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## THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW VOLUME 72 FEDERAL CIRCUIT SYMPOSIUM AGENDA

Friday, November 4, 2022  
Claudio Grossman Hall

Registration: [https://www.wcl.american.edu/secler/registration?event\\_id=309128&listonly](https://www.wcl.american.edu/secler/registration?event_id=309128&listonly)

9:00 AM–9:15 AM

Opening Remarks

9:15-10:15 AM

Panel 1: Patent Law (virtual)

- **Jianqiang (Steve) Guo**, *Chinese Patent Agent, Maier & Maier PLLC*
- **Michael K. Kim**, *Vice Chief Administrative Patent Judge, Patent Trial and Appeal Board (USPTO)*
- **Shigeyuki Nagaoka**, *Executive Director, Japanese Patent Attorneys Association*
- **Keith Robinson**, *Professor of Law, Wake Forest University School of Law, American University Washington College of Law*

Topic: Court Competition in Patent Courts Abroad

10:30 AM–11:30 AM

Panel 2: Government Contracts

- **Christopher R. Yukins**, *Lynn David Research Professor in Government Procurement Law, The George Washington University Law School*
- **Graham Cronogue**, *Associate, Baker & McKenzie LLP*
- **Alex Brittin**, *Associate Professor of Law, American University Washington College of Law; Brittin Law Group, PLLC*

Topic: A Shift Towards Protectionism in International Procurement

11:45 AM–12:45 PM

Keynote Address

- **Derrick Brent**, *Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the USPTO*
- **Moderated by Christine Haight Farley**, *Faculty Director of the Program on Information Justice & Intellectual Property and Professor of Law, American University Washington College of Law*

1:00 PM–2:00 PM

Panel 3: Veterans Law

- **Jennifer Oliva**, *Professor of Law, UC Hastings Law School*
- **Gwen Savitz**, *Visiting Assistant Professor of Law, The University of Tulsa College of Law*
- **Major Clifford (Cal) Walters**, *Senior Trial Counsel, Army Judge Advocate General Corps*
- **Andrew F. Popper**, *Professor of Law, American University Washington College of Law*

Topic: The Extraterritorial Application of U.S. Law to Service Members Abroad

2:15 PM–3:15 PM

Panel 4: International Trade

- **John Cobau**, *Chief Counsel for International Commerce, U.S. Department of Commerce*
- **Kara Bombach**, *Partner, Greenberg Traurig LLP\**
- **Nabeel Yousef**, *Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP*
- **Padideh Ala'i**, *Faculty Director of the International Legal Studies Program, Director of the Hubert Humphrey Fellowship Program, and Professor of Law, American University Washington College of Law*

Topic: International Trade as a Foreign Policy Tool: The Russia/Ukraine Conflict

3:30 PM–4:30 PM

Panel 5: Trademark Law

- **Melanye Johnson**, *Administrative Trademark Judge, Trademark Trial and Appeal Board (USPTO)*
- **Jonathan Gelchinsky**, *Partner, Pierce Atwood LLC*
- **Rebecca Gan**, *Principal, Muncy, Geissler, Olds & Lowe, P.C.*
- **Kim Arriola**, *Associate, Pirkey Barber PLLC*
- **Christine Haight Farley**, *Faculty Director of the Program on Information Justice & Intellectual Property and Professor of Law, American University Washington College of Law*

Topic: Thumbs Up: Exploring Trademark Territoriality

4:30 PM–5:00 PM

Closing Remarks and Optional Reception

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