

2019 SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE

9:00 AM

Opening Remarks

Panel I. Education and Legislation

The Pink Ghetto Pipeline: Challenges & Opportunities for Women in Legal Education

Alicia Jackson

Associate Dean, Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University

Renee Allen

Professor, University of Tennessee Law School

DeShun Harris

9:30 AM Professor, University of Memphis, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law

Commentary and Rewriting of Etsitty v. Utah Transit Authority

Catherine Archibald

Professor, University of Detroit Mercy School of Law

Pamela Wilkins

Professor, University of Detroit Mercy School of Law

Direct Democracy and the Reproductive Rights Charter

Louis Cholden-Brown

Director of Policy, New York City Council

Panel II. The #MeToo Movement

Sexual Harassment Law after #MeToo: A Comparative Survey

Wenwen Ding

Doctor of Juridical Science candidate, University of Virginia Law School

10:45 AM

Sexual Harassment in the Legal Profession

Wendy Hess

Professor, University of South Dakota School of Law

Sudden Kisses in the #MeToo Era: When A Kiss is Not 'Just A Kiss' Under Italian Sexual Violence Law

Rachel Van Cleave

Professor and Former Dean, Golden Gate University School of Law

(En)Gendering Complicity

Francine Banner

Professor, University of Michigan-Dearborn

Keynote Address

12:30 PM

From “Remember the Alamo” to “I Stand with Planned Parenthood”

Jamie R. Abrams

Professor and Associate Dean at the University of Louisville Brandeis School of Law

Panel III. My Body: The Right to Body Integrity

The Meaning of Sex: The Case for Exclusive Judicial Interpretive Power in the Sex Discrimination Context

Michèle Alexandre

Associate Dean and Professor, University of Mississippi School of Law

1:45 PM

The Rebirth of Gender Rating in Health Insurance

John Cogan

Professor, University of Connecticut School of Law

Reproductive Autonomy and “Discriminatory” Abortions

Carole Petersen

Professor, University of Hawaii at Manoa

Reproductive Choice and Identity Construction

Jessica Knouse

Professor, University of Toledo College of Law

Panel IV. Sexual Exploitation, Discrimination and the Battle for Equality

Women’s Rights in the Workforce: The Struggle is STILL Real

Kirsten Silwanowicz

Assistant General Counsel, Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation

3:30 PM

The Eye of the Employer: ‘Misperception Discrimination’ and Sexual Orientation Discrimination Claims Under Title VII

Roxana Bell

Professor, University of Detroit Mercy School of Law

Internet Service Providers and Sex Trafficking: The Case for FOSTA-SESTA

Elizabeth Donovan

Professor, Ava Maria School of Law

4:45 PM

Closing Remarks

5:00 PM

Cocktail Reception

5:30 PM

Portrait Unveiling for Judge Denise Langford Morris