



Right to Counsel (R2C) National Consortium Second Annual Meeting

October 25th, 2016
9:00 AM – 1:50 PM
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20530-0001

AGENDA

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM

Welcoming Remarks and Introduction

Lisa Foster, Director, Office for Access to Justice, U.S. Department of Justice

Remarks

The Honorable Sally Q. Yates, Deputy Attorney General, U.S. Department of Justice

Opening Remarks

Denise O'Donnell, Director, Bureau of Justice Assistance, U.S. Department of Justice

9:30 AM – 10:00 AM

Where Have We Been?

R2C National Consortium Reflection

Preeti P. Menon, Senior Policy Advisor, Justice Programs Office, American University

10:00 AM – 10:45 AM

Where Are We Now?

Securing a Meaningful Right to Counsel: Perspectives on State Reforms

Co-Moderators:

David Carroll, Executive Director, Sixth Amendment Center

Colette Tvedt, Director of Public Defense Training and Reform, National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers

PART I

Panelists include:

- *Judge Derek Pullan, District Court Judge, Fourth Judicial District, Utah*
- *Eileen Farley, Court-Designated Public Defender Supervisor, Washington State*
- *Representative Christina Perry, District 11, Idaho*

10:45 AM – 11:00 AM

Break

11:00 AM – 11:45 AM

PART II

Panelists include:

- *William Leahy, Director, New York State Office of Indigent Defense Legal Services*

- *Corey Stoughton, Senior Counsel, Civil Rights Division, U.S. Department of Justice*
- *Michael Barrett, Director, Missouri State Public Defender Office*

11:45 AM – 12:30 PM

Where Are We Going?

Lightning Round

Speaker:

- *Jo-Ann Wallace, President and CEO, National Legal Aid and Defender Association*
- *Marc Levin, Director, Right on Crime, Texas Public Policy Foundation*
- *Judge Bernice Donald, Committee Chair, Criminal Justice Section, American Bar Association*
- *Secretary John Wetzel, Department of Corrections, Pennsylvania*
- *Ivan Dominguez, Director of Public Affairs and Communications, National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers*

12:30 PM – 1:50 PM

Networking Lunch and Plenary

Karol Mason, Assistant Attorney General, U.S. Department of Justice

Vanita Gupta, Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, U.S. Department of Justice

Laurie R. Garduque, Director of Justice Reform, MacArthur Foundation (invited)

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