JUSTICE ACROSS CULTURES
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SESSION I  JUSTICE ACROSS CULTURES: HISTORICAL, THEORETICAL, AND LEGAL PERSPECTIVES
9:00 – 11:00
Moderator: Michael Willrich, Brandeis University
Participants: Ayelet Shachar, University of Toronto—Justice, Culture, and the Problem of Gender
David Heyd, Hebrew University of Jerusalem—Can Justice be Extended to the Global Sphere?
Eric Cheyfitz, Cornell University—The Force of Translation in the Foundation of U.S. Federal Indian Law

SESSION II  INTERSECTIONS OF INTERNATIONAL AND DOMESTIC JUSTICE
11:15 – 1:15
Moderator: Bernard Yack, Brandeis University
Participants: Kamari Clarke, Yale University—Human Rights Revisited: The International Criminal Court and the Cultural Politics of Implementation
Yasemin Sosyal, University of Essex—Identity, Rights, and Claims Making
Sally Merry, Wellesley College—Tensions Between Global and Local Situations: CEDAW and the Problem of Rape in Fiji
Brian Concannon, Bureau des Avocats Internationaux—Haiti: International Law in National Trials?

1:15 – 2:15  BREAK FOR LUNCH

SESSION III  RESTORATIVE JUSTICE: RECONCILIATION, REPARATIONS, AND FORGIVENESS
2:35 – 4:30
Moderator: Cindy Cohen, Brandeis University
Participants: Leigh Payne, University of Wisconsin—in Search of Remorse: Confessions by Perpetrators of Past State Violence
Omar Dajani, McGeorge School of Law, University of the Pacific—'End of conflict' and Other Fallacies: Competing Visions of Justice in the New Middle East
Dumisa Ntsebeza—Transitional Justice in the South African Context

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