



The Dual Role of Immigration & Citizenship Law: Exploring Inclusion, Exclusion & Reform for 2025 & Beyond

Thursday, April 3, 2025 – 4 p.m. – 6 p.m. (Eastern time)

Friday, April 4, 2025 – 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Eastern time)

Rutgers Law School, 123 Washington Street, Newark, NJ

Historically and today, immigration and citizenship laws serve as two sides of the same coin in shaping the United States' demographic and cultural landscape. On the one hand, these laws create pathways for inclusion, allowing non-citizens to enter and become permanent members of the country. On the other hand, they establish mechanisms of exclusion, setting barriers that prevent certain non-citizens from entering the United States and removing those who are considered ineligible or undeserving of membership.

The past decade has underscored the dual roles of inclusion and exclusion in immigration and citizenship laws, as the federal, state, and local governments grappled with several key issues, including deportation, artificial intelligence, pathways to citizenship, migrant worker status, and federalism.

The symposium aims to create space for legal scholars, policymakers, lawyers, and advocates to discuss these issues and key questions, including: What should immigration and citizenship laws look like in 2025 and beyond? What values, interests, and needs should be prioritized? Should these laws continue to serve as mechanisms of both inclusion and exclusion? What might an inclusive immigration and citizenship framework look like?

The symposium will honor the contributions of Professor Linda Bosniak (Rutgers Law – Camden) and Alan Hyde (Rutgers Law – Newark), both distinguished scholars in the fields of immigration, citizenship, and labor, who recently retired from teaching at Rutgers Law School.

Co-sponsored by Rutgers University Law Review, Rutgers Law School Center for Immigrant Justice, and Rutgers Law School Institute for Professional Education.

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AGENDA

Thursday, April 3, 2025

4:00 p.m. **WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS**

- [Johanna Bond](#), Dean and Professor of Law, Rutgers Law School
- [Ras Baraka](#), Mayor, City of Newark

4:30 p.m. **MASS DEPORTATION**

5:45 p.m.

- [Stephen Lee](#), Professor of Law, UC Irvine School of Law
- [Lauren Herman](#), Supervising Attorney, Make the Road New Jersey
- [Margaret Stock](#), Attorney, Cascadia Cross-Border Law Group LLC
- [Alina Das](#), Professor of Clinical Law, NYU School of Law

Moderator – [Jessica Rofé](#), Director of the Constitutional Rights Clinic, and Assistant Professor of Law, Rutgers Law School

Friday, April 4, 2025

9:00 a.m. **WELCOME**

9:15 a.m. **ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, DIGITAL SURVEILLANCE, AND IMMIGRATION**

10:30 a.m.

- [Justice \(ret.\) John G. Browning](#), Distinguished Jurist in Residence, Faulkner University Law; Former Justice, Fifth District Court of Appeals, Texas
- [Huyen Pham](#), University Distinguished Professor, Texas A&M University School of Law
- [Richard Frankel](#), Associate Dean and Professor of Law, Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law

Moderator – [Kyle Sommer](#), Senior Associate, Fragomen, Del Rey, Bernsen & Loewy, LLP

10:45 a.m. **CITIZENSHIP**

12:00 p.m.

- [Peter Spiro](#), Charles R. Weiner Professor of Law, Temple University Beasley School of Law
- [Jennifer Chacón](#), Bruce Tyson Mitchell Professor of Law, Stanford Law School
- [Amanda Frost](#), David Lurton Masee, Jr., Professor of Law, University of Virginia School of Law

Moderator – [P. Deep Gulasekaram](#), Professor, University of Colorado Law School

12:15 p.m. KEYNOTE ADDRESS & LUNCH

1:15 p.m.

- [Kevin Johnson](#), Distinguished Professor of Law, Mabie-Apallas Professor of Public Interest Law, and Martin Luther King Jr. Professor of Law, UC Davis School of Law

1:30 p.m. IMMIGRANT WORKERS

2:45 p.m.

- [David Nows](#), Assistant Professor of Law, Thomas R. Kline School of Law of Duquesne University
- [Nicole Hallett](#), Clinical Professor of Law, Director of the Immigrants' Rights Clinic, The University of Chicago Law School
- [Farrin Anello](#), Skadden Fellow, ACLU Immigrant Rights Project

Moderator – [David Lopez](#), University Professor of Law, Professor Alfred Slocum Scholar, and Co-Dean Emeritus, Rutgers Law School

3:00 p.m. IMMIGRATION & FEDERALISM

4:30 p.m.

- [Rick Su](#), Arch T. Allen Distinguished Professor of Law, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Law
- [Jeremy Feigenbaum](#), Solicitor General, State of New Jersey, Department of Law & Public Safety
- [Talía Peleg](#), Professor, The City University of New York School of Law & Marie Mark, Immigrant Defense Project

Moderator – [Juliet Stumpf](#), Edmund O. Belsheim Professor of Law, Lewis & Clark Law School

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