



Access to Justice: Five Decades of Change in Maryland and the Impact on America

**Chief Judge Robert M. Bell Symposium
Baltimore, Maryland
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Access to Justice: Five Decades of Change in Maryland

8:00 *Coffee and registration*

8:45 **Welcome**

Dean Phoebe Haddon, University of Maryland Carey Law School

Dean Ronald Weich, University of Baltimore Law School

8:55 **Opening Remarks**

Hon. Toni E. Clarke, Circuit Court for Prince George's County

9:05 **Introductions**

Hon. Pamila J. Brown, District Court of Maryland for Howard County

9:15 **The 60's and 70's — Protest & Reform:
The Rise of Legal Services**

Moderator: Professor Gilbert Holmes, University of Baltimore Law School

Panelists: Dr. Debra Newman Ham, Morgan State University

Prof. Lenneal Henderson, University of Baltimore Law School

Prof. Leland Ware, University of Delaware School of Public Policy

and the Impact on America

10:00 The 80's and 90's — Progress and Retrenchment: Maryland's Impact on Criminal Justice

Moderator: Professor José Anderson, University of Baltimore Law School

Panelists: Prof. F. Michael Higginbotham, University of Baltimore Law School

Prof. Renée Hutchins, University of Maryland Carey Law School

Hon. Joseph Murphy, Maryland Court of Appeals

Prof. Tanya Washington, Georgia State University College of Law

Prof. Byron Warnken, University of Baltimore Law School

10:50 *Break*

11:00 The 2000's — Courts and Community

Moderator: Prof. Deborah Thompson Eisenberg, University of Maryland Carey Law School

Panelists: Hon. Neil Axel (ret.), District Court of Maryland for Howard County

Prof. Barbara Babb, University of Baltimore Law School

Pamela Cardullo Ortiz, Exec. Dir., Maryland Access to Justice Commission

Rachel Wohl, Exec. Dir., Maryland Mediation and Conflict Resolution Office

11:45 Last Word — Professor William Reynolds