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the Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia and
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Presents

Preserving the Past, Celebrating the Future:
A Continued Commemoration of Our Shared History
with keynote speaker

The Hon. Vanessa Ruiz, Associate Judge,
District of Columbia Court of Appeals

The Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia and the Washington College of Law share an important history in advancing women in the law and women's rights. This year we are celebrating this joint history by coming together to discuss the intersection between immigration and violence against women. In both the domestic and international contexts, immigration and violence are inexorably connected.

This timely event marks the 15th Anniversary of the Violence Against Women Act and the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women.

Thursday, October 29, 2009

6:30 - 9:00 p.m.

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