

THE GEORGETOWN JOURNAL ON POVERTY LAW & POLICY  
CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO OUR 2013 SYMPOSIUM:

# Marginalized Girls: Creating Pathways to Opportunity

Please join us this Thursday for this important discussion on the needs of girls living in poverty. Our distinguished panelists will discuss the effectiveness of gender-responsive reforms in the areas of juvenile justice, child welfare and education.

**DATE:** THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 2013

**TIME:** 3:00 PM – 5:30 PM, RECEPTION 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM

**LOCATION:** GEWIRZ 12

## Symposium Schedule

**3:00 – 3:15 PM**

**Opening Remarks by Rebecca Epstein**, Executive Director, Georgetown Center on Poverty, Inequality and Public Policy

**3:15 PM – 4:15 PM**

**Panel One** Achieving Positive Youth Outcomes Across Systems: Child Welfare and Education

**Moderated by Professor Peter Edelman**, Georgetown University Law Center

**Karen Baynes-Dunning**, Author, Associate Professor, College of Human Environmental Sciences, University of Alabama

**Karen Worthington**, Author, Owner, Karen Worthington Consulting

**Dr. Barbara Gault**, Author, Executive Director & Vice President, Institute for Women's Policy Research

**Rhiana Gunn-Wright**, Author, Fellow, Institute for Women's Policy Research

**Lara Kaufmann**, Discussant, Senior Counsel & Director of Education Policy for At-Risk Students, National Women's Law Center

**BB Otero**, Discussant, Deputy Mayor for Health and Human Services, Washington, DC

**4:15 – 4:30 PM**

**Break for Refreshments**

Coffee and tea will be served

**4:30 – 5:30 PM**

**Panel Two** Girls in the Juvenile Justice System

**Moderated by Dana Shoenberg**, Deputy Director, Center for Children's Law and Policy

**Dr. Lawanda Raviora**, Author, President & CEO, The Delores Barr Weaver Policy Center

**Vanessa Patino Lydia**, Author, Director of Research and Planning, The Delores Barr Weaver Policy Center

**Liz Watson**, Author, Senior Advisor to the Education and Employment Team, National Women's Law Center

**Liz Ryan**, Discussant, President & CEO, Campaign for Youth Justice

**Malika Saada Saar**, Discussant, Executive Director, Human Rights Project for Girls

**5:30 – 5:40 PM**

**Closing Remarks by Nick Sheehan**, Editor-In-Chief, Georgetown Journal on Poverty Law and Policy

**5:40 – 6:30 PM**

**Reception**

Appetizers and beverages will be served

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