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Health & Biomedical Law at Suffolk Law School

Suffolk University Law School was the first law school in Massachusetts to establish a Concentration in Health and Biomedical Law, offering day and evening division students an opportunity to distinguish themselves academically in this challenging, fast-paced field. Students with no prior health care background are able to take the concentration and develop an area of strength. Professionals with work experience in the health professions, insurance, information technology, biotechnology and related fields are often attracted to the concentration as it allows them to complement their experience and opens up new career opportunities.

To learn more about the Health and Biomedical Law Concentration contact Betsy G. Roberti, Administrative Director of Academic Concentrations, at 617.305.6201 or broberti@suffolk.edu or the Health and Biomedical Law Concentration Faculty Co-Directors, Professor Barry Brown at bbrown@suffolk.edu or Professor Marc Rodwin at mrodwin@suffolk.edu.

Past Lecturers

Marcia Angell, MD, of Harvard Medical School on "Science in the Courtroom: The Breast Implant Case"

Professor Barry Furrow of Widener University School of Law on "Health Care system Failures: New Trends in Liability"

Professor Timothy Jost of Washington and Lee University on "The Historian in Court: Radiation Experiments at Vanderbilt University"

Professor James Morone of Brown University on "Hellfire Nation – Sinners, Morals and Health Care Policy"

Professor Sara Rosenbaum of George Washington University Medical Center, School of Public Health and Health Services on "Ending Health Insurance As We Know It"

Professor David Rothman of Columbia University on "American Health Care Entitlements: An International Comparison"

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The Suffolk University Law School Health Law and Policy Forum features national and regional leaders in health law, health policy, medicine and ethics. The Forum promotes communication among practitioners and scholars across disciplines and builds on Suffolk University Law School's location and Health Law program.

This year's Forum is co-sponsored by the Health and Biomedical Law Concentration and the American Health Lawyers Association, the nation's largest, nonpartisan, 501(c)(3) educational organization devoted to legal issues in the health care field.

The Economics and Ethics of Informed Consent

Time To Admit Our Mistakes and Move On

Monday, February 23, 2004, 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Edward N. Beiser

Professor Emeritus of Political Science

Former Associate Dean of Medicine (Humanities and Social Sciences)

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Edward N. Beiser, PhD, JD, is a Professor Emeritus of Political Science, and former Professor of Political Science and Associate Dean of Medicine (Humanities and Social Sciences) at Brown University. He has also served as the Interim Director of the Center for Biomedical Ethics and the Director of the Center for Law and Liberal Education at Brown. He has been the recipient of numerous awards for excellence in teaching, having most recently been presented with the Multicultural Faculty Award by the Brown University School of Medicine in June of 2002.

Professor Beiser's fields of interest include ethics, health policy, law and medicine, judicial behavior and political theory. He is the producer of the teaching video, "Peter Wegner is Alive and Well and Living in Providence," a 20-minute documentary following Professor Peter Wegner's treatment and rehabilitation after a tragic bus accident resulting in brain damage. Professor Beiser has published and lectured extensively in the areas of law and medicine, applied social theory and bio-ethics, and has been a member of many legal and medical committees concerned with behavioral and ethical issues.

Professor Beiser served as a visiting professor at Oxford University, The Hebrew University, Jerusalem, and the University of California at Davis, Los Angeles and Berkeley. He received a PhD in politics from Princeton University, and a JD from Harvard University.

The Body As Property

Gene Patents and Health Care Policy



Monday, March 22, 2004, 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Lori Andrews

Distinguished Professor of Law, Chicago-Kent College of Law
Director, Chicago-Kent College of Law Institute for Science, Law and Technology.

Lori Andrews is a Distinguished Professor of Law at Chicago-Kent College of Law and Director of the Institute for Science, Law and Technology. She received her BA summa cum laude from Yale College and her J.D. from Yale Law School. In spring 2002, she was a Visiting Professor at Princeton University.

Professor Andrews has been an advisor on biomedical law to Congress, foreign governments, and various federal agencies. She chaired the federal Working Group on the Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications of the Human Genome Project. She served as a consultant to the science ministers of 12 countries on the issues of embryo stem cells, gene patents, and DNA banking. She has also advised artists who want to use genetic engineering to become Creators — with a capital “C” — and invent new living species. She recently testified in the Senate on gene patenting and is advising the Chicago Historical Society on the ethics of testing Abe Lincoln’s DNA.

Professor Andrews is also the author of 10 books and more than 100 scholarly articles, monographs, and book chapters on subjects including informed consent, medical genetics, and health policy. Her latest books include *Genetics: Ethics, Law and Policy* (West Publishing, 2002) (with Mark Rothstein and Maxwell Mehlman), *Body Bazaar: The Market for Human Tissue in the Biotechnology Age* (New York: Crown Publishers, 2001) (co-authored with Dorothy Nelkin), *Future Perfect: Confronting Decisions about Genetics* (New York: Columbia University Press, 2001), and *The Clone Age: Adventures in the New World of Reproductive Technology* (New York: Henry Holt, Inc., 2000).

Advances in Neuro-Science & the Future of Litigation



Wednesday, April 14, 2004, 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Henry T. Greely

C. Wendell and Edith M. Carlsmith Professor of Law
Stanford University

Henry T. (Hank) Greely is the C. Wendell and Edith M. Carlsmith Professor of Law and a professor, by courtesy, of genetics at Stanford University. He specializes in health law and policy and in legal and social issues arising from advances in the biological sciences. He has written on issues concerning genetic testing, human cloning, the ethics of human genetics research, legal issues in neuroscience, and policy issues in the health care financing system. He chairs the steering committee of the Stanford University Center for Biomedical Ethics; directs the Stanford Center for Law and the Biosciences; and co-directs the Stanford Program on Genomics, Ethics, and Society. He serves on the California Advisory Committee on Human Cloning and on the North American Committee of the Human Genome Diversity Project, whose ethics subcommittee he chairs.

Professor Greely is a graduate of Stanford University and Yale Law School. He served as a law clerk for Judge John Minor Wisdom on the United States Court of Appeals and for Justice Potter Stewart of the United States Supreme Court. After working during the Carter Administration in the Departments of Defense and Energy, he entered private practice in Los Angeles in 1981 as a litigator with the law firm of Tuttle & Taylor, Inc. He began teaching at Stanford in 1985.

All lectures are held at Suffolk University Law School, Sargent Hall, 120 Tremont Street, Boston, MA and include lunch. The Law School is conveniently located across from the MBTA Park Street station. For additional information or directions, please call 617.305.6299 or visit us at www.law.suffolk.edu/health.

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