Thursday, April 7th

1:00 p.m. Lunch

1:45 Welcome and Introduction
Max Schanzenbach, Director, Searle Center on Law, Regulation and Economic Growth and Professor of Law, Northwestern University School of Law
David A. Dana, Associate Dean of Academic Affairs: Faculty & Research and Stanford Clinton Sr. and Zylpha Kilbride Clinton Research Professor of Law, Northwestern University School of Law

2:00 to 3:00 Session One: Learning about Climate Change Adaptation and Its Effects on Support for Climate Change Mitigation
David A. Dana, Stanford Clinton Sr. and Sylpha Kilbride Clinton Research Professor, Northwestern University School of Law
Michael P. Vandenbergh, Professor of Law, Vanderbilt University School of Law

Adapting Law for a Changing World: How to Alter Legal Systems to Respond to Climate Change
Victor B. Flatt, Thomas F. and Elizabeth Taft Distinguished Professor in Environmental Law; Director, Center for Law, Environment, Adaptation, and Resources (CLEAR) University of North Carolina Chapel Hill School of Law

3:00 to 4:00 Session Two: Water Law’s Climate Disruption Adaptation Potential
A. Dan Tarlock, Distinguished Professor of Law and Director of the Program in Environmental and Energy Law, Chicago-Kent College of Law

Ocean Governance for the 21st Century: Making Marine Zoning Climate Change Adaptable
Robin Kundis Craig, Attorneys’ Title Professor and Associate Dean for Environmental Programs, Florida State University College of Law

4:00 to 4:30 Break

4:30 to 5:30 Session Three: Climate Change Adaptation and the Law of the Horse
J.B. Ruhl, Matthews & Hawkins Professor of Property, Florida State University College of Law

How Externalized is Carbon? Life-Cycle CO2 Emissions Estimates from Financial Market Responses to Carbon Disclosure Requirements
Nicholas Switanek, Visiting Assistant Professor of Management & Organizations, Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University

5:45 Reception and Dinner
Devon Seafood Grill, 39 E. Chicago Avenue

Friday, April 8th

8:00 Breakfast

8:30 to 9:30 Session Four: The Challenge of Climate Adaptation: Learning from National Planning Efforts in Britain, China, and the United States
Daniel Farber, Sho Sato Professor of Law; Director, Environmental Law Program, UC Berkeley School of Law

The Need for (and Obstacles to) Regional Collective Action in Climate Adaptation
Barton H. “Buzz” Thompson, Jr., Robert E. Paradise Professor in Natural Resources Law and Perry L. McCarty Director, Woods Institute for the Environment, Stanford Law School
9:30 to 10:30  Session Five:  
Land Use and Climate Adaptation: The Federal Role  
Alice Kaswan, Professor of Law, University of San Francisco School of Law

Adapting to Pollution  
John Copeland Nagle, John N. Matthews Professor of Law, Notre Dame Law School

10:30 to 11:00  Break

11:00 to 11:45  Session Six:  
Allocating Authority in an Uncertain and Dynamic World: A Framework for Managing Climate Change Adaptation in Diverse Contexts  
Alejandro (Alex) Camacho, Professor of Law, University of California, Irvine School of Law  
Robert L. Glicksman, J. B. and Maurice C. Shapiro Professor of Environmental Law, The George Washington University Law School

11:45  Roundtable Lunch Discussion: Where Do We Go From Here in Creating a Research Agenda for Adaptation?

Confirmed Participants:
1. Michael Barsa, Northwestern University School of Law
2. Alex Camacho, University of California, Irvine School of Law
3. Ann Carlson, UCLA Law School
4. Robin Craig, Florida State University College of Law
5. David Dana, Northwestern University School of Law
6. Holly Doremus, UC Berkeley School of Law
7. Dan Farber, UC Berkeley School of Law
8. Victor Flatt, UNC School of Law
10. Alice Kaswan, University of San Francisco School of Law
11. Howard Learner, Environmental Law and Policy Center
12. John Nagle, University of Notre Dame Law School
13. J.B. Ruhl, Florida State University College of Law
14. Max Schanzenbach, Searle Center on Law, Regulation, and Economic Growth
15. Nicholas Switanek, Kellogg School of Management
16. Dan Tarlock, Chicago-Kent College of Law
17. Buzz Thompson, Stanford Law School
18. Mike Vandenbergh, Vanderbilt University School of Law
19. Donald M. Waller, Department of Botany, University of Wisconsin