



LAW JOURNAL SYMPOSIUM:  
Tuesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

State Bar of Georgia Auditorium  
104 Marietta St., NW Suite 100  
Atlanta, GA 30303

*Focusing on the legal, ethical, and practical issues facing Georgia's criminal system.  
The goal of this year's Symposium is to present a unique, holistic view of Georgia's criminal justice system, bringing together all that play a role in the process that begins when persons are accused of a crime.*

**6 CLE credits offered to registrants – including 1 Professionalism credit and 1 Ethics credit**

Each author's presentation will be followed by a panel discussion.

**8:30-9:00: Breakfast and Registration**

**9:00-9:15: Welcome Address, Dean Richardson Lynn**, Dean and Professor of Law, *Atlanta's John Marshall Law School*

**9:15-10:00:**

**Professor E. Imwinkelried,**

Edward J. Barrett, Jr. Professor of Law, *UC Davis School of Law*

*The Importance of Forensic Metrology in Preventing Miscarriages of Justice: Intellectual Honesty about the  
Uncertainty of Measurement in Scientific Analysis*

Explaining How the Uncertainty of Measurement Causes Misunderstanding of Statistical Testimony Which  
Affects Outcomes in the Courtroom

**Moderator: Dean Kevin Cieply,**

Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, *Atlanta's John Marshall Law School*

**10:15-10:30: Break**

**10:30-11:15:**

**Ron Carlson,**

Fuller E. Callaway Chair of Law Emeritus, *University of Georgia School of Law*

**Mike Carlson,**

Deputy Chief ADA, *Cobb County*,  
Adjunct Professor, *Atlanta's John Marshall Law School*

Exploring Potential Constitutional Implications of Georgia's Retention of the Wide Open Cross Examination  
Rule After Adoption of the Federal Rules of Evidence

**Moderator: Professor Helen de Haven,**  
Associate Professor, *Atlanta's John Marshall Law School*

**11:15-12:00: Lunch**

**12:15-1:00:**

**Professor Michael D. Risinger,**  
John J. Gibbons Professor of Law, *Seton Hall Law*

**Lesley C. Risinger,**  
Director, *The Last Exoneration Project at Seton Hall Law*

Addressing Miscarriages of Justice in Georgia with a Focus on the Paramount Goal of Protecting the Actually  
Innocent from Conviction

**Moderator: Professor Suparna Malempati,**  
Associate Professor, *Atlanta's John Marshall Law School*

**1:00-1:45:**

**Don Geary,**  
Chief Assistant District Attorney, *Cobb County*

**Hannah Palmquist,**  
Assistant District Attorney, *Cobb County*

*Build It and They Will Come: The Realized Prophecy of Strickland v. Washington*  
Discussing the Collusive Use of Ineffective Assistance of Counsel and Available Remedies Through the  
Georgia Legislature

**Moderator: Dean Jeffrey Van Detta,**  
Associate Dean for Scholarship,  
*Atlanta's John Marshall Law School*

**1:45-2:30:**

**Professor Donald E. Wilkes, Jr.,**  
Professor of Law Emeritus,  
*University of Georgia School of Law*

Working Title: *The Great Writ Hit: The Decline of Georgia Habeas Corpus Since 1967*  
Analyzing the Statutes and Georgia Supreme Court Decisions Which Have Caused the Decline of the Habeas  
Corpus Writ in Georgia

**Moderator: Professor Anthony Baker**, Professor of Law,  
*Atlanta's John Marshall Law School*

**2:30-2:45: Break**

**2:45-3:45: Professionalism Seminar**

**Professor Jonathan Rapping**,  
President and Founder, *Gideon's Promise*,  
Director, Honors Program in Criminal Justice, *Atlanta's John Marshall Law School*

Defining the Professional Duty of Prosecutors and Criminal Defense Attorneys in Georgia's Criminal Justice System

**3:45-4:45: Ethics Seminar**

**Professor Michael Mears**,  
Associate Professor, *Atlanta's John Marshall Law School*

Discussing the Adversarial System and Its Ethical Implications for Lawyers in the Criminal Justice System