane School of Law at Hofstra University

Promising early-career legal scholars will present their Justice and Inequality works-in-progress in conversation with commentators and the audience. This panel focuses on compelling current topics addressing inequitable legislation and other law. International governing bodies and federal, state, and local governments, including courts, recently have created legislation or regulations or taken administrative actions that likely have far-reaching effects on minority populations. Inequalities embodied in law and recommendations for new doctrinal and praxis models are central themes of the works, and the power and duties of law schools to contribute to changes toward justice and equality are likewise featured.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON PROPERTY LAW
San Diego Ballroom Salon A, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

New Voices in Property Law
Moderator: Andrea J. Boyack, Washburn University School of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
Jade A. Craig, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law
Daniielle D’Onfro, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law
Elizabeth Elia, University of New Mexico School of Law
Paula A. Franzese, Seton Hall University School of Law
Meghan Morris, University of Cincinnati College of Law
Daniel Rosenbaum, Michigan State University College of Law

This works-in-progress program brings together junior (pre-tenure or teaching for seven or fewer years) with senior property law scholars to give the junior scholars an opportunity to present and receive useful feedback on papers not yet submitted for publication. In addition to having the opportunity to share work through the panel, at least one senior scholar will be designated as a reviewer who will have read the paper ahead of time and will be prepared to lead a discussion on the paper at the program.
3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON SECURITIES REGULATION
San Diego Ballroom Salon B, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Emerging Voices in Securities Regulation

Moderator: Benjamin Edwards, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law
Commentator: Michael D. Guttentag, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles
Andrew Tuch, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law

Works-in-Progress Presenter:
William W. Clayton, Brigham Young University, J. Reuben Clark Law School
Caleb N. Griffin, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Robert A. Leflar Law Center

The Emerging Voices panel provides an opportunity for junior scholars to present work and obtain comments from more senior scholars.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON SOCIO-ECONOMICS
Marriott Grand Ballroom 10, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Teaching Economic Literacy in Law School and Other University Courses

The AALS Section on Socio-Economics will explore the theme of “Economic Literacy for a Democratic Society: A New, Central Role for Socio-Economics in the Academy and in Politics” in three related annual meeting sessions.

This pedagogy session will explore “Teaching Economic Literacy in Law School and Other University Courses.” This session will begin with a keynote presentation by the Section’s founder, Professor Robert Ashford, Syracuse University, followed by commentary by Section members and others. Invited commentators include all past Section chairs and some of its most active program participants over the past twenty-six years.

3 – 4:40 pm
SECTION ON TECHNOLOGY, LAW AND LEGAL EDUCATION
San Diego Ballroom Salon C, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Works-in-Progress - Intersection of Law and Technology

Moderator: Kevin P. Lee, North Carolina Central University School of Law
Speaker: Jon M. Garon, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law
Speaker from a Call for Papers:
Wesley M. Oliver, Thomas R. Kline School of Law of Duquesne University
Michele R. Pistone, Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law
Drew T. Simshaw, Gonzaga University School of Law

This session gives faculty an opportunity to present a work-in-progress and to receive substantive feedback on their work from scholars who research and write in similar or related fields.
3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON TRUSTS AND ESTATES**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 8, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Works-in-Progress in Trusts and Estates**

Moderator: Victoria J. Haneman, Creighton University School of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
- Dave Fagundes, University of Houston Law Center
- Juan Carlos Ibarra, University of San Francisco School of Law
- Christopher J. Ryan, Jr., University of Louisville, Louis D. Brandeis School of Law
- Timothy M. Todd, Liberty University School of Law

Presenters will discuss a variety of topics related to trusts and estates including dead-hand control, the idea of a smart trust, arbitration provisions in trust instruments, and racial inequality related to the use of trusts.

The Section held a virtual business meeting prior to the Annual Meeting.

3 – 4:40 pm
**SECTION ON WOMEN IN LEGAL EDUCATION**
*Marriott Grand Ballroom 3, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**Emerging Voices in Feminist Theory**

Moderator: Danielle C. Jefferis, University of Nebraska College of Law

Speakers from a Call for Papers:
- Tiffany C. Graham, Touro University Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center
- Emily Stolzenberg, Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law
- Ann E. Tweedy, University of South Dakota Knudson School of Law

This works-in-progress session will give scholars writing on any topic concerning feminist theory the opportunity for engagement on a current project with others in the field. Each selected scholar will present a work-in-progress and receive comments from an assigned commentator, as well as from other participants. The session will provide selected scholars with a supportive environment in which to receive constructive feedback.

5 – 6 pm
**AALS RECEPTION FOR LEGAL EDUCATORS FROM LAW SCHOOLS OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES**
*Presidio Rooms, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

Law increasingly exists in a global context, both in the delivery of legal services and legal education itself. As educators, we aspire to help students develop the global competencies and connections needed for them to fully take part in the future of the legal profession. A more international perspective can also enrich our own scholarship and teaching. AALS invites legal educators from outside the United States to attend this reception held in their honor. The reception will provide an opportunity to mingle with colleagues from law schools all around the globe and forge potential partnerships and connections.

5 – 10 pm
**SOCIETY OF SOCIO-ECONOMISTS ANNUAL MEETING**
*Pacific Ballroom Salon 17, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*
1 – 2:40 pm
**Section on Associate Deans for Academic Affairs and Research**

*Marriott Grand Ballroom 9, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

1 – 1:50 pm
**LLM (Law, Learning and Motivation): Transforming Legal Education via Learning and Motivation Principles**

**Moderator:** Olympia R. Duhart, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law  
**Speakers:** Jeffrey R. Baker, Pepperdine University, Rick J. Caruso School of Law  
Chalak Richards, Pepperdine University, Rick J. Caruso School of Law  
Deepika Sharma, University of Southern California Gould School of Law  
Nickey Woods, University of Southern California Gould School of Law

*AALS thanks BARBRI Global for its support of this session.*

Legal education and support are often described as entrenched in traditional methods of teaching and assessing student learning. Pedagogical considerations in law school classrooms and law school support systems rarely include a focus on how learning and motivation theory, and their practical applications, can positively impact the law student experience. In this session, participants will learn how to apply learning and motivation principles in the law school, with the overall goal of maximizing student learning and engagement, including a focus on self-regulation, goal setting, self-evaluation, cognitive load, emotions, and self-efficacy.

1:50 – 2:40 pm
**Spreading the Love: Best Practices for Implementing ABA Standard 303 Across Your Law School**

**Moderator:** Olympia R. Duhart, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law  
**Speakers:** Lindsey P. Gustafson, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, William H. Bowen School of Law  
Aric K. Short, Texas A&M University School of Law  
Robin C. Thorner, St. Mary’s University of San Antonio School of Law

This panel will address best practices and ABA expectations for new ABA Standard 303 implementation, as reflected in a Fall 2022 site visit, and how Associate Deans may act to ensure that the responsibility for implementing Standard 303 is dispersed equitably. We plan to specifically address the concern that this work may fall disproportionately on those faculty or staff who are already overworked and/or unprotected by tenure, such as skills faculty, academic support professionals, and career services advisors. We plan to open the discussion to explore implementation experiences, particularly as they relate to distributing the workload.
1 – 4:40 pm

**Section on Comparative Law, Co-Sponsored by East Asian Law & Society**

*Marina Ballroom Salon D, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

1 – 2:40 pm

**The Comparative Classroom**

3 – 4:40 pm

**To be announced**

Business meeting held on Wednesday, January 4, 2023 at 6 pm.

1 – 4:40 pm

**Section on Federal Courts, Co-Sponsored by Conflict of Laws**

*Marina Ballroom Salon E, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

1 – 2:40 pm

**Dispelling the Myth: The Business of the Federal Judicial System, Today**

*Moderator:* Merritt E. McAlister, University of Florida Fredric G. Levin College of Law

*Speakers:* Maggie Gardner, Cornell Law School
James E. Pfander, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law
Elizabeth H. Reese, Stanford Law School
Fred O. Smith, Jr., Emory University School of Law

This panel traces the development of the federal courts “canon.” It does so critically, with an eye toward what has been left out. For example, federal law related to Indian tribes has never been treated as canon. It also explores how the federal courts—beyond the Supreme Court—really operate. Magistrate judges and bankruptcy judges play key roles; district courts focus on MDLs; appellate courts rely on non-binding precedent. Meanwhile, the Supreme Court has undermined animating assumptions of the field—including by reshaping enforcement mechanisms for constitutional rights. This panel considers the state of the field and the class, today

3 – 4:40 pm

**Section Business Meeting**

*Moderator:* Diego Zambrano, Stanford Law School
1 – 4:40 pm
Section on Legal History, Co-Sponsored by Administrative
Law, Jewish Law, Law Professors with Disabilities and Allies,
Professional Responsibility, and Women in Legal Education
Marina Ballroom Salon F, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

1 – 2:40 pm
Legacies of Exclusion in Legal Education and Licensing

Moderator and Speaker:  Joan W. Howarth, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law

Speakers:  Samuel J. Levine, Touro University Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center
           Gregory Scott Parks, Wake Forest University School of Law
           Carla D. Pratt, University of Oklahoma College of Law
           Mary Szto, Syracuse University College of Law

Access to the profession operates within the legacy of largely unexamined histories of purposeful exclusion that may challenge our comfort with current practices. Professor Mary Szto will present ordeals of a Chinese-American graduate of Columbia Law in the context of the Chinese Exclusion Acts. Professors Carla Pratt and Gregory Parks will address the exclusion of Black lawyers. Professor Samuel Levine will address the exclusion of immigrant, Jewish, and other minority communities, particularly early in the twentieth century. Professor Joan Howarth will discuss character and fitness exclusions targeting LGBTQ candidates and people with disabilities, from her book, *Shaping the Bar* (Stanford Univ. Press 2022).

3 – 4:40 pm
Misreading the Record: The Use (and Abuse) of History in Recent Federal Court Cases about the Administrative State

Speakers:  Andrea Katz, Washington University in St. Louis School of Law
           Jane Manners, Temple University, James E. Beasley School of Law
           Noah A. Rosenblum, New York University School of Law
           Jed H. Shugerman, Fordham University School of Law

Business meeting at program conclusion.
1 – 4:40 pm
**Section on Pre-Law Education and Admission to Law School Co-Sponsored by Law School Admission Council**

**Socially Conscious: Understanding the Next Generation of Law Students**

Marina Ballroom Salon G, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

1 – 2:40 pm
**PRE-LAW EDUCATION AND ADMISSION TO LAW SCHOOL CO-SPONSORED BY LAW SCHOOL ADMISSION COUNCIL**

**The Law Student Experience: Understanding the Next Generation of Law Students**

**Moderator:** Patricia K. Kinney, Indiana University Robert H. McKinney School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Riddhi Dalal, Law Student, Arizona State University Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law
- Zach DeMeola, Director of Strategic Initiatives, Law School Admission Council
- Valerie James, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law
- Bayrex Martí, University of California, Los Angeles School of Law

We are on the cusp of welcoming Generation Z to law school. How are these law students different than past generations? Our panel of experts will dive into data about demographic and motivational changes of students over the past decade. We will then discuss what these changes mean for our campus communities and practical applications on how we can support students from differing backgrounds to make our campuses stronger.

Attendees of this session are encouraged to attend the complementary session “The Law Student Experience: Fostering Growth from Pre-Law Through Practice” which immediately follows.

3 – 4:40 pm
**LAW SCHOOL ADMISSION COUNCIL PROGRAM**

**The Law Student Experience: Fostering Growth from Pre-Law Through Practice**

**Moderator:** Zach DeMeola, Director of Strategic Initiatives, Law School Admission Council

**Speakers:**
- Roberto L. Corrada, University of Denver Sturm College of Law
- Riddhi Dalal, Law Student, Arizona State University Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law
- Yolanda Ingram, University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School
- Sandra S. Yamate, Chief Executive Officer, The Institute for Inclusion in the Legal Profession

This program offers a variety of perspectives to help faculty support student development and foster an even stronger ecosystem for a new generation of students and lawyers. Topics include how to support the development of a more diverse and inclusive student body; how incorporating better cultural competency, confidence, and self-awareness principles benefit all students; and how to ensure equal access to guidance for professional identity formation and professional development. The program will build on information presented earlier in the day by the AALS Section on Pre-Law Education and Admission to Law School about changing demographics and motivations of law students.
Friday, January 6

8 – 11:40 am
Sections on Civil Rights and Minority Groups Joint Program
Marriott Grand Ballroom 5, Lobby Level, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

8 – 9:40 am
Stirring the Ashes, Saving the Coals: Civil Rights After 2022

Moderator: Marc-Tizoc Gonzalez, University of New Mexico School of Law
Speakers: Paul Gowder, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law
          Emile Loza de Siles, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law
          Reva B. Siegel, Yale Law School
          Francisco X. Valdes, University of Miami School of Law

10 – 11:40 am
Critical Leadership, Accountability, and Justice Within Organizations

Moderator: Thalia González, University of California, Hastings College of the Law
Speakers: Garrett I. Halydier, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law
          Bijal Shah, Boston College Law School
          John Towers Rice, Thomas R. Kline School of Law of Duquesne University
          Richard Wallsgrove, University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law

Lawyers and the organizations they lead have a duty to care for justice. This duty is important to accomplish justice, but also to justify the legitimacy of organizations and their lawyers. This duty requires that lawyers address and demonstrate progress toward social inequities, including problems of access, equity, discrimination, and under-representation of diverse constituencies. How do lawyers work for justice inside organizations? How can lawyers leverage their organizational roles and capabilities toward justice? How can lawyers hold their institutions accountable to act authentically to advance justice? What can leaders do to enhance and effectuate justice that is not performative?
12 – 5 pm

AALS Workshop for Pretenured Law School Teachers of Color

Marina Ballroom Salon E, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

12 – 12:10 pm
WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION TO THE WORKSHOP

Speakers: Mario L. Barnes, University of California, Irvine School of Law
Erwin Chemerinsky, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

12:10 – 12:40 pm
SESSION 1

On Being an “Other” in the Classroom, Law School, and University

Moderator: Mario L. Barnes, University of California, Irvine School of Law

Speakers: Jennifer Chacon, Stanford Law School
Robert S. Chang, Seattle University School of Law
Kaaryn S. Gustafson, University of California, Irvine School of Law

12:55 – 1:40 pm
SESSION 2

Navigating the Path to Tenure and Promotion

Speakers: Ifeoma Ajunwa, University of North Carolina School of Law
Kevin R. Johnson, University of California, Davis School of Law
Trina Jones, Duke University School of Law
Crystal Yang, Harvard Law School

2:05 – 2:50 pm
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Teaching

Moderators: Monica C. Bell, Yale Law School
Juan F. Perea, Loyola University Chicago School of Law

Speakers: Cynthia Lee, The George Washington University Law School
Carla D. Pratt, University of Oklahoma College of Law

3 – 3:45 pm
SESSION 4

Scholarship

Moderator: Mario L. Barnes, University of California, Irvine School of Law

Speakers: Andrea Chandrasekher, University of California, Davis School of Law
Angela I. Onwuachi-Willig, Boston University School of Law
Zahr Said, University of Washington School of Law

3:55 – 4 pm
CLOSING REMARKS

Speaker: Mario L. Barnes, University of California, Irvine School of Law
1 - 4:40 pm

**AALS Symposium Program**

*How Law Schools Can Make a Difference: DEI Work in the Curriculum, in the Classroom, and in the Courtroom*

*Miramar Ballroom Salon D, Third Floor, South Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*

**WELCOME**

**Speakers:**
- Gregory W. Bowman, Roger Williams University School of Law
- Carmia N. Caesar, The George Washington University Law School
- Erwin Chemerinsky, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

Changes in ABA standards have led to more inclusive and equitable law school curricula, which in turn have significantly impacted law school faculty and administrations, the practice of law, and the judiciary. This symposium will address the changes taking place, offer practical guidance for navigating these changes, and discuss how these changes affect the judiciary and the practice of law.

1 - 2 pm

**PANEL 1**

**DEI Work in the Curriculum**

**Moderator:**
- Diana J. Hassel, Roger Williams University School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Danielle M. Conway, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law
- Claire Donohue, Boston College Law School
- Bernard K. Freamon, Roger Williams University School of Law
- Nadiyah J. Humber, University of Connecticut School of Law

This panel will address DEI curricular changes at several law schools. Panelists will discuss how new and revamped classes came to be, how these classes were developed, and how they were received by students. Attendees will hear from members of law school communities where changes were made to meet student demand and ABA standards.

2:20 - 3:20 pm

**PANEL 2**

**DEI Work in the Classroom**

**Moderator:**
- Nicole P. Dyszelwski, Roger Williams University School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Alena M. Allen, Deputy Director, Association of American Law Schools
- Tiffany C. Graham, Touro University Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center
- Suzanne Harrington-Steppen, Roger Williams University School of Law
- Monica Teixeira de Sousa, Roger Williams University School of Law

Changes to law school curricula, and pressure from students to make legal education more inclusive and equitable, have tangible consequences for law school faculty and administrators. This panel will address how some law schools have worked to support faculty through these advances. In particular, panelists will discuss the use of informal teaching support groups and speaker series to provide faculty with the knowledge and tools to grapple with change.
3:40 – 4:40 pm

PANEL 3

DEI Work in the Courtroom

Moderator: Nicole P. Dyszlewski, Roger Williams University School of Law

Speakers:
- Tara I. Allen, Roger Williams University School of Law
- Brooklyn Crockton, Roger Williams University School of Law, Alum of Class of 2022, Roger Williams University School of Law
- Meera E. Deo, Southwestern Law School
- Melissa DuBose, Associate Judge, Rhode Island District Court
- Amirta Mallik, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Officer, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

Changes to legal education to address diversity, equity, and inclusion will necessarily impact the practice of law. This panel will address how the practice of law is changing, as well as how courts are responding to these changes.
Saturday, January 7

8 – 4:40 pm  
**Section on Student Services**  
Making a Difference – Creating a Sense of Belonging in Law Schools and the Legal Profession  
*Pacific Ballroom Salon 18, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina*  
Business meeting at program conclusion.

8 – 9:40 am  
**Keynote Address by Jennifer Rikard, PhD**  
**Moderator:** J. Trent Kennedy, Georgetown University Law Center  
**Speaker:** Jennifer Rikard, Director, Counseling & Psychological Services, San Diego State University

Dr. Jennifer Rikard is the Director of Counseling & Psychological Services and Chief Mental Health Officer at San Diego State University. She is a developer of the e-CHECKUP TO GO intervention program, used on over 600 campuses worldwide. She is a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, adjunct faculty in SDSU’s American Indian Studies, and a founding member of the Native American and Indigenous Faculty/Staff Association. She will speak on mental health with today’s students and building coalitions of support for caregivers and students.

10 – 11:40 am  
**Building a Culture of Wellness and Self-Care On Campus and Student Services Section Business Meeting**  
**Moderator:** Jeffrey Allan Dodge, Associate Dean for Academic & Student Services and Assistant Professor of Law, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law

The demands and pressures of law school take a toll on students, faculty, and administrators alike. This panel will continue the conversations begun in the keynote lecture by contextualizing ways law schools have built a culture that values wellness and self-care through programs, resources, and support for collective mental health well-being. Panelists will share their efforts, and attendees will have space to advance the conversation. The panel will be followed by the Student Services Section Business Meeting.

1 – 2:40 pm  
**Enhancing Your Capacity for DEI Work**  
**Moderator:** Jeffrey Allan Dodge, Associate Dean for Academic & Student Services and Assistant Professor of Law, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law  
**Speaker:** Taryn Petryk, Director, Equity & Fairness Consulting | Inclusive Futures & Strategy, Cisco Systems

Taryn Petryk, Director of Equity and Fairness Consulting at Cisco and former Director of Diversity and Inclusion at the University of Michigan Ross School of Business will offer instruction, insight and strategies for enhancing your capacity and your team’s capacity for work in the diversity, equity and inclusion space.
3 – 4:40 pm
*Positioning Ourselves to Make a Difference: A Roundtable Discussion on the Future of the Law Student Services Profession*

**Moderator:** Jeffrey Allan Dodge, Associate Dean for Academic & Student Services and Assistant Professor of Law, The Pennsylvania State University – Dickinson Law

The pandemic, the “Great Resignation”, and field-specific trends are all driving changes in who can be a law student services professional and what our work entails. Join us for a roundtable discussion about the history of the field, its present challenges, and how we can work together to transform it into a more equitable and sustainable profession in the future.

1 – 4:40 pm
*Section on Civil Procedure, Co-Sponsored by Creditors’ and Debtors’ Rights, Litigation, and Remedies*

Temecula 1 & 2, First Floor, North Tower, Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

1 – 2 pm
*Courts: At the Margin or the Core?*

**Moderator:** Myriam Gilles, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Anna E. Carpenter, University of Utah, S. J. Quinney College of Law
- Angelique W. EagleWoman, Sisseton Wahpeton Dakota Oyate, Dean, Mitchell Hamline School of Law
- Llezlie L. Green, American University, Washington College of Law
- Troy A. McKenzie, New York University School of Law

“Courts: At the Margin or the Core?” explores the propriety of federal court centrality in Civil Procedure. Scholars share empirical research revealing state court dominance, examine the contested nature of legal authority between tribal courts and others, grapple with the use of bankruptcy courts to resolve mass claims and aggregate litigation, and center small claims and other lawyerless courts in the civil justice system.

2:20 – 3:20 pm
*The Centrality and Vulnerability of Aggregation*

**Moderator:** Suzette M. Malveaux, University of Colorado Law School

**Speaker:** Diane P. Wood, Chief Judge, Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals

“The Centrality and Vulnerability of Aggregation” features Judge Diane Wood (7th Circuit), who will share her experience as Chief Judge, lawyer and Senior Lecturer of Law at the University of Chicago Law School. She will explore the role of courts and access to justice issues, including the use of collective redress mechanisms and interpretative challenges posed by applying the Federal Rules of Procedure.
3:40 – 4:40 pm

**What’s In, What’s Out: How to Teach Civil Procedure in an Increasingly Crowded Curriculum**

**Moderator:** Brooke D. Coleman, Seattle University School of Law

**Speakers:**
- Allan H. Erbsen, University of Minnesota Law School
- Marcus Gadson, Campbell University Norman Adrian Wiggins School of Law
- Jonah Gelbach, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

“What’s In, What’s Out: How to Teach Civil Procedure in An Increasingly Crowded Curriculum” examines the increasingly difficult choices procedure professors must make when teaching this complex and critical area of law. This panel explores how professors decide what to cabin and why, how much to teach, and the relevance of what they teach. The panel also considers what may be on the horizon of legal education in this area.

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