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Symposium

Gender Equity in Law Schools

Friday, October 25, 2019
8:15 a.m.—4:15 p.m.
Arthur M. Goldberg '66 Commons

8:15–8:30 a.m. — Opening Remarks

CATHERINE J. LANCTOT Professor of Law, Villanova University
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8:30–9:40 a.m. — Featured Speaker

MEERA E. DEO Professor of Law, Thomas Jefferson
School of Law and Author, *Unequal
Profession: Race and Gender in Legal
Academia*

9:50–10:50 a.m. — Panel 1: Defining the Problem

TERI MCMURTRY-
CHUBB Professor of Law, Mercer University
School of Law

DARA PURVIS Associate Dean for Diversity and
Inclusion, Associate Dean for Research
and Partnerships, Professor of Law

SEAN M. SCOTT Professor of Law, Loyola Marymount
University, Loyola Law School Los
Angeles

Moderated by Michelle Dempsey, Professor of Law and
Harold Reuschlein Scholar Chair, Villanova University Charles
Widger School of Law and Tammi Etheridge, Visiting Assistant
Professor, Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law

11:00 a.m.–12:15 p.m. — Panel 2: Structural Barriers

JAMIE J. BAKER Associate Dean and Director of the Law
Library and Professor of Law, Texas Tech
University School of Law

MARY BETH BEAZLEY Professor of Law, University of Nevada,
Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law

DEBORAH L. BORMAN Assistant Professor of Law, University of
Arkansas Little Rock, William H. Bowen
School of Law

KRISTEN TISCIONE Professor of Law, Legal Practice,
Georgetown Law

Moderated by Heather Baum, Professor of Law, Villanova
University Charles Widger School of Law and Christine
Mooney, Director of Professional Skills and Professor of Law,
Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law

**12:30–1:30 p.m. — Lunch Panel: The Denver Equal Pay
Litigation**

- KRIS MCDANIEL-
MICCIO Professor, University of Denver, Sturm
College of Law
- CHARLOTTE N.
SWEENEY Founding Member and Attorney, Sweeney
& Bechtold, LLC
- CELIA TAYLOR Professor and Director of International
Legal Studies Program, Nanda Chair,
University of Denver, Sturm College of
Law

Moderated by Jennifer O'Hare, Professor of Law, Villanova
University Charles Widger School of Law and Ann Juliano,
Professor of Law, Villanova University Charles Widger School
of Law

1:40–2:55 p.m. — Panel 3: Solutions

- TERRI BOYER, PHD,
'95 CLAS Founding Director, Anne Welsh McNulty
Institute for Women's Leadership,
Villanova University
- ANDREA A. CURCIO Professor of Law, Georgia State University
College of Law
- MARY A. LYNCH Kate Stoneman Chair in Law and
Democracy, Director, Center for
Excellence in Law Teaching and Director,
Domestic Violence Prosecution Hybrid
Clinic, Albany Law School
- CONSTANCE Z.
WAGNER Professor, Saint Louis University School
of Law

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University Charles Widger School of Law and Ann Juliano,
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3:05–4:05 p.m. — Deans' Panel

SUSAN DUNCAN Dean and Professor of Law, University of
Mississippi School of Law

RISA L. GOLUBOFF Dean, Arnold H. Leon Professor of Law
and Professor of History, University of
Virginia School of Law

JENNIFER ROSATO
PEREA Dean and Professor of Law, DePaul
University College of Law

KELLYE TESTY President and CEO, Law School
Admission Council and Dean's
Distinguished Fellow, Villanova University
Charles Widger School of Law

Moderated by Mark C. Alexander, The Arthur J. Kania Dean and
Professor of Law, Villanova University Charles Widger School
of Law

4:05–4:15 p.m. — Concluding Remarks

MATTHEW VENUTI Editor-in-Chief, Villanova Law Review

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