HUMAN RIGHTS LAB
UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

HUMAN RIGHTS LAB CONFERENCE

INSTITUTIONALIZING ACCOUNTABILITY

OCTOBER 4-5, 2018
UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA LAW SCHOOL
229 19th Ave S, Minneapolis, MN

THURSDAY

2:30-4:00
PANEL 1: METHODOLOGICAL APPROACHES TO HUMAN RIGHTS RESEARCH IN LATIN AMERICA
Barbara Frey, Observatory on Disappearances and Impunity in Mexico Database; Lisa Hilbink, Understanding Citizen Perceptions of and Engagement with the Judicial System in Chile: Ana Forcinito; Documenting Truth: Trials and Memory in El Salvador & Guatemala; Patrick McNamara, Forced Disappearances and Mass Violence in El Salvador, 2010-2016

4:00-5:00
KEYNOTE
Dr. Karina Ansolabehere, Flacso Mexico: What we are Learning from Interdisciplinary Human Rights Research

5:00-6:00 Reception

FRIDAY

8:00-9:00
Registration & Breakfast

9:00-10:00
KEYNOTE
Professor Martha Davis, Northeastern University: Human Rights Accountability: Learning from “Small Places”

10:00-11:30
PANEL 2: Assessing Accountability in Post-Conflict Settings
Leigh Payne, From the Holocaust to Apartheid: Corporate Complicity in Human Rights Violations; Michael Soto, Associational groups, memories, and transitions to peace: the case of Northern Ireland; Fionnuala Ni Aolain, Reparations as a Means to Enable Transformation in Conflict and Post-Conflict Settings

11:30-12:15 Lunch

12:15-1:45
PANEL 3: Evaluating New Strategic Frames for Human Rights Protection
Amanda Lyons, A Human Rights Framework to Monitor Special Zones for Industrial Agriculture in Colombia; Steve Meili, Using International Human Rights Law to Protect Refugees; Tracey Blasenhein, From Dissemination to Implementation: Responding to Compliance Crises with the Laws of Armed Conflict