

***New York Times v. Sullivan* Symposium**  
**Sponsored by the *Alabama Law Review***  
**Judge Seybourn H. Lynne Lecture Room (A255)**  
**February 28, 2014**



**(approved for 7.3 hours, including 1 hour of ethics)**

- 8:00 – 8:05**    **Welcome & Introduction**  
**Paul Horwitz**, Gordon Rosen Professor of Law, The University of Alabama
- 8:05 – 8:15**    **Opening Remarks**  
**David A. Anderson**, Fred & Emily Marshall Wulff Centennial Chair in Law,  
University of Texas School of Law
- 8:15-9:00**    **Session I**  
**Reflections of a Civil Rights Lawyer-Activist on *New York Times v. Sullivan***  
**Judge U.W. Clemon**, Northern District of Alabama (ret.) and Partner, White,  
Arnold & Dowd  
  
Moderator: Preston Register, University of Alabama School of Law
- 9:00-10:00**    **Session II**  
***New York Times v. Sullivan* Around the World**  
**Mark Tushnet**, William Nelson Cromwell Professor of Law, Harvard Law  
School  
  
Moderator: Lane Morrison, University of Alabama School of Law
- 10:00-10:20**    Break
- 10:20-11:20**    **Session III**  
**First Amendment Neighbors**  
**Sonja West**, Associate Professor of Law, University of Georgia School of Law  
  
Moderator: Mark Adams, University of Alabama School of Law
- 11:20-12:45**    **Session IV Lunch & Keynote Address**  
**Judge Robert Sack**, Second Circuit Court of Appeals  
  
Moderator: Forrest Phillips, University of Alabama School of Law
- 12:45-1:05**    Break

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- 1:05-2:05      Session V**  
**Ambitious Advocacy**  
**David A. Anderson**, Fred & Emily Marshall Wulff Centennial Chair in Law,  
University of Texas School of Law  
  
Moderator: Anna Twardy, University of Alabama School of Law
- 2:05-3:05      Session VI**  
**What the U.S. Supreme Court Thinks of the Press and Why it Matters**  
**Professor RonNell Andersen Jones**, Associate Professor of Law, Brigham  
Young University Law School  
  
Moderator: Jon Tebbs, University of Alabama School of Law
- 3:05-3:15      Break**
- 3:15-4:15      Session VII**  
***New York Times v. Sullivan* and the Legal Attack on the Civil Rights  
Movement**  
**Christopher Schmidt**, Assistant Professor of Law, Chicago-Kent College of  
Law  
  
Moderator: Sam Schott, University of Alabama School of Law
- 4:15-4:45      Closing Remarks**  
**David A. Anderson**, Fred & Emily Marshall Wulff Centennial Chair in Law,  
University of Texas School of Law  
  
Moderator: Christopher Driver, University of Alabama School of Law
- 4:45              Reception (David Head Foyer)**