

ACCESS TO EQUAL JUSTICE

FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 2001
REGISTRATION FORM*

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Organization _____

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Phone _____ E-mail _____

I plan to attend the following on Friday, March 23: (Please check)

- Program (6.0 MCLE)
 Working Lunch (12:00—1:15 p.m.) **
 Reception (4:00— 5:00 p.m.)
 **Vegetarian or Special Diet _____

My focus of interest for the working lunch group is:

- Capital Punishment/Mental Health—Ellen Blau (PD/WU), Kathy Meath (St. L. ARC)
 Community Econ. Development/Environment—Mike Duffy (LAWM), John Ammann (SLU)
 Criminal Justice/Prisoners' Rights—Susan Rosenberg, Peter Joy (WU)
 Family/Children/Dom. Violence/Education—Jackie Kutnick-Bauderm (LSEM), Jane Aiken (WU)
 ADR/Community Dispute Resolution—C.J. Larkin (WU), Suzanne Schmitz (SIU)
 Immigrant Rights—Stephen Legomsky (WU)
 HIV- AIDS/Gay Rights—Jeanne Philips- Roth (LSEM), Bill Dorothy (WU)
 Civil Rights/Racial Justice—Bethany Johnson (WU), Roger Goldman (SLU)

Other: _____

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*There is no fee for participation. However, participants must register to attend. Enrollment will be limited to the first 100 registrants.

For out of town attendees: Suggested hotel sites are the Inn at Chase Park Plaza, (314) 633-3000 or the Sheraton Clayton Plaza Hotel (314) 863-0400. Both hotels are conveniently located approximately five minutes from the Law School.

ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN LAW SCHOOLS

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*A Dialogue Between the University and the Legal Community
to Improve the Delivery of Legal Services and Justice
to Underrepresented Individuals in Our Region*

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 Washington
University in St. Louis
SCHOOL OF LAW



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WHAT: Washington University School of Law will host a conference on Access to Equal Justice on Friday, March 23, 2001 as part of a nationwide Association of American Law Schools initiative. The theme of the Conference is improving the delivery of legal services to underrepresented individuals in our region through increased collaboration among law schools, community organizations, legal services programs, lawyers, and the courts.

The range of issues to be considered will include civil and criminal justice concerns, assessment of legal services needs of underrepresented communities, the development of new skills for public interest lawyering, and the exploration of pro bono delivery systems through networks of private lawyers. The conference will highlight innovative law school teaching, community projects, government programs, and technological resources that enhance access to equal justice.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: The conference will bring together individuals interested in equal access to justice, including law school faculty, civil and criminal legal services attorneys, members of the bar, judges, community leaders, and government leaders.

REGISTRATION: The Conference is Friday, March 23, 2001 from 9:00 - 5:00. A luncheon will be provided and there will be a reception from 4:00 - 5:00. There is no fee for the conference, but registration is required. Attendance will be limited to the first 100 registrants. This program provides 6.0 **MCLE credits** for conference participants, including 3.0 Ethics credits.

PLANNING COMMITTEE: Bethany Johnson (WU), Peter Joy (WU/St.L.P.D.), Mary Quigley (LSEM), Dianne Taylor (LSEM), Karen Tokarz (WU)



Anheuser-Busch Hall, Washington University School of Law in St. Louis

8:30 a.m.	Registration - Anheuser-Busch Hall, South entrance (off Forsyth)
9:00 a.m.	Welcome-Susan Appleton , Associate Dean and Lemma Barkeloo & Phoebe Couzins Professor of Law, Washington University
9:15 -10:30	Challenges to Achieving Access to Equal Justice Karen Tokarz , Director, Clinical Education, Washington University School of Law, moderator; Hon. Michael Wolff , Missouri Supreme Court; Sandra Moore , Pres., Urban Strategies, McCormack Baron & Assoc.; Dan Gralike , Deputy Director, Missouri State Public Defender's Office; Dianne Taylor , Executive Director, Legal Services of Eastern Missouri; Greg Casey , Assoc. Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Missouri-Columbia
10:45 - 12:00	Envisioning a Future with Access to Equal Justice Maxine Lipeles , Director, Interdisciplinary Environmental Clinic, Washington University School of Law, moderator; Peter Salsich , McDonnell Professor of Justice in American Society, Saint Louis University School of Law; Rudy Nickens , V. P. St. Louis 2004; Michael Duffy , Managing Attorney, Community Economic Development Unit, Legal Aid of Western Missouri; Jacqueline Kutnik-Bauderm , Managing Attorney, The Children's Legal Alliance, Legal Services of Eastern Missouri; Ed Roth , President, St. Louis Board of Police Commissioners
12:00 - 1:15	Working Lunch Groups
1:15 - 1:30	Session Convener - Dean Hill Rivkin , University of Tennessee School of Law, AALS Equal Justice Project
1:30 - 2:45	New Web Resources for Enhancing Access to Equal Justice Dorie Bertram , Director of Public Services, Hyla Bondareff , Research Services Librarian, and Katrina Stierholz , Access Services Librarian, of the Washington University School of Law Library and Michael Ruiz , Asst. Dean for Admissions & Student Affairs, Southern Illinois University School of Law, will demonstrate exciting, new technological resources to enhance the delivery of legal services.
2:45 - 4:00	Celebrating Steps Toward Access to Equal Justice Jane Aiken , Director, Civil Justice Clinic, Washington University School of Law, moderator; Audrey Fleissig , U.S. Attorney, E.D.Mo.; Dimitri Gay , Program Specialist, St. Louis City Municipal Courts; Barbara Glesner-Fines , Professor, University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law; Susan Rosenberg , federal prisoner whose 58 year sentence for weapons possession was commuted by President Clinton on Jan. 20, 2001.
4:00 - 5:00	Reception - Invited guests include U.S. Sen. Jean Carnahan, Sen. Kit Bond, Rep. Paula Carter, Rep. Joan Bray, Hon. Theodore McMillian, Hon. Jim Dowd, Hon. Jean Hamilton, Hon. Catherine Perry, Hon. Rodney Sipple, Hon. Rick Teitelman, Hon. Larry Mooney, Hon. Ronnie White, Hon. Tom Frawley, Hon. Susan Block, Hon. Booker Shaw, Hon. Jack Garvey, Hon. Mike Burton, Hon. David Mason, Hon. Jim Sullivan