



AMERICAN INDIAN LAW PROGRAM

University of Colorado Law School

Events Calendar 2012-2013



Quick Look:

**September 24, 2012, 5pm
Witemyer Courtroom**

Ignacia Moreno, Assistant Attorney General, ENRD, USDOJ
Reception to follow

**October 15, 2012, 5pm
Native American Rights Fund
1506 Broadway**

Professor Robert J. Miller

**November 14, 2012, 5pm
Law School Café**

NALSA Annual Harvest Feast with Lone Wolf Drum Group

**January 24, 2013, 5pm
Witemyer Courtroom**

S. James Anaya, UN Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples
Reception to follow

**April 4-5, 2013, TBA
Witemyer Courtroom**

Annual American Indian Law Conference – agenda forthcoming

All events are free and open to the public.

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September 24, 2012, 5pm

Ignacia S. Moreno, Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, U.S. Dept. of Justice

Topic: *Overview of Environment and Natural Resource Division Priorities in Indian Country*

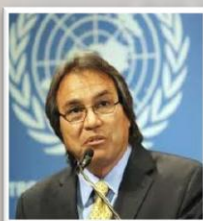
Ms. Moreno is a leading practitioner in environmental and natural resources law, with over two decades of experience in the public and private sectors. Nominated by President Barack Obama, Ms. Moreno was confirmed by the U.S. Senate as the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division of the Department of Justice on November 5, 2009. Her presentation will focus on the Environment and Natural Resource Division's litigation, policy, and outreach work.

**October 15, 2012, 5pm
Robert J. Miller**

**Professor, Lewis & Clark University
Topic: Reservation "Capitalism":
Economic Development
in Indian Country**



Professor Miller (Eastern Shawnee) is a prominent scholar in American Indian law. Before joining the faculty at Lewis and Clark Law School, Miller clerked on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, and practiced at Stoel Rives and Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Walker. Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals of the Grand Ronde Tribe, Miller also serves as a judge for other tribal courts. He will speak about his new book *Reservation "Capitalism": Economic Development in Indian Country* (Praeger 2012).



January 24, 2013, 5pm

**S. James Anaya
United Nations Special Rapporteur on
the Rights of Indigenous Peoples
Topic: Indigenous Peoples in
International Law**

S. James Anaya is one of the world's leading advocates for indigenous human rights. The author of seminal scholarly texts including *Indigenous Peoples in International Law* (Oxford 2006), Anaya has also represented indigenous peoples from North and Central America in landmark cases before the highest domestic courts and international bodies. Deeply involved in the 25 year effort to draft the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, Anaya was appointed Special Rapporteur in 2008, and is charged with investigating and reporting on the situation of indigenous peoples around the world. Anaya is Regents Professor and James J. Lenoir Professor of Human Rights at the University of Arizona College of Law and joins Colorado Law as our annual distinguished Thomson Visitor.