# **Duke Law Journal**



# Duke Law Journal's 44th Annual Administrative Law Symposium Request for Proposals

The *Duke Law Journal* invites proposals for our 44th Annual Administrative Law Symposium, which will be held in February 2014, at Duke University School of Law in Durham, North Carolina.

The *Duke Law Journal*'s Administrative Law Symposium has been the premier administrative law event for over four decades. Previous symposia topics include:

- Well-Being Analysis vs. Cost-Benefit Analysis
- The Future of the Federal Communications Commission
- Administrative Law Under the George W. Bush Administration
- Administrative Law, Preemption, and Federalism

Chief Justice John Roberts, Associate Justice Antonin Scalia, and Judge Patricia Wald participated in *Duke Law Journal*'s 1993, 1989, and 1997 Administrative Law Symposia, respectively. Several prominent professors and professionals have recently participated in these symposia, including Stuart Benjamin (Duke), Julius Genachowski (FCC Chairman), Gillian E. Metzger (Columbia), Kip Viscusi (Vanderbilt), Tim Wu (Columbia), and Ernest Young (Duke).

#### **How to Submit a Proposal**

Send an email with the subject line "Symposium Proposal" to <u>dukelj.symposium@gmail.com</u> with your proposal and a copy of your CV by April 8, 2013.

#### What to Include in Your Proposal

Proposals should be Word documents that include the following:

- A proposed title;
- A brief description explaining the topic, its importance, and its relevance (no more than 400 words);
- A list of the individuals you would solicit to write pieces for your proposed symposium for publication in the *Duke Law Journal* (please indicate what, if any, level of interest any have expressed);
- A list of individuals who might participate in your symposium without writing pieces for publication (and what, if any, interest they have expressed in participating);
- Whether this proposal would require more than one day. Symposia traditionally take place over one day

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# **Proposal Selection Criteria**

Proposals must have some foundation in administrative law. The *Duke Law Journal* Symposium Selection Committee will review each proposal based on:

- Definition and focus of the topic
- Timeliness and importance of the topic
- Experience and expertise of the presenters/panelists
- Overall program quality

Including Duke Law faculty in your proposal is encouraged but not required.

## **Travel Support**

The *Duke Law Journal* will provide transportation, lodging, and meals for symposium participants.

### **Important Dates**

April 8, 2013—Deadline to submit proposals
April 22, 2013—Proposal selected on or before this date
June 15, 2013—Commitments from panelists/contributing authors
November 1, 2013—Drafts of submissions for publications due
February 2014 (Date TBD)—44th Annual Administrative Law Symposium takes place
May 2014—Volume 63's Administrative Law Symposium Issue published

Thank you, and we look forward to your proposal!

Chris Bryant Editor-in-Chief *Duke Law Journal* Volume 63