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# Sustaining the Reservation: Creating Tribal Economies CLE Conference

# February 27 - 28, 2014 Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

Thursday, Feb. 27 / Memorial Union Turquoise Ballroom MU 220 301 Orange Mall Friday, Feb. 28 / Armstrong Hall
Great Hall
1100 S. McAllister Avenue

#### **AGENDA**

# Day 1- Thursday, February 27, 2014 (Memorial Union 220)

8:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Walk-In Registration / Check-In / Continental Breakfast

8:30 - 8:45 a.m.

# Blessing, Welcome and Introduction

- Blessing: Dr. Peterson Zah, former President, Navajo Nation
- Robert J. Miller, Professor of Law, Faculty Director, Rosette, LLP, American Indian Economic Development Program, Indian Legal Program, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University
- Carl J. Artman, Faculty Associate, Indian Legal Program, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University

8:45 - 9:30 a.m.

**Keynote Address: Title TBD** 

### Kevin K. Washburn

Assistant Secretary of Indian Affairs, United States Department of Interior

9:30 - 11:15 a.m.

# **Historic American Indian Economic Issues**

- Ronald L. Trosper, Professor & Program Head, American Indian Studies, University of Arizona
- Robert D. Cooter, Herman F. Selvin Professor of Law, Co-Director, Law and Economics Program, Berkeley Law, University of California
- Ezra Rosser, Professor of Law, American University College of Law
- G. William Rice\*, Associate Professor of Law, Co-Director, Native American Law Center, University of Tulsa College of Law

#### 11:15 - 11:30 a.m.

## **Morning Break**

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 pm.

# **Off Reservation Economic Development**

- Alexander Tallchief Skibine\*, S.J. Quinney Professor of Law, S.J. Quinney College of Law, University of Utah
- Robert A. Rosette, Partner, Rosette, LLP

## 12:30 - 1:15 p.m.

# **Lunch Buffet served in Turquoise Ballroom**

## 1:15 - 2:45 p.m.

## Oil, Gas and Alternative Energy Development

- Carl J. Artman\*, Faculty Associate, Indian Legal Program, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University
- Judith V. Royster, Professor of Law, University of Tulsa College of Law
- Rebecca Tsosie, Regents' Professor of Law, Professor of Law, Indian Legal Program & Faculty Fellow, Center for Law and Global Affairs, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University

# 2:45 - 3:00 p.m.

#### **Afternoon Break**

# 3:00 -3:25 p.m.

## **Unlocking the Wealth: The Resource Curse**

• Terry Anderson, President, Property and Environment Research Center (PERC) & Senior Fellow, Stanford University, Hoover Institution

#### 3:25 - 4:40 p.m.

# **Taxation in Indian Country**

- Patrick Irvine, Of Counsel, Fennemore Craig, Faculty Associate, Indian Legal Program, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University
- Rodney B. Lewis, Consultant, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP
- David D. Haddock\*, Professor of Law, Northwestern University School of Law

# 4:40 - 4:45 p.m.

# **Day 1 Review & Closing Remarks**

• Carl J. Artman, Faculty Associate & Conference Co-Chairperson, Indian Legal Program

# Day 2 - Friday, February 28, 2014 (Armstrong Hall, ASU Law School)

#### 8:30 - 10:30 a.m.

# **Reservation Economic Diversification**

- Lance Morgan, President & CEO, Ho-Chunk Inc.
- Judith M. Dworkin\*, Managing Partner, Sacks Tiernay P.A.
- Robert Odawi Porter, Senior Counsel, Dentons

#### 10:30 - 10:45 a.m.

#### **Morning Break**

#### 10:45 - Noon

# **Indian Housing: Helping Economic Development on Reservations**

- Moderator: Dave Castillo, CEO, Native Home Capital
- Mary W. Shirley, Attorney Advisor, Southwest Office of Native American Programs, U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development
- Terence Baird, Assistant Attorney General, Pasqua Yaqui Tribe
- Kevin Fitzgibbons, Housing Consultant

## Noon – 12:30 p.m.

# Boxed lunch provided / Steptoe & Johnson Rotunda

#### 12:30 - 1:00 p.m.

#### **Luncheon Keynote / Title TDB**

#### **Diane Enos**

President, Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community

#### 1:00 - 2:15 p.m.

## **Banking and Finance in Indian Country**

- Dave Castillo\*, CEO, Native Home Capital
- Lee I. Slonimsky, Managing Member, Ocean Partners LP
- Steven Gundersen, President, Tallsalt Advisors

## 2:15 - 2:30 p.m.

#### **Afternoon Break**

#### 2:30 - 3:45 p.m.

## **Entrepreneurship and Creating Economic Diversity**

- Fonda Walters, Senior Research Analyst, American Indian Policy Institute at ASU
- Carla Fredericks, Associate Clinical Professor/Director of the Indian Law Clinic, Co-Director, American Indian Law Program, University of Colorado, Colorado Law
- Robert J. Miller\*, Professor of Law, Faculty Director, Rosette, LLP, American Indian Economic Development Program, Indian Legal Program

#### 3:45 - 4:15 p.m.

## Looking Around the Corner / Q & A / Adjourn

- Robert J. Miller, Conference Co-Chairperson, Indian Legal Program
- \* Moderator/Presenter