

**University of St Thomas School of Law – Journal of Law and Public Policy**

**Fall Symposium Schedule**

7:30am

- Breakfast at University of St. Thomas School of Law Atrium

8:00am

- Welcome from Dean Nicholas and JLPP Editor in Chief in Moot Court Room

8:15am – **Panel 1 on Institutionalism, Federalism, and the Comparative Method**

- Noah Chauvin– Justice Kavanaugh’s Institutionalism
- Kimberly Breedon– Comparative Constitutional Approaches to Combating Government Corruption
- Ilari Di Goia – Federalism, Marijuana, and The Drug Laws

9:30am – **Break**

9:45am – **Panel 2 on Constitutional History**

- Cary Nederman– “Quod Omnes Tangit:” Constitutional Principle or Malleable Authority? (medieval constitutionalism)
- Ken Pennington– “The Prince and Private Property” – Medieval Origins of Eminent Doman
- Michael Cohen– Constitutional history of the presidency; Zachary Taylor and Millard Fillmore
- Aaron Walayat - John Adams’ Constitutionalism

11:00am - **Lunch**

12:00pm – **Keynote Speaker**

- Akhil Reed Amar

12:45pm - **Break**

1:00pm – **Panel 3 – The Rule of Law and the Constitution**

- Brian Tamanaha – Relationship of the Rule of Law and Constitutionalism
- Jorge Fabra Zamora – A Taxonomy of Constitutionalism Beyond the State
- Sanford Levinson – Judicial Independence and Relationship to Our Notions of “Constitutionalism”
- Teliia Mary U Williams– Scriptural Interpretation and Constitutional Interpretation

2:15pm – **Break**

2:30pm – **Panel 4 on Constitutional Theory**

- Michael Paulsen– Dead Framers Society
- Garrett Epps – Constitutionalism and Judicial Independence in the Post-Trump Era
- Lucas Clover Alcolea - Adrian Vermeule's Common Good Constitutionalism
- Jorge Farinacci Fernos– Can We Replace the Old Constitutionalism with Something New?

3:45pm – Closing remarks

4pm – End