Thursday, April 27

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.: Reception and Dinner for Participants at Harvard Faculty Club

Friday, April 28

8:30 - 8:40 a.m.: Welcome: John Palfrey (Executive Director, The Berkman Center for Internet & Society)

8:40 - 9:00 a.m.: Introduction: Paul Caron (Cincinnati; Publisher & Editor-in-Chief, Law Professor Blogs Network)

9:00 - 10:30 a.m.: Law Blogs as Legal Scholarship

Papers
- Larry Solum (Illinois; Legal Theory Blog): The Role of the Blog in the Dissemination of Legal Scholarship
- Kate Litvak (Texas): Law Prof Blogs: Useful, Yes; Scholarship, No

Commentators
- Paul Butler (George Washington; BlackProf)
- Jim Lindgren (Northwestern; The Volokh Conspiracy)
- Ellen Podgor (Stetson; White Collar Crime Prof Blog)

11:00 - 12:30 p.m.: The Role of the Law Professor Blogger

Papers
- Gail Heriot (San Diego; The Right Coast): Was Publius Our Nation’s First Blogger?
- Orin Kerr (George Washington; The Volokh Conspiracy): Law Professors as Public Intellectuals
- Gordon Smith (Wisconsin; Conglomerate): Bit By Bit: A Case Study of Bloggership

Commentators
- Randy Barnett (Boston University; The Volokh Conspiracy)
- Michael Froomkin (Miami; Discourse.net)

12:30 - 2:00 p.m.: Lunch

2:00 - 3:30 p.m.: Law Blogs and the First Amendment

Papers
- Glenn Reynolds (Tennessee; Instapundit) (via video conference): Libel, the First Amendment, and Bloggers
- Eugene Volokh (UCLA; The Volokh Conspiracy): Cheap Speech and What It Has Done
- Eric Goldman (Marquette; Technology & Marketing Law Blog): Joint and Guest Blogger Arrangements

Commentators
- Betsy Malloy (Cincinnati; Health Law Prof Blog)
- Dan Solove (George Washington; Concurring Opinions)

3:45 - 5:15 p.m.: The Many Faces of Law Professor Blogs

Papers
- Larry Ribstein (Illinois; Ideoblog): Bloggership as Amateur Journalism
- Christine Hurt (Illinois; Conglomerate) & Tung Yin (Iowa; The Yin Blog): Pre-Tenure Blogging: Is It Worth It?

Commentators
- Howard Bashman (How Appealing)
- Peter Lattman (Wall Street Journal’s Law Blog)