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2010 Annual Dinner*

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2010 Annual Dinner

Guest Speaker

NEAL K. KATYAL

Principal Deputy United States Solicitor General

Presentation of Lifetime Achievement Awards

Robert M. Ervin and Mark Hulseay

Thursday, January 28, 2010

Reception 6:00 p.m. - Dinner 7:15 p.m.

University Center Club, Tallahassee

Business Attire

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About our Speaker:

NEAL K. KATYAL

Principal Deputy U. S. Solicitor General



Neal Katyal is the Principal Deputy Solicitor General of the United States. Previously he was the Paul and Patricia Saunders Professor of National Security Law at the Georgetown University Law School. Before that he was National Security Adviser to the Deputy Attorney General, where he was commissioned by President Clinton to prepare a report on the need for more legal pro bono work.

While a law professor, he was lead counsel in such high-profile cases as *Hamdan v. Rumsfeld* (2006 Supreme Court case challenging the policy of Guantanamo Bay military trials) and *Grutter v. Bollinger* (representing deans of most major private law schools in the landmark 2003 University of Michigan affirmative action case), and he was co-counsel to Vice President Al Gore in the *Bush v. Gore* 2000 Presidential Election dispute.

Katyal clerked for Supreme Court Justice Stephen Breyer and U. S. Court of Appeals Judge Guido Calabresi. He attended Dartmouth College and Yale Law School. His articles have appeared in virtually every major law review and newspaper in America. He has appeared on every major U. S. nightly news program and in other venues such as the Colbert Report.

In 2006 he was named Lawyer of the Year by *Lawyers USA* and runner-up for that award by the *National Law Journal*. In 2007 *American Lawyer* named him one of the nation's top 50 litigators age 45 or younger, and in 2008 *Legal Times* rated him one of the 90 Greatest Washington Lawyers Over the Last 30 Years. In 2006, 2007 and 2008 *LawDragon Magazine* recognized him as one of the top 500 lawyers in the country. *Washingtonian Magazine* selected him as one of the 30 best advocates before the U. S. Supreme Court (2007) and the *Hindustan Times* named him one of 10 Non-Resident Indian Achievers Worldwide.(2005). He also has been awarded the Town of Salem, Mass. Prize (2007), the ACLU Foundation's Roger Baldwin Award (2007), the National Asian Pacific Bar Assn. Trailblazer Award (2007) and the *National Law Journal* pro bono award (2004).



The mission of the Florida Supreme Court Historical Society is to preserve our state's judicial history and educate the public about the critically important work of the courts. For more information, please visit our website at: www.flcourthistory.org.

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 3. Reservations will be confirmed by e-mail. Tickets will **not** be sent out in advance. Names of persons with reservations and dinner table assignments will appear on a list at the door.
 4. There will be a cash bar for the 6:00 p.m. reception. (Event sponsors will receive complimentary drink tickets.)
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