

Boston College / Brigham Young University Symposium:

THE JURISPRUDENCE OF MARRIAGE AND OTHER INTIMATE RELATIONSHIPS

Boston College Law School, 885 Centre Street, Newton, Massachusetts

FIRST DAY PROGRAM: Friday, March 13, 2009: East Wing 120

8:00 – 8:30 A.M: Coffee, tea, pastries

8:30 – 8:50

Welcoming remarks by Provost Garza or Dean Garvey

Introductory remarks by Professor FitzGibbon

8:50 – 10:10: Session One: Basic Goods; Basic Concerns

Moderator: Professor Wardle

Panelists: Professors Binchy, Alvaré, and Donahue (20 minutes each)

Discussion (20 minutes)

10:10 – 10:20: Coffee break

10:20 -- 12:45: Session Two: Implications for the Law

Moderator: Associate Dean Cassidy

Panelists: Professors FitzGibbon, Stith, Fineman, Lifshitz, Araujo, and Wardle
(20 minutes each)

Discussion (25 minutes)

12:45 – 2:00: Lunch

2:00 – 3:45: Session Three: Social and Political Attributes

Moderator: Justice Wilkins

Panelists: Professors McClain, Shell, Cere, and Doyle (20 minutes each)

Discussion (25 minutes)

SECOND DAY PROGRAM: Saturday, March 14, 2009: East Wing 100

10:00-10:45 A.M.: Session Four: Doctrinal Implications

Moderator and Commentator: Professor Katz

Panelist: Baroness Deech (20 minutes)

Commentary and Discussion (25 minutes)

10:45 – 11:00; Concluding remarks: Professor Wardle