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- All abstracts for this event are available at https://go.osu.edu/jdr2022abstracts.
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- To register for the April 8 event on Zoom / at Harvard, see https://go.osu.edu/jdr2022HNMCP.
- For more about the Divided Community Project, see https://go.osu.edu/dcp.

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BIOGRAPHIES | Listed by panel. Featured participants are listed first in alphabetic order, followed by panelists

Part 2A | Practitioner Observations from the Field: 9:10 a.m. to 10:25 a.m.

This interactive conversation will feature breakout groups facilitated by Moritz-trained mediators and short presentations featuring:

Selena Cozart, Ph.D. has a full range of skills and extensive expertise in facilitating dialogue and community engagement, as well as community change in the service of equity and justice. Her specializations of Executive Coaching, Facilitation and Training, and Strategic Planning involving race, equity, diversity, inclusion (REDI), justice, and antiracism, helps individuals and organizations function at an all-inclusive and optimal level. She is a longtime contributor and consultant with the Institute for Engagement & Negotiation at the University of Virginia School of Architecture. She holds a Ph.D in Education Evaluation from the University of Virginia.

Nebraska Law Professor Kristen Blankley teaches Alternative Dispute Resolution, Advocacy in Mediation, Mediation, Family Mediation, Arbitration, Facilitation, and Legal Professions. Her research has largely focused on the crossroads of alternative dispute resolution and ethics and on contemporary issues in arbitration law. Blankley joined the Nebraska faculty in 2010. She received her B.A. in History and Political Science and graduated summa cum laude from Hiram College, and she received her J.D. from The Ohio State University, Moritz College of Law, and graduating first in her class. Previously she served as a law clerk on the Sixth and Eighth Circuits and worked for at the Columbus, Ohio office of Squire, Sanders & Dempsey, LLP (now Squire Patton Boggs).

William “Bill” Froehlich is the current Langdon Fellow in Dispute Resolution and Deputy Director of the Divided Community Project at The Ohio State University Moritz College of Law. Professor Froehlich regularly teaches Moritz’s longstanding mediation clinic where he trains students to mediate and supervises student mediators in several Columbus-area venues; he has also taught courses which focus on dispute systems design. He graduated cum laude from Moritz in 2011.
Part 2B | Race & Policing: Design Intervention: 10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. [continued on the next page]

This session will highlight two initiatives that imbed dispute resolution concepts in urban law enforcement training and comments from a former law enforcement leader.

Professor **Stephanie Blondell** is an Associate Professor of Law and Associate Director of the Straus Institute for Dispute Resolution at Pepperdine Caruso School of Law. Professor Blondell is the Director of the Master of Dispute Resolution Program in West Los Angeles. Professor Blondell teaches Mediation Theory and Practice, Psychology of Conflict, Criminal Law, and supervises the Mediation Clinic. Professor Blondell also is a lead faculty for Mediating the Litigated Case in Washington, D.C. and internationally. She holds a JD from the University of Washington and a BA from Brown University.

Dr. **RaShall Brackney** is a Distinguished Visiting Professor of Practice at George Mason University. Previously served more than 30 years with the Pittsburgh Bureau of Police and served as the Chief of Police for George Washington University and Charlottesville, Virginia after the deadly “Unite the Right” rally. Dr. Brackney is a recognized expert in the areas of harm reduction, procedural and restorative justice practices, and community-police relations. Dr. Brackney earned BS (2009) and Master's (2011) degrees from Carnegie Mellon University and a PhD (2017) from Robert Morris University.

**Simone C. Drake** is the Hazel C. Youngberg Trustees Distinguished Professor in the Department of English. She is a faculty affiliate at the Moritz College of Law, the Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity, the Department of African American and African Studies and the Department of Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies. She holds a Ph.D. from the University of Maryland, a M.S.L. from Ohio State, and a BA from Denison University.
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Professor **Katrina Lee** is the Director of the Program on Dispute Resolution and a Clinical Professor at The Ohio State University Moritz College of Law. She joined the full-time Moritz faculty in 2011 and has taught Legal Negotiation since 2012. She has developed and led numerous negotiation workshops in and outside of OSU. Professor Lee serves as co-faculty advisor, along with Professor Sarah Cole, for the Ohio State Journal on Dispute Resolution. Professor Lee is the author or co-author of three books and several law review articles. She is bringing her negotiation expertise to a multidisciplinary project focused on intervening in traditional DEI training for law enforcement; her team’s research is funded by a grant from the OSU Seed Fund for Racial Justice. In Summer 2022, Professor Lee will teach Business Negotiations in a Global Environment for a second time in the Moritz-University of Oxford summer law program in Oxford, England.

**Kevin Passino** is a Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering at The Ohio State University College of Engineering. He values working with a diverse group to produce technology that has a direct positive impact on people, is fair, effective, low-cost, and reliable. He collaborates with his research group, and across a range of countries and disciplines (e.g., education, social work, and psychology).

**Carl Smallwood** is the Director of the Divided Community Project and a retired partner at Vorys, Sater, Seymour and Pease LLP in Columbus, following a successful career resolving disputes by litigation and negotiation. He focused his community service on diversity/inclusion, particularly on broadening law-related secondary school academic enrichment and post-collegiate educational opportunities for underrepresented and underserved communities. A past president of the National Conference of Bar Presidents, he was the first African American president of the Columbus Bar Association. Carl is a 1980 Ohio State University Moritz College of Law graduate.
Part 2C | Framing Justice: Conversation with john powell: Noon to 1:05 p.m.

This keynote address will feature remarks from john powell, director of the UC Berkeley Othering & Belonging Institute, and discussion with session attendees.

john a. powell is an internationally recognized expert in the areas of civil rights, civil liberties, structural racism, housing, poverty, and democracy. He is the Director of the Othering & Belonging Institute at the University of California, Berkeley, a research institute that brings together scholars, community advocates, communicators, and policymakers to identify and eliminate the barriers to an inclusive, just, and sustainable society and to create transformative change toward a more equitable world. John holds the Robert D. Haas Chancellor’s Chair in Equity and Inclusion and is a Professor of Law, African American Studies, and Ethnic Studies at UC Berkeley. Previously, he was the Executive Director of the Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity at The Ohio State University where he also held the Gregory H. Williams Chair in Civil Rights & Civil Liberties at the Moritz College of Law.

Part 2D | Truth, Justice, and Reconciliation in Action: 1:15 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. [continued on the next page]

This facilitated conversation will feature illustrations of truth, justice, and reconciliation efforts in action.

Rose M. Brewer, PhD is a Morse Alumni Distinguished Teaching Professor and past chairperson of the Department of African American & African Studies, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities. She holds affiliate appointments in Gender, Women, & Sexuality Studies and Sociology. She received her MA and PhD degrees in sociology from Indiana University and did postdoctoral studies at the University of Chicago. A social activist and scholar, Brewer publishes extensively on Black feminism, political economy, social movements, race, class, gender and social change.

Raff Donelson is Associate Professor of Law at Penn State Dickinson Law where his research and teaching focus on constitutional law, criminal procedure, and legal philosophy. Professor Donelson’s recent work has centered on general jurisprudence and on constitutional protections for criminals and the accused. Prior to joining Dickinson Law, Professor Donelson was Assistant Professor of Law and Philosophy at Louisiana State University. Professor Donelson earned his JD and PhD in philosophy from Northwestern University, his MA from the University of Chicago, and his BA from Williams College.
Judge Juanita C. Freeman serves the Tenth Judicial District Bench of the Minnesota Judicial branch. She was appointed in 2018 by then Governor Mark Dayton and was reelected in 2020. She is the first Black Judge in Washington County Minnesota where she presides over all matters that come before the District Court. Judge Freeman also currently serves as the Co-Chair of the Tenth Judicial District Equal Justice Committee and is an adjunct professor at Mitchell Hamline College of Law, teaching trial advocacy to online and traditional students.

Before joining the bench, Judge Freeman was a Senior Assistant Hennepin County Attorney in the Adult Prosecution Division, where she managed a team of attorneys and maintained her own felony caseload. Previously, she was a Senior Assistant Hennepin County Attorney in the Child Protection Division and an Assistant Hennepin County Attorney in the Adult Prosecution Division & Gang Team. She earned her J.D., cum laude, from William Mitchell College of Law and holds a B.A., magna cum laude, from Hamline University.

Amber Johnson is the Equity, Inclusion and Racial Conciliation Manager for the City of Charleston (SC) where she provides leadership, guidance and support to internal and external partners to further city initiatives and equity policy. Previously she served as a staff attorney for South Carolina Legal Services. She holds a JD from Florida A&M University and a BA from Hampton University.

Anusha Venkataraman is the former Executive Director for the Racial Justice Commission at the City of New York. An urban planner, she previously served in New York City’s Office of the Mayor and in the Department of Housing Preservation and Development. She holds a Masters of City and Regional Planning from the Pratt Institute, and a BA from Brown University.

Teri Murphy is the Associate Director at the Mershon Center for International Security Studies and Co-Director of the Conflict to Peace Lab. She has been actively engaged in conflict intervention and peacebuilding in several international contexts for the past 25 years. Her primary research interests focus on the intersection between peace, human security, and development. Teri holds a Ph.D. in Social Psychology from the University of Cape Town.
Part 2E | Reflections on Truth, Justice, and Reconciliation: 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. [continued on the next page]

This facilitated conversation will feature reflections on key concepts connected to truth, justice, and reconciliation.

Sooyeon Kang is a Postdoctoral Research Fellow at the Mershon Center for International Security Studies, The Ohio State University, and a non-resident Fellow at the Carr Center for Human Rights, Harvard Kennedy School. A 2020-2021 Peace Scholar Fellow at the United States Institute of Peace, her research interests include mass mobilization, political violence, political psychology, and all things North Korea. She holds a Ph.D. in International Studies from the University of Denver, an M.A. in International Affairs from The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, and a B.A. in Government and Psychology from Dartmouth College.

Janet Martinez is the Director of the Gould Negotiation and Mediation Program at Stanford Law School where she focuses her research and consulting on the lawyer’s role in negotiation, domestically and internationally; dispute system design; online dispute resolution; facilitation of public disputes, particularly in the fields of international trade and the environment; negotiation and consensus-building training; and negotiation curriculum development for clients in the public, private, and nonprofit sectors. She holds a Ph.D. from MIT, an MPA from Harvard, a JD from Golden Gate University, and a BS from Washington State University.

Cary McClelland is a civil rights lawyer and award-winning writer and filmmaker who brings to his teaching a global experience of conflict resolution and a personal understanding of the role of storytelling in dispute resolution. Prior to the law, Cary spent the first part of his career working on human rights and conflict resolution initiatives throughout the Middle East, Latin America, Africa, and Asia. He trained former child soldiers to be journalists in the Democratic Republic of Congo, worked alongside opposition activists in Zimbabwe, and collaborated on advocacy campaigns in Egypt, Syria, and Myanmar. He has a particular interest in traditional and restorative conflict transformation processes. Cary holds a JD from Stanford Law School and a Masters in International Affairs from Columbia University.
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**Nancy Rogers** is a Professor Emeritus at the Ohio State University Moritz College of Law. She also serves on the executive committee of the College’s Divided Community Project. Since she first joined the Moritz faculty, she has served as Ohio Attorney General, Dean of the Moritz College of Law, Vice Provost for Academic Administration of The Ohio State University, Visiting Professor of Law at Harvard Law School, and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs for Moritz. Prior to joining the faculty, she was a law clerk for U.S. District Judge Thomas D. Lambros in Cleveland and practiced in the Glenville-area office of the Cleveland Legal Aid Society. She is a graduate of the University of Kansas and Yale Law School.

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**Oladeji M. Tiamiyu** is a Clinical Fellow at the Harvard Negotiation and Mediation Clinical Program. Prior to joining HNMCP, Oladeji was an Online Dispute Resolution Fellow with the Resolution Systems Institute in Chicago, Illinois where he helped in developing a pilot online dispute resolution program for family law disputes. Oladeji has also worked with the Truth and Reconciliation Commission and Constitutional Review Commission in The Gambia. He is a member of the Massachusetts Bar and the Illinois Bar, holds a B.A. in Political Science, *magna cum laude*, from the University of Toledo, and a J.D. from Harvard Law School.