Lawyers As Peacemakers,
Lawyers As Problem Solvers

Regional Conference
Sunday, October 28, 2007 and
Monday, October 29, 2007
National Presenters

A number of nationally recognized experts have been secured to lead this ground-breaking event:

**David Hall, J.D., LL.M., S.J.D.,** is Professor of Law and former Dean at Northeastern University School of Law. He lectures nationally and writes on issues of social justice, diversity, affirmative action, equal justice, and educational transformation. The author of *The Spiritual Revitalization of the Legal Profession: A Search for Sacred Rivers* (Edwin Mellen Press, 2005), David Hall is known for his power as an orator and as an inspiration to lawyers about what is possible when they are true to themselves and the calling of the profession. Named Outstanding Dean of the Year by the National Association of Public Interest Lawyers, he has received the National Conference of Community and Justice Humanitarian Award and serves on the national Legal Services Corporation Board. More information about Professor Hall and his book can be found at [www.sacredrivers.neu.edu](http://www.sacredrivers.neu.edu).

**Susan Daicoff, M.S., J.D., LL.M.,** is Professor of Law at Florida Coastal Law School in Jacksonville, Florida. She has worked as an attorney and a psychotherapist in private practice. Susan is a prominent voice in the emerging “comprehensive law movement.” She is considered by many to be the leading national expert on the topic of expanding choice for legal professionals in order to return meaning, purpose and satisfaction to their lives. She is a noted author of articles and books on the psychological health and well being of lawyers, including *Lawyer Know Thyself: A Psychological Analysis of Personality Strengths and Weaknesses* (APA Books, 2004). Susan taught this summer in the Harvard Negotiation Insight Initiative. Please see [http://www.fcsl.edu/faculty/daicoff/law.htm](http://www.fcsl.edu/faculty/daicoff/law.htm), [http://www.fcsl.edu/professors/sdaicoff/](http://www.fcsl.edu/professors/sdaicoff/), [http://law.bepress.com/expresso/eps/1331](http://law.bepress.com/expresso/eps/1331), and [http://www.comprehensivelawmovement.com](http://www.comprehensivelawmovement.com) for more information.

**Marty Price, J.D.,** is the Director of the Victim-Offender Reconciliation Program Information and Resource Center, [http://www.vorp.com](http://www.vorp.com). He is a pioneer in mediation/dialogue in crimes of severe violence and has trained and consulted for juvenile victim-offender mediation programs in the U.S. and abroad. This spring, on a Fulbright grant, Marty taught restorative justice in a Ph.D. law program in Buenos Aires and trained victim-offender mediators in Argentina and six other South American nations. In 2006 he made a South American speaking tour sponsored by the U.S. State Department Democracy and Human Rights International Information Program.

**J. Kim Wright, J.D.,** is the managing attorney of the Healers of Conflicts Law and Conflict Resolution Center and Publisher of the Cutting Edge Magazine. Kim founded the Renaissance Lawyer Society ([http://www.renaissancelawyer.org](http://www.renaissancelawyer.org)) and served on its Board from 2001 to 2006. Kim has trained collaborative lawyers across North American and teaches Restorative Justice at Warren Wilson College. A consultant to law firms and court systems, she also coaches other attorneys, serves on several boards and committees, and is an active speaker, writer, trainer and advocate for law as a peacemaking profession. For more information, visit [http://www.jkimwright.com](http://www.jkimwright.com).
Conference Description

According to the Program on Negotiation at Harvard Law School, a “new conception of law practice” and of what it means to be a lawyer is taking hold within the legal profession. The legal academy and the legal profession are considering innovative approaches to the practice of law—including diverse paths such as collaborative law, restorative justice, therapeutic jurisprudence, transformative mediation, holistic law, and problem-solving courts. These opportunities offer attorneys broader dimensions in pursuing their professional responsibilities in client counseling and advocacy, conflict resolution and the promotion of social justice.

A wide array of co-sponsors have come together to introduce this burgeoning field of law to lawyers in the Southeast (particularly those in Tennessee, Arkansas, and Mississippi) through a regional conference on Lawyers as Peacemakers, Lawyers as Problem solvers to be held on October 28-29, 2007. These include: The University of Memphis Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law, The University of Memphis Center for the Study of Higher Education, the Association for Women Attorneys, the Memphis Bar Association, the Renaissance Lawyer Society, Memphis Area Legal Services, Inc., Counsel on Call, Baptist Memorial Health Care Corporation, BankTennessee, Summit Document Services, IMEC, Tennessee Alliance for Legal Services, Divorce Incorporated, and others. The conference will take place at the Holiday Inn and the Fogelman Executive Center at The University of Memphis.

Agenda

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28th

2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Registration at The University of Memphis Holiday Inn, 2nd Floor Lobby
2:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m. Patricia Murrell: Welcome and Introductions
3:15 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Susan Daicoff
   ❖ Introduction to the Comprehensive Law Movement and
   ❖ Overview of Vectors
5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Reception in the Holiday Inn Shelby Ballroom (cash bar)
6:00 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. Dinner in the Holiday Inn Shelby Ballroom
   ❖ Keynote Speaker, David Hall
   ❖ Restoring Sacredness to the Practice of Law
7:45 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. David Hall and Susan Daicoff
   ❖ Hot Topics: Questions and Answers
8:30 p.m. Closing Remarks

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❖ Memphis Bar Association
❖ The Renaissance Lawyer Society
❖ Summit Document Services
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MONDAY, OCTOBER 29th

8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.  Registration in the Fogelman Executive Center Atrium
8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.  Continental Breakfast in the Fogelman Executive Center Atrium
9:00 a.m. to 9:10 a.m.  Welcome and Introductions
9:10 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.  Susan Daicoff

Integrating the Perspectives and Practices of the Comprehensive Law Movement into the Private Practice of Law

10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.  J. Kim Wright

Collaborative Law: Resolving Disputes Respectfully

10:45 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.  Break

11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  Marty Price

Restorative Justice and Victim-Offender Mediation: An Overview

12:00 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.  Box Lunch in the Fogelman Atrium
12:30 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.  Interactive Sessions: Part I (Choose one)

- David Hall: Spiritual Intelligence and Ethical Responsibility: A Workshop for the Lawyer’s Soul
- David Shearon: Wellness and Satisfaction in the Practice of Law
- J. Kim Wright: Practicing Collaborative Law? Or Being Collaborative?

1:15 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.  Interactive Sessions: Part II (Choose one)

- Maureen Holland: Holistic Law: A Map for the Whole Lawyer
- Julie Sandine: Humanizing Legal Education: Decreasing the Negative Effects of the Law School Experience
- Jocelyn Wurzburg: Facilitative Mediation: How and Why It Works
- Christina Zawisza: Therapeutic Jurisprudence: Taking Hold of the Elephant

2:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.  Break

2:45 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.  Interactive Sessions: Part II (Choose one)

- Kathy Story: Taking It Back Home

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University of Memphis Holiday Inn .............$109.00 per night
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Tennessee Presenters

- **Maureen T. Holland** is a pioneer in the private practice of holistic law in Memphis. She is President of the Memphis Chapter of Renaissance Lawyers. She has lectured extensively on holistic law and lawyers as peacemakers and has been interviewed by local and national media. Maureen was featured in 2004 in The Christian Science Monitor article, *Lawyers Who Heal?* For more information, visit [http://hollandattorney.com](http://hollandattorney.com).

- **Patricia H. Murrell** is Director of the Leadership Institute in Judicial Education and the Institute for Faculty Excellence, projects funded by the State Justice Institute and Bureau of Justice Assistance to instill principles of adult development and learning in the judicial system. She has received the SJI’s Howell Heflin Award, the National Center for State Court’s Warren Burger Award, and the ALI/ABA’s Harrison Tweed Award.

- **Constance Ross** has taught both the Civil Advocacy Clinic and the Domestic Violence Clinic at The University of Memphis Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law. She introduces law students to the concept of law as a healing profession and to practices that will facilitate finding personal satisfaction in their work. Her research and service focus on reform and improvement of the court system and access to justice issues.

- **Julie Sandine** has been the Assistant Dean for Student Affairs at the Vanderbilt Law School since 2002. She was a judicial clerk in federal district court in Nashville, taught legal writing at Vanderbilt, and practiced with the law firm of Dodson, Parker & Behm. She has developed a research project at Vanderbilt regarding the effects of meditation on law student well-being.

- **David Shearon** is the Executive Director of the Tennessee Commission on Continuing Legal Education and Specialization. He is an attorney and holds a master’s degree in Applied Positive Psychology. David has lectured extensively in Tennessee on “Lawyering and the Good Life” and on the Tennessee Lawyers Assistance Program.

- **Herbert W. Smith**, B.A., M.A. (Texas A&M), Ph.D. (FSU) is a Rhodes College professor emeritus. He teaches “The Art of Conscious Living” at the Meeman Center for Lifelong Learning at Rhodes. Dr. Smith has spent over 20 years studying in the mind/body area at programs including the Mind-Body Medical Institute at Harvard Medical School and the University of Massachusetts Medical Center’s Omega Institute.

- **Kathy Story** is an educational and leadership consultant working with local and state bar associations and court systems. She is the Project Coordinator for the Leadership Institute in Judicial Education. She clerked for a federal appellate court judge and litigated with the firm of Burch, Porter and Johnson before becoming the Associate Dean of Students for Judicial and Ethical Programs at The University of Memphis. She served two terms as a Hearing Committee Member for the Tennessee Board of Professional Responsibility and on the Tennessee Bar Foundation IOLTA Grant Committee.

- **Jocelyn Wurzburg**, a late-in-life lawyer who questioned her role in contested divorces, began Memphis' first mediation practice in 1984 and founded the Mediation Association of Tennessee. She was a founding member of the Tennessee Lawyers Association for Women, the Association for Women Attorneys, and the Association of Conflict Resolution. A former president of the MBA Family Law and ADR sections and a member of the TBA Family Law Code Revision Commission, she teaches student peer and facilitative mediation.

- **Christina Zawisza** pioneered “multiforum advocacy for children at risk” in Florida, now a national model. She teaches the Child Advocacy Clinic at The University of Memphis Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law, in which she utilizes principles of therapeutic jurisprudence and introduces the importance of family systems theory and genograms in the practice of juvenile law. She has received the ABA’s National Child Advocacy Award.