

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

NOTE: Conference details are still being finalized. Names in bold are confirmed.

8:00 a.m. **Registration and Continental breakfast**

8:45 a.m. **Welcome:** Dean Lisa Kloppenberg
Stephanie M. Wildman

9:00 - 10:30 a.m. **Overview: Teaching and Learning Law and Social Justice**
Moderator: Patricia Cain

The publication of two casebooks in the area of social justice law marks the significance of theory to teaching the next generation of practitioners. Students and practitioners learn from past social justice struggles and also theorize new strategies to provide legal support to marginalized, subordinated, and underrepresented clients and causes. This panel explores the role of theory in informing social justice practice. Panelists include: **Martha Mahoney, John Powell**

10:30 - 10:45 a.m. **Break**

10:45 - 12:15 a.m. **Pedagogy of Privilege and Discrimination**

Moderator: Marina Hsieh

Lawyers representing marginalized, subordinated, and underrepresented clients often do not share the same lived experiences across the multiple socially significant identity categories that impact their clients. How can lawyers gain the knowledge to successfully connect with clients across these lines of difference and sameness? Panelists include: **Kim Case, Margalynne Armstrong, Marc-Tizoc Gonzáles, Bob Chang**

12:15 Pick up box lunches and reconvene by **12:30** for **Keynote Address**

12:30-1:15 Keynote Address: **Catharine Wells, “Theorizing Injustice”**

Introduced by Jean Love

1:30 - 2:45 p.m. **Finding and Funding Your Social Justice Practice: Starting a Practice or a Non-Profit**

Moderator: **Nancy Wright**

Finding a job is hard; would creating that job be a better alternative? How does one start a non-profit or a social justice-oriented private law practice? What do potential funders look for in assessing whether to help? What challenges face job creators and what resources are available? Panelists include: **Bernida Reagan, Chris Daly, James Head, Kim Klein**

2:45 - 3:00 p.m. **Break**

3:00 - 4:30 **Representing Clients, Representing Issues**

Moderator: **Deborah Moss-West**

Clients seeking social justice lawyers face challenges accessing those lawyers. How can lawyers help clients find them and facilitate making legal services available? Social justice lawyers represent individual clients and sometimes community groups or broader interests. How does the practice differ when representing a client versus a group or the government? Panelists include: **Brad Jacklin, Luz Herrera, Eric Wright, Patricia Shiu**

4:30 p.m. **Reception**