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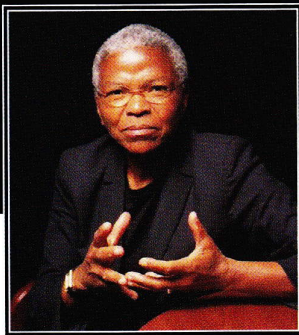
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KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

DR. MARY FRANCES BERRY

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There are few like Mary Frances Berry. For over four decades, she has been one of the most recognized and respected voices in our nation's civil rights, gender equality, and social justice agendas. Fighting for fairness and justice under four Presidential administrations, she led the way as Chairperson of the US Civil Rights Commission for many years.

Now the Professor of American Social Thought at the University of Pennsylvania, she teaches history and law. Lauded by many honorary degrees and awards, including one of "America's Women of the Century," from the Women's Hall of Fame, Berry is never one to rest on her laurels. She continues to speak boldly for those who can't speak for themselves. Her vision of social freedom and equality, her wisdom and candor, assure her place in the future agenda of America.

In recognition of her scholarship and public service, Dr. Berry has received 35 honorary doctoral degrees and many awards. In 1990-91 she was President of the Organization of American Historians. She is a Fellow of the Society of American Historians and of the National Academy of Public Administration. She is the author of ten books including *Power in Words: The Stories behind Barack Obama's Speeches, from the State House to the White House* and *And Justice For All: The United States Commission On Civil Rights And the Struggle For Freedom in America*.

With fierce determination, Berry never backs down. She educates, transforms, and inspires us all. Her clarion call challenges everyone to stand up, get it, and don't give up the fight.

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Attorney Fay Clayton is a recognized and respected civil rights advocate known for her extensive pro bono work, spanning 35 years. Among her notable cases are: *Allen v. International Truck and Engine Corp*, a racial harassment case that resulted in a \$9 million settlement and consent decree; *Pawell v. Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority*, a pregnancy harassment case where she won a \$2.85 million jury verdict; *NOW v. Scheidler*, where she represented women's health centers against a campaign of forcible and violent blockades; and *Ulane v. Eastern Air Lines*, where she represented a transgender pilot. In her first federal appeal, *Tidwell v. Schweiker*, which she argued for the Chicago Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, Inc., in 1981, she secured important economic rights for a class of mental patients.

In 1989, Ms. Clayton became a founding partner in Robinson, Curley and Clayton. Her decades of experience include numerous trials, appeals and arbitrations in tribunals including the United States Supreme Court. She is a frequent speaker on topics including employment law, women's issues and civil rights.

Ms. Clayton earned her J.D. from IIT/Chicago-Kent College of Law in 1978, where she graduated first in class. Her leadership has been recognized by her alma mater, which established a moot court award in her name, and by numerous civil rights organizations. Ms. Clayton has served on the Board of the national Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, Inc. since 1997 and was a member of the Board of the Chicago Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, Inc. from 1983 – 2010.

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