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MELNICK SYMPOSIUM

The Future of the Criminal Legal System: HOW SHOULD A MULTIDOOR CRIMINAL COURTHOUSE OPERATE?

8:30 am Registration/Breakfast

9:00 am Welcome & Introduction

CJCR Editor in Chief Daniel Kim, Andrea Schneider, Dean Melanie Leslie

9:30 am Innovations in Plea Bargaining

Moderator: Jessica Roth (Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law)

Prosecutor Initiated Review of Sentences

Presenters: Kay Levine (Emory University School of Law) Ron Wright (Wake Forest University School of Law)

Commenters: Justin Murray (New York Law School), Kyron Huigens (Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law) & Amy Schmitz (Moritz College of Law - The Ohio State University)

Lessons from Plea Bargaining in Homicide Cases

Presenter: Michael O'Hear (Marquette University Law School)

Commenters: Ron Wright (Wake Forest University School of Law), Bennett Capers (Fordham University School of Law) & Tali Gal (The Hebrew University of Jerusalem)

11:00 am Break

11:10 am Innovations in Plea Bargaining II

Moderator: Jonathan Oberman (Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law)

Opening the Virtual Window: How On-Line Processes Could Increase Access to Justice in the Criminal Legal System

Presenters: Cynthia Alkon (Texas A&M University School of Law) & Amy Schmitz (Moritz College of Law - The Ohio State University)

Commenters: Elayne Greenberg (St. John's University School of Law), Hadar Dancig-Rosenberg (Bar-Ilan University Faculty of Law) & Erin Collins (University of Richmond School of Law)

12:00 pm Lunch

1:00 pm Keynote Address

Courtney Bryan, Executive Director, Center for Justice Innovation

2:00 pm Break

2:15 pm Problem-Solving Courts

Moderator: Andrea Schneider (Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law)

Success Stories in Community Courts: Listening to Participant Voices

Presenters: Tali Gal (The Hebrew University of Jerusalem) & Hadar Dancig-Rosenberg (Bar-Ilan University Faculty of Law)

Commenters: Alma Magana (Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law), Michael O'Hear (Marquette University Law School) & Amanda Berman (Center for Justice Innovation; Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law)

Beyond Problem Solving Courts

Presenter: Erin Collins (University of Richmond School of Law)

Commenters: Emmanuel Arnaud (Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law), Kathryn Miller (Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law) & Kay Levine (Emory University School of Law)

3:45 pm Closing Remarks & Thanks

4:00 pm End