

Roundtable on the Rule of Law in the United States & Brazil
Superior School of the Brazilian Federal Prosecution Service
& Faculty of the University of Florida Levin College of Law &
UF College of Liberal Arts, Dept. of Political Science
Thursday, August 31 & Friday, September 1, 2023
Bailey Event Space, UF Levin College of Law

Thursday, August 31, 2023

- 1.45 pm Welcome by Merritt McAllister, Interim Dean, UF Levin College of Law.
- Welcome by Dr. Carlos De La Torre, Director, UF Center for Latin American Studies
- Introduction of Speakers:
 Jon Mills, Dean Emeritus & Professor of Law, Univ. of Florida Levin College of Law &
 Saulo José Casali Bahia, Federal Judge & Professor of Law, Federal University of Bahia.
- 2.00 pm **Panel 1: Fundamental Rights in Brazil & the United States.**
 “Affirmative Action in Brazil & the United States”,
 Manoel Jorge e Silva Neto, Federal Prosecutor & Professor of Law, Federal University of Bahia.
- “Prospects for affirmative action in the United States after the US Supreme Court’s *Harvard & UNC* decisions”,
 Sharon Rush, Professor Emerita of Law, Univ. of Florida Levin College of Law.
- 3.00 pm **Panel 2: Democracy & Elections in Brazil & the United States.**
 “Challenges posed by electronic voting in Brazil”,
 André Luiz Batista Neves, Federal Prosecutor & Professor of Law, Federal University of Bahia.
- “Law governing elections & elections challenges in the USA”,
 Michael MacDonald, Professor of Political Science, Univ. of Florida
- 4.30 pm **Reception for guests & faculty.**
 Lobby, Levin Advocacy Center

Friday, September 1, 2023

- 9.00 am **Panel 3: Challenge of AI to courts.**
“Issues posed by AI in the Brazilian court system”,
Saulo José Casali Bahia, Federal Judge & Professor of Law, Federal University of Bahia
- “Approaches to dealing with AI in the US court system”,
Adam Bent, Post-Graduate Fellow, Center for Governmental Responsibility,
Univ. of Florida Levin College of Law
- 10.30 am **Panel 4: Issues in Criminal Prosecution.**
“Comparison of Prosecution Office in Brazil and the USA”,
Alcides Martins, Director, Superior School of the Brazilian Federal Prosecution
Service & Federal Prosecutor General
- “Criminal Prosecution of Corporate Officers: Need for Fifth Amendment
Protections”,
Tracey Maclin, Professor of Law, Univ. of Florida Levin College of Law
- 11.45 am Closing

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