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John Hope Franklin Room (SS 224)

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“From Natural Law to Human Rights”
Susan Karr
9:00-10:00 AM

“The Origins of Inalienable and Imprescriptible Rights”
Colin F. Wilder
10:00-11:00 AM

“The Jurisprudence of Empire”
Robert Stern
11:15 AM-12:15 PM

“Individual Rights and Social Rights in the Mexican Constitution of 1917”
T. MacDowell James
1:00 – 2:00 PM

“Rio de Janeiro’s Proposed Monument Against Torture”
Ann Schneider
2:00-3:00 PM

“The Soviet Union and the International Covenants: Human Rights after the Universal Declaration”
Jennifer Amos
3:30-4:30 PM

Keynote Talk
“Present at the Creation? Human Rights and Non-Governmental Organizations at the 1945 San Francisco Conference”
Elizabeth Borgwardt
Washington University in St. Louis
4:30-5:30 PM

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