

# ADOPTION POLICY CONFERENCE

THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND ADOPTION:  
HOW INTERNATIONAL LAW AND DOMESTIC  
POLICIES ARE TRANSFORMING ADOPTION

The Eighth Annual Adoption Policy Conference sponsored by:

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New York Law School, 185 West Broadway, Events Center (W201)

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| 9:15 a.m.–9:45 a.m.   | Welcome and Keynote Speaker  |
| 9:45 a.m.–10:45 a.m.  | Panel I: Congressional Responses to Adoption Issues  |
| 10:45 a.m.–12:45 p.m. | Panel II: International Child Welfare, the U.S. Government and Adoption  |
| 12:45 p.m.–1:45 p.m.  | Lunch and Keynote Speaker:<br>The Crisis in International Adoption   |
| 2:00 p.m.–3:45 p.m.   | Panel III: What Happens When Adoptions Run Aground: Discussions and Representation   |
| 3:45 p.m.–4:45 p.m.   | Panel IV: Immigration and Adoption Law: The Haiti Crisis, Special Immigrant Juvenile (SIJ) Status, and Other Immigration Questions |
| 4:45 p.m.–5:15 p.m.   | Epilogue: The Haitian Children: Who Are They? How Are They?  |
| 5:15 p.m.–6:15 p.m.   | Audience Discussion  |

This program is free and open to the NYLS community. All others must pay a \$25.00 registration fee. Continuing Legal Education (CLE) credits available.

For more information, including registration:

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