

Mid-Atlantic People *of Color*
Legal Scholarship Conference

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Attn: Office of Special Events & CLE
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4801 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
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For Questions

Contact the Office of Special Events & CLE at 202.274.4075.

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January 27-28, 2006

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**Race & Rights in the
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Race & Rights in the 21st Century: Next Generation Issues

The Washington College of Law will host this year's Mid-Atlantic People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference as the first event of the Founder's Celebration for 2006. The Mid-Atlantic People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference is designed to give law faculty of color an opportunity to share ideas for scholarly projects, workshop works-in-progress, mentor junior law faculty members and to discuss critical and timely topics with law students and alumni. This year's Conference theme is "Race & Rights in the 21st Century: Next Generation Issues" and will include presentations by law professors from around the region (and beyond) on topics of interest ranging from Citizenship and Voting Rights to Criminal Justice and Public/Private Economic Justice. There will also be workshops for legal scholarship in various stages of completion. The keynote speaker for the Conference is Professor Taunya Banks of the University of Maryland and former Visiting Professor at the Washington College of Law.

Having the Mid-Atlantic Legal Scholarship Conference kick off the 2006 Founder's Celebration is particularly special because the organization selected Dean Claudio Grossman as the Charles Hamilton Houston Outstanding Dean of the Region in 2002.

Parking @ WCL

To help us maintain good relations with our neighbors, we ask that you park in the law school's underground lot. For complimentary parking, please email your name and dates of attendance to nrennie@wcl.american.edu no later than **Friday, January 20, 2006**.

Special Needs

Any person with disabilities attending the conference who believes he or she might need a reasonable accommodation to participate should contact us at least two weeks in advance at (202) 274-4075 or via e-mail at secl@wcl.american.edu.

Agenda

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- 8:00 am Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:45 am Welcome by Dean Claudio Grossman, American University Washington College of Law Program Chair A. Mechele Dickerson (William & Mary/Texas)
- 9:00 am Panel #1: Voting and Race
Sherrilyn Ifill (Maryland), Dan Tokaji (Ohio State)
Kareem Crayton (USC) and Jamin Raskin (AU)
- 10:30 am Panel #2: Citizenship, Criminal Justice & Race
Enid Trucios-Haynes (Louisville), Angela Davis (AU)
Kevin Johnson (Davis), Victor Romero (Penn State-Dickinson/Howard) and Kim Forde-Mazrui (U Va)
- 12:30 pm Lunch Program with Washington College of Law Students
- 2:00 pm Panel #3: Public and Private Economic Justice
Pamela Bridgewater (AU), Darren Hutchinson (AU) and Cassandra Jones Havad (Baltimore)
- 3:45 pm Panel #4: Evaluating Teaching
Alice Thomas (UDC), Cedric Powell (Louisville), Serena Williams (Widener) and Gil Holmes (Baltimore)
- 5:00 pm Panel #5: From Practice to Law Teaching: A Roundtable on Strategies, Opportunities and Challenges. Moderated by Angela Davis
- 6:00 pm Reception Hosted by American University Washington College of Law Faculty and Alumni

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- 8:30 am Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 am Concurrent Works-In-Progress Session # 1
- 10:00 am Concurrent Works-In-Progress Session #2
- 11:15am Concurrent Works-In-Progress Session #3
- 12:30 pm Luncheon
Introduction by Mark Niles, Associate Dean (AU)
Keynote Speaker, Taunya Banks (Maryland)
- 2:30 pm Concurrent Works-In-Progress Session # 4
- 3:30 pm Planning Meeting for 2006-2007 Conference
- 4:30 pm Concurrent Works-In-Progress Session #5
- 5:30 pm The Last Word Veryl Miles (Catholic)
- 6:00 pm Closing Remarks by Host Site Chair Pamela Bridgewater (AU) and Conference Chair Dorothy A. Brown (Washington & Lee)
- 7:00 pm Closing Reception & Dinner
Bus Boys and Poets (202114th Street, NW)

Hotels

General Information: Blocks of rooms have been reserved at various hotels located near Washington College of Law. The conference rates are listed below. Individuals are responsible for room, tax, and incidental charges. All charges will be paid by the Individuals upon check-out. You will be required to give a credit card to guarantee your reservation. Please note the deadlines dates for each hotel for reduced rates. After the respective deadlines, all reservations will be made on a space and rate availability basis.

Holiday Inn Chevy Chase

Conference Rate: **\$149.00 | Free Parking & Continental Breakfast**

(Rate Guaranteed until December 24, 2005)*

5520 Wisconsin Avenue | Chevy Chase, MD 20015

Tel: 301.656.1500 Fax: 301.654.5045

Contact: Romel De Melo

Reservation Method: Call the Holiday Inn directly at 301.656.1500 and mention the code "**WCU**" for the Conference Rate.



Embassy Suites Hotel at the Chevy Chase Pavilion

Conference Rate: **\$149 for King Suites |**

\$169 for Double suites | Full Breakfast

(Rate Guaranteed until January 10, 2006)*

4300 Military Road, NW | Chevy Chase, MD 20015

Tel: 202.349.2000 Fax: 202.686.3405

Website:

www.embassysuitesdc.com

Contact: Lisa Hahn

Reservation Method: Call the Embassy Suites Hotel directly at (202) 362-9300, or toll-free at 1-888-324-2728. Please ask for the **AU-Washington**

College of Law block to secure the group rate.



Hyatt Regency Bethesda

Conference Rate: **\$139.00/night | Continental Breakfast**

(Rate Guaranteed until January 12, 2006)*

One Bethesda Metro Center | Bethesda, MD 20814

Tel: 301.657.6400 Fax: 301.657.6478 Website: www.hyatt.com.

Contact: Nancy Russo

Reservation Method: Call the Hyatt Worldwide Reservations Center at (800) 233-1234 or by calling the hotel directly at (301)-657-1234. Please

specify "**Hyatt Regency Bethesda**" and "**American University Washington College of Law**" to receive the special rate.



**All reservations made after "rate guaranteed" date will be on a space and rate availability basis.*