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Welcome to the 12th Annual
Public Interest Law Week
at Northwestern University
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Started in 1992 by three dedicated students, Public Interest Law Week has grown to become a seminal annual celebration of Chicago's public interest activists and their work in public service. The purpose of the week is to introduce students to the opportunities and challenges of public service. The week involves a series of panels on substantive legal issues featuring some of Chicago's top public interest practitioners.

All events will be held at Northwestern University School of Law, 357 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Food will be served at all events.

Auction to Benefit Student Funded Public Interest Fellowships (SFPIF)

Student Funded Public Interest Fellowships (SFPIF) is a nonprofit fundraising organization run entirely by students at Northwestern University School of Law. SFPIF is dedicated to funding law students who work in unpaid positions at public interest organizations during the summer. In 2004, more than 30 grants were awarded and a total of \$90,000 was distributed to students pursuing unpaid public interest work, both full time and part time. Help us reach our goal to fund even more students to work in public service during the summer of 2005. Join the festivities on Thursday, November 11 — door prizes, open bar, and the chance to bid on amazing gifts donated by local businesses, law firms, and the Northwestern community!

EVENTS

Monday, November 8

12:15–1:45 p.m.

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Judge Ruben Castillo,
Northern District of Illinois

4:00–5:15 p.m.

The Great Melting Pot? Focus on Immigrants and Refugees

Tuesday, November 9

Noon–1:15 p.m.

New Directions for Public Education

6:00–7:15 p.m.

Film: Take Back the Courts

Produced by the Campaign to Stop the Rollback of Civil Rights

Wednesday, November 10

Noon–1:15 p.m.

Preying on the Poor: Spotlight on Predatory Lending

5:00–6:15 p.m.

Doing Good While Doing Well: Women in Pro Bono

Sponsored by Sonnenschein, Nath & Rosenthal; Sachnoff & Weaver; and Jenner & Block

Thursday, November 11

Noon–1:15 p.m.

Reproductive Repercussions: The Impact of U.S. Politics on Women's Health and Rights Abroad

5:30–8:00 p.m.

Student Funded Public Interest Fellowships (SFPIF) Auction

Friday, November 12

Noon–1:15 p.m.

Reflections on the Same-Sex Marriage Debate

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