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Panels

Disability, the Technological Age, and Nontraditional Forums for Advocacy

Friday, March 22, 2013, 3:20 P.M. - 4:50 P.M.

Moderator:

- [Pui-Yee Yu \(Disability Law Society, UCLA Law\)](#)

Damron will discuss new barriers to programmatic accessibility that emerged as access to post-secondary course materials evolved to become more reliant on emerging technologies. She will discuss her work at a university in increasing access to these web technologies. Kasnitz will discuss moving disability advocacy outside of the traditional forums (i.e. courts and legislatures) into nontraditional forums. She will highlight one such effort, which resulted in increased awareness of disability rights at the California Public Utilities Commission. Blanck will discuss a right under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) to web access for people with cognitive disabilities.

Advocacy: Retrofitting Access to Educational Information Technologies

Panelists:

- [Courtney Damron \(ADSUM Director, Univ. of Montana\)](#)

Including Disability: Advancing Disability Rights in a Nontraditional Forum

Panelists:

- [Melissa Kasnitz \(Center for Accessible Technology, Berkeley\)](#)

"When Gawd make cripple, He mean him to be lonely": Disability, the Web and an Inclusive World

Panelists:

- [Peter Blanck, PhD, JD \(Syracuse University\)](#)

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