



Center for



Biodefense, Law & Public Policy

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW

THIRD ANNUAL Law and Science RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

Legal Issues in Science 8a-12p
Legal Issues in Bioterrorism 1p-4:20p

School of Law, Forum

Join us for the:

LAW AND SCIENCE RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

Wednesday, 3.10.04

8:30 - 9:00a

9:00 - 9:10a

9:10 - 10:30a

Coffee Sponsored by Market Lubbock, Biosciences Initiative

Welcome Dean Walter B. Huffman, School of Law

Dr. Victoria Sutton, Director

Presentation of Papers

Laura Wood

"Informed Consent— Who Needs It? The FDA's New Policy Regarding Human Experimentation"

Nicole Tomich

Wind Power

Mark S. DesNoyer

The Pleading, Mental Health, and the Ability to Stand Trial: Do These Entities Work as One?

10:30 - 10:45a

Break

10:45 - 12:00p

Presentation of Papers

Marci McClellan

Stachybotrys chartarum: Valid legal claim or frivolous lawsuit?

Jennifer Doak

Light Pollution

12:00 - 1:00p

Lunch

Keynote Speaker: Provost William B. Marcy, Ph.D.

1:00 - 2:45p

Legal Issues and Bioterrorism

Dylan George

Making the Constitutional Case Against Regulation of Stem Cell Research

Bryan Eisenbise

"Taking the Reins in a New Era of Biowarfare: Federalism, War Powers, and Issues of National Security, after 9/11"

Robert De La Fuente

"A Delicate Balance: How the PATRIOT Act has Changed Search and Seizure"

Nicole Griffin

"Greater Good, Or Lesser Evil?" State Vaccination Exemptions in the Age of Bioterrorism"

Lori Kohnen

"Bioterrorism and Physicians: No Duty to Respond: An examination of the legal duty of physicians to respond to a bioterror event."

2:45 - 3:00p

Break

3:00 - 4:20p

Presentations

Jennifer McGowen

"Bioterrorism and the Equal Protection Analysis: A Bad Fit"

Amber Rasco

"Compulsory Vaccinations and Biodefense: Does National Security Serve as a Compelling State Interest? Which will Prevail: State Police Powers or Individual Liberties?"

Marc Rietvelt

"United We Stand? Why Public Health Police Power in the Realm of Bioterrorism is an Accident Waiting to Happen"

Carolyn Romo

"State and Federal Quarantine Authority: An Analysis of the Power to Quarantine and a Question of Preference in a Bioterrorist Event"

Dana Stewart

"Smallpox: Endangered Species or Indiscriminate Killer?"



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David Coggin

The Issue of Gene Patenting

Kyle Dahl

"Livestock Producer Liability in an Age of Bioterrorism"

10:00 - 10:45

KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Gene Snelson, J.D. ('92 Tech Law)
General Counsel
Texas Animal Health Commission

10:45 - 11:00

BREAK

11:00 - 12:00

Presentation of Papers

Mark Curnutt

GMO's and the environment

10:10 - 10:25a

Break

10:25 - 10:55a

Presentation of Papers

11:00 - 12:00p

Presentation of Awards and Conclusion

Nominees for the Food and Drug Law Institute Competition

Best Law and Science Paper by a Law Student

Best Law and Science Paper by a Science Student

Best Presentation

Best Paper