

The COLUMBIA JOURNAL OF RACE & LAW presents its inaugural symposium:

**SO GOES ARIZONA, SO GOES THE NATION?:
IMMIGRATION AND CIVIL RIGHTS IN THE 21ST CENTURY**

Featuring

THE GREAT DEBATE: ARIZONA'S SB 1070

Nina Perales

National Senior Counsel, Mexican-American Legal Defense & Educational Fund

Heather Mac Donald

John M. Olin Fellow, Manhattan Institute for Policy Research

Other Panels:

Overview of U.S. Immigration Policy

Civil Rights & Immigration Law

“Crimmigration”: The Intersection of Criminal Laws and Immigration

Re-framing the Immigration Debate



Ross D. Franklin. “Gov. Jan Brewer.” Photo. AP 25 April 2010.

Friday, October 22, 2010
Columbia Law School
Jerome Greene Hall
Room 107
435 West 116th Street
9:30 AM to 4:30 PM



J Douglas Moore. “SB-1070 Protests.” Photo. Reuters 30 July 2010.

The Columbia Journal of Race and Law (CJRL) is the newest addition to Columbia Law School’s scholarly publications and is set to begin publishing in the 2010-2011 academic year. CJRL’s mission is to establish a dialogue on historic and contemporary notions of socio-political and legal challenges facing racial and ethnic minorities. The Journal seeks to publish articles that make a substantive contribution to the current dialogue surrounding issues such as affirmative action, immigration, community development, criminal law, environmental justice, voting rights, and education.

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This event is being co-sponsored by the following organizations:

Center for Public Interest Law’s Social Justice Initiatives ♦ Student Senate ♦ American Constitution Society ♦ Black Law Students’ Association ♦ The Center for the Study of race and Ethnicity ♦ Civil Rights Law Society ♦ Federalist Society ♦ Latino/a Law Students’ Association ♦ National Lawyers’ Guild ♦ RightsLink ♦ Society for Immigrant and Refugee Rights ♦ Columbia University’s Leyes Latino Pre-Law Society

The Latino/a Law Students’ Association also invites symposium attendees to its Annual Awards Banquet:

Columbia University’s Faculty House, 64 Morningside Drive, 6:00-10:00PM, \$20 for Non-LaLSA members.

Attire is semi-formal. Contact: Yleana Roman, yer2105@columbia.edu.

The symposium is free and open to the public. There will be a \$10 charge for lunch for non-Columbia students.

To RSVP or for questions, please contact Priscilla Orta-Wenner, pjo2109@columbia.edu.

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Full Schedule

BREAKFAST & OPENING REMARKS: OVERVIEW OF U.S. IMMIGRATION POLICY

9:30-10:00 AM

Mae Ngai

Professor of History and Lung Family Professor of Asian American Studies, Columbia University

CIVIL RIGHTS & IMMIGRATION LAW

10:05-11:20 AM

Jennifer Gordon

Professor of Law, Fordham University &
Founder, Workplace Project

Udi Ofer

Advocacy Director
New York Civil Liberties Union

Minyao Wang

Associate
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson LLP

“CRIMMIGRATION”: INTERSECTION OF CRIMINAL LAWS AND IMMIGRATION

11:25-12:40 PM

Sameer Ahmed

Staff Attorney
Asian-American Legal Defense & Educational Fund

Marjorie Cohn

Professor of Law
Thomas Jefferson School of Law

Benita Jain

Co-Director
Immigrant Defense Project

C. Mario Russell

Senior Attorney, Catholic Charities Community
Services, Archdiocese of New York, Immigrant
and Refugee Services

LUNCH

12:45-2:30 PM

Student-led, Table Discussions on Immigration Issues

THE GREAT DEBATE: ARIZONA’S SB 1070

2:45-3:45 PM

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Southwest Regional Counsel
Mexican-American Legal Defense & Educational Fund

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CLOSING REMARKS: REFRAMING THE IMMIGRATION DEBATE

4:00-4:30 PM

Dr. Yndia Lorick-Wilmot

Senior Associate, Frameworks Institute

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