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Women's Lecture Luncheon Series

2011-2012



November 17, 2011

Catherine Musco Garcia-Prats

Good Families Don't Just Happen



Catherine Musco Garcia-Prats shares her adventure of raising ten sons from strong, successful, and spirited boys into strong, successful, and spirited men—boys and men who are loving, respectful, responsible, well-educated, and faith-filled. Cathy's practical wisdom learned in the school of life motivates, encourages, and inspires others to reach their full potential while navigating the challenges, demands, and blessings of everyday life.

Cathy and her husband, Joseph are co-authors of the bestsellers *Good Families Don't Just Happen* and *Good Marriages Don't Just Happen*. They lecture nationally and internationally, individually and as a couple, on parenting, family, marriage, and relationships. The Garcia-Prats family has appeared on many television programs including *The Oprah Winfrey Show*.

February 16, 2012

Jonathan Turley

Unpacking the Court: The Reform and Expansion of the Supreme Court



Professor Jonathan Turley is a nationally recognized legal scholar who has written extensively in areas ranging from constitutional law to legal theory to tort law. He has written over three dozen academic articles that have appeared in a variety of leading law journals at Cornell, Duke, Georgetown, Harvard, Northwestern, and other schools.

Professor Turley joined the George Washington faculty in 1990 and, in 1998, was given the prestigious Shapiro Chair for Public Interest Law, the youngest chaired professor in the school's history. Turley was ranked as 38th in the top 100 most cited "public intellectuals" in the recent study by Judge Richard Posner. He received his B.A. at the University of Chicago and his J.D. at Northwestern. In 2008, he was given an honorary Doctorate of Law from John Marshall Law School for his contributions to civil liberties and the public interest.

May 10, 2012

Dr. Jill Carroll

Religious Tolerance



Dr. Jill Carroll is a recognized expert on issues of religious tolerance, philosophy of religion, American religion, and religion in public life. She is a dynamic speaker with a gift for simplifying complicated matters without stripping them of their substance. Carroll is the author of numerous articles and four books. An author and frequent guest on radio and television programs, Carroll has been interviewed by *The New York Times*, *PBS* and

Good Morning America and writes as a guest columnist for *The Houston Chronicle*. A recent book, *A Dialogue of Civilizations: Gulen's Islamic Ideals and Humanistic Discourse* was a *Publishers Weekly* bestseller in religion, having been in a "Top 10" category on Amazon in May 2007. She has taught widely for many years in the Houston area, and is currently an Adjunct Associate Professor in the Department of Religious Studies at Rice University.



- **You will receive a reservation card approximately 30 days before each lecture that will serve as your RSVP.**
- **You will also be able to reserve a place for guests at that time.**
- **The cost is \$150 and includes all 3 lectures with lunch.**



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