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Spring 2011 Calendar of Events

JANUARY 2011
19 The Right to Be Out: Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity in America’s Public Schools
Featuring: Stuart Bagnell, Education Faculty and Law Faculty, UCLA
UCLA School of Law 12:15-1:15 pm

FEBRUARY 2011
2-6 The National Conference on LGBT Equality: Creating Change
The Williams Institute will present two panels on Friday, February 4 at the National Gay & Lesbian Task Force’s 23rd Annual Conference for the LGBT movement.
Designing a Survey and Using Data to Secure Protections for LGBT People, 9:00-10:15 am
Speakers: Mass Dirks, Executive Director, Transgender Law Center
Andy L. Bomar, Partner, Jones & Blaine Public Policy Fellows, The Williams Institute
Christy Mortley, Legal Research Fellow, The Williams Institute
Media, Communications, and Messaging, 10:45 am-12:15 pm
Speakers: Gary C. Gates, Williams Distinguished Scholar, The Williams Institute
Andy L. Bomar, Partner, Jones & Blaine Public Policy Fellows, The Williams Institute
Craig A. Jankowski, Legal Research Fellow, The Williams Institute
For more information, visit: www.thetaskforce.org/events/creating_change

10 Relationships, Risks, and Resiliency Among LGBT Youth
Brian Mustanski, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, University of Chicago at Chicago
For more information visit: www.ipgp.org/
Coprorson: UCLA Undergraduate Research-Relationship Science Program
UCLA, Franz Hall 3354 4:00-6:00 pm

14 Gender Identity Expression as Free Speech
Jeff Konscht, JD/PhD Candidate, Department of Sociology and School of Law, Northeastern University
Works-in-Progress Series
UCLA School of Law, Room 2226 12:20-1:40 pm

24 Why History Matters: Same Sex Marriage: Past, Present and Future
CLE Credit Available
Featuring: David Horvitz, Managing Partner, Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP
Nancy D. Polikoff, Associate Dean and Professor of American History, History Department, Harvard University
M.V. Lee Badgett, Research Director, The Williams Institute
Moderator: Alison Desatnik, Professor of History, UCLA

Coprorson: UCLA Department of History, UCLA Center for the Study of Women, UCLA LGBT Campus Resource Center
UCLA Faculty Center 4:00-6:00 pm

MARCH 2011
5 7th Annual Williams Institute Moot Court Competition, Preliminary Rounds
Twelve teams from ABA accredited law schools throughout the United States will compete in the only national competition dedicated exclusively to the areas of sexual orientation and gender identity law. This year’s participants will address the question of affirmative action with respect to sexual orientation.
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10 10th Annual Update & Anniversary Celebration UCLA School of Law April 7-9, 2011
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Featured Speakers

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20 Beyond Gay Rights: Lessons from Other Social Movements
Scott Butler, Program Director, Law and Social Science, National Resources Defense Council
Christian Charles, Program Associate, US Department of Agriculture
David S. Myers, Professor of Psychology, Political Science and Peace Research Institute
Douglas Van Belle, Associate Professor of Law, Lewis & Clark Law School
Evan Wallmo, Entrepreneur, Freedom to Marry

Marriage & Family Scholars Thinking About LGBT Families
Andrew J. Chilton, Sociology and Social Policy, Brown University
Gary L. Gates, Williams Distinguished Scholar, the Williams Institute
Dixie Dean, Center for Family and Demographic Research, Brown University
Mignon R. Moore, Assistant Professor of Sociology, UCLA
Amer Deplas, Professor of Psychology, Interdisciplinary Research on Sexuality Program, UCLA

7th Annual Moot Court Competition, Final Round
The Honorable Jack R. Cartwright, Justice, Delaware Supreme Court
The Honorable Rhonda Wilson-Knochel, Associate Justice, Oregon Supreme Court
The Honorable Alix Katzipes, Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

UCLA School of Law, Room 1314 12:20-1:40 pm

APRIL 2011
27 Same-Sex Marriage and Sexual Liberation
Michael Bozic, Law Teaching Fellow, The Williams Institute
Works-in-Progress Series
UCLA School of Law, Room 1314 12:20-1:40 pm

JULY 2011
17 Unhitched: Love, Marriage, and Family Values from West Hollywood to Western China
Featuring: Justin S. Stacy, Professor of Social and Cultural Analysis, Sociology, New York University
*Courtesey Book Event
Coprorson: UCLA Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Studies Program
UCLA School of Law 12:20-1:40 pm

18 Attracting, Advancing, and Retaining LGBT Litigators
CLE Credit Available
Featuring: Lisa A. Lindner, Partner-In-Charge, Firm-wide Diversity, McDermott Will & Emery LLP
*Courtesey Book Event
Coprorson: UCLA School of Law, Room 2326 12:20-1:40 pm

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