

URBAN MORGAN INSTITUTE
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SILVER ANNIVERSARY CONFERENCE

Lawyers in the Pursuit of Justice



November 5, 2005
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
College of Law, Room 118



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Program Schedule

8:30 a.m. Registration

9:00 a.m. Welcome
Louis D. Bilionis
Dean & Nippert Professor of Law
UC College of Law

Moderator
Bert B. Lockwood
Distinguished Service Professor
UC College of Law

9:15 a.m. Reflections on How the Urban Morgan Institute Influenced My Career
Ann-Catherine (Cathy) Blank, U.S. Department of State

9:35 a.m. Legal Services Issues
Nick DiNardo, Attorney for the Legal Aid Society of Cincinnati
Daniel Lowery, Attorney for the Alaska Public Defender Agency

10:00 a.m. Protection of Civil Liberties in the Context of the War on Terror
Jill Rhodes, Senior Legal Advisor for Homeland Security Programs with SRA International, Inc.

10:20 a.m. Migrant Labor
Kirstin Enstice, Program Director, Diocese of Kalamazoo Immigration Assistance Program
The Human Rights Initiative and Asylum Seekers in Texas
Betsy Leveno Healy, Chief Executive Officer, Human Rights Initiative, Dallas, Texas

11:00 a.m. Housing Rights
Kimberly Kilby, Vice President, Legal Affairs, Miami Valley Fair Housing Center, Inc.
Leslie Strauss, Director of Communications, Housing Assistance Council in Washington, D.C.

11:40 a.m. Human Rights Commissions
Radhika Coomaraswamy, Former UN Special Rapporteur on Violence against Women, Director of the International Centre for Ethnic Studies at the University of Colombo, Sri Lanka and the Chair of the Human Rights Commission for Sri Lanka
Linda Strite Murnane, Colonel, USAF, Retired, Executive Director of the Kentucky Commission on Human Rights

12:30-1:15 p.m. LUNCH BREAK

1:15 p.m. Trafficking of Women and Migrant Labor
Terrence Coonan, Executive Director of the Florida State University Center for the Advancement of Human Rights, Associate Professor in the FSU School of Criminology, Tallahassee, Florida
Dina Haynes, Visiting Associate Professor of Law at the University of Nevada at Las Vegas

2:00 p.m. Gay & Lesbian Rights Issues
Michael Heflin, Director of OUTfront, Amnesty International USA, New York

2:20 p.m. Criminal Justice through Bar Association
David Stoelting, Senior Trial Counsel, United States Securities and Exchange Commission

2:40 p.m. Human Rights in Darfur
Sue Tatten, United Nations Development Program, Senior Rule of Law Advisor for Customary Law, Traditional Conflict Resolution, Gender, Sudan, Africa