

# Schedule of Events

**Wednesday through Saturday, October 10-13, 2013**

American University Washington College of Law  
4801 Massachusetts Ave. NW  
Washington, DC 20016

All conference events will take place at American University Washington College of Law, with the exception of the Wednesday evening reception, which will take place downtown at the Library of Congress.

## **Wednesday, October 10, 2012**

11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**Conference Registration**  
Outside Room 603

12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

**Women's Health & Human Rights: Maternal Mortality**  
Room 603

Susana Gomez, LL.M. 2012, Panelist  
*Legal Focal Point for the Institute of Human Rights and Health  
Albany University & Pan-American Health Organization*

Jeryl Hayes, LL.M. 2012, Panelist  
*Reproductive Justice Law & Policy Fellow  
Black Women's Health Imperative*

Daniela Kraiem, Faculty Moderator  
*Associate Director of the Women and the Law Program  
American University Washington College of Law*

Javier Vasquez, LL.M. 1996, Panelist  
*Human Rights Advisor  
The Pan-American Health Organization*

1:30 p.m. -- 2:45 p.m.

**A Career in Arbitration**  
Room 603

Christian de la Medina Soto, LL.M. 2013, Moderator  
*LL.M. Board President for the International Legal Studies Program  
American University Washington College of Law*

Charbel Moarbes, Panelist  
*Attorney at Law  
Moarbes LLP*

3:00 p.m. -- 4:15 p.m.

**Law Firm Life**  
Room 603

Chrys Lemon, J.D. 1991, Panelist  
*Partner*  
*McIntyre & Lemon PLLC*

Ahmed Salman, Panelist  
*Partner*  
*Bait Al-Hikma Company for Legal Services and Consultancy, Iraq*

Michael Stone, LL.M. 2013, Moderator  
*LL.M. Board Mentorship Chair for the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Jorge Luis Vera Mera, J.D. 2013, Panelist

6:30 p.m. -- 8:30 p.m.

**Law Library of Congress Reception  
& Global Network Launch**

The Madison Hall, The Madison Building, The Library of Congress

Gina R. Evers, Speaker  
*Alumni Coordinator & English Tutor for the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Claudio Grossman, Speaker  
*Dean*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

David Hunter, Moderator  
*Professor of Law & Director of the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

David Mao, Speaker  
*Law Librarian of Congress*  
*Law Library of Congress*

Join us in the majestic Madison Hall at the Library of Congress for an evening reception in honor of the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the International Legal Studies Program. During the reception, we will also be launching a special 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Edition of *Global Network*, ILSP's alumni magazine.

The Library of Congress is easily accessible via Metro. For conference participants who will be traveling directly from the law school to the Library of Congress, one-way bus transportation will be provided. The bus boards in front of the law school at 6:00 p.m. and will accommodate the first fifty conference participants to arrive.

## **Thursday, October 11, 2012**

8:00 a.m -- 9:00 a.m

### **Breakfast & Dean's Welcome** Room 603

Claudio Grossman, Speaker  
*Dean*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

9:00 a.m. --10:15 a.m.

### **The Past & Future of International Law: 30 Years of ILSP** Room 603

Padideh Ala'i, Panelist  
*Professor of Law*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Daniel Bradlow, Panelist  
*Professor of Law*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Robert Goldman, Panelist  
*Professor of Law*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Claudio Grossman, Panelist  
*Dean*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

David Hunter, Moderator & Panelist  
*Professor of Law & Director of the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Current and former directors of the International Legal Studies Program come together to discuss the past 30 years of international legal scholarship at American University Washington College of Law as well as where the program and law school is headed in the future.

10:30 a.m. –11:45 a.m.

### **Working to End Torture** Room 603

Robert Goldman, Moderator (Invited)  
*Professor of Law*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Claudio Grossman, Panelist  
*Chair of the United Nations Committee against Torture*  
*Dean of American University Washington College of Law*

Juan Mendez, Panelist  
*United Nations Special Rapporteur on Torture*  
*Visiting Professor of Law at American University Washington College of Law*

Through their work with the United Nations, both Claudio Grossman and Juan Mendez are two international leaders in the fight to end the practice of torture. Come listen in on a conversation between these two international human rights activists about their work in the field.

12:00p.m. -- 1:15 p.m.

**Lunch & Presentation of the New Law Campus**  
Room 603

Claudio Grossman

*Dean*

*American University Washington College of Law*

Billie Jo Kaufman

*Professor of Law & Associate Dean for Library and Information Resources*

*American University Washington College of Law*

Learn more about the law school's plans to move into a new, state-of-the-art facility on American University's Tenley Campus.

1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

**Trends in Foreign Investment**  
Room 603

Motoko Aizawa, Panelist

*Advisor to the Sustainable Development Network*

*World Bank Group*

Daniel Bradlow, Faculty Moderator

*Professor of Law*

*American University Washington College of Law*

Marco Lazo de la Vega, LL.M. 1999, Panelist

*Senior Partner*

*Lazo de la Vega-Abogados S.C.*

Suria Nataadmadja, LL.M. 1987, Panelist

*Founder and Managing Partner*

*Suria Nataadmadja & Associates*

This Panel will discuss recent issues and trends in the law relating to foreign direct investment.

3:00 p.m. – 4:15p.m.

**Women in the Legal Profession: A Roundtable Discussion**  
Room 600

Dana Myrtenbaum, LL.M. 2004, Alumni Roundtable Chair

*Human Rights Lawyer*

*Itach- Ma'aki Organization of Woman Lawyers for Social Justice*

Samar Qudha Tannous, LL.M. 2013, Roundtable Chair

*Coordinator and Moderator of the Women Legal Leaders Program*

*Itach- Ma'aki Organization of Woman Lawyers for Social Justice*

Macarena Saez, Faculty Roundtable Chair  
*International Legal Studies Program Faculty Fellow*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Cathy Schenker, Faculty Roundtable Chair  
*Associate Director of the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Join this roundtable discussion to participate in a conversation on women in the legal profession and network with other women lawyers from around the world.

**Combatting Bribery & Other Forms of Corruption  
as a Multinational Corporation**  
Room 603

Paul Allaer, LL.M. 1984, Moderator  
*Partner*  
*Thompson Hine LLP*

Nancy Boswell, Panelist  
*President and CEO*  
*Transparency International- USA*

David Kukhalashvili, LL.M. 2003, Panelist  
*Founding Partner*  
*East West Law Group*

Michael Lee, LL.M. 2005, Panelist  
*Partner*  
*Tilleke & Gibbins*

Robert Starr, Panelist  
*Associate Director, Business Defence*  
*Greenwoods Solicitors LLP*

Francisco Velazquez, LL.M. 1983, Panelist  
*Senior Partner*  
*GOODRICH RIQUELME Y ASOCIADOS AC*

Xiaolin Zhou, Panelist  
*Partner*  
*Jun He Law Offices, New York*

Participate in an interactive discussion on preventing corruption as a multinational corporation. This panel will not only discuss issues covered by the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and its equivalent in other countries, but it will also include questionable practices not covered by the FCPA and its equivalents, such as the request of a kickback in a commercial transaction between private companies.

4:30 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

### **Business Law: A Roundtable Discussion**

Room 600

Lawrence Lee, LL.M. 1996, Alumni Roundtable Chair  
*Commissioner*  
*Taiwan Fair Trade Commission*

David Snyder, Faculty Roundtable Chair  
*Professor of Law & Director of Business Law Programs*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Join this roundtable discussion to participate in a conversation on current issues in international business, meet other alumni who engage in this work, and discuss best practices with your colleagues from around the world.

### **Trends in International Environmental Law**

Room 603

Gidon Bromberg, LL.M. 1994, Panelist  
*Israeli Director*  
*Friends of the Earth Middle East*

Claudia de Windt, LL.M. 2001, Panelist  
*Senior Legal Specialist & Chief Environmental Law, Policy & Good Governance*  
*Department of Sustainable Development, Organization of American States*

Paul Hagen, LL.M. 1990, Panelist  
*Principal*  
*Beveridge & Diamond PC*

Marcos Orellana, LL.M. 1998, S.J.D. 2009, Panelist  
*Senior Attorney and Director*  
*CIEL's Human Rights and Environment Program*

Durwood Zaelke, Faculty Moderator  
*Director*  
*International Network on Environmental Compliance*

This panel will provide a lively discussion of current issues and developments relating to international environmental law.

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

### **The Embassy Reception**

Sixth Floor Dining Room and Lounges

Diplomats representing countries throughout the world join current International Legal Studies Program students and alumni for an evening reception held at the law school. The International Legal Studies Program holds the Embassy Reception annually in honor of the diversity of our incoming class of LL.M. students. This year, ILSP is honored to include the event within our 30th Anniversary Celebration.

9:00 p.m.

**After Hours Reception**  
Cities: 919 19<sup>th</sup> St. NW

The International Legal Studies Program's student organization, the ILSP LL.M. Board, invites you to participate in an after hours reception. This will be another opportunity to meet and mingle with current students in the program.

**Friday, October 12, 2012**

8:00 a.m. -- 9:00 a.m.

**Breakfast**  
Outside Room 603

9:00a.m -- 10:15 a.m.

**Legal Education: A Roundtable Discussion**  
Room 501

Esteban Freeman, Law School Roundtable Chair  
*International Resources Coordinator for Study Abroad and International Exchange*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

David Hunter, Faculty Roundtable Chair  
*Professor of Law & Director of the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Ludmila Lavrova, LL.M. 1995, Alumni Roundtable Chair  
*Attorney at Law*  
*St. Petersburg Bar Association*

Join this roundtable discussion to participate in a conversation on current issues in legal education, meet other alumni who teach, and learn about best practices in legal education in various countries throughout the world.

**American University Washington of Law**  
**Beyond your LL.M. Degree**  
Room 603

Jennifer Dabson, Panelist  
*Director of the Office of Continuing Legal Education*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Gina R. Evers, Moderator & Panelist  
*Alumni Coordinator and English Tutor for the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Glenn Greenberg, Panelist  
*Director of Online Education*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Hilary Lappin, Panelist  
*Assistant Director of Admissions & Special Projects*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Melanija Radnovic, LL.M. 2008, Panelist  
*International Programs Coordinator*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Avis Sanders, Panelist  
*Director of the Externship Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Adriana Vito, Panelist  
*Assistant Director for International Career Programs*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

American University Washington College of Law has a lot to offer its alumni after graduation. Attend this panel presentation to learn more about the law school's new initiatives in continuing online education, its S.J.D. offering, career services, partnerships to provide young J.D. and LL.M. graduates with entry-level positions in your offices, as well as the ILSP alumni network.

10:30 a.m. –11:45 a.m.

**Free Tools for Legal Research**  
Room 503

Matthew Braun, Panelist  
*Acting Manager of the Public Services Division*  
*Law Library of Congress*

Billie Jo Kaufman, Panelist  
*Professor of Law & Associate Dean for Library and Information Resources*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

William Ryan, Panelist  
*Law Librarian*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Join experts from the Law Library of Congress and the Pence Law Library at American University Washington College of Law for a workshop on free legal research tools accessible from both inside and outside the United States.

**Trends in International Trade**  
Room 603

Padideh Ala'i, Faculty Moderator  
*Professor of Law*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Douglas Alvarado, LL.M. 1995, Panelist  
*Consultant*  
*International Economic Law Firm*

Mario Pujols Ortiz, LL.M. 2000, Panelist  
*Lawyer*  
*Pujols Canals Consultores Legales*

Jose Reyes Villalobos, LL.M. 2007, Panelist  
*Attorney at Law*  
*Legal Solutions Group*

Join this panel discussion of current issues and recent trends in international trade law.

12:00 p.m. -- 1:15 p.m .

**Informal Networking Lunch  
& Recording of Alumni Features**  
Room 603 and Sixth Floor Student Lounges

Members of the American University Washington College of Law faculty will be dining with conference participants to create an informal networking opportunity. Additionally, a videographer will be available during the lunch hour so that interested alumni have the opportunity to record an alumni testimonial. These testimonials will be shared on the ILSP web site and in future American University Washington College of Law promotional videos.

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Tours of the New Law Campus**  
Capital Auditorium, Capital Hall, Tenley Campus

David Hunter, Facilitator  
*Professor of Law & Director of the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Virginia Richardson, Facilitator  
*Project Manager & Architect*  
*Office of the University Architect, American University*

Continuous twenty-minute tours of the new law campus site will be taking place between 1:00 and 3:00 p.m. Please take the free American University shuttle to Tenley Campus and follow the signs to Capital Auditorium, where the tours will commence. Light refreshments will be served.

1:30 p.m. -- 2:45 p.m.

**Intellectual Property: A Roundtable Discussion**  
Room 500

Michael Carroll, Faculty Roundtable Chair  
*Professor of Law*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Peter Jaszi, Faculty Roundtable Chair  
*Professor of Law*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Join this roundtable discussion to participate in a conversation on current issues relating to the law of intellectual property, meet other alumni who work in IP, and discuss various countries' perspectives on new developments within the field.

**Trade Law: A Roundtable Discussion**

Room 601

Padideh Ala'i, Faculty Roundtable Chair

*Professor of Law*

*American University Washington College of Law*

Join this roundtable discussion to participate in a conversation on current issues in international trade, meet other alumni who work in trade, and discuss various countries' perspectives on trade regulations.

**Human Rights Challenges in the Rule of Law and Development**

Room 603

Thierno Balde, LL.M. 2005, Panelist

*Human Rights Defender and Political Activist*

Santiago Canton, Panelist

*Director of RFK Partners for Human Rights*

*Robert F. Kennedy Center for Justice & Human Rights*

Facundo Chavez Penillas, LL.M. 2013, Panelist

*Disability Rights Fellow & Activist*

*American University Washington College of Law*

Hadar Harris, Faculty Moderator

*Executive Director of the Center for Human Rights and Humanitarian Law*

*American University Washington College of Law*

Ahmed Jehangir, LL.M. 2013, Panelist

*Senior Superintendent of Police*

*The Government of Pakistan*

Carmel Pomerantz, LL.M. 2013, Panelist

*U.S. / Israel Civil Liberties Fellow*

*American University Washington College of Law*

Diego Rodriguez-Pinzon, LL.M. 1994, Panelist

*Co-Director of the Academy on Human Rights & Humanitarian Law*

*American University Washington College of Law*

Join this panel of experts as they discuss pressing political change and the movement towards democracy in Guinea, defending the global work of human rights defenders from the perspective of the RFK Center for Justice and Human Rights, protecting human rights and the rule of law from the eyes of the police in Pakistan, ensuring access for all – nationally and

regionally – from an Argentine perspective, creating a culture of law through human rights education and training, and defending attacks on civil society and human rights organizations.

3:00 p.m – 5:00 p.m.

**Tours of the Law Library of Congress**

Bus Boards in Front of the Law School at 2:30 p.m.

Attend an exclusive tour of the Law Library of Congress's collection of rare books, historic facility, and cutting-edge innovations in legal research. Round-trip bus transportation will be provided from the law school.

**ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION REQUIRED:**

The Law Library of Congress can only accommodate a limited number of guests. If you have not already received an e-mail confirmation from Alumni Coordinator Gina R. Evers stating that your space is confirmed on the Library tour, please visit the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference registration table outside room 603 in order to register for the tour.

3:00 p.m. -- 4:15 p.m.

**Human Rights Law: A Roundtable Discussion**

Room 601

Hadar Harris, Faculty Roundtable Chair

*Executive Director of the Center for Human Rights and Humanitarian Law  
American University Washington College of Law*

Join this roundtable discussion to participate in a conversation on current issues in international human rights and humanitarian law. Meet other alumni who work in the field, and discuss various countries' perspectives on emerging human rights issues.

**Trends in International Commercial Arbitration**

Room 603

Celine Ayme-Wauthier, LL.M. 2006, Panelist

*Deputy Counsel  
ICC International Court of Arbitration*

Horacio Grigera Naon, Faculty Moderator

*Professor of Law & Director of the Center on International Commercial Arbitration  
American University Washington College of Law*

Eckhard Hellbeck, LL.M. 1987, Panelist

*Senior Associate  
White & Case LLP*

Marcos Orellana, LL.M. 1998, S.J.D. 2009, Panelist

*Senior Attorney and Director  
CIEL's Human Rights and Environment Program*

Maria L. Rubert, LL.M. 2009, Panelist  
*Partner*  
*Cramer- Salamian Dubai*

Join this panel of experts as they discuss the U.S. Discovery in Aid of International Commercial Arbitration, Transparency and Access to Information in Investment Arbitration, the formula to become an Arbitration Regional Hub, and the New ICC Rules of Arbitration. There will also be ample opportunity for questions to be answered by the panelists.

4:30 p.m. -- 5:45p.m.

**Commercial Arbitration: A Roundtable Discussion**  
Room 601

Horacio Grigera Naon, Faculty Roundtable Chair  
*Professor of Law & Director of the Center on International Commercial Arbitration*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Susana Castiglione, LL.M. 1997, Alumni Roundtable Chair  
*Assistant Director of the Center on International Commercial Arbitration*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Join this roundtable discussion to participate in a conversation on current issues in commercial arbitration. Meet other alumni who work in the field, and discuss various countries' perspectives on foreign investment and arbitration.

**Meeting of Alumni Liaisons**  
Room 528

Gina R. Evers, Facilitator  
*Alumni Coordinator and English Tutor for the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

This meeting is for conference participants who currently volunteer as ILSP Alumni Liaisons and for those who are interested in volunteering in the future. Join us to discuss the Alumni Liaison Program, how to improve and grow the ILSP alumni network, and how to more effectively facilitate international alumni engagement with American University Washington College of Law.

6:30 p.m. — 8:30 p.m.

**Alumni Dinner with Dean Grossman**  
Sixth Floor Dining Room

*This event is exclusively for graduates of*  
*American University Washington College of Law.*

Nuria Beltrán, LL.M. 1982, Speaker  
*Senior Partner*  
*Mari & Ebla S.L.*

Claudio Grossman, Speaker  
*Dean*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

David Hunter, Emcee  
*Professor of Law & Director of the International Legal Studies Program*  
*American University Washington College of Law*

In addition to listening to remarks from ILSP's first graduate, Nuria Beltrán, join us for this evening event that will honor the ILSP Alumni Liaisons, introduce you to the most recent Alumni Fund Scholarship winners, feature a slideshow of ILSP photos throughout the past 30 years, award door prizes to alumni in attendance, and feature remarks from the founder of the ILSP Program, Dean Claudio Grossman.

## **Saturday, October 13, 2012**

9:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.

### **Informal Farewell Brunch** Sixth Floor Lounges

Come to the table for a final, community meal before the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference and Alumni Reunion officially comes to a close. A full breakfast will be served, and this will be the last opportunity to network with friends and colleagues from American University Washington College of Law.

11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

### **Virginia Wineries Day Trip** Bus Boards in Front of the Law School at 11:00 a.m.

Visit two vineyards in nearby Virginia and practice your skills as a sommelier. This day trip includes round-trip transportation and fees to both Three Fox Vineyards in Delaplane, VA and Naked Mountain Winery and Vineyards in Markham, VA. The scenic drive through the Virginia countryside will also offer excellent views of fall foliage. For more information, please visit [www.threefoxvineyards.com](http://www.threefoxvineyards.com) and [www.nakedmtnwinery.com](http://www.nakedmtnwinery.com).

### **ITINERARY:**

11:00 a.m. Depart American University  
Washington College of Law  
12:15 p.m. Arrive at Three Fox Vineyards  
1:30 p.m. Group Tasting Reservation  
3:00 p.m. Arrive at Naked Mountain Winery and Vineyards  
3:30 p.m. Group Tasting Reservation  
4:45 p.m. Depart Naked Mountain Winery and Vineyards  
6:00 p.m. Arrive at American University  
Washington College of Law

**COST:**

Alumni Rate: \$25.00

Guest Rate: \$45.00

**ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION REQUIRED:**

Please register for the Day Trip to Virginia Wineries online at <http://auw.cl/ilsp30tours> or by visiting the ILSP 30<sup>th</sup>

Anniversary Conference and Alumni Reunion registration table located outside room 603.