

Research Roundtable – Law & Economics of Innovation II

January 31-February 1, 2008

Northwestern University School of Law
375 E. Chicago Avenue
Chicago, IL 60611

Thursday, January 31

- 12:00 to 1:00 **Lunch**
- 1:15 to 3:00 **Session One**
Incentives to Invest with Competition and Asymmetric Information
Daniel F. Spulber, Elinor Hobbs Distinguished Professor of International Business and Professor of Management Strategy, Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University
- 3:30 to 5:15 **Session Two**
[Spectrum Policy Reform and the Next Frontier of Property Rights](#)
Philip J. Weiser, Professor of Law, Associate Dean for Research & Executive Director of Silicon Flatirons Program, University of Colorado Law School
- 5:30 **Dinner Reception** (Northwestern University School of Law, Lowden Hall (LM 107))

Friday, February 1st

- 8:30 to 10:00 **Session Three**
[The Impact of Uncertain Intellectual Property Rights on the Market for Ideas: Evidence from Patent Grant Delays](#)
Scott Stern, Associate Professor of Management and Strategy, Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University
- 10:30 to 12:00 **Session Four**
[Enabling Research or Unfair Competition? De Jure and De Facto Research Use Exceptions in Major Technology Countries](#)
Sean O'Connor, Associate Director, CASRIP; Associate Director, Graduate Program in Intellectual Law and Policy; Associate Professor of Law; Faculty Director, Entrepreneurial Law Clinic, University of Washington School of Law
- 12:00 **Lunch – Roundtable Discussion**

Participants:

1. **Olufunmilayo B. Arewa**, Northwestern University
2. **Kenneth Ayotte**, Northwestern University
3. **Omri Ben-Shahar**, University of Michigan
4. **Henry N. Butler**, Northwestern University
5. **Eric Claeys**, George Mason University
6. **Leemore Dafny**, Northwestern University

7. **David Haddock**, Northwestern University
8. **F. Scott Kieff**, Washington University School of Law
9. **Lynne Kiesling**, Northwestern University
10. **Dean Lueck**, University of Arizona
11. **Fred S. McChesney**, Northwestern University
12. **Sean O'Connor**, University of Washington
13. **Michael Rizzo**, American Institute for Economic Research
14. **Jason Snyder**, Northwestern University
15. **Daniel F. Spulber**, Northwestern University
16. **Scott Stern**, Northwestern University
17. **Emerson Tiller**, Northwestern University
18. **Philip J. Weiser**, Colorado Law School
19. **Dean Williamson**, US Department of Justice and Harvard
20. **Joshua D. Wright**, George Mason Law School
21. **Martin Zelder**, Northwestern University, Economics

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