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**THE CLIMATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE: TAKING STOCK**
University of Colorado Law School, Boulder, Colorado
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**Friday, March 16**

4:30-6:00  **Keynote Session**
Welcome & Introduction: **DAVID GETCHES**, Dean and Professor of Law, University of Colorado
**MARK UDALL**, Congressman (D-CO)
**JEROME RINGO**, Chairman of the Board, National Wildlife Federation; President, Apollo Alliance.

6:15-7:00  Reception, sponsored by Kamlet Shepherd & Reichert, LLP

7:30*  **Dinner at The Kitchen**

**Saturday, March 17**

8:30-8:45  Welcome and Introduction: **MAXINE BURKETT**, Associate Professor of Law, University of Colorado

8:45-10:30  **Panel 1: Environmental Justice and the Current Social and Political Climate**
**ROBERT BULLARD**, Professor of Sociology, Clark Atlanta University
**EILEEN GAUNA**, Professor of Law, University of New Mexico School of Law
**RACHEL GODSIL**, Professor of Law, Seton Hall Law School
**REBECCA TSOSIE**, Professor of Law, Arizona State University
Moderator: **DAYNA MATTHEW**, Associate Dean and Professor of Law, University of Colorado

10:30-11:00  Break

11:00-12:45  **Panel 2: Climate Justice: The Next Movement?**
**LUKE COLE**, Director, Center on Race, Poverty & the Environment
**MICHAEL B. GERRARD**, Partner, Arnold & Porter (N.Y.)
**RUTH GORDON**, Professor of Law, Villanova University School of Law.
**RICHARD LAZARUS**, Professor of Law, Georgetown University Law Center
Moderator: **LAKSHMAN GURUSWAMY**, Professor of Law, University of Colorado

* Please note that all italicized events are optional.
12:45-1:45  Lunch, hosted by the Environmental Law Society

1:30  Presentation by Bob Gough of Intertribal COUP, "Environment, Energy and Climate Justice: The IWG EJ Intertribal Wind Demonstration Project"

2:00 – 3:45  **Panel 3: Strategic Planning: Creating A Roadmap for Intergenerational Environmental Justice**

Sheila Foster, Professor of Law, Fordham Law School

Cliff Rechtschaffen, Professor of Law; Director, JD Environmental Law Program; and Co-Director, Environmental Law and Justice Clinic, Golden Gate University School of Law

Willie Shepherd, Chairman and Co-Founder, Kamlet Shepherd & Reichert, LLP

Dean Suagee, Of Counsel, Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Walker LLP (D.C).

Nicholas Targ, Holland & Knight, former Associate Director for Environmental Justice Integration, Office of Environmental Justice, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Moderator: Mark Squillace, Associate Professor of Law, University of Colorado

4:30-6:00  **CU-Boulder’s Environmental Justice Steering Committee Panel:**
“The University of Colorado and Boulder’s Role in Providing Solutions to Environmental Injustice”