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Friday, March 31, 2023 9:30 AM – 2:00 PM

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Welcome and Introduction

9:30 AM – 9:50 AM

Linda K. Breggin, Senior Attorney, Environmental Law Institute Michael P. Vandenbergh, David Daniels Allen Distinguished Chair of Law, Vanderbilt University Law School Kristen Sarna, Editor-in-Chief, ELPAR Henry Woods, Development Editor, ELPAR

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9:50 AM - 11:00 AM

Panel Introduction: Chris Burrows, Article Editor, ELPAR
J.B. Ruhl (co-author), David Daniels Allen Distinguished Chair in Law, Director, Program on Law and Innovation, Co-director, Energy Environment and Land Use Program, Vanderbilt University Law School
Robin Kundis Craig (co-author), Robert C. Packard Trustee Chair in Law, University of Southern California Gould School of Law
Carlos Evans, Director of the Office of Environmental Quality and Sustainability, City of Dallas
Joel Scheraga, Senior Advisor for Climate Change Adaptation, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Rod Schoonover, Founder and CEO, Ecological Futures Group
Hana Vizcarra, Senior Attorney, Earthjustice

Break

11:00 AM - 11:25 AM

How Algorithm-Assisted Decision Making Is Influencing Environmental Law and Climate Adaptation 11:25 AM – 12:30 PM

Panel Introduction: Tasia Harris (remote), Article Editor, ELPAR
Sonya Ziaja (author), Assistant Professor of Law, University of Baltimore School of Law
Keith Benes, Senior Fellow, U.S. Department of Energy
Mohit Chhabra, Senior Scientist, Climate & Clean Energy Program, Natural Resources Defense Council
Debra Gore-Mann, President and CEO, The Greenlining Institute

Break

12:30 PM – 12:40 PM

Do ESG Mutual Funds Deliver on Their Promises? 12:40 PM – 1:55 PM

Panel Introduction: Thomas Boynton, Article Editor, ELPAR

Quinn Curtis (co-author), Associate Dean for Curricular Programs, The Honorable Albert V. Bryan Jr. '50 Research Professor of Law, University of Virginia School of Law

Jill Fisch (co-author), Saul A. Fox Distinguished Professor of Business Law, Co-Director, Institute for Law and Economics, University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School

Adriana Robertson (co-author), Donald N. Pritzker Professor of Business Law, The University of Chicago Law School

Kathryn Geoffroy, Associate, Arnold & Porter

Stephen W. Hall, Legal Director and Securities Specialist, Better Markets

Anne Kelly, Vice President, Government Relations, Ceres

Closing Remarks - Conclusion

1:55 PM – 2:00 PM

Karalyn Berman, Executive Editor, ELPAR