



THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES  
MONA CAMPUS, JAMAICA, WEST INDIES

**FACULTY OF LAW**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Symposium on**  
**Law, Governance and Society**

*“Safeguarding Ethics, Justice and Ideas”*

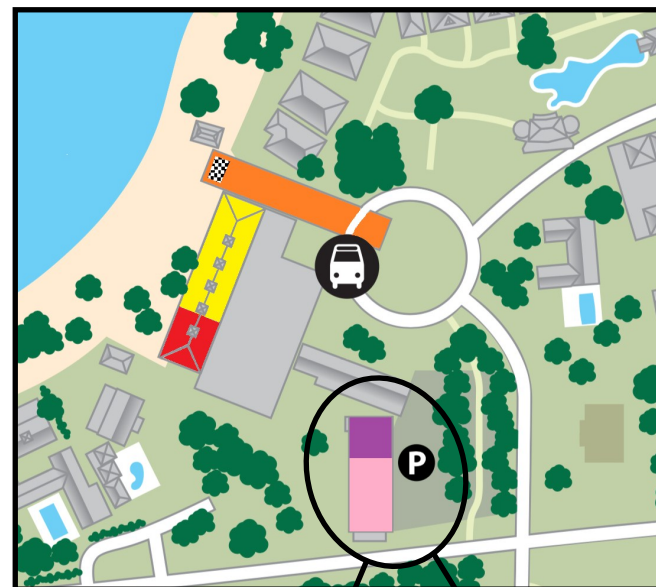
**FRIDAY, JUNE 3 - SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2016**  
**Half Moon, Rose Hall, Montego Bay**



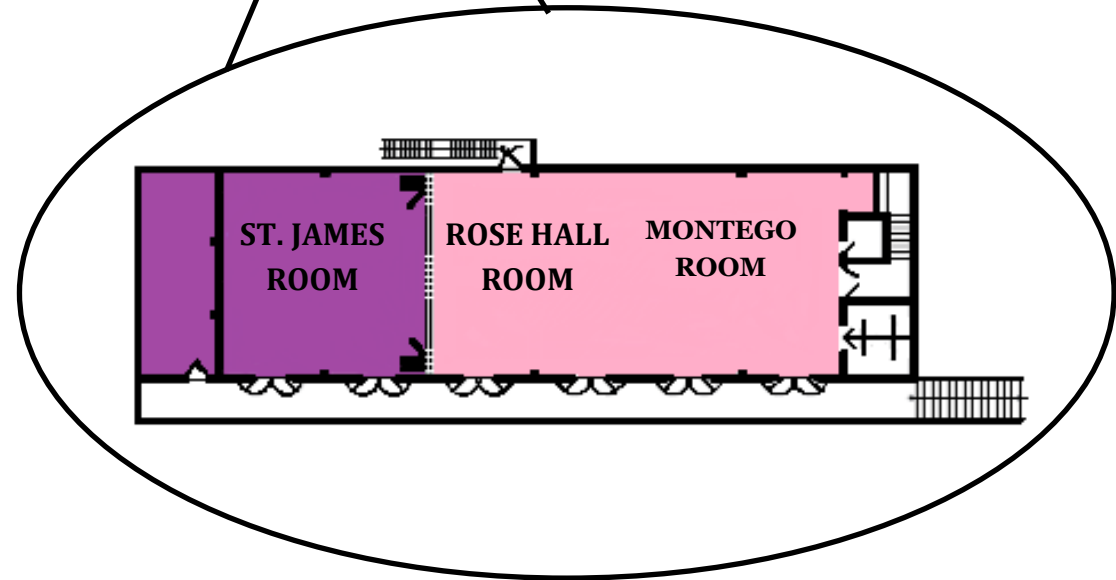
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# Symposium Map



- KEY**
-  Lobby
  -  Delegates' Group Photo
  -  Sunday Brunch (*Seagrapes Terrace*)
  -  Saturday Lunch (*Il Giardino*)
  -  Secretariat/ Delegates' Lounge/ Exhibition Area
  -  Meeting Area



## VICE-CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE



On behalf of The University of the West Indies, it is my distinct pleasure to welcome you to the 2nd Annual Symposium on Law, Governance and Society. I take this opportunity to thank you for dedicating your time to engage in this very important dialogue over the next three days, geared towards discussing some of the most crucial matters facing the justice system at this time.

At The UWI, we continue to train some of the best and brightest throughout the Caribbean in taking on the mantle of service in the fields of law and justice. Many of the issues you will be engaging in are timely and must be interrogated as we seek to better prepare those we have educated to face the challenges in the international community. I wish for you all a successful conference and am certain that these next days will provide an opportunity for rich and fruitful discussions.

**Sir Hilary Beckles**  
**PhD, BA(Hons)**  
**Vice-Chancellor**  
**The University of the West Indies**

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



As part of the University of the West Indies' on-going efforts to enhance and redefine the manner in which tertiary education is delivered, the University proudly supports the Faculty of Law's 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Symposium on Law, Governance and Society.

For a second year running the Faculty of Law is staging a symposium that seeks to provide a critical platform for academics, practitioners, students and the public to share ideas and engage in conversation on subject matters that are at the root of our national development and identity. The theme of this year's symposium is one that speaks to the core tenets that have enabled us as a research institution to diversify our research framework. These include

the upholding of strong ethical standards and the value, protection and recognition of ideas that foster new and critical research. The staging of this year's symposium further shines a critical light on concerns related to human rights and inequality issues that will hopefully foster greater dialogue within our state infrastructures, communities, schools and society on a whole.

It is in this vein that I applaud the Faculty of Law for recognising the relevance and importance of staging this symposium and for bringing together both national and international experts to share their knowledge and stimulate further thought and discussion on law and governance in Jamaica.

As Principal, I extend my congratulations to the Faculty of Law for what will certainly be an exceptional symposium.

**Professor Archibald McDonald**  
**MB BS, FRCS Ed., FACS, DM (Surg) UWI**  
**Professor of Surgery and Emergency Medicine**  
**Pro Vice Chancellor and Principal**  
**The University of the West Indies, Mona Campus**

## Day 1 Friday, June 3, 2016

**3:00 - 7:00 pm** Registration and Hotel Check-In

**6:00 - 7:00 pm** Welcome Cocktails

## Day 2 Saturday, June 4, 2016

**8:00 am - 9:00 am** Registration

**9:00 am - 9:30 am** Opening Remarks

- Dr. Shazeeda Ali, Deputy Dean, Faculty of Law, UWI, Mona, Jamaica

**Welcome and Introduction of Keynote Speaker**

- Dr. Derrick McKoy, Dean, Faculty of Law, UWI, Mona

**9:30 am - 10:15 am** Keynote Address

- Justice C. Dennis Morrison, President of the Court of Appeal, Jamaica

**10:15 am - 10:30 am**

***Coffee Break (St. James Room)***

## **THEME: SAFEGUARDING ETHICS**

**10:30 am - 12:00 pm**

**SESSION I "The Ethical Judge"**

**Chair:** B. St. Michael Hylton, QC, former Chairman, General Legal Council, Jamaica

**Presenters:**

- Justice Adrian Saunders, Judge, Caribbean Court of Justice, Trinidad
- Justice Seymour Panton, Judge of the Mechanism for International Criminal Tribunals (MICT), The Hague, Netherlands
- Judge Michael Hopmeier, the Crown Court at Kingston-upon-Thames, UK and Honorary Visiting Professor, Faculty of Law, UWI, Mona, Jamaica

**12:00 pm**

***Delegates Group Photo Shoot***

12:15 pm - 1:45 pm

**Lunch (Il Giardino restaurant)**  
*Generously sponsored by the National Integrity Action (NIA), Jamaica*

1:45 pm - 2:00 pm

**Interlude - Mona Law Society**

2:00 pm - 3:15 pm

**SESSION II “The Ethical Professional”**

**Chair:** Ms. Deborah Friedman, Director General, International Legal Programs Section, Department of Justice, **Canada**

- Presenters:**
- Dr. Konrad Lawson, President, Association of Government Medical Consultants (AGMC), **Jamaica**
  - Dr. Sharmella Roopchand-Martin, Lecturer, Faculty of Medical Sciences, UWI, Mona, **Jamaica**
  - Ms. Ingrid Pusey, General Counsel, Financial Services Commission, **Jamaica**
  - Mr. Andrew Mitchell, QC, Chambers of Andrew Mitchell, London, **United Kingdom**

3:15 pm - 3:30 pm

**Afternoon Tea (St. James Room)**

**THEME: SAFEGUARDING JUSTICE**

3:30 pm - 4:45 pm **SESSION III “The Ethics, Justice & Rights Trilogy”**

**Chair:** Mrs. Marlene Aldred, Deputy Solicitor-General, Attorney General’s Chambers, **Jamaica**

- Presenters:**
- Senator Mark Golding, Leader of Opposition Business, The Senate, **Jamaica**
  - Professor David McQuoid-Mason, President of the Commonwealth Legal Education Association, Centre for Socio-Legal Studies, University of KwaZulu Natal, Durban, **South Africa**
  - Professor Stephen Vasciannie, Professor of International Law, Faculty of Law, UWI, Mona, **Jamaica**

**Day 3**  
**Sunday, June 5, 2016**

8:00 am - 8:30 am **Registration**

8:30 am - 9:30 am **SESSION IV “... and Justice for All”**

**Chair:** Ms. Sherry-Ann McGregor, President, **Jamaican Bar Association**

- Presenters:**
- Ms. Rose Cameron, Lecturer, Faculty of Law, UWI, Mona, **Jamaica**
  - Ms. Afiya France, Lecturer, Faculty of Law, UWI, St. Augustine, **Trinidad**
  - Dr. Jason Haynes, Lecturer, Faculty of Law, UWI, Mona, **Jamaica**

9:30 am - 10:30 am **BRUNCH (Seagrapes Terrace Restaurant)**

**THEME: SAFEGUARDING IDEAS**

10:30 am - 11:45 am **SESSION V “Ideas at Work”**

**Chair:** Professor Denise Eldemire-Shearer, Campus Coordinator, Office of Graduate Studies and Research UWI, Mona, **Jamaica**

- Presenters:**
- Professor Eddy Ventose, Professor of Intellectual Property, Faculty of Law, UWI, Cave Hill, **Barbados**
  - Mrs. Georgia Gibson-Henlin, QC, Attorney-at-Law and Arbitrator, Henlin Gibson Henlin, Kingston, **Jamaica**
  - Mr. Marcus Goffe, Manager, Jamaica Intellectual Property Office (JIPO), **Jamaica**
  - Mrs. Natalie Corthésy, Lecturer in Intellectual Property, Faculty of Law, UWI, Mona, **Jamaica**

11:45 am **Closing Remarks, Dr. Shazeeda Ali**

# IMPORTANT NOTES

**i) Welcome Reception**

All delegates, family members and other guests accompanying them, who are staying at the Half Moon, are invited to attend the Welcome Reception in the **Arcadia Room** (above the lobby area) at 6:00 pm on Friday, June 3, 2016. The dress code is elegantly casual.

**ii) Group Photo**

All delegates, presenters and chairs are asked to proceed to the end of the lobby area (see Symposium Map) at 12:00 pm in order to participate in the Group Photo Shoot.

**iii) Symposium Lunch & Brunch**

On Saturday, June 4, lunch will be served at the *Il Giardino* restaurant. The lunch was generously sponsored by the National Integrity Action (NIA), Jamaica. On Sunday, June 5, brunch will be served at the *Seagrapes Terrace* restaurant from 9:30 am – 10:30 am

**iv) Rose Hall Great House Candlelight Tour**

There will be a candlelight tour of the Rose Hall Great House on Saturday, June 4. The cost is JM \$1500 or US \$13. The bus will leave the lobby at 5:50 pm. There are limited spaces available so please register with the secretariat. Please see flyer insert for more information.

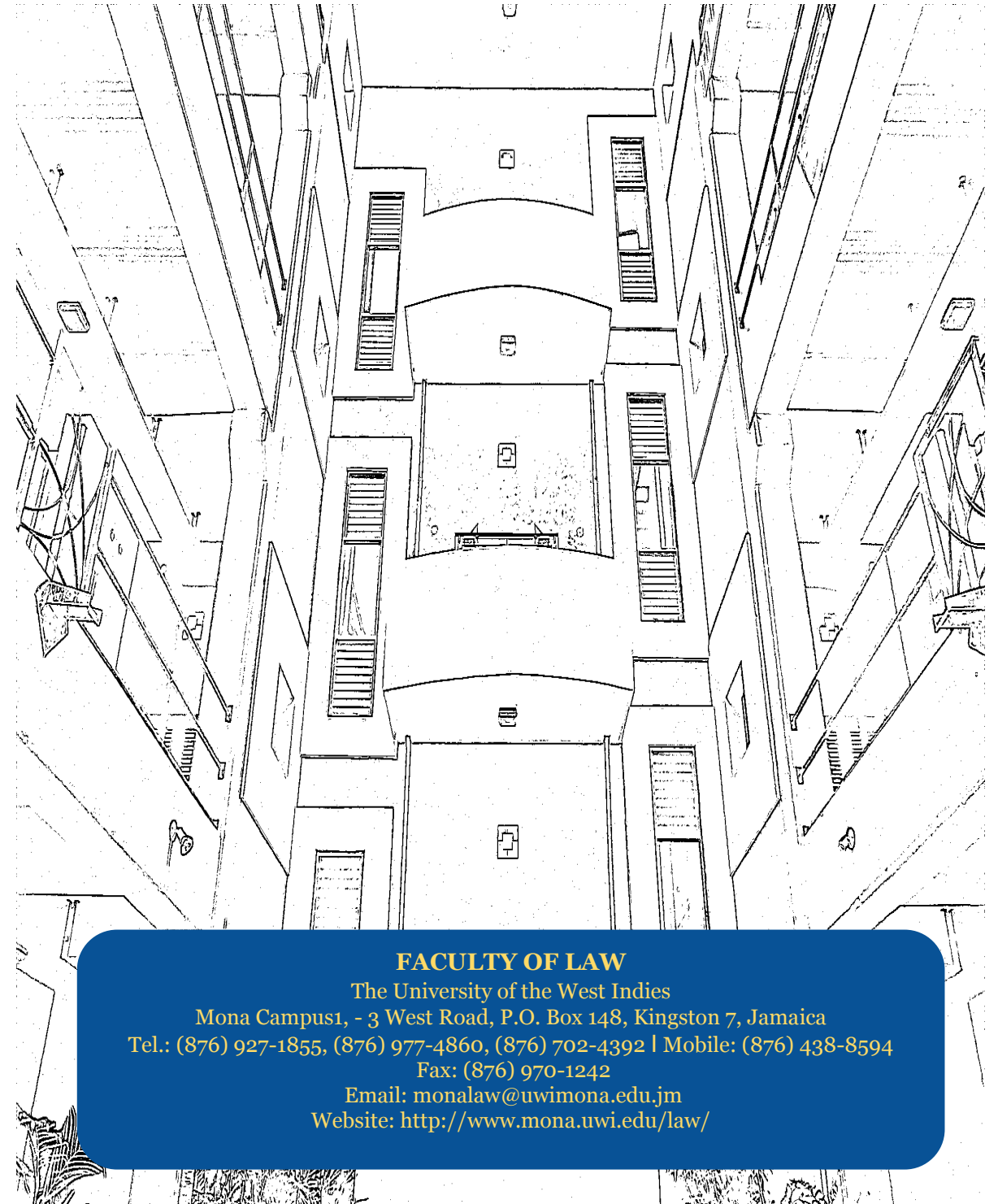
**v) Group Dinner at the Mystic India**

There will be a group dinner at the *Mystic India* restaurant on Saturday, June 4. The cost is JM \$3000 or US \$25. The bus will leave the lobby at 7:20 pm. There are limited spaces available so please register with the secretariat. Please see flyer insert for more information. The dress code is elegantly casual.

**vi) Distribution of Certificates**

This will take place in the Secretariat Room as follows:

- ◆ Day 2 Attendees Only - Saturday, June 4 from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm
- ◆ Weekend Attendees - Sunday, June 6 from 11:45 am to 12:15 pm



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