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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2024

8:00 AM — 8:30 AM **REGISTRATION CHECK-IN AND LIGHT BREAKFAST**

Lobby Boston University School of Law

> 765 Commonwealth Ave Boston, MA 02215

8:35 AM — 8:45 AM **CONFERENCE KICKOFF AND WELCOME**

Room 103 David Thronson (SALT Co-President),

Patricia Hureston Lee (SALT Secretary), and Tiffany Atkins

8:45 AM — 9:45 AM	PLENARY PANEL I
Room 103	Furthering Equity and Justice through Deaning Dean Angela Onwuachi-Willig, Dean Eboni Nelson, Dean Zelda Harris, Olympia Duhart (moderator), and Allyson Gold (moderator)
SESSION 1	FRIDAY, 10:00 AM — 10:50 AM
Room 102	Banned in the U.S.A.: Clinic Boot Camp with 2 Live Crew and ABA Standard 303 (c) (Panel) Lucy Jewel, Joy Radice, Kristina Kersey, and Eric Amarante
Room 209	An Experiment in Transformative Legal Education: The Youth Advocacy & Policy Fellows Program (Panel) Michael Gregory and Crisanne Hazen
Room 410	Teaching a Course on Sexual Violence and the Law: Understanding Sexual Violence Laws through a Lens of History, Culture, Racism, and Sexism (Panel) Amy Vorenberg, Jessica Durkis Stokes, and Jessica Brown
Room 414	Balancing Interests: Gender-Transformative Education Lécia Vicente
	Neuro-Intelligence as a Framework for Transformational Change Debra Austin

SESSION 1 FRIDAY, 10:00 AM — 10:50 AM (cont'd)

Room 416 **Breaking Silos: Enhancing Legal Education** Through Cross-Clinic Collaboration (Panel)

> Joe McKay, Amanda Savage, Lindsey Webb, Trent Cromartie, and Elizabeth Jordan

Deconstructing Business Law Center Design,

Mission, and Innovation

Patricia Hureston Lee

SESSION 2 FRIDAY, 11:00 AM — 11:50 AM

Room 102 **Lawyering Beyond Borders: Prepping Students**

> for the Future of Immigrant Rights Advocacy in a Transnational Clinical Setting (Panel)

H. Marissa Montes, Erin Barbato, Anna Welch,

and Luis Enrique Gonzalez Araiza

Room 209 **Pronouns in the Legal Writing Curriculum:**

A Case for Readability, Inclusivity, and Progress

Jennifer Arlin

Inclusive Language in Clinical Education

Jennifer Safstrom

Inclusive Language Practices for Legal Scholarship and Advocacy

Michele Gilman

Room 410 The ARC (Application and Rule Construction) toward

> Justice ("ARC")—Why IRAC has Things Backwards and How that Reinforces the Legal Status Quo (Panel)

Jeremy Paul, Steven Winter, and Rebecca Chapman

Room 414 **Understanding the Role of Law for Social Transformation**

Through Reading Groups

Deborah Jackson

Racial Literacy, Book Bans, and the misEducation

of Critical Race Theory

Alicia Jackson

SESSION 2 FRIDAY, 11:00 AM — **11:50 AM** (*cont'd*)

Room 416 Law as Lingua Franca: Transforming Legal Education

Through the Power of Language

Rebecca Pendleton

Overcoming Racial and Ableist Bias on the Bar Exam

Scott DeVito

12:00 PM — 1:15 PM LUNCH

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12:15 PM — 1:15 PM PLENARY PANEL II (over lunch)

Room 103 Redefining Justice: Conversations on Criminal

Justice Reform

Judge Robert Pratt, Dehlia Umunna, Amanda Savage, Brooks Holland, and Dean Tamara Lawson (moderator)

SESSION 3 FRIDAY, 1:30 PM — **2:20 PM**

Room 102 **Defending Community: Advancing Community-Based**

Equity and Justice (Panel)

Deborah Archer, Lynnise Pantin, Michael Pinard,

Joseph Schottenfeld, and Erika Wilson

Room 209 Transformative Clinical Legal Education:

The Praxis of Law & Organizing (Panel)

Komal Vaidya, Caitlin Barry, Daniel Cortes, Anton Robinson,

Brendan Roediger, and Matt Vigil

Room 410 The Great Regression: SCOTUS' Insidious

Restoration of White Male Hegemony

Ryan Williams

Disrupting Elitist, Establishmentarian Echo Chambers—

Arguing for a Constitutional Right to Vote

Charlie Martel

Room 414 **Creating a Clinic Based on Historical Violence:**

the Implications of Place

D'Iorah Hughes, Ada da Goodly Lampkin, and Olivia Strange

Teaching Hybrid Immigration Clinics-Expanding Student

and Client Access

Ericka Curran

Room 416 **Revising Exclusions**

Leo Yu

Colonizing Queerness

Jeremiah Ho

SESSION 4 FRIDAY, 2:30 PM — 3:20 PM

Room 102 Does the Law Have Transformative Power? (Panel)

Caitlin Glass, Angelo Petrigh, and Sarah Sherman-Stokes

Room 209 Infusing Access to Justice and Social Justice Frameworks

Into the 1L Curriculum (Panel)

Rachel Croskery-Robert and Sue McMahon

Teaching America's Racial History in the Law School Classroom

Zamir Ben-Dan

Room 410 **Critical Freedom**

Steven Bender

We Won't Back Down: Defending Public Information

in Legal Education Madalyn Wasilczuk

Room 414 Water Behind Bars - Addressing the Crisis

of Contaminated Prison Drinking Water

Sam Heppell

Teaching Law Students the History of the For-Profit Corporation to Explain the Present and How Lawyers Today Can Influence and Transform the Impact of

Corporate Power and Interests

Cecily Banks

SESSION 4 FRIDAY, 2:30 PM — **3:20 PM** (cont'd)

Room 416 **Teaching Administrative Law**

from a Social Justice Perspective

Bijal Shah

Teaching Tax from a Critical Perspective

Ajay Mehrotra

PLENARY PANEL III 3:30 PM — 4:30 PM

Room 103 Erasing Langdell: A Conversation About What He Did,

Why He Survives, and How We Can Put Him to Rest at Last

Claudia Angelos, Mary Lu Bilek, Tiffany Atkins (moderator),

and Catherine Grosso (moderator)

PLEASE JOIN US

for a Cocktail Reception at Northeastern University Alumni Center

4:45 PM — 7:15 PM **BEER AND WINE RECEPTION**

Northeastern University Alumni Center, Sixth Floor 716 Columbus Avenue Boston, MA 02120

5:30 PM

Welcome to Northeastern

Margaret Hahn-DuPont

SALT Video

Recognition of Olympia Duhart and Allyson Gold

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8:45 AM — 9:45 AM	PLENARY PANEL IV
Room 103	Navigating New Waters: College Admissions After SFFA v. Harvard/UNC Jason Williamson, Deborah Archer, Jon Feingold, Tiffany Wright, and Reggie Oh (moderator)
SESSION 5	SATURDAY, 10:00 AM — 10:50 AM
Room 101	Grounding Social Justice Lawyering in Anti-Ableist Critique and Disability Justice Values (Panel) Lydia X. Z. Brown and Natalie M. Chin
Room 102	Filling the Social Justice Gap: Lessons from Practitioners Turned Academics Sharon Brett and Michael Steinberg
	Law Schools: Want to Help Bend the Arc of the Moral Universe Toward Justice? Hire Law Professors with Public Service Experience Rachel Kincaid
Room 204	Upstream Legal Literacy: Educating the Public to Avoid Eviction Alissa Rubin Gomez and Renee Lynn Danser
	Engaging Communities in Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing Jenna Prochaska
Room 209	Teaching Criminal Law in an Era of Mass Incarceration Alex Kreit
	Antiracist Property: Foundations of Legal Analysis Juan Carlos Ibarra

SESSION 5 SATURDAY, 10:00 AM — 10:50 AM (cont'd)

Room 212 Students as Future Lawmakers

Clare Ryan

Teaching for Transformative Change:

One-Pagers and Advocacy

Sarah Lee Day

SESSION 6 SATURDAY, 11:00 AM — 11:50 AM

Room 101 Building a Pedagogy of Socratic Teaching (Panel)

Nicole Dyszlewski, Jamie Abrams, Nadiyah Humber, Sherri Lee Keene, Susan McMahon, and Jennifer Cooper

Room 102 Using Criterion-Referenced Assessment

as a Tool to Transform Legal Education (Panel)

Michelle Richards and Paula Manning

Empowering Disadvantaged Law Students

with Deep Learning

Nicole Noel and Chance Meyer

Room 204 A Survey on "Current Events" in the Legal Education

Classroom: The Need to Responsibly Adjust Curriculum

to Match the Needs of Students and the Mandates

of the Profession

Stevie Leahy

Professional Identity is Not an Amorphous Concept:

1L Skills Professors Should Reject Unstructured
Approaches and Embrace Teaching Character-Based
Skills to Create Brave Lawyers Right from the Start

Marni Goldstein Caputo

Room 209 Teaching "Second Chance Entrepreneurship"

as Resistance to Mass Incarceration (Panel)

Carmen Halford and Tomica Saul

Room 212 Legislative Advocacy Clinics:

Expanding the Tools to Preserve Democracy (Panel)

Anita Weinberg and Elizabeth Cooper

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Room 102 Discussion on future SALT Webinars and Podcasts

Room 103 Discussion on Free Speech on Campus

SESSION 7 SATURDAY, 1:30 PM — 2:20 PM

Room 101 **Teaching Students to Find Joy**

in the Law as an Act of Resistance

Alex Ruskell

Teaching Law and Science Fiction: Reconceptualizing Law

in Times of Uncertainty

Antonia Fliason

Room 102 Healing Justice: A Framework for Radical Well-Being

and Liberation Lawyering (Panel)

Amber Baylor, Jessica Gadea Hawkins, Annie Lai,

and Vivianne Guevara

Room 204 The Ties that Bind

Lynette Martins

Driving Law Students into Poverty as a Means of Undermining Resistance and Perpetuating Public Interest Drift

Ron Hochbaum

Room 209 **Ethics of Advancing Justice:**

Teaching Ethics through a Social Justice Lens

Megan Dorton

From Rote to Revolutionary: Ensuring Law Students' Holistic Understanding of the Attorney's Role in Society

Janice Craft

SESSION 7 SATURDAY, 1:30 PM — **2:20 PM** (*cont'd*)

Room 212 **Protecting Our Professional Identities While**

Teaching Our Students How to Form Their Own (Panel)

Patience Crowder and Lindsey Webb

Upending the Curve: Assessing for Positive

Professional Identify Formation

Danielle Tully

SESSION 8 SATURDAY, 2:30 PM — 3:20 PM

Room 101 The Roberts Court and Cognitive Dissonance (Panel)

Olympia Duhart, Allyson Gold, and Reggie Oh

Room 102 **Amplifying Voices Through Teaching Materials**

Alireza Nourani-Dargiri

Gender & the Law: Teaching the Progression of LGBTQ+ Rights & Current Challenges in a Legal Writing Seminar

Regina Hillman

Room 204 **Building (and Maintaining) Faculty Culture**

Nick Allard, Courtney A. Barclay, and Vanessa Zboreak

Solving the Puzzle: Collective Thriving and the Academic Schedule (Panel)

Jose Gabilondo

Room 209 **Critical Race Theory for 1Ls**

Anthony Paul Farley and Ciji Dodds

Promoting Civil Discourse about Challenging Issues

in the Law School Classroom

Larry Levine

3:30 PM - 3:45 PM **CLOSING REMARKS**

Room 103 Alicia Jackson and Joe McKay

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