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### **UH Law Center will examine role of grand juries, policing, and civil rights in upcoming CLE**

*Law enforcement officials, prosecutors, and law professors to participate*

**Feb. 10, 2015** -- The University of Houston Law Center (UHLC) is presenting "Grand Juries, Policing, and Civil Rights," a Feb. 13 program addressing questions and concerns raised by recent events in New York City, Ferguson, Mo., and other locales across the nation.

Professionals from a broad spectrum of the legal community will share their expertise in a series of presentations. Speakers include Harris County Assistant District Attorney Belinda Hill; Chuck Joyner, president of Survival Science and a former FBI special agent; Houston Police Chief Charles McClelland; UHLC Professor Sandra Guerra Thompson, director of the school's Criminal Justice Institute; Cassandra Jeu, legal clinic supervisor for the UHLC-based Texas Innocence Network; Harris County Chief Public Defender Alex Bunin; and UHLC Dean Leonard M. Baynes.

The program will be from 1:00 p.m. to 5:15 p.m., Friday, Feb. 13, in room 144 BLB of the Law Center. The program is part of a free series of Continuing Legal Education (CLE) events for alumni and is open to other attorneys in greater Houston area. Attendees will receive four hours of CLE credit, including 1.5 hours of ethics credit.

For additional information and to register, visit

<https://www.law.uh.edu/cle/2015Feb13/homepage.asp> or call 713-743-2063.

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