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30th ANNUAL
INDIAN LAW
SYMPOSIUM

THURSDAY & FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 & 8, 2017
WILLIAM H. GATES HALL, SEATTLE

**11.50 CLE CREDITS
APPROVED**

Includes 10.50 Law and Legal Procedures
CLE Credits; 1.00 Ethics CLE Credit

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ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Join us for the 30th Annual University of Washington Indian Law Symposium! As in past years, the conference includes comprehensive litigation and legislation updates and a number of topics of interest to a broad array of practitioners and policy makers.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

This year's program honors Bill Rodgers, Stimson Bullitt Professor of Law. Bill is nationally renowned for his work as an environmental law and Indian scholar and advocate. Program highlights also include:

- Indigenous Rights in International Law: Keith Harper: U.S. Permanent Representative to the UN Human Rights Council (June 2014 – January 2017)
- Annual Litigation Update
- Federal Legislative Update
- Clean Water Act and Fish Consumption Standards
- NAGPRA Basics and Case Study
- Climate Change and Indigenous People
- Indian Child Welfare Act: Regulations, Challenges & Implementation
- Ethics Credit!

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Attorneys who have Indian clients
- Attorneys whose clients deal with Indians or with tribal governments
- Persons interested in current issues within Washington's Indian country
- Tribal leaders and members of the public



PROGRAM SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2017

5.00 LAW & LEGAL PROCEDURE CLE CREDITS AND 1.00 ETHICS CLE CREDIT APPROVED

8:30 a.m. **Registration and Coffee**

8:55 a.m. **Introduction and Conference Overview**

Professor Robert T. Anderson, University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA

9:00 a.m. **Litigation Update**

Thomas Schlosser, Morisset, Schlosser, Jozwiak & Somerville, Seattle, WA

10:00 a.m. **Federal Legislative Update**

*Jennifer Romero, Staff Director and Chief Counsel,
U. S. Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, Washington, D.C.*

11:00 a.m. **Break**

11:15 a.m. **The Ethics of Tribal Court Practice**

*Honorable Ron Whitener, Chief Judge, Tulalip Tribes, Seattle, WA
Honorable Steve Aycock, National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges, Reno, NV*

12:15 p.m. **Lunch (on your own)**

1:30 p.m. **Indigenous Rights in the International Context**

*Keith Harper, Partner, Kilpatrick Townsend, former United States Ambassador and Permanent Representative to the United Nations Human Rights Council, Washington, D.C.
Kristen Carpenter, Professor of Law, University of Colorado School of Law, Boulder, Colorado, North American Member on the Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples*

3:00 p.m. **Break**

3:15 p.m. **Water Quality Regulation and Fish Consumption under the CWA**

*Julie Kane, Nez Perce Tribe, Office of General Counsel, Lapwai, ID
Ethan Shenkman, Ogartner, Arnold and Porter, Kaye, Schuler, Washington, D.C.
Catherine O'Neill, Habitat Policy Analyst, Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission, Olympia, WA*

4:45 p.m. **Adjourn**

4:50 p.m. **Meeting of the Washington State Bar Association Indian Law Section**



PROGRAM SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2017

5.50 LAW & LEGAL PROCEDURE CLE CREDITS APPROVED

8:30 a.m. **Registration Check-In and Coffee**

9:00 a.m. **Indian Child Welfare Act: Regulations, Challenges & Implementation**

*Kate Fort, Director, Indian Law Clinic, MSU College of Law Michigan State School of Law, Lansing, MI
Carissa A. Greenberg, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Olympia, WA
Saza Osawa, Office of General Counsel, Tulalip Tribes, Marysville, WA*

10:30 a.m. **Break**

10:45 a.m. **Native American Graves Protection Act: Basics and the Hickory Ground Case**

*Robert Anderson, Professor of Law, University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA
Lauren King, Partner, Foster Pepper, LLC, Seattle, WA*

11:45 a.m. **Lunch (on your own)**

1:00 p.m. **Climate Change and Indigenous People**

*Fawn Sharp, President, Quinault Indian Nation (invited)
Andrea Rodgers, Senior Staff Attorney, Our Children's Trust, Seattle, WA
Erin Dougherty, Senior Staff Attorney, Native American Rights Fund, Anchorage, AK*

2:30 p.m. **Break**

2:45 p.m. **Bill Rodgers: Champion of Environmental Law and Indian Law - Recent Developments and New Avenues**

*Ron Whitener, Chief Judge, Tulalip Tribes, Seattle, WA
Rachael Osborn, Co-founder, Center for Environmental Law and Policy, Seattle, WA
Patti Goldman, Northwest Managing Attorney, Earthjustice, Seattle, WA
Sanne Knudsen, Associate Professor of Law, University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA*

4:15 p.m. **Adjourn**

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- Priority (PAID BY AUGUST 25, 2017) \$269
- Standard (PAID AFTER AUGUST 25, 2017) \$319
- New Attorney Discount \$226 (30% OFF STANDARD REGISTRATION FOR ATTORNEYS ADMITTED TO THE WASHINGTON STATE BAR AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2016)

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