“Inasmuch as you have done it unto one of the least of these, you have done it to me.”

(Mt. 25:40)
The Institute on Law, Religion, and Ethics
Pepperdine School of Law's Institute on Law, Religion, and Ethics provides students, faculty, and lawyers the opportunity to explore the issues between law, religion, and ethics. It draws from a broad range of legal and religious thinking, scholarly dialogues, and common ground. The Institute serves as an umbrella organization for many law and religion-related activities that have developed at Pepperdine School of Law over the years. Current initiatives include a Judaism Doctor of Ministry post-degree, which began this fall.

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This conference was made possible by a grant from the Pepperdine Voge Fund. A Lift Endowment-funded project on the theological exploration of vocation, administered by the Pepperdine University Center for Faith and Learning.

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Location and Accommodations
The conference will be held at Pepperdine University School of Law, Malibu, California. The weather in February is typically sunny and pleasant, in the mid-70s during the day and the 50s at night. The campus is forty-five minutes up the coast from Los Angeles International Airport (LAX). Hotels in the area range from $60 to $220 a night. Visit law.pepperdine.edu/ILRE. Limited free student housing is available in private homes.

On Saturday, February 5, 2005
8:30 a.m. CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
9:15 a.m. PRIVATE PRACTICE AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

Douglas Hollifield, a William Wimberly scholar, holds an M.A. from Princeton Theological Seminary and an M.B.A. from Oxford. He held senior positions at the State Department and White House, and is a co-author of Faith in America.

Mark A. Seagraves, the Ginn and Dante Daniels Edwards Family Professor at the University of Oklahoma School of Law, and has written extensively in the areas of immigration policy.


10:30 a.m. RECEPTION AND DINNER
7:00 p.m. JESUS AND CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP GROUPS

Walter E. Fauntroy, of O'Melveny & Myers' public interest and pro bono services. Mr. Lash is of young children with the International Justice Mission (ijm.org).

Freese is Catholic.

Rachel S. Rees, a William Wilberforce scholar, holds an M.A. from Princeton Theological Seminary and an M.Lit. from Oxford. He held senior positions at the State Department and White House, and is a co-author of Faith in America.

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Thomas L. Shaffer, Robert and Marion Short Professor Emeritus, Notre-Dame, has written over 300 books and articles on religion and legal ethics, and serves as a supervising attorney for the Notre Dame Legal Clinic.

John D. Robb, of Baylor, Dickinson, Boman, Allen & Rohrbach, Albuquerque, New Mexico, is one of the founders of the National Legal Services in the middle and Christian faith legal aid in the mid 1980s. For half a year, he has directed several hundred to legal service while in the practical course of law.

Kenneth W. Starr, dean, Pepperdine University School of Law, while practicing law with the Washington, D.C. firm of Kirkland & Ellis, provided a substantial amount of pro bono service for a variety of individuals and nonprofit organizations.

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8:00 a.m. REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
9:45 a.m. KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Walter E. Fauntroy, pastor, New Bethel Baptist Church in Washington, D.C., served as an I.D.C. delegate to the U.S. House of Representatives from 1971-1994. His prominent political actions stem from civil rights protests with Dr. Martin Luther King through his recent arrest for choosing himself to the Senate Judiciary.

Elliott Doft, director, Seed and Soul Distinguished Service Professor in Philosophy, University of Judaism, has written many books and articles, including Do the Right and the Good: A Jewish Approach to Modern Social Ethics (Jewish Publication Society 2002).

Mary Ellen Bruce, a Catholic sister with the Apostles of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, insight community living at Foundry University School of Law from 1997-2003, and serves as staff attorney with the Northern Manhattan Improvement Corporation.

Douglas Ammar, executive director, Georgia Justice Project (GJP), offers clients legal defense plus employment with GJP's landscaping program.

Brittany Stringfellow Otey, director, Pepperdine/Union Rescue Mission Justice, is motivated in his service of the poor by his Muslim faith.

Freese is Catholic.