### Teaching the Academically Underprepared Law Student
The Fourth Colonial Frontier Legal Writing Conference
Saturday, December 6, 2014

#### 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.
**Continental Breakfast – Student Lounge**

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| 9:00 – 9:25 a.m. | Dean Ken Gormley, Duquesne Univ. School of Law – Welcome  
Jan Levine & Kirsha Weyandt, Duquesne Univ. School of Law – Introduction |
| 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. | Mary Ann Becker, Loyola Univ. Chicago College of Law – Understanding the Tethered Generation: Net Gens Come to Law School  
Jane Bloom Grisé, Univ. of Kentucky College of Law – Critical Reading and Legal Writing |

#### 9:00 – 10:40 a.m.
**Coffee and Snacks – Student Lounge**

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| 10:00 – 10:40 a.m. | Tammy Pettinato, Univ. of North Dakota School of Law – Special Challenges for Law Students from Lower Socio-Economic Backgrounds  
Courtney Lee, Pacific McGeorge School of Law – Changing Gears to Meet the New Normal in Legal Education |
| 11:20 – 11:50 a.m. | Rebecca Flanagan, Univ. of Massachusetts Law School – Should Law School Admissions Follow a Medical School Model? An Argument for a Pre-Law Curriculum  
Sherri Keene, Univ. of Maryland School of Law – Are We There Yet? Aligning the Expectations and Realities of Gaining Competency in Legal Writing |

#### 12:00 noon – 1:30 p.m.
**Lunch – Student Lounge**

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| 1:30 – 2:00 p.m. | Heidi Brown, New York Law School – Empowering Millennial and Generation Z Students to Overcome Extreme Public Speaking Anxiety in the Socratic Law School Classroom  
Shailini George, Suffolk Univ. Law School – How Mindfulness Training Can Improve Learning in Law School |
| 2:10 – 2:40 p.m. | Ruth Vance and Susan Stuart, Valparaiso Univ. School of Law – Academically Underprepared Yet Overconfident: Teaching the Learning-Resistant Law Student  
Julia Glencer, Duquesne Univ. School of Law – Emerging Adults, “Rules” and Authority: Navigating the Minefield to Cultivate Professional Behavior |
| 2:40 – 3:00 p.m. | Plenary Session – What Does the Future Hold? – Room 204 |
| 3:00 – 4:30 p.m. | Closing Reception – The Bridget and Alfred Peláez Legal Writing Center – Room 133 |