

Duke-Yale Foreign Relations Law Roundtable
President Obama's War Powers Legacy
Saturday, October 3, 2015
Room 3000, Duke Law School

Friday, October 2

7:00 pm

Informal Dinner for Participants
Counting House Restaurant (in the hotel)

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8:20 am

Shuttle Departs from Hotel

8:30 – 9:00 am

Continental Breakfast
Room 3000, Duke Law School

9:00 – 10:00 am

***Session I: The Obama Administration and the Initiation
and Continuation of War***

Michael Glennon, *Obama's Misplaced Reliance on War
Powers "Custom"*

Harold Koh, *Getting Real About War Powers*

Michael Ramsey, *Constitutional War Initiation and the
Obama Presidency*

Commentator: Curtis Bradley

10:00 – 10:15 am

Coffee Break

10:15 – 11:15 am

Session II: From Bush to Obama: Continuity or Change?

John Bellinger, *Still in a Legal Back Hole? The Obama
Administration's Missed Opportunity to Clarify the
Legal Framework for Detention*

Jack Goldsmith, *The Obama Administration and "the Way
of the Knife"*

Dawn Johnsen, *President Obama's War Powers Legacy:
Continuity and Change*

Commentator: Ashley Deeks

11:15 – 11:30 am

Coffee Break

- 11:30 am – 12:30 pm ***Session III: Judicial and Political Checks on Presidential War Powers***
- Jide Nzelibe, *Profiting from Bias in War Powers*
 Ganesh Sitaraman, *Adjudicating War Powers: How Bad Could it Be?*
 Stephen Vladeck, *War and Justiciability*
- Commentator: Harold Koh
- 12:30 – 1:30 pm *Lunch in the Third Floor Mezzanine, Duke Law School*
- 1:30 – 1:45 pm *Group Photo, Room 3000*
- 1:45 – 2:45 pm ***Session IV: International Law and Presidential War Powers***
- Curtis Bradley & Jean Galbraith, *Presidential War Powers as a Two-Level Dynamic*
 Ashley Deeks, *Consent as Concealment*
 Rebecca Ingber, *Co-Belligerency and Statutory War Powers*
- Commentator: Oona Hathaway
- 2:45 – 3:00 pm *Coffee Break*
- 3:00 – 4:00 pm ***Session V: Decisionmaking and Oversight in the National Security State***
- Charles Dunlap, *Drones versus Their Critics: A Victory for President Obama's War Powers Legacy?*
 Oona Hathaway, *The Rule of Law in National Security Lawyering*
 William Howell, *Legal Checks on Surveillance and Modern Modes of Warfare*
- Commentator: Jack Goldsmith
- 4:15 pm *Depart Law School with Curt Bradley to meet ground transportation (due to football game)*
- 4:30 pm Pickup from Washington Duke entrance
- 6:15 pm *Shuttle Departs from Hotel Entrance for Dinner*
- 6:30 pm *Dinner for Participants*
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