

LAW REVIEW

19th Amendment Centennial Symposium

April 3, 2020

The Seattle University Law Review is excited to announce a symposium in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the ratification of the 19th Amendment, in partnership with the Federal Bar Association for the Western District of Washington, to be held at Seattle University School of Law in Seattle, Washington on April 3, 2020.

The 19th Amendment Symposium gives both emerging and established scholars an opportunity to gather with colleagues and present their work to an audience of expert scholars, practitioners, and students. At the symposium, we hope to continue and encourage far-reaching conversations as to how we can further the strides and impact of the 19th Amendment.

We expect that the symposium will include commemoration of the passage of the 19th Amendment, cross-cultural perspectives, a rich dialog as to how the law and social culture has progressed over the past 100 years, the 19th Amendment's overall impact on the rights of women today, and observations or recommendations on how we can further its impact both in society and the legal community. The symposium will cover a full day with the hope that authors will be able to participate in the entirety of the symposium, and that scholars will present their papers in panel sessions. The symposium papers will then be published by the Seattle University Law Review in early summer, 2020.

Confirmed participants include Washington State Supreme Court Justices Sheryl Gordon McCloud, Debra Stephens, and Steven González, and Ninth Circuit Judges Morgan Christen and M. Margaret McKeown. Additionally, we will have display materials and participants from the 9th Circuit Judicial Historical Society. Those wishing to present a paper for discussion should submit an abstract by December 20, 2019.

We welcome symposium papers in a wide variety of lengths and styles; this is a chance to do something about which you feel passionate. We will select papers to be presented by January 6, 2020. Please send all submissions or related questions to Emma Wright, Editor in Chief.

Seattle University Law Review has limited funding, so if you will like to attend this symposium as a participant but need assistance to do so, please contact Emma Wright as soon as possible. We will also provide information about reasonably priced hotels as the date approaches.

Please feel free to contact Emma Wright with questions.

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