University of Idaho Critical Legal Studies Journal Symposium:
*Immigration Law and Policy*

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Co-Sponsors: the ISB Young Lawyers Section, ISB Government and Public-Sector Section, ISB Diversity Section, UI Federalist Society, UI Multicultural Law Caucus, UI Black Law Student Association, UI Latino(a) Law Caucus, UI J. Reuben Clark Law Society.

This Symposium will explore issues surrounding the country’s current immigration policy and examine the challenges within the immigration system. This first panel focuses on local enforcement of immigration law. The second panel focuses on refugees and U.S. resettlements. The final panel will focus on deferred actions against child arrivals and the debate about DREAMers.

Our panelists include various members of Idaho’s state bar, local activists, and legal scholars. The Honorable Jim Jones, former Chief Justice of the Idaho Supreme Court, will deliver a keynote address. The Symposium is FREE and Open to the Public. Three CLE credits are pending. For more information or to RSVP please email law-symposium@uidaho.edu.

**SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM**

11:30 a.m.
Registration

12:30 p.m.
WELCOME:
Andrew Figueroa, Editor-in-Chief, University of Idaho Critical Legal Studies Journal
Lee Dillion, Dean of Boise Programs, University of Idaho College of Law

12:45 p.m.
**PANEL #1: LOCAL ENFORCEMENT OF IMMIGRATION LAW**

Panel Description:
This panel provides an overview of recent federal executive orders and litigation on the subject of local enforcement of immigration law. Panelists will discuss recent trends in local enforcement and response strategies in the new immigration enforcement landscape. Panelist will offer their perspective on the landscape surrounding state and local enforcement.

Moderator:
Jennifer Giuttari - Statewide Advocacy Attorney, Idaho Legal Aid Services, Inc.
Panelists:
Maria Andrade, Immigration Attorney, Law Offices of Maria Andrade
Chief William ‘Bill’ Bones, Boise Police Department
Maria Bucklew, Publisher, NCulturas
Ritchie Eppink, Legal Director, ACLU of Idaho
Professor Katherine Evans, Associate Professor, University of Idaho College of Law

1:45 p.m. – Break #1

2:00 p.m. PANEL #2: REFUGEES AND U.S. RESETTLEMENTS

Panel Description:
This panel provides an overview of humanitarian relief for refugees, asylum seekers, and Temporary Protected Status (‘TPS’) recipients. Panelists will discuss the adequacy of current law and how it affects those already in the country. Panelists will offer their insight on working with refugees from diverse backgrounds.

Moderator:
David Pimentel, Associate Professor, University of Idaho College of Law

Panelists
Christina Bruce-Bennion, Service Coordinator Program Manager, Idaho Office for Refugees
Latonia Haney Keith, Interim Associate Dean of Academics and Director of Clinical Education, Concordia University School of Law
Carolina Valderrama, NeighborhoodWorks Boise/BSU Adjunct Professor in Sociology

3:00 p.m. - Break #2

3:15 p.m. PANEL #3: DACA AND DREAMERS

Panel Description:
This panel provides an overview of DACA, the current situation facing DREAMers, and the future of DACA and DREAMers in the U.S. immigration landscape. Panelists will offer their perspective on DACA litigation and potential consequences for the roll back or expansion of the program.

Moderator:
Shaakirrah R. Sanders, Associate Professor, University of Idaho College of Law

Panelists:
Nicole Derden, The Law Offices of Nicole Derden
Celso Humberto Delgado Ramirez Pineda, Cónsul Titular, Consulate of Mexico in Boise, Idaho
Irene Ruiz, local activist and Co-Founder of PODER (Protecting our Dreams and Empowering Resilience)
Lawrence Wasden, Idaho Attorney General

4:15 p.m.
**KEYNOTE INTRODUCTION:** Monique Lillard, Professor of Law, University of Idaho College of Law

4:30 p.m.
**KEYNOTE SPEECH:** Honorable Jim Jones, Former Chief Justice, Idaho Supreme Court

5:15 p.m.
**Closing Remarks**
Mike Satz, Executive Director of the University of Idaho for Southwest Idaho and Founder of the University of Idaho Critical Legal Studies Journal
Joanna Garza, Symposium Editor, University of Idaho Critical Legal Studies Journal