

# **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION THE BALANCE:** CITIZENS, COURTS & THE CONSTITUTION

Citizen Standing/Access to Courts **Scope of Congressional Authority** Constitutional Status of Regional Climate Initiatives **TOPICS:** New & Emerging Constitutional Theories

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**KEYNOTES:** Prof. Richard Lazarus Hon. Peter W. Hall U.S. Court of Appeals



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#### Schedule:

Friday, February 26, 2010

9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. Welcome and Introductions

Opening Keynote Presentation - Professor Richard Lazarus

9:45 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Panel #1: Citizen Standing/

Access to Courts

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Panel #2: Scope of Congressional

Authority to Protect the

Environment

1:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. Keynote Presentation -

Honorable Peter W. Hall

2:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. Panel #3: Constitutional Status of

State/Regional Climate Initiatives

4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Panel #4: New & Emerging

Constitutional Theories & the Future of Environmental

Protection

5:30 pm Closing Remarks & Adjourn

to Cocktail Reception

Panel #1: Citizen Standing/Access to Courts

**Moderator** 

Holly D. Doremus Berkeley Law School

**Panelists** 

Bradford C. Mank

University of Cincinnati College of Law

David Bookbinder

Senior Attorney, Chief Climate Counsel, Sierra Club

Honorable Edwin S. Kneedler Deputy U.S. Solicitor General

**Panel #2:** Scope of Congressional Authority to

Protect the Environment

**Moderator** 

**Bruce Myers** 

Senior Attorney, Environmental Law Institute

**Panelists** 

William W. Buzbee Emory Law School

Wm. Robert Irvin

Senior Vice President for Conservation Programs Defenders of Wildlife

Defenders of Wildlife

Michael W. Evans K&L Gates LLP

## With Keynote Presentations by:

Professor Richard J. Lazarus Georgetown University Law Center

Honorable Peter W. Hall

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit

## Introductory and Closing Remarks from:

J. Peter Byrne

Georgetown University Law Center

Leslie Carothers

President, Environmental Law Institute

Richard Frank Berkeley Law School

**Panel #3:** Constitutional Status of

State/Regional Climate Initiatives

**Moderator** 

Vicki Arroyo

Georgetown University Law Center

**Panelists** 

Ray Ludwiszewski

Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP

Douglas T. Kendall

President, Constitutional Accountability Center

Kenneth P. Alex

Office of the Attorney General, State of California

**Panel #4:** New & Emerging Constitutional Theories

and the Future of Environmental Protection

**Moderator** 

James R. May

Widener Law School

**Panelists** 

Daniel A. Farber

Berkeley Law School

Douglas Kysar

Yale Law School

Robert L. Glicksman

The George Washington University Law School

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